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# RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

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## Up From the Jordan.

That pealing voice! Oh, was it from the air  
Or in his soul?  
What had he done  
In years of quiet toll that God should care?

The words shone round him like an aureole  
Beloved Son!  
He had not buried youth within the wild  
Deserts of rock,  
Like John for whom  
There fell no sudden glory as on child  
Blessed of a father; his a woman's mock  
A dungeon doom.

But for the carpenter of Nazareth  
The heavens were rent.  
As wings of dove  
White light enfolded him. He drew  
The breath  
Of his divinity in Thy descent,  
Spirit of Love.

—Katharine Lee Bates.

## Vigil.

No one will really ever know  
Where I came from nor where I go.  
This is not I, this body's mold,  
The hair that you touch nor the hands  
You hold.

The voice to hear and a face to see  
These are the outward signs of me.  
Come close, come close, come near,  
Come near,  
I am keeping a vigil here.

Here in a little house of clay  
Something is now that will go away.  
Something leaping and something light  
To go like a flame on a windy night.

To go like a flame in a windy sky,  
O this is I, this is I!

—Mabel Simpson.

## FAITH.

Faith of the fathers—  
That is enough for me  
Faith that believes,  
Faith that achieves,  
Beyond fact or decree.

Faith high and holy  
In God and in mankind,  
That lifts my soul  
To heaven's goal—  
Faith both of heart and mind.

But for this faith  
Life would be dark indeed.  
Suffice each hour  
Its blessed power  
That fills each human need.

—George Elliston.

## Observing Johnny.

"Mother," said Johnny as they were  
returning from a summer afternoon's  
visit, "what did Mrs. Brown have that  
screen across the corner of her room for?"

"That, my boy," answered the mother  
with a feeling of pride at his youthful  
observation, "was used to hide  
something she did not care to have  
inquisitive eyes see."

"Then is that why you looked  
behind it when Mrs. Brown was out of  
the room, mother?" was Johnny's unexpected rejoinder.

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## COUGHS THAT PASS IN THE NIGHT

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first spoonful

## A Queer Prescription For Long Life.

Almost every practice of the Chinese strikes us who live in the West as tawdry-turvy. There is, for example, their belief, explained in the London Mail, that long life can somehow be attained by preparing in advance the appropriate kind of grave-clothes in which you are eventually to be buried.

Many Chinese provide their own shrouds in their lifetime and have them cut out and sewn by an unmarried girl or a very young woman, for they believe that, since such a person is likely to live a great many years to come, a part of her capacity to live long must surely pass into the clothes she works on and thus postpone for many years the time when they shall be put to their proper use.

Among these graveclothes there is one robe in particular on which especial pains have been lavished to imbue it with the priceless quality of long life. It is a long silken gown of the deepest blue color, with the word "longevity" embroidered all over it in thread of gold. To present an aged parent with one of these costly and splendid mantles, known as "longevity garments," is esteemed by the Chinese an act of filial piety and a delicate mark of affection. The owner never fails to don it on his or her birthday, for in China common sense bids a man lay in a big stock of vital energy on his birthday, to be expended in the form of health and vigor during the rest of the year.

## BABY'S OWN TABLETS AN EXCELLENT REMEDY

For Any of the Many Minor Ailments of Infants and Young Children.

No mother can expect that her child will escape all the ills to which babyhood and childhood are subject, but she can do much to lessen their severity, and to make baby's battles for health easily won.

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Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Writers at Full Speed.

Famous novelists vary very much in their output during the course of a year, and what one writer would consider to be a reasonable day's work would be looked upon as evidence of a regular slack time by another.

Sir James Barrie considers that an average of five or six hundred words a day is a good day's work, whilst H. G. Wells has often written 10,000 words in a day.

It may be imagined that speed is destructive of good quality work, but a sufficiently powerful retort is made to this in the fact that Robert Louis Stevenson wrote his famous work, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," in the short space of seven days.

W. W. Jacobs, famed for his humorous short stories, has confessed that he sat at his desk, pen in hand, for one whole morning without writing a word.

A story is told of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, who in the course of conversation heard of a rather remarkable adventure. On the next day, at breakfast, the novelist read out a complete "Sherlock Holmes" adventure, with the incident of the previous evening's conversation as its plot. He had sat up the greater part of the night writing it.

## Long Journey for Remedy.

Facilities for the effective treatment of rabies are so rare that two British officers serving in West Africa, who had been bitten by a mad dog, had to make a 4,500-mile journey from Nigeria to London to receive hospital treatment.

Minard's Liniment For Chitblains.

## WHY RHEUMATISM OFTEN COMES BACK

The Usual Treatment Does Not Reach the Root of the Trouble.

Most treatments for rheumatism do no more than aim to keep down the poison in the blood and enable nature to overcome that particular attack. Then when the system becomes run-down from any cause the disease again gets the upper hand and it all has to be done over.

Sufferers from rheumatism who have found their condition unrelieved or actually growing worse while using other remedies, would do well to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The tonic treatment with this medicine has proved in thousands of cases that it builds up the blood to a point that enables it to cast out the rheumatic poisons through the regular channels, the bowels, kidneys and the skin. When this is done rheumatism is banished, and as long as the blood is kept pure and rich the patient will be immune from attack. This is fully proved by the case of Mr. Samuel Zink, Upper Blandford, N.S., who says:—"For a long time I was a great sufferer from rheumatism which settled in my hip and down my leg to the knee. At times the pain was so great that I could not walk. I tried liniments and medicines but without getting more than mere temporary relief. Then one day a friend called who said that he had been afflicted with this trouble which was banished by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and urged me to try them. I did as advised and after using a few boxes there was no doubt they were helping me. Not only was the rheumatism disappearing, but my general health was improving. I continued the pills until I had taken about a dozen boxes, when every trace of the trouble had disappeared, and I have not felt a twinge of it since. I may add that my wife used these pills for a run-down condition with equally good results."

You can get these pills from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Ireland After Ten Years.

Land of my birth! again I greet  
Thy gray-wing skies, green earth,  
sweet air.  
And, passing hence, lay at thy feet  
The tribute of a simple prayer—  
That, since thy long red saga's wave  
Behind thy dream's edge sinks from  
view,  
Thy children, one in heart, may brave  
The splendid hazard of the New;

Yet, for the spirit's deeper thirst,  
From ancient, wise, enchanted springs  
Drink, that thy Last be as thy First  
A glory sought by saints and kings.  
—James H. Cousins.

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## Deposits of Marl in Marly Every Province.

Deposits of marl, according to Dr. F. T. Smith, Dominion Geologist, who during 1922-23 was called upon to analyze some fifty samples collected from Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Alberta, and British Columbia, are found in nearly all the provinces of Canada and are important and valuable sources of lime for land treatment. They occur in beds from a few inches to several feet thick on cold lake bottoms and are often overlaid by peat or muck. Some marls are almost pure carbonate of lime, while others contain more or less clay, sand, organic matter, etc., which decrease their value for agricultural purposes. Marls as found are usually soft and pasty in consistency, frequently showing small shells. On air-drying by simple exposure they are found to be readily friable, breaking down to a coarse powder that easily permits of uniform distribution on the land. "Indurated" marl is a hard rock-like material with a honey-combed structure. It occurs by deposition from the waters of streams and springs that are rich in carbonate of lime. Large deposits are to be found in the valleys of British Columbia. Marl, which can, not infrequently, be had for the cost of digging and hauling, may be used on both heavy clay and light sandy loams and is especially valuable for the former. As a supplier of lime it corrects acidity or sourness, furnishes an element for plant nutrition and promotes nitrification, hence assisting in rendering available the soil's store of inert nitrogen; it is particularly valuable as an amendment for sour soils.

## A Clasp for the Hair.

Janet—"I'm going to the ball as a nymph of the mountains. Where can I get a costume?"  
Jane—"Well, the jeweler ought to be able to fix you up for that."

## Keep Minard's Liniment handy.

Anxious to See the Fellow.  
The gardener of a large house one day approached the butler. "Mortimer," he exclaimed, "you might point this chap, Darwin, out to me the next time he comes to dinner."

"Darwin, Darwin," echoed the butler, looking perplexed.  
"Yes, Darwin. I happened to hear his lordship say the other day that every time he looks at me his mind goes back to Darwin."

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## Autumn Days.

Yellow, mellow, ripened days,  
Sheltered in a golden coating;  
O'er the dreamy, listless floating;  
White and dainty cloudlets floating;  
Winking at the blushing trees,  
And the sombre, furrowed fallow;  
Smiling at the airy ease  
Of the southward flying swallow.

Sweet and smiling are thy ways,  
Beauteous, golden Autumn days.  
—Will Carleton.

## Music That Cries.

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A recent canvass of women users of the Vegetable Compound report 36 out of 100 received beneficial results. This is a remarkable proof of its merit. C.

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