

## Hoover Factory

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But what is, what is?  
It doesn't matter if I take another breath  
Who cares, who cares?

Green for go, green for action  
From Park Royal to North Acton  
Past scrolls and inscriptions like those of the Egyptian age  
And one of these days the Hoover factory  
Is gonna be all the rage in those fashionable pages

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