

HELBLING READERS CLASSICS
RED SERIES
FIRST LINES CHALLENGE . 1

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<p>'It's spring. Mole is very busy. He is cleaning his house. Mole's house is underground. It is very dark. Suddenly Mole throws his cleaning things on the floor.'</p>	<p>'Dear reader, my name is Lemuel Gulliver. I live in London, with my wife and children. I have travelled all over the world and I have had the most incredible adventures.'</p>	<p>'Many years ago there was a lad from Locksley Town. This lad had deep blue eyes and hair the colour of gold. And he always carried a bow. One day, the lad saw a poster. It was for an archery competition in faraway Nottingham Town.'</p>
<p>'Mrs Rachel Lynde was a curious woman. She knew everything about Avonlea. Mrs Rachel lived in a part of Avonlea called Lynde's Hollow. She saw everyone coming into town and everyone going out.'</p>	<p>'When I called on my friend, Mr. Sherlock Holmes, one day in the autumn of last year I found him in deep conversation with a fat, red-faced gentleman with bright red hair.'</p>	<p>'It was a warm day in July and Alice and her sister were sitting on the grass in a field. Alice's sister was reading but Alice was bored. There was nothing for her to do.'</p>

TITLES

<p>Robin Hood by Howard Pyle</p>	<p>The Wind in the Willows by Kenneth Grahame</p>	<p>The Red-headed League by Arthur Conan Doyle</p>
<p>Anne of Green Gables by L. M. Montgomery</p>	<p>Alice's Adventures in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll</p>	<p>Gulliver's Travels by Jonathan Swift</p>