ABOUT THATCHER'S ISLAND

The wild dogs of India,

By Way of Reunion

Our island of Timbuctoo.

The time is late—like the rest—and the government

has its hands full. But through the press of

business we find time to write of the

islands. The island of Timbuctoo is a

very important one, and its affairs are

of special interest. It is situated in the

marshes of the Cape, and its importance

is due to the fact that it is the

landing-place for all the ships that

come to that part of the country.

There are three towns on the island,

but the chief one is the capital,

Timbuctoo. It is a large town, and

has a fine harbor. The houses are

mostly built of wood, and are

covered with thatch. The
town is well supplied with

water, and has a good

supply of food. The

people are mostly

Fernandes, who are

known for their

industry and

intelligence. The

language of the

island is

Fernandes, but there are

also some

people who speak

English. The

currency of the

island is

the

rupee.

A great deal of

trade is done

in

Timbuctoo, and the

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very

rich in

natural

resources. There are

plenty of

forests,

wetlands,

and

mineral

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The

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The

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