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## THE ROGUES

There are roques among the trees  
on the forest limbs and leaves.  
They are dangerous and the same  
'cause they jump on alive aims.

I was their aim in the wood  
but I wear safe cap or hood.  
When I mention it, I feel  
terrifying and cold thrill  
- one, two, three, five, even six! -  
because these roques are the ... ticks.