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Excerpt: .if the wagon box is narrower than the sled, the same trouble arises. Even if there are to be boxes made for both, I would still have them the same width as above suggested, for wood racks, manure boxes, etc., may as well be used on either as the case demands. Height of a Sled.--Use deep beams; it is but little more work to load a log upon a sled twenty inches high, than one fifteen, and the high sled will be found much more convenient when passing around in the woods. Timber for a Sled.--Oak, beach and white ash make the best runners. Hickory splits too easily, unless very tough. Red elm is best for beams, and tough white oak for pins. Sugar, or hard maple, makes excellent shoes, but the timber should be seasoned before used. Hickory makes the best roller. The tongue...



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