July 30 at 13,900 feet on the 15-mile-long glacier. On August 2 Camp I was established at 15,525 feet on the upper part of the glacier, a mile west of Z3. On August 5 Graziano Ferrari, Stefano Mazzoli and Alberto Fogli placed Camp II at 17,700 feet and on the 8th climbed P 6110* (20,046 feet; 2 miles south of Camp I on the valley's east ridge). On August 9 Ferrari and Mazzoli climbed P 5930 (19,456 feet; 2 miles west of Camp I on the west ridge). That same day Ricardo Lorenzi, the 18year-old girl Flavia Masini, Marco Rosa, Angelo Zatti, liaison officer Zagad and I set out from Camp I to establish Camp III at 5330 meters (17,487 feet; 3 miles southwest of Camp I near the head of the glacier). On August 10 we climbed P 5810 (19,062 feet; at the western side of the head of the glacier). On August 12 Ferrari and Ettore Nanni ascended P 5710 (18,734 feet; one mile south of P 5930). On August 13 Lorenzi, Nanni, Zatti and Rosa from Camp II again climbed P 6110. On August 15 Mazzoli and Fogli made the difficult ascent of P 5680 (18,635 feet; 3 miles southwest of Base Camp on the east ridge). We moved back to Base Camp. On August 16 Ferrari, Fabio Bertoncelli, Marco Mairani and Rainer Stechel climbed P 5330 (17,487 feet; 5% mile northwest of Z8). They found a cairn on top.

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* Altitudes determined by aneroid barometer.

La Schal. Our expedition was made up of Pierre Cier, Dr. Marc Koch, his wife Elisabeth, my wife Francine and me. Our objective was La Schal, near the Hagshu La, a pass which links the Chenab and Doda Rivers. The mountain lies just north of the Barnaj peaks. We established Base Camp on August 11 near the La Schal Glacier on the northern approaches of the pass. We fixed 1000 feet of rope between Base and Camp I at 17,400 feet. Camp II was at 18,500 feet above a second glacial plateau. The weather was bad as we advanced the camps. My wife and I set out from Base Camp finally in fine weather on August 20 to join the other three in Camp I. Dr. Koch fell sick and he and his wife descended to Base. My wife, Cier and I continued to Camp II. On August 22 we three attacked the northeast face and climbed to the summit of La Schal (6135 meters, 20,128 feet) after a seven-hour ascent.

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Pakistan

K2, West Ridge and Abruzzi Spur Attempts. Our team consisted of Doug Scott, Joe Tasker, Dick Renshaw and me. We left Skardu on May 10. Deep snow on the Baltoro Glacier hindered our progress.