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Review

If you're on an extended road trip that keeps you in the northeast during ice season, *Selected Climbs* will keep you busy on the crag and entertained in the tent. (*NEclimbs.com*)

[Peter Lewis and David Horowitz] have come together to finally put a stop to the madness all climbers have been facing of searching through collections of books looking for the few gems hidden in a mass of climb descriptions. (*Burlington (VT) Free Press*)

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