THE WISH-BONE It is the bardest thing to do To have a single wish come true. I've hoped and hoped just one to get.
And not a thing has happened yet. But now I'm sure I know the way To make a wish come true some day A wish-boor I am going to take, And when it's dry enough to break, In either hand I'll take an end, And when they both begin to bend, I'll think of something that I need, And wish it very hard indeed, And then whichever wins the game, I shall be acky just the same.
It is so plaint I wonder why.
No one has ever thought to try-!
But I'll not tell my wish to you

Unless the thing I wish comes true. DARED THE MOROE

Few treation ever were negotiated in more interesting and lodicrous circumstances than those that attended the ese made in 1800 between General

Bates and the sultan of Moro-When, after much dillydallying, the Filipino potentate was finally induced to come on board the Charleston, the general's beadquarters, every effort was made to put him in good bumor. He and his suit partook freely of drink but refused all food as coming from the hands of Christians. Yet they levery in no danger of starving, for they had been careful to bring with these enormous sacks of rice.

When the guests were conducted over the man-of-war they merveled at its mechanical mysteries. At the suggestion of an officer the sultan touched an electric button, and instantly a Chinese servant appeared. Again, in response to a suggestion, be touched the botton twice, and a United States marine stood in the doorway.

From that time every ornament aboard the ship that in any way soggested an electric button was pushed by the sultan or by some member of his suit. An officer conducted him into a dark room and showed him bow to turn the button that adjusted the lighting apparatus. The flood of light that resulted left him with gaping mouth and dilated eyes.

His wonderment continued to grow throughout the afternoon, and whenever an opportunity afforded be repeated the performance of pushing electric bittions and turning electric lights on Rad off. He even went so far, when he thought himself unwatched to try to appropriate one of the

Highted bulbs. When ice water was brought in the hamp of ice in the pitcher was immediately seized by his royal highwess and as quickly dropped to the floor. As the lump gradually diminished in sistes the sultan's party looked at it in

brampicton. Mr. Shock suggested to the sultan that he order one of his men aloft and recall him when he reached the crow's nest. The first order was easy to execote, but when a return was ordered, his voice having failed to carry. megaphone was brought, and into this the sultan shouted for the man to return under penalty of instant death. Immediately the thoroughly frightened More dropped to the deck. The ruler took the dimensions of the strange

mouthpiece and declared that he would make one for himself. The most amusing incident occurred when the sultan upon invitation fired a Colt automatic gun. The explosion of the first discharge appeared to root him to the spot. His hands gripped the trigger, with the result that shells

continued to peoper the surrounding Again and again the royal gunner bagged the officers to stop the action of the infurnal machine, not knowing that the means of doing it lay in his own hands. So thoroughly frightened was he that it was impossible to make him looses his hold, and an officer ordered

the tape cut, thus stopping the supply The one pounder was next brought into play, but the sultan refused to go near one of the eight inch guns, which be bed been invited to fire.

"Meantime the knives of his attendants had been taken to the dynamo room and charged with electricity, with the regult that the suit were of the colnion that the evil one himself was aboard. They begged and implored to be taken ashore and, quite forgetful of their bags of rice, scurried down the gang ladder.

At night the searchlight was brought to bear upon the Moro town of Bus Bus, and the instant desertion of the town followed, even the days leaving M. For many weeks thereafter no amount of persuasion could induce the

inhabitants to return. General Bates made his beadquartetu in the town of Joio, and thither the sultan and his staff came on several occusions to discuss the treaty. Bubsequently they made another visit to the Charleston. This time the mother of the sultan accompanied the party. and during the visit a phonograph owned by one of the officers rendered selections for the entertainment of the

The aged dame ast entranced throughout the performance, and it was not until the time came for her son to affix his signature to the treaty that she awakened. On one condition only would she permit the sulfan to sign-the phonograph must become hers'

I For a time that phonograph threatened to be the means of specting all General Bates' well laid plans for the amicable taking over of the ishads. but fortunately the owner was prevailad upon to part with the marhine in the interests of his government, and the treaty was executed .- B. C. Rost in

Century Magazine. Result of His Researches. Investigator-What, in your opinion in the secret of good roads?

Downstate Officellear-The secret of good roads is to find 'ets. - Chicago The Medern Way.

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Dislikes, Mourning. A certain fushionable dressmaker. scording to Good Housekeeping reluses to make black dresses because of their depressing effect on her emmourning gown for one of her best ustomers whose little girl had died arguing that a black coatume in itself saddens not only those who make it

but the wearer and all her associates. Spatring For an Opining. Guest (after struggling unavailing-iy for some time with fowl)—Walter, what kind of a bird is this? Canvastiack duck, str. "No wonder I couldn't do anything with it. Run and get me the stis

Resentful, Deacon-By the way, that man ago, has he paid your fee yet? Clergyman-No. The last time reminded him of it he said I'd be for is no remedy to equal DOAN's KIDNEY unate if he didn't sue me for dam. | Price.

- Imperlinent. Oll Doctor-What are those white Lydia E. Pinkam Medicine Os. (confl. Miss Pert—Those, are signs advertisdential) Lyan, Mass.—Your letter will in your profession, sir. Old Doctor be beened, read answered by a woman and held in strict confidence. Stones. Miss Part—So they are. REMEWING THE FORESTS

Not much more than a century ago Ontario was an almost unbroken forest. Now the southern portion which we call "Older Ontario" is all but denuded of its woodlands. The settier's are made the clearings which were necessary before agricultural in-dustry could flourish; the lumberman cut of the valuable timber; and now, where the log heaps blazed merrily in the "clearings" within memory even of many of us, the farrier burns coal, not for convenience, but of necessity; and manufacturers are beginning to tell him that it will be cheaper to build his barns of correrated iron than of lumber, says D. G. French in Toronto Bunday World. But scarcity of wood, either as lumber or as fuel, is not the only reason why refereating should be considered a matter of provincial constional economics. In the clearing and timbering operations vast areas of soil wery laid bare which were really suited for producing little else but forests. It is one of nature's apparent mysteries that the mighty trees will grow where the much smaller plants, grains, and even grasses can scarce find sustenance. Some of this land was cropped for a time but the accumulated humus made ' . the dead leaves and decayed plants was soon used up and the soil became "blow sand" ready to drift like anow with every blast of wind. Refereating operations in Ontario had their beginning in the establish-

meat of a forestry department at the Ontario Agricultural College in 1904. Here the agricultural student was trained in tree-planting and care of woodlands, and nurscries were established to produce young forest trees suitable for replanting. From these planting material was distributed throughout the province to replanish the farmers' woodlots and to set out land unsuited for agriculture. The opening of the Norfolk Forest Station in 1909 enlarged the scope of the work, because it took up the actual reclamation of waste land by replanting. The province now owns about 1,500 acres at this point. Very

extensive nursery work is carried on here in addition to the actual planting The rearing of the young trees from the need is a somewhat delicate process. The seedlings are first grown in carefully acreened seed-beds where On Sale Kverywhere .- There may be the conditions of the forest as to light country merchants who do not keep and sunshine are reproduced as near-Dr. Thomas' Kelectric Oil, though they are few and far between, and may sug the nursery lines where they remain goat that some other oil is justus good. until they are ready to set out. At There is nothing so good as a liniment present the forest nursery contains

Waste land to the extent of 100 acres has now been replanted at the Nothing pleases some beople-but Forestry Station chiefly with white they get a kind of antisfaction out of pine, red pine, Scotch pine, white looust, walnut and buttermut. When "If "Opportunity makes the thief, the young plants are first set out they hen what about the man who makes are usually covered over with brush the opportunity for his clerk to become to keep the wind from blowing all the soil away from the roots. As a hint to would be tree growers. Impurities of the Blood Counter-acted.—Impurities of the blood come from defects in the action of the liver. They are revealed by pimples and un-but those planted in portions where

> At present the varieties in the seed beds at the station are chiefly white Norway and yellow pine; white codar, larch and white apruce, while the nursery lines contain the additional varieties of black locust, black walnut, butternut, chestnut, soft maple, elm son 375,000 plants were sent out to 35 different counties, and since the organization of the forestry department about one and a half million plants have been sent out so that there are now experimental plantings in 45 counties or districts of On-tario. These plantings are made to fill vacant spots in existing wood lots,

to protect springs and sources of water supply, and to reclaim or put into use waste portions of farms, sand ridges, hillsides and the like.

Because one can cut down a tree in half an hour that it may take fifty years to replace, there are few per-Mas. Danier, Dawier, Mineral N.B., In an address before the Dominion Forestry Convention he pointed; out pressing myself for the benefit I have that Southern Ontario with 20,000 square miles has only 9 per cent. of interior woodland, while Saxony with a.789 square miles has 27 per cent. of forest land which yields an annual revenue of \$2,299,000. Prussia with 10,430 square miles, one-half the size of Southern Ontario, has 23.5 per cent of forest land which yields an unnual revenue of 17 million dollars. In addition to the value as a financial investment referesting will protect the headwaters of streams, provide breeding ground for wild game, provide object lessons in forestry and

prevent citizens from developing un-der conditions which can end only in failure, argues Mr. Zavitz.

Considering Southern Ontario as a whole it is a region of remarkable fertility and yet the examination of a "map of waste lands" which prefaces an early seport on referesting, shows a number of blotchy patches which are described as "sandy areas unfit for agriculture." It is on one of such areas that the young pines and trees of other varieties are growing so healthily, at the Norfolk Station. The other areas of considerable extent are found in Bouth Bruce, Lambton, Sim-

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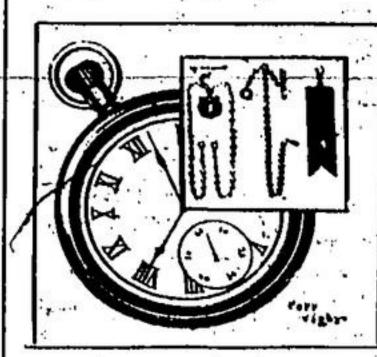
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