

months in making Lake Lindeman. All the passes are above timber-line, and are covered all the year round with

was only when Lake Lindeman was reached that Schwatka found arboreal growth, though to judge from late accounts,



MILES CAÑON, LEWES RIVER.

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expanses of ice and snow, even Crater Lake, some distance below the height of land, has not a bush or other sign of vegetation round its Arctic shores. It

trees of sufficiently large size to whip-saw into boards for boat-building have become very scarce round that sheet of water.

This boat-building is the next thing



WITH SLEDGE AND CANOE ON LAKE LINDEMAN, JUNE 1897.

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