

*Koa Rong I.* Our members were Mitsuru Shibata, general leader, Hitoshi Maebashi, Ikuo Nakashima, Motoyuki Kabayashi, Masaaki Sato, Syuzo Hattori, Kimikazu Ando, Miss Kimiko Hayashi, Miss Yoshiko Matsui and I as climbing leader. We climbed the southeast ridge of Koa Rong I. Camp I was established on August 5 at 16,825 feet. We crossed the glacier, fixed 1000 feet of rope on the rock wall and established Camp II on August 12. On August 14 Maebashi and Nakashima with porters Dhani Ram and Lebad Ram, supported by two others, climbed to Camp II and fixed 1250 feet of rope above it. On August 15, having left at 6:30, they were at the top of the difficulties using the fixed ropes. The summit party separated from the support group, climbed the rock ridge and snow face to reach the summit (6157 meters, 20,200 feet) at two P.M.

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*Koa Rong III, 1980.* A ten-man British Army expedition, led by Lieutenant Colonel Richard Hardie, made the first ascent of this mountain in 1980.

*CB 12, 1980.* All members of a two-woman, four-man Japanese expedition from Osaka, led by Yoshitoru Hirotani, made the third ascent of CB 12 (6250 meters, 20,506 feet) on August 13, 1980. Base Camp was at the snout of the Dakka Glacier at 13,950 feet. Camp III was placed at 18,700 feet on the 12th. The next day all members climbed the steep ice of the north face to the summit. (See *Iwa To Yuki*, N° 81, pages 177-8 and N° 82 page 106.)

*CB 13.* Our expedition consisted of Miss Hiroko Okazaki, leader, Miss Michiko Izumida, Miss Gachiko Higashi and me. We entered the CB 13 branch glacier from the South Dakka Glacier. We made Base Camp on the tongue of the South Dakka Glacier at 15,425 feet on August 14. We placed Camp I on the branch glacier at 16,400 feet on the 17th. On August 22 we made Camp II on the col of the north ridge of CB 13 at 18,000 feet. We fixed some 1500 feet of rope. On August 24 Miss Izumida, Miss Higashi, Sherpa Pyarelal Thakur and I climbed to the summit (6264 meters, 20,550 feet), fixing 400 feet more of rope.

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*Dharamsura and P 19,500.* Twelve climbers from Calcutta, led by Sailendra Nath Bhattacharya, established Base Camp at 13,500 feet at Samsi. On June 24 Pulak Majumdar, Asoke Sarkar, Tara Chand and Nirat Ram climbed the difficult southeast ridge of Dharamsura