

Both groups therefore abandoned the idea of these mountains in favor of another unnamed peak, apparently the western peak (20,685 feet) of Chaturangi. On October 6 they moved camp 1000 feet higher. On the 7th they left for this new peak, crossed the third hump, then traversed the southeast face of the peak and gained the summit at noon.

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*Abi Gamin.* This peak (24,130 feet) was climbed on July 6 by Nandlal Purchit and two Sherpas from Camp II. The expedition was led by Hemant Patel and sponsored by the Gujarat State Council of Sports.

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*Lampak South.* Ten climbers led by Prasanta Chakraborty and sponsored by the Mountain Lovers Association climbed Lampak South (20,750 feet) on September 21. The summit climbers were Milan Sen Gupta, Pranesh Chaudhury and Sherpas Pasang Tsering, Nima Dorje and Ang Chhutar. They established Base Camp at 15,500 feet on September 6 and Camp II on the 11th. From Camp II they ascended an icefall and attempted to climb an ice wall to open the route to a saddle between an unnamed 21,340-foot peak and Lampak South. This route had to be abandoned after attempts on three days. Following a reconnaissance of the southwest ridge, Camp III was established on September 20, just below the towering spur. The next morning they climbed the spur, traversed the ice wall and took the southwest ridge to the summit.

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*Tharkot.* After an expedition of the Climbers Club from Bombay, in May had been carried down in an avalanche from a point just above their high camp on Tharkot (20,010 feet), they abandoned their attempt. Later in the year the Mountaineers Club also sent a six-man group to this region. After a long trek from Bharari (Kapkot), they finally reached Sundardunga on September 25 and placed Base Camp at Sukhram on the 27th. Two more camps were set up at 15,500 and 17,000 feet on September 29 and 30. On October 2 Dhrubajyoti Ghosh and porters Kushal Singh and Ram Singh climbed a virgin peak (18,500 feet) southwest of Maiktoli and southeast of Tharkot.

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