

**At the Zoo.**  
He (stopping at one of the cages)—  
What a splendid specimen he is!  
She—Yes. He reminds me so much  
of you, John.  
He—Of me?  
She—Yes. He's a perfect bear.—  
Chicago Tribune.

**Amiable.**  
"So," said the young girl's father  
raspingly; "he has such a lovely dis-  
position, has he?"  
"Yes," she answered. "He said that  
if I will marry him, he won't object to  
living in the same house with you,  
even if you are real cross."

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with tightened lips, he kept back the  
cry of pain. King Gustavus Adolphus,  
who saw the accident, prophesied that  
the boy who had such self control  
would make a man for emergencies.  
He was right, for the lad became the  
famous General Bauer.

An Italian woman fell into a dock  
and would have been drowned but  
for the courage of a boy who sprang  
in after her and managed to keep her  
afloat till a boat came to the rescue.  
The spectators admired the boy's  
promptness and kindness of heart,  
but commented on his recklessness,  
which, they said, might have cost  
him his life.

This boy was Garibaldi, and in con-  
sidering his life one finds that these  
were his characteristics all through.  
He was so alert that no one could  
tell when he would make an attack  
with his red shirted soldiers, so brave  
and magnanimous that the world rang  
with his praises, and withal so indis-  
creet as to make his fellow patriots  
wish he were in Guinea.

A little boy used to crush flowers  
to obtain their color, and would then  
paint all sorts of pictures on the white  
walls of his father's cottage in the  
Tyrol. He became known to the  
world later on as the great artist  
Titian.

## Backaches of Women

are wearying beyond de-  
scription and they indicate  
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the backaches continue  
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### ICE ROADS OF THE WEST.

Constructed for the Use of Lumber Sleds  
When Snow Falls.

"We are getting along fairly well in  
the woods by making ice roads," said  
Senator Buckman, "but we would  
really like a little snow, just as a sort  
of guarantee that we are really going  
to have some winter." The senator  
is cutting something like 40,000,000  
feet of logs in the Swan River district  
in Minnesota this winter. He has up-  
ward of 800 men at work in his camps.  
As his operations involve an expendi-  
ture of \$1500 a day, it may readily be  
seen that the question of the  
weather from day to day is one in  
which Senator Buckman has more than  
a passing interest.

"In the 12 camps where my men  
are now at work," continued the sena-  
tor, "I am using about 100 horses in  
hauling water day and night to keep  
the roads in condition. The water is  
hauled in 80-barrel tanks mounted on  
sleds, and an arrangement of pipes di-  
rects the flow of water in front of the  
runners. Of course there was a great  
deal of preparatory work required.  
The roads were laid out and graded up  
smooth in the fall, and wherever there  
was a brook or a pond convenient to  
the roads a pool was dug so that the  
water might be loaded by the barrel  
full. A tank is run up to one of these  
pools, and an incline arranged so that  
a barrel rigged like a huge bucket  
may be raised and lowered into the  
water, the lead team of horses furnishing  
the power. In this way it  
doesn't take long to fill a tank.

"As the ice forms the road is gradu-  
ally raised, and we have a rut-cutting  
machine which cuts out the ice where  
the runners of the log sleds run, and  
throws it out at the sides. The roads  
do not average more than four miles  
in length to the landing places, and we  
have been able to keep them in good  
condition, but a few warm days would  
knock things out badly.

"It is astonishing to one not accus-  
tomed to such things how much a team  
can haul over these roads. A thou-  
sand feet of logs weighs roughly about  
three tons. I had a letter the other  
day stating that they were now averag-  
ing about 5000 to the load, which  
means 15 tons, but they expect to do  
better. I was talking with a lumber-  
man on the train, who told me that in  
some of the camps they had adopted a  
system known as trailing, hitching  
three sleds one behind the other, and  
were pulling them all with the same  
horse power, loaded with 8000 feet  
each. This means 24,000 feet, or 72  
tons to the trip.

"I remember an instance two or  
three years ago when Judge Collins  
was visiting in one of my camps, when  
20,000 feet, or 60 tons, was loaded on  
one sled. They tell a story of a man  
who was hauling with two of his own  
teams and three hired teams. One  
morning when they came out to hitch  
on to the five loaded sleds, the drivers  
of the hired teams struck for higher  
wages and refused to make the trip to  
the landing. One of the other drivers  
suggested that one of the extra sleds  
be hitched on behind the one with  
which he started, and the horses pulled  
it off without any trouble. Then the  
other driver said he would try the  
three remaining loads, and he got  
away with them without difficulty.  
The hired teams were allowed to go,  
and the work was continued with the  
owner's two teams.

"The logs are loaded on sleds with  
a 'bunk' or bed 14 feet wide and  
piled up as high in the air. They are  
secured by chains around the whole  
mass. The outside bottom log on  
one side is fastened to the sled with  
a short chain at each corner, which  
goes around the logs and is caught  
with a 'grab-hook.' When the land-  
ing is reached these hooks are knocked  
out with an axe, and this brings down  
the whole pile."

### Criminal Woodpiles.

The people of Dawson City have  
adopted a novel and effective cure for  
crime. It is a monster wood pile, of  
a size to awe the most hardened offend-  
er, according to the Omaha Bee.

A man convicted of any offense is  
compelled to saw wood. He saws ten  
hours a day steadily, day after day,  
until his sentence expires. He must  
saw regardless of the weather. In the  
most intense cold, the hardest rain,  
the fiercest snowstorm, he is com-  
pelled to continue sawing, and if the  
day has not ten hours of light, lan-  
terns are provided to enable him to  
put in a full day.

When the pile of sawed wood begins  
to get low, the authorities sentence  
men for very slight offenses, and the  
natural result is that everybody is kept  
on his good behavior.

### Court Etiquette in Holland.

The mother of the Queen of Holland  
objects to the title of "dowager," and  
an official statement has been made by  
the young queen to the effect that her  
mother must not be called "dowager  
queen," but "queen Emma of the  
Netherlands." This is charming  
thoughtfulness and courtesy on the  
part of her majesty toward her mother.  
How is it that the pretty old French  
title of queen mother has dropped out  
of use?

According to a German newspaper,  
there are at present in Europe 71 mar-  
riageable princesses, and only 41  
marriageable princes.

### How Kaffirs bank their Money.

The natives of that part of South  
Africa which to a great extent is in-  
habited by Bushmen and Hottentots  
have a peculiar system of banks and  
banking.

These Kaffirs, among whom this  
curious system of banking obtains,  
live near Kaffraria, in the south of the  
Colony country. The natives come  
down from their country to trade in  
the several villages and towns in  
large numbers, stay with the Boers for  
a time, then return to Kaffraria.

Their banking facilities are very  
primitive, and consist entirely of banks  
of deposit alone, without banks of dis-  
count or issue, and they have no  
checks. But still they enjoy banking  
privileges, such as they are.

From those who trade, of their own  
number, they select one, who for the  
occasion is to be their banker. He is  
converted into a bank of deposit by  
putting all the money of those whose  
banker he is into a bag, and then they  
sally forth to the stores to buy what-  
ever they want.

When an article is purchased by any  
of those who are in this banking ar-  
rangement the price of the article is  
taken by the banker from the deposit  
money bag, counted several times and  
then paid to the seller of the article,  
after which all the bank depositors  
cry out to the banker in the presence  
of two witnesses selected:

"You owe me so much!" This is then  
repeated by the witnesses. The gen-  
eral accounting comes between the  
banker and his several depositors,  
when all desired purchases have been  
made, after which all the natives de-  
part for their northern wilds.—Tit-Bits.

### Incomprehensible Woman.

Frederick—Flavilla, you pledged  
yourself to be faithful forever; and  
yet you say you have not grieved over  
our broken engagement.

Flavilla—Of course not; my heart is  
as true as steel—but when I set my  
mind to it I can be just as shallow  
and fickle as anybody.—Life.

### To My Friends in Georgia.

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vices worth?"

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case," answered the professional man  
of fine distinctions. "What you ought  
to have asked is merely how much I  
am going to charge you."

### Engaged Conditionally.

Edythe—Are Percy and Beatrice en-  
gaged?

Ethel—Well—er—conditionally! If  
her papa's wheat deal goes through all  
right, of course she would look higher  
than Percy; and if her papa's wheat  
deal goes to smash, of course, Percy  
would take to the woods!—Puck.

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ing distance of papa.—Philadel-  
phia North American.

### She Was Appalled.

"We are here to-day and gone to-  
morrow," quoted Mr. Linger at 10  
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