## OUT WEST

## PECULIAR POLAR PUBLISHING PROPOSITION.

- Come into my "Igloo," my dear Commander P—
- The snuggest little "Igloo" that ever you did see;
  - When safe inside our sleeping bags we'll write a lovely book,
  - And I will be Commander P— and you be Doctor Cook.
  - We'll tell the world how we unfurled "Old Glory" at the Pole,
  - And how from old Cap. Bernier's store our Arctic lore we stole:
  - I'll lunch off twenty Husky dogs, while you can chew up nine,
- In cases such as that, of course, the credit must be mine.
- Then me and you in our "Igloo" will tell of Eskimo.
- And dream we travelled forty miles when 84 below;
- We'll tell of awful darkness and everlasting light,
- Where ice and cold knock out our old friend Mr. Farenheit.