The Call of the Wild

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1 1 To sell him to a man that he was meeting there.
   2 Because he was hungry, thirsty and hurt, and angry about what the men were doing to him.
   3 He learned that a man with a club is a master and a law-maker, and you must do what he tells you.
   4 Three hundred dollars.
   5 He saw snow for the first time.

2 1 She was killed by a group of huskies.
   2 That he would never fall to the ground.
   3 He had to wear a harness and pull a sled.
   4 They slept in holes they had made in the snow.
   5 They were traveling to Dawson because Perrault had to take some things there for the Canadian government.

3 1 Because Spitz took Buck’s warm snow hole.
   2 A group of huskies from one of the native American villages arrived in the camp.
   3 He was afraid that the bites from the wild huskies might make the dogs go mad.
   4 He used parts of his own shoes to make some shoes for Buck.
   5 He started to come between Spitz and the other dogs.

4 1 Because Spitz had run ahead of the other dogs and caught the rabbit that Buck wanted to kill.
   2 He broke Spitz’s front legs by biting them. Then he pushed Spitz down.
   3 Because he wanted to be the leader of the team.
   4 It was a record trip.

5 1 A Scottish-Canadian man.
   2 He dreamed about the man in the red sweater, Curly’s death, and the great fight with Spitz. He also
dreamed of a short, hairy man.
   3 Because Dave was ill and he wanted to let him rest.
   4 He bit through the harness.
   5 The Scottish-Canadian driver shot him.
6 1 They were tired and weak and had lost weight, and Pike, Sol-leks and Dub were hurt.
2 Because it was easier for the government to use newly-arrived dogs that were ready to work at once.
3 Because he could see that they were not well-organized.
4 Because it was frozen in the snow, and needed to be broken out.
5 It fell over and half the things came off it.
6 A smaller load and more dogs.
7 Because they could not carry enough food to feed fourteen dogs.
8 They gave the dogs more food at first.
9 She sat on the sled and refused to walk.

7 1 Because his feet had frozen in the winter and his friends had left him there to get well.
2 Because the ice was breaking and the bottom was going to fall out of the trail.
3 Because he could feel that something terrible was going to happen.
4 They all fell through the ice.
5 She washed and cleaned his cuts every day.
6 He was the perfect master.

8 1 Because he cut open the throat of a man who fought with Thornton.
2 He helped Thornton to get to the river bank.
3 Because Buck had three broken ribs.
4 500 kilos.
5 A hundred meters.

9 1 Sixteen hundred dollars.
2 They traveled east to look for a lost gold mine.
3 A gun under some blankets.
4 Because the men were busy digging up gold.
5 A wolf.

10 1 A black bear.
2 He jumped about and barked in front of it so that it could not move forward.
3 Because he had not let it eat, sleep or drink and it was weak and tired.
4 The Yeehats had killed the men and the other dogs.
5 He went to live with the pack of wolves.
6 He visited the valley where John Thornton had died.