

dihedral forks. The Catalans continued up the right fork for another 400 meters to an overhang which divides the face in half. There they made a spectacular traverse of 55 meters to the right to surmount the roof where it was narrowest. Above the roof, they continued up dihedrals and crack systems to below the summit. The final rope-lengths to the summit were less steep but treacherous because of lichen on the rock. The most difficult pitches were rated as UIAA VI. These were the second pitch after leaving the French dihedral, the overhang traverse and the fourth and fifth pitches above the roof. The first pitch over the roof was artificial at A3. The rest averaged V. They fixed ropes on the lower section until they were over the roof and climbed alpine-style above that. (We are grateful to Sr. Verdager for this information.)

*Staunings Alper.* The eight climbers of our expedition sailed in a ketch from Jan Mayen in the Faroe Islands and finally used the boat as Base Camp in the Damen inlet near Mestersvig. We made the following ascents. Jean-Marc Piron and Luc Ancion made the first ascent of the south face of Dunator, approaching via the Bersaerkerbrae, and the south face of Atillaborgen (between the Krabbe and Sefstoms Glaciers. Daniel Caise and Gérard Miserque ascended the right bank of the Spørre Glacier amid difficult séracs, hoping to reach the Castor and Pollux Glacier. They also reconnoitered toward the north shore of Furosoe Lake but the precipitous glacier front of the Spørre Glacier blocked them. A large river also cut them off. Up the Furosoe Glacier, Didier Dubosse and Philippe Soertaert attempted the Parot Tower. Jean-Pierre Deveaux and I went to the col at the head of the Furosoe. We four also reconnoitered other passes.

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*Mount Atter and Other Peaks, Sukkertoppen Icecap, West Greenland.* Our nine-man expedition led by Jordi Colomer arrived on July 18 at Søndre Stromfjord. The next day we flew to Sukkertoppen by helicopter. It was difficult to rent a boat to Evighedsfjord and so we rented two small boats to Kangamuit. From there, on July 20 we went with a fishing boat to Kangusiaqfjord, where we placed Base Camp. Apart from a three-day storm and some cloudy days, the weather was good. We made the following ascents: Mount Atter (2190 meters, 7185 feet), July 23 by Josep Barrachina, Alex Alom, Jaume Real, Lluís López, first ascent of east ridge and third ascent of peak; Pointe de l'Eternité (1980 meters, 6168 feet), July 23 by Jordi Colomer, Ramón Bramona, Francesc Sanahuja, Jordi Sans, Miquel Angel Martínez, via east ridge; P 1790 (5873 feet), July 24 by the previous five, via east ridge; Punta del Torrent (1240 meters, 4068 feet), July 24 by Colomer, Sanahuja, via south ridge; P 1780 (5840 feet), July 27 by Bramona, Sans, Martínez, via south ridge; Agssaussat (2140 meters, 6923 feet), August 5 by Real, Martínez, via south ridge; and Quingarssut (1908 meters, 6220 feet), August 6 by Sans, Alom, López, Barrachina, via northeast ridge. On August 8 a fishing boat picked us up at Base Camp.

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