

genealogies whose sources are unknown to me. And along with these, the before mentioned and necessary imagination mixed with an admiration for those sturdy Cape Codders of Pilgrim stock who settled this portion of the province. These I am proud to claim among my own ancestors—"south shore accent" and their penchant for land and tide mixed toast and water fashion notwithstanding.

MORNING

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The cream clouds

Burst

in my
coffee cup

Drowning

the black
with a

beige

Conquest.