



Dunagiri II (pointed peak on left), Rama Hanuman (rock peak in middle) and Dunagiri III (on right, partially hidden).
Kike Escalante

The route involves some technical climbing (V° , 650 meters). The route, *La Ley de Murphy*, was stripped of fixed gear except for the rappels.

KIKE ESCALANTE, Spain

Nanda Devi East, Ascent. A four-member Korean expedition, led by Jeong Jeon-Mo summited Nanda Devi East (7434 m) on September 1 via the south ridge. Summitters included Jeong Jeon-Mo, SuJin Lee, Nati Sherpa and Mingma Sherpa. The south ridge route was first climbed by a 1939 Polish expedition. Since then, this technically difficult route has been repeated a few times. The Korean team was successful on this peak at the height of the monsoon. Their attempt was spread over the months of July to September.

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Nar Parbat, Ascent. It was reported that Kalyan Banik and Susants Gayn from a 12-member Bengal expedition summited Nar Parbat (5885 m) on September 18. (*High Mountain Sports* 174)

ASSAM HIMALAYA

Gorichen I, Ascent. An Indian Army Expedition led by Major Anirudh Negi climbed Gorichen I (6858 m) via the same route as an earlier 1994 team, summitting on September 27.

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Gorichen East, Ascent. An Indian expedition from Calcutta, led by Asit Kr. Paul, summited Gorichen East (6422 m) on October 18. Summitters were Asit Paul, Sherpa Karma and Sherpa Dawa.

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