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For **The Children**

Wush't I Wuz a Boy.
Liza Ann's Lament.

Wush't I wuz a boy!
So I could jump and run
And yell real loud, and whistle,
An' fite, an' have the mostest fun,
Like boys duz.

Wush't I wuz a boy!
Wush't I wuz a boy!
So maw won't allus say:—
"Don't straddle the fence now Liza Ann,
Nice girls don't do that way."
But boys duz—
Wush't I wuz a boy!

Wush't I wuz a boy!
'N' when they call me names,
"Tom-boy" "tag-tail" an' "whistlin, Ann,"
'N' I could fite same's
Billy duz—
Wush't I wuz a boy!

Wush't I wuz a boy!
'N' me an' John could play
At "skin the cat" an' "leap frog," too,
My dress is in the way—
Boys' pants ain't
Wush't I wuz a boy!

Wush't I wuz a boy!
All gurl's good fur—jist
To dust an' sweep an' scold,
An' sew on buttons what yo' mist'
Sewin' on last week.
Wush't I wuz a boy!

Wush't I was a boy!
Wush't God'd made girls boys,
An' made boys gurls—t'ud' bin the same,
'N' I'd bin John an' John
Bin "Liza Ann" by name.
Wush't he had
Wush't I wuz a boy
—Minneapolis Journal.

THE BOY AND HIS TRADE.

He Should Begin His Apprenticeship so as to be Through When Twenty-One.

"Seventeen is the preferable age for going to a trade, but in many cases sixteen is not too young, nor eighteen too old," writes Barton Cheney in the February Ladies Home Journal. "But, all conditions being favourable, it is well for a boy to arrange his apprenticeship so that he can finish his trade by the time he is twenty-one. One of the advantages of going to a trade early is that it allows the lad time to make a change should he discover that he has made a mistake in choosing his vocation, and there is no infallible method or rule that can be followed in order that such mistakes can be avoided. But the best course to pursue is for the lad to fully acquaint himself with the details of the trades to which he may incline before he makes a selection. This can be easily done at the expense only of a little observation and inquiry. Then the matter of natural aptitude can be considered and it is a most important factor—so that the lad can avoid going into anything for which he has no special fitness. It is asserted that every one is adapted for some one thing better than anything else, and the boy should strive to discover what that one thing is. It would be a great mistake for a lad without a natural bent for mechanics to attempt to learn the machinist's trade and the chances would be against such a boy's proper advancement, for one's

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Baby's Accomplishments.

A baby can beat any alarm clock ever invented for waking a family in the morning. Give it a fair show, and it can smash more dishes than the most industrious servant girl in the country. It can fall down oftener and with less provocation than the most expert tumbler in the circus ring. It can make more genuine fuss over a simple brass pin than its mother would over a broken back. It can choke itself black in the face with grease: care than the most accomplished wretch that was ever executed. It can keep a family in constant turmoil from morning till night and night till morning without once varying its tunes. It can be relied upon to sleep peacefully all day when its father is down town, and cry all night, when he is particularly sleepy. It may be the naughtiest, dirtiest, ugliest, most fretful baby in all the world, but you can never make its mother believe it, and you had better not try it. It can be a charming and model infant when no one is around, but when visitors are present it can exhibit more bad temper than both of its parents together. It can brighten up a house better than all the furniture ever made, make a sweeter music than the finest orchestra organized, fill a larger space in its parents' breasts than they knew they had, and when it goes away it can cause a greater vacancy and leave a greater blank than all the rest of the world put together.—Baltimore American.

The Three Wishes.

It was down at the orphan asylum one day
That three little maids sat round the fire,
Each telling the thing she wished for most
If she only could have her heart's de-ire.

I'd like a pony as white as snow,
Said Maud and I'd ride it each day,
of course,
And people would stop as I rode along
And say! look at that child on the snow white horse!

Said Bess and I d like to own a ship,
And I d sail clear round the world,
I guess
And bring back presents for all the girls
And a beautiful crutch for dear little Bess.

Then little lame Bess, with her gentle voice,
Said, looking around from one to the other,
I'll wish for the loveliest thing in the world—
That every one of us might have a mother.
—Selected.

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Her name is Mrs. J. Osborne. She lives at 524 Grey Street, and she has this to say to her sisters throughout Canada.
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The Pope has completely recovered from his recent attack of influenza.

Dr. Chase Cures Catarrh after Operations Fail.

Toronto, March 16th, 1897.
My boy aged fourteen, has been a sufferer from Catarrh, and lately we submitted him to an operation at the Central Hospital. Since then we have resorted to Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure, and one box of this medicine has made a prompt and complete cure.
H. G. FORD,
Foreman, Cowan Ave. Fire Hall.

Khartoum is to be occupied by British troops during the winter months. Two hundred and fifty men of the Royal Fusiliers have been ordered there from Alexandria.

Minard's Liniment is used by Physicians

It is reported that a special commission will be appointed in February to arrange the details for carrying out the project of a Pacific cable as outlined by Sir Sanford Fleming.

To all who find in themselves with health gradually slipping away, Kidneys and Liver so disorganized that they are incapable of keeping the system free from poisonous waste material, stomach disordered, Bowels Congested, Head aching, Back Paining, take Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the quick way they help you back to health will surprise you.

A equal of British soldiers will visit America next month and give exhibitions

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend

Smallpox is ravaging the Abyssinian army.

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