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America's Love Affair with Toilet Paper

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That History Lady

That History Lady shares the fascinating history of the rise of toilet paper in the United States, from its introduction to the country in 1857 to today, when it is considered indispensable and the possibility of running out can empty store shelves. How did a product that did not exist for millennia turn into a six million dollar a year industry?

About Leslie Goddard

Leslie Goddard, Ph.D., is an award-winning actress and scholar who has been portraying famous women and presenting history lectures for more than ten years.

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