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M A D I S O N

1.

The giant accustomed itself to beauty
wrote rose poems
America

I have never witnessed a similar beauty to my own
backyard
spoke love is contentment
where heavy soled shoes are not exhausted
for twenty-five miles

The sun is a measure
and noon enough for rest with water and cheese
where it is not relatively quiet
when the wind speaks and then the conscience speaks and then the wind
speaks

Oh, to be fascinated and tired
with purpose
where the several oaks gather around
there is a useful stone
for minding

2.

It never was to leave
took its body away and left philosophy and all of
the evens of philosophy
there were dishes in the sink

The window is open and the door unlocked

3.

Monitor oneself

like the pace of truth

for to come to a single lines urgently is to say

a clouds go to difference

I am not convinced of thresholds nor lines

say speculation is their imitation because

I cannot prove otherwise

Gather in the clearing with bones

at arbitrary others gather in the clearing a spell past sundown

I am primitive

until science tells me I am not primitive nor speculative but

that myths are valid and

poetry is science

so too freedom is science to that qualification and

will never goes away

until a word with greater meaning is proven

The bells the bells

and I enter [the] agreeing service is after

my mention

and the smiles for having been invested

nor say loss for having bowed to the compels of history

nor say loss for having let oneself upon faith

4.

It were to I to hold grace when its push is done

there were a leaf from that day

and to say there were a leaf that is let away

nor a thought be let away

there were a leaf from that day that is no material but every leaf

Come spring
and autumn the reverse of emotions and come spring again
return

5.

I cannot say speculation
nor remark its truth when there be no other certainty

And the patience of giants for staying in
that romantic place
like a nation or either country
opening a limits like a model for to expect
this quaintness goes everywhere
perhaps

I do not know that mind and speculate
what is temporary and giving what gardens itself like insight daily
asks nothing of mobs
including forgiveness

And understand when the rain necessary rain
interrupts

6.

Emerson and Whitman given
agree to expel them after their thought
in their own words like say every institution requires expulsion
every idea is expelled
for to thought
a question for every
I am left

They were protecting themselves
held museums and words
counted

Or to say it is a nature to congregate in improving devices
one school does improve as it allows improvement yet
such ideas are only progress and mentioned
the circles the strong circles
am I not committed do I not return with commitment
that is only structure and
like that other way
is disagreeable to progress but it were for the animation of the soul only
do I not decide

Who is a great author and sustaining
that every great mind will wander similarly and
animate the same soul
through first a publisher and through a public

Sit in anywhere rooms
mining language for force of self or either money
that it be more agreeable than
to other forms of structures
or to revelation that its sending is a call to one satisfactory way or another
impressions are herald
which make themselves transparent between God and
man
thus

7.
And to believe in giants

There were satellites with
range of fifty kilometers measure

He planted himself in the rented cottage on
the river with his giant

He planted himself in an urban flat near
the cheesesteak room with his giant

He planted himself in the study carroll having smuggled in
the red slushee with his giant

And to be convinced of
the unremarkability of invisible things yes
they do just go away like wonder goes away

It were industry which formed a presidential character
fixed things
a several forms of reliance other than the self
they grow big buildings giant buildings of tutelage
call them strong for their acquaintance
insist like religion insists
the Sunday bread requires attention but
a walls be tended to by other contracts
a garden be tended to by other contracts
kept busy

8.

Again we form conclusions upon the nature of
imitation
whether to learn and how we learn

an imitates are as constructed as am I
 for a place upon a soul is etched

Then say I am my own
 and yet carrying sources Missouri and Arizona to futures
 ah what grace to say I am still gladly imprinted
 nor ask if I imprint
 a faith that one's ness is an inevitable push like interest is a push

Resolved

Philosophy oh language
 do I not invent words
 when there are too many words to severe a social spheres
 to not claim another language then
 Social theory suggests
 And to place a love upon a constructed order like
 all things original are afforded
 I make of clay as I have been made

And there were exposure to storms I had not considered
 Say it were to a new poem
 I do and walk in weathered shoes to all new places

9.
 America is a land of giants
 there were from Europe and Africa and from an east
 to a west and back again
 a giants brought to theaters nor let down
 a giants been through struggle
 carried burdens

The seminal force of America were mentioned in
struggle
and translate when there is no fear to safely say
there were horses and motorcycles
there were convertibles
pushed wandering and curious lines in all directions for
the insistence of welcome
it were a partial lesson from change that change is ultimately
partial
if history be kept change is only partial
say respect for land thus my relations
she was native beauty with hills and moons and
waterfalls and vistas

Nor wonder at cause for every spirited one grown among appreciation be
listed as their own reference and
capable of interpretation

And grown somewhere near route sixty-six
and grown somewhere near the badlands and grown somewhere near
the invention of airplanes
and say the big sky is more clustered here
ah love
and say maple syrup

10.

They flew a flag the neighbors did
I say I too wear badges restless badges and
other badges
do I not write poems

Nor contest to thought

whether an abridged freedom be better than no freedom
 that is words consolation words for that which requires no
 consolation
 like a subject which supposes itself as
 the administration of other subjects
 nor wonder at resistance if
 to make plans of other people

What is self determination
 regard it is no allowance

And when they settle so neatly into themselves with walls
 nor interface
 I do as lamphouse making pagan little things and thought as if
 there never had been an interruption to nature
 when it returns

11.

Freedom is conditioned by sacrifice is to say
 academia

The poverty of civil indulgence is manifest in [that] poetics
 because
 [it] is observationally correct to say
 [all] heroes have sacrificed and
 offspring of [the frames] of sacrifice is
 an expectancy for the return of [gifts]

Freedom is conditioned by sacrifice nor say
 to be unaware of the word freedom is to be
 less free than having acquired [that] vocabulary
 [that] were the introduction of the sheriffdom ministry of goodwill and

parades

or to say megalomania and the extended grasps at

civil formation are inevitable

as the necessary brutish and short character required for

accommodating a life

cry freedom is a natural response

like bait to that which is other than freedom

and what contest to

the institution surrounding an inherent goodness of a freedom banner

had it been supposed like history has proved

a natural human condition be to own

to possess

The accommodation of a requisite philosophy thus

call freedom and the governance of freedom

call the introduction of the next several ideas like civility

there were liberalism and its attachments

there were the balance of conservatism when the winter

and its attachments

and moderation

justice

and there were the introduction of monuments

there were the introduction of reason

and to ask

How shall a giant become law

12.

The clover

rolled the car to a stop appreciation

twilight is a daymoon

There is no interference of the soul and
remarkable in several ways [that]
one is little enough within themselves to spot a faith
cling to that
there are orbits greater than I

the sunflower grew until its top folded
pushed down by the sun
and with no God it were just heavy and dumbly appropriated
the [other] leaves went down later and
eventually
the cattails went down
when the ice

The defiance of man to God say
I am no animal
I call other animals by name I characterize other animals
respond
the city were too grown like sex and sleep and food and illness
there were a greater repertoire of wonder
than rodents
and before they will be torn down again and again and again
for as many times wonder comes to replace
the stagnation of that without a center

He was alone and drinking coffee
when the fog burned off the sun
The deferral of man to God say
I had not imagined such a time when envelopes cooperate
a morning swells itself away or to say
I imagine such things and let them go away
for urgency

there is another office

13.

A giant quiet enough to be forgotten
 consensus to conscience eventually and
 [it] settles itself to
 invisibility

The lessons of youth when courage monitors itself
 the accolades of social trust are to
 a proven deeds
 nor jurisdiction to giants knowing better for
 leaping from rooftops and
 climbing stone formations without ropes
 say a giant's trust is eventually earned like confidence
 a stolen parameters become common

The mountain without courage is
 beautiful
 the snows come at western edges letting down gently
 until the trees the treeline the bended trees
 the snowdunes
 and when the sun begins
 the courageous mountain is an invitation
 and so there are
 just so many flags
 just so many ways a route
 it were long before [that] spirit integrates a beauty secondly
 a beard is a clock
 it were grown here

The ocean collected giants

let men into themselves
they grew driftwood horns
they grew horns

14.

There were horses gathered and moving
three abreast
racing in lines toward endless horizons
brought like I was brought

She fashioned yarn into rugs
the corn traveled to this place
the economics of staying near to nature
say self reliance is a book of wisdom
traveled to communities with roots for nails

It was mushroom season and a wet air
dawn
breaking putting light upon a ferns
the undergrowth
green for canopies
there were berries restless berries in the clearing

The first frost was put upon the turned soil
pheasants
I was there with visible breath pausing receiving
an ocean to an hour east
and there were an old people with syrup and jams and
furniture
what lesson to ways which defy complex certainty

And guilty for a tall building

wonders when a hunting spirit turns upon its own like

economics

there were a several ways competing for an

official ritual

by which a culture is supposed a dictionary

like an allowance to that which is other

like an allowance for social intersections

channels like diplomacy

thus

recognized

mentioned in grander wholes

Americana

plural and parted and source histories there when

golden ideas

15.

The pond collected economies

there were a common aesthetics to a same favorite place

when they did not know of each's words

and when a poems go away speaking that language

a ponds go away

speaking a language

for the weather

The simplest atoms are the sun after berries

when the wind has stopped and

the clouds are told nothing

and when forgiveness like a concept is not required

nor conscience

until the afternoon is remembered and the soles returned

to cars and to books and to grocered fruit grown fruit

Gone away the light eventually
the brave stay corners
challenge corners
sleep among this
wake among this and collect thoughts like mushrooms from their beginnings
genius is before

Start today's religion without cost
it will be another

16.

The elders put on hats
biker hat
patch hat
red bonnet

When I come of age I will be
the gatsby
the touring cap
I will enter a room in wool and jeans and worn
oxfords saying
I bring the business of poem today

The poem of old men is to
conquer the youth
spirit in their vagrancies and disgust in other languages
make them serve
coffee without meaning
disruption
then they are done and loving and can be
seen

with their children
it is a question of administration and training like culture
age is legacy and
what succeeds is a matter of faith
alleluia
gospel

The poem of old men is to
observe the youth
and without correction like analysis without
ends
for that is spectacle
development is
and to be corrected or either proven
like the gloss of knowledge in
either case

The poem of old men is to
act upon the surrounds of place
for having been continues
the consistencies of season
continue and
a friends continue
there were old places exactly the same I have been traveling
and to be satisfied
and to be satisfied

Next

They were done early reminding of
next week
sat satisfied a good moment saying

the doors were no longer locked and will be no longer locked unless
locks are required

I go away pulling each others' daisies

She played the viola like a teen

today

she played the viola

17.

The errant spells there were predators lurking

collecting land

turns a man to republicanism collectivism first and gather

having committed a goodly force

turns a men to democracy and collectivism

The ones

sat in any environment

sipping and writing and hunting and building

cabins

alive

travel without paths nor wonder how they follow

they follow

An invention is to need

and to say I am satisfied and spend no time in laboratories

language is my only experiment

for other wise

nor explain God to myself

nor other wise prove God to myself

The publisher let in a several freedom vapors like seeds

enough to post a thought to

germinate a thought
 and I have no mind for them perfectly regarding
 an intentions
 it were common excepting a hidden place

The waterfall was small and spends itself without
 ends
 the coupled trees
 sound is capture noise is capture and steals a singing birds
 steals the wind

I give away ideas
 I say I give away ideas they draw money upon
 conscience is long if to insist no regards to adaptation
 they form lines
 the predators form lines and are not learned for
 acquiring [things] slowly
 call each other kings and queens and orderists I say I cannot
 improve upon any order I say I cannot
 say an order is greater than another
 and

If to say a compass is order
 it is but measure
 if to say
 a proper time is order before the light goes quicker into night
 I do not need a new jacket this year and
 [they] bring coffee from the equator

18.
 America is new

[Mark]

There is electricity and when a storm defeats electricity
it is quickly replaced
electric messages are sent they are useful and informed

The worst of America is captured and monitored
catalogued
to be put away

When the museumists were brought from anthropos with
buildings and ideas

Facilities

America is new for witness it is yet
not contained
evidence

[silence]

The listless
swaddled in trees and ideas of freedom
grow dark brows
carry devices and that is a point of human nature
do they use tools
to when they exhaust their minds do they use tools and devices

The gentlemen
the gentlemen
there is a new problem with which to gather around
there are silent clubs among us as if
democracy were present

it walks by itself on impulse and poems
 makes friends
 makes one flower greater than another flower like preference
 has an agreeable giant

19.

The sturdy aptitudes of self reliance
 they are qualified
 they adjust their souls translate their souls
 when the stranger city he walked into is otherwise symbolized
 it will be a walking year before hunger and certainty
 say all places are familiar again
 agreeable

Town hall hardwood with courts and benches
 the gathering room with clocks
 say curbs are good tolerance is good and expects adjustment
 the sustainability of comfortable ways
 nationalism is for travelers they bring sausages and crafts
 put things here
 I watched a church from nothing
 become as important as cooperation
 and history forgives its adolescent mention
 idealism is less than one hundred years old before an ideas proven
 expect temples and slower
 consideration

The sturdy aptitudes of self reliance
 recall traveling notions
 a love is permanent like memory is permanent

The city named for lumber and the boots they wear

The office of a community given to commerce like large machines
and where an eventual boats deliver forests
it is spectacle and holds one to participation

The clouds will never leave and the rain is a spray is a fog
will call a cut soil away
soon enough for business to agree there is no domain to
the exhaustion of nature
like where minerals are cut and stained from glorious hills and shapes
ask
do I not require

For a year a backpack is kept silent
it is familiar
and nothing taken which cannot be proven in song

20.

The ascendencies of
fertile understanding
the earliest called the word transcendent for them
made rooms
and let them

There are many rooms in this house [given]

The academic life is still with panels and language
kept old poetries and
used a word like modern
the keepers insisted telephones for the quiet offices
a telephone is a doorstep
the sun goes down and having never turned the electricity upon this
it is time to go

home to read

I invent only what I am strong enough to put a name upon

convince

art is intelligent if nothing else

The buds are only visible if to hold the branch near to oneself

it is early and becoming

the ice moved from the shore without reference to airplanes and

she wears mittens

I see that she wears mittens and

had honesty been the reductions of oneself to intelligence

say he were an artist

what grass appears is flat and senseless

21.

And among the divines of extravagiveness

hallowed is the

quite certain 'no'

for from evolves reason had reason been attached like discern is

attached

Like a mighty force is copied and coupled and

insisted beyond doubt for prosperity

there were an elevated sixty percent which properly aligned itself with

[that] language

including commerce

Doubt is redoubt and doubled and

cannot afford new clothes for having been quieted

There is a lock to prosperity

and when strength is cast for futures in particular ways
the reference of homelands is to morality and
the genial lines of having become in a way are
cause for celebration
the islandists were gratefully proud
the seaboardists were never called away and
the musicians were gratefully dead
the children of the corn replied in autumn mazes nature
I went to every
enter identity

Doubt is no speculation and they make causal lines and
interfering lines
for reason
the belligerent were especial at drawing in resources
the ugly were holding signatures
the fowl rescheduled meetings and rescheduled meetings
held something tightly until a resources are proper
nothing is so quaint as
a constituent who asks for no thing and exercises regularly and
patches her family's clothes

She had no answer and
drove a vehicle large enough not to be affected by potholes

22.

The way it was
a company is an institution
though it were a work ethic which dissolves that push

A giants are only so committal and
a helpful and honest and agreeable giant too will wonder why

nationalism remains so damn generous
 when a prosperity is destined to limits

The western edge of freedom is connected to the rest
 and the northern borders where the birds try farthest and
 the southern beach is pause
 an eastern genesis a central
 genesis
 there were islands and holdings
 and when were that possessed and held
 [they] are strong and cannot convince a peoples of
 [that] frame
 [that] idea

A way were
 nostalgia
 plastic flowers are sometimes important though prefer
 paper flowers among [a] thing which resembles [another] thing
 the living die damn quickly and require water
 require a temperate care

What is regeneration among an
 ungenerated
 I ask early for myself and go to nature

The septic mind invites
 the septic mind pushes
 the septic mind exists in reference

I have no cause for beauty
 no reason
 but when a butterfly or a bee she listed the only poem I remember

from her lover:

it breathes differently

It were fatal to introduce beauty because

as if to be no place else

respond

requires a soul to stand up for common [things]

pantheism

if a priest be allowed such a word I say indeed

nor mark every notice like compulsion

The way it was

requires a soul to stand up for common [things]

pantheism

like every notice requires forgiveness then I am in hell indeed

if a priest be allowed such a word I say indeed

The company had a

logo

subcontracted to a marketing firm

been around fifty years

23.

The democrats gathered quietly made

plans

I was right

What is the detail which

shifts a notion of secret society to political party

ask Jesus such things

but it were mind to

the containment of great ideas
seeping them out through layers of shale
they do stay then
when a papers are burned and not pushed to memoirs where
all secrets are confessions and public

It were a dash of mystery which
happened their interest
and enough for them to sort [the others] who
never mentioned their own secret
spheres
I was right
they say: I was right
who does not say such things when the wicked winds resolve
compels to mediocrity
and stations

Against every public the
formations
and what structure

24.

Anthropology is a question and puts myself to [other] to invisiblism
respond there is no invisiblism
it were just curious
and if I danced and if I wrestled and if there were efforts
gifts

25.

And whether to concern oneself upon
the academic matters of social development like legacy
the rebuttals of [their] forts

Newsweek

And them who know of giants and them who speak of giants
such were a poets
acknowledge a social mind of fifty souls is fifty giants
and a uniformity to
spelling and the color of ink and the extensions of style
do they not travel away one by one until
the last remains
the last remains

Nor to love to wish to assume to suppose
simple enough to remain the arch the monist and die
never having been defeated
nor to build pyramids without machines nor to say another's
greatness like fascination
nor to enter into accounts when
self reliance is a purpose
against that which otherwise pushes and declares and insists in
magical secret whorls and hidden poems and
language that were not there before
[that] great idea masked and
coming

I go away again
until they build cities everywhere and
call them by a single name
perhaps they keep a tree we share
give it water like cynicism for being the last of anything

But to be collected as a last of a type
is no circularism nor agape

when a forest is pushed into one great tree

Let no idea go away

I grow old forgiving every idea

26.

Squalor change

shiftless driftless change

situates itself cloud upon constance

the running men of all faiths

the choirmen the monitors the hikers the debaters the

windless sitters breathing the fortuitous characters the spinners the

carnivalists

the running men of all faiths when they agreed upon

anything but a cross but a history

squalor change rotates

civilization the wetness of democracy

swings like magnets

There was a hundred year spirit of brushless invention

the committee supposed itself then

passed itself on

a continuum of thought

[return]

[grace is mentioned]

The eastern front of de-electricalism the slowness hibernators with
animals

declared was summarily correct

[sustainability is a word] and that is not
defeated nor can be
defeated

The mall rose time
sells curriculum and preparedness for curriculum
two dollars
and delightfully and sluttishly easy to prepare for
the predictable

[consternation is mentioned]

[grow wings from mud when nothing else]

Expects a getting about
and to say there is no thing new when the books were written by
the book committee from offices
received electronic confirmation as to [those] appearances

They settled themselves atween
the east and the west
formed opinions discussed memberships and proper phrases
and what love is about lipstick and contracts
Patagonia is on my list and that is
outside of a frame

[they have other animals]

The ends of change are permanent in that way
closes
brings a person to corporations and stone houses and
schedules

[resolved conceptually resolved] the nature of change

27.

Before war was about killing
they fashioned various armors
designated points and forms

My tribe celebrates such conclusions
stand like anticipation
batteries

The consequently unsatisfied are taken and make soup make
important things
an ears ring like morality
and redemption will be no better

What is hero
one which quiets [things] for the sound of
others
conversation is a stream and a blanket for pushing down grass
convention is to security

Amen patriot
she bought stock
live stock

The visitors
before war was about a boundaries cultural boundaries
supposed oranges for peace like protocol for health
determination is one of the divinities and
no match for humility

even when it looks that way

The poets that knew each other

leaned away like entropy leans away

collecting values

letting them out again beautifully and with character because

a word is otherwise painful

can quiet itself when

they require hammers

28.

The top of the tracks were not rusted like the sides

I have never seen a train

here

past the forest and the wooden bridge spanning the lake narrows

there were large liquid tankers abandoned

ladders up the sides

like a dare

December afternoon

the remains three day old snow dust

[That] America stalls in such places for another

America

substitution the quiet lake the starts of ice

two boats pushed into the reeds

duck hunters no blind just looking like a nature

convincing decoys

stillness

no wind

The tracks to

the supper club Sunday lakeside still serves breakfast
found a bay window corner with coffee Jo
conversation the possibilities of wandering
from a town edge to another

Return

The sandhill cranes overhead
collections
two and three and two

29.

a.

Annual snowfall
they center themselves for weathermen
the early flakes dust midnight
through the skeleton trees lamplit silence
wait
a patience rest in slippers crossed arms robe
the patio is a place for seasons
the rotating images span a year
tonight for winter
winter starts

Annual snowfall
to sleep and when I wake for whose winter is it this time
the character of that darkness is
inquiry

A six quiet inches measured in
a buried newspaper
the early light nor sound the only plow is civilization

I am settled like the remaindered into ones

Annual snowfall

b.

Call a hike this winter gather

the boots the heavy boots the scarf the gloves

Go to that line in other seasons green

through the oaks the stands and stones

covered and assuming white assuming

a muffled thoughts attention this brought it is not assuming

Still arrives

still arrives

c.

Until concentration

enough to gather away from what a winter wears

let that go until a sun restarts in a day

in a day

[Return]

d.

Home is an entered place for boots

the snow matted jeans at the cuff tossed with a chill

a jacket dropped

the rest

The wool stockings dangled at the toes and reddish cheeks

come again an indoor color

so rare for nothing it was established in northern ness to answer
 winter walks for chocolate and tea
 my tomato soup
 peanut butter and brown sugar sandwich yes apologies belong somewhere
 distant books them having written themselves
 brought to the chair with quilt it does not open
 itself
 I sleep having learned
 something

 it catches up and let it pass
 let it pass
 for spring when this is rain and colors start I imagine
 and that is away
 and that is away

 Forward like memory

 30.
 To country to country I startle freedom from
 asked questions
 the durable horses brought with according to spirit
 brought beer and cheese for beads
 cry commerce envelopes and notes when
 all is settled return to bases spheres of language nor they return
 to India to Germany the rest the rest
 that was only brought with inspiration cry commerce and
 suppld ways borrowed ways
 ask if [they] shall settle like work does settle into nature and lakes
 where mud and timber are shaped and made into
 progress
 that is only time

and among such laws Emerson defers to Milton's poetics first
but that is theory
say Whitman say Whitman nor cry theory is absorbed
but experience
and what comes of industry the others declare work
but it were no burden like visions are no burden
and comfort when a weather as expected
self reliance and expanded to family and
each of their social attentions
like genius for the art of engines the separations of engines
casual engines and workhorse engines and
profit engines and engines for engines
history's sabbath proves them silent for
sharing peace and handwork and food there is a time

To country to country I startle freedom from
asked questions
the eastern shore receives a morning differently
so too an eastern slope receives a snow differently so too a
watersheds where the skillfully quiet gather
a populations and swooned for their tastes in geography
travel lightly and freely
and when a snow their cards and clans bent inward
same as sweltering southern heat to slowness when it comes
there is citrus and music
borrowed music and born music
and equally delighted silence the wind for leaves
to governance to its transparency
lifted
like mass ascension desert balloons
the snow geese in the otherbounded Washington
I come to shorelines with intentions I come to oceans

I come again

To country to country I startle freedom from

asked questions

answer in poems

the reluctant are near to me and new

the starters are grown accustomed

I say I still find a place which no words have met

and draw it inward towards sense

whether God were within and without

yes

answer in poems

the lone hilltop tree were started in buds after the melt

reliably

and like fullness eventually

you are cycled enough for appreciation

been here before I understood

these are not the same clouds these are not the same clouds

nor are these

31.

American triptych: Conveyances

I.

An earliest memory, Columbia, Missouri

1973 was three years old

sitting on the bike rack of my mother's yellow five speed Schwinn

my foot got caught in the spokes

I hear it was a dreadful sight but what I recall

the policeman giving me his badge

and after the incidentals of the cast and miniature crutches

a child learns to assume the status of
 the questions in which they are asked
 That was late summer and
 Halloween soonafter was pulled in a red wagon
 house to house as a clown or Dracula I recall with
 a family memory a family attachment
 oh the greatness of sympathy

II.

Sixteen, Flagstaff, Arizona

The first car was a 1973 Superbeetle
 a popular first car and claim six friends with the same
 a sensible car to move in the snow and move in the mud
 capable of balancing between logger's road ruts one wheel in the middle and
 the other on the grass the dry grass
 there was always a forest fire danger
 a mountain ponderosas receive about twenty inches of precipitation a year
 leads one now to consider
 the delinquencies of adolescence like
 bonfires in clearings amid such places
 [I reflect]
 [on delinquency]
 an altered driver's license is more than just about beer
 say it is another type of license altogether
 I got caught and
 the friend with the red toyota truck with the pet pig and
 the job hanging real estate signs all around
 that metropolis
 drew the short straw or either lived near enough and was
 sympathetic enough
 to give me a ride to school

The yellow bug sat idol for three months and
when one is sixteen it is a qualified hardship
to see such a [thing]
add that I was a good student and an Eagle Scout
it leaves
a balance of conscience

Sixteen may be more certain than confusing in many ways
a poems like thoughts are unattached to expectations and
a questions begin

III.

Twenty Eight, Madison, Wisconsin

The Volkswagen bus came from Eugene, Oregon
it had started as a BMW though
love changes [things]
Its year of birth was 1970 the same as my own and
spirited enough to carry one around the regional pastoralisms:
Lake Michigan shoreline the lakes the lakes and lands the various aspects of
the Mississippi River
water is a wonderful regard like good philosophy
it is sustaining it fits a shape
it freezes in the winter like a Volkswagen bus freezes in the winter
and soon enough to turn to a modern car with
implicit character with
heat
one which expects you pack your own tent
A sympathies to conservation and
social work then
I had started in education
found just the right dot and stepped out quietly thinking
call it a cloud like art

A new place is twice wonderful
a new and unqualified environment and
an anonymity with the dare of reinvention
so I bought a motorcycle too
and a KitchenAid mixer with some
attachments
ahh
what sympathy to attachments

32.

Having met a base enough formation to call oneself
qualified for
gathering from those foundations
a consistency to the seasons if to say
a changing thoughts are bounced away until
an operative slowness

A middle parameters to learning
and assume the elevated states shall pass with maturity like
pushing through the depressions
to know oneself is to know a place and
notions of transcendence are casually mentioned and meaningful
I go to that

The aluminum canoe rested on the shore
nor other evidence

And when the fireflies put away the day
the economics of tomorrow inna head push one off to slumber
there is a wall to fix
ahh what wall when the stars prickle through the born night
there is no wall to fix

and the crickets after the fireflies
 the melancholy night to slowly waken and pass asleep again
 and when the stars turn to a gentle dawn the squirrels are earliest
 for the deer
 coffee is enough to hold until the sun presents

[Itself]

Two hours north without a trail
 found the old railroad tracks and followed them in for lunch
 at a money spot
 base enough to say there are several forms of economics less certain than
 counting
 good trade
 the archaeological evidence of bottle top cans
 one rested beneath the old aluminum siding and caught little weather
 it is worth a Chicago dog
 put a price on that

Put a price on homemade ice cream and butter and beer and
 sausage and the rest
 I say you are a capitalist and American and something else likely
 and qualified for gathering from a foundations
 a changing thoughts are bounced away if they distill
 the spirit of history
 say quite a middle thoughts as well
 be bounced away
 had a moderation been too thin and requiring

33.

So traveled the river road
 to its end

seeing where a river pushes

It is a stop

to build a boat and beyond then past

edges

where the horizon is reliably measure and

the stars for naut

float where to be pushed

Oh to be balanced and otherwise say truth be

toward sources

and always against a currents they were strong

a sources were strong

kept sending

I am determination the

cycles I am upon are with no mind to I

courage be

poems like the imagination otherwise held

like the opposite be partly negative and

to travel with the ever rains where there swells

be partly negative

and determined upon paths a sleep is anyplace

[Reflection]

34.

a.

Winter

source of stillness

shovel

breath

low sun
fire
slow cars
sidewalk slush
time
woodsmoke
wool
crystal night
lake ice
boney trees
morning news
euchre
brandy
canned vegetables
coffee
rose cheeks
snow paths there are others
settlements
quiet
holiday
book
boots
frosted glass
listen
radio
weather
clouds
morning having met the storm
drifts
skis
wreath
holly

simple

friend

b.

Winter

nothing

delay

decay

decomposition

waste

moving from the source of life

deterioration

limits

wait

stuck

electricity

freeze

flu

sickness

huddled masses

prayers for health

frostbite

hypothermia

forced to zen

walls

frozen foods

static hair

repeated words

repeated words

c.

7am

Checked the neighbors

snuck into the winter in my underwear

grabbed the frosted newspaper

return to the door

slam

bite me

8:30am

Garage

ignition

slow road drive

coffee drive through

talking heads

eat my shorts

9am

Organize

structure

compare

relate

coffee

spell

interject

monitor

pull my cord

5pm

Cigarette

to the burrito shop

sundown

charge my battery

11pm

cruise my shore

35.

Getting there to stations

the convincement of monies for
traveling

The bus is free

the free bus is timely

takes no turns

one can sleep on the free bus

passes through the pastel the platinum the putrid with
environmental control

the seats recline

There is water associated with

prosperity

clean and covering water it

settles into the earth

near enough to stay confidence

it has caused

life

Arrived at the nobody place settling contradictions

reconciled the one and the many

pleasantly enough to be satisfied

gracious

[the shape of land]

[the scaleable walls leaned a water inward to a named creek]

[a bottom flats collected]

[lillies]

the cabin is a station

The bus had let out

in the city bordering the noncity

the arrows pointed

a head holds a body high a clouds move a body swiftly

change goes so swiftly to constance

swiftly they met

swiftly they formed intentions with perforated

lines

fell asleep with

futures

Oh what dream to call a kingdom small and

becoming

I am no more reluctant for establishing amiable bus rides

they go to rivers like the others had

measuring travel in miles

measuring travel in distance

There was a lucky poem comes to mind

at mile 1121:

When the horses were free freed in idea

when a callus certainty lets away that which runs

runs

carries itself without thoughts of itself

I cannot say I am discovered yet

gladly I cannot say I am discovered yet

A hilltop
 the busses went went
 changing
 they were green this year with less smoke

36.

Infrared urgency
 the populations had formed unions
 waited while the many zeroed cloud reconsidered itself the
 mortal
 [they]
 were wishing for [a] mortal
 though would take what they could get
 traded coffee in the meantime until the genius invented money
 all hell breaks loose when
 geniuses invent money
 does not history
 indicate such things

37.

America hath broken and vented itself
 changed little things enough to call for
 olden nature
 the one covered in song and rain

Postmodernism was comfortable enough with itself for
 cars
 telephones
 a general social consensus that [such] modernisms are
 far enough located from their origins to be
 sufficiently

not in the way
the textists were the ones to keep an eye on
were so quick on their feet
hard to manage a free thinking youth with their own
efficient mediums
But they were not accustomed to slowness as
a factor of adversity and
patience is
the general delight for them having been invented prior to
[that] technical onset
it is just that
the carpeople kept changing a standard parts
required new pieces
every so often
the telephone industry had stabilized as of the eighties when
rotary dialing made the universal switch to
push button beeps
allowing for an entirely automated corporate response industry

But a phone were no treeswing
nor a car a sunday bicycle
it is just difficult to tinker with electrons
and too complicated to consider a repair if it goes broke

There were ninety-nine months of unemployment to collect
sold all of a possessions and said
this shall be a retirement before getting cancer
found an arbitrary temperate
[place]
did not connect the landline

America hath broken and vented itself

a good thing I was in between retirements
actually I was in the bathroom at the time

The courier approached the door and put the neighborhood rag
beneath the mat
I waited until he was gone

Condo fees...
yard ornament regulations...
yellow light street lamps...
aha
just what I figured
a college student running for board Presidente

This is trouble

38.
Enough consideration for shoes
having settled on the nostalgia of leather soles
committed to polishing until they reached
a comfortable enough point of wear
for roaming without looking down

There was a time when I struggled with remaining innocent
representing oneself as evidently pure of thought
peeked at porn but did not claim to have peeked at porn

A shoes mature though and with that
say a material satisfaction is enough to let a thoughts drift
evenly
about

The wanderers make some sense
just where to go for an H1N1 vaccine with no connections
easy enough to find a daily bowl of pasta or
vegetable stew for free if you stick to
the larger metropolii
they just keep learning
they just keep learning
I have never possessed land nor will I ever be able to possess land
if I hold a title to land I will never be able to possess
land
that is just a philosophy and
perhaps too close to divinity for an operative social sense of functional
rules
ask if I am possessed
I know of no claim to I
though give myself freely and
with fault

I keep the shoes

39.

The little word digestions the little languages
the poverty of dialect is to land
like when
I proudly situated myself upon a tract of purpose
in love
wrote poems and
let that be public
say there was sharing mentioned there was glowing heraldry that
such a deepening can be anyplace
and wonder why they too fall in love with here
make it common

assume a words and take a words

By such a philosophy the muteness of living

is first

and careful

shame to speculate that

[they] had not appreciated their own dialect where there are rivers too

I am sure and

apologies for such pride

The earliest were lessonarily quiet

kept holds on strength

nor a place be moved to other places like

the pitifuls invested upon that [idea] which substitutes

goodwill for borders

[even cross a borders were mentioned]

[nor matter]

I too expect a flat world to reveal itself

ask of its perfection where

I cannot walk to its ends I cannot walk to its ends I cannot walk to its ends

nor stay away from that which is home

you are welcome and

sustaining

And a weeks' away

there are species

listen

And a months' away

there are species grown to love

And a years' away

nor be species

It were twenty days to adoption and twenty years
 afore they cannot say my poems are different
 it were just a cluster near the
 aspens
 there were the wrustled boulders

The gentle idealism that a borders are not really
 not really

40.

I am lust
 for ugly and curious ways
 for winter I am lust
 when these are shut and situated

I inherit
 beauty and give away thus
 I inherit wicked and give away thus have know it wickedly
 There is no welcome to that which discourages
 say such habits need be spent and put away
 governed to their
 centers and asked like research is asked
 and if I be
 qualified differently than I wish to be qualified and
 numbers are no defense them having been taken and put into books
 I inherit
 beauty none the less
 I inherit urgency and faith and withdrawal like any animal does inherit
 such

I am lust
walk in broad circles around judgment
wait at exteriors with the birds and
cañons
the folded soils where the others have decided upon
perpetuity
there is not a river moved

41.

I saw the professor today
had not aged
wonder if hello be proper yes it be yes it be
if there were lesson
yes it be

The three day snow had left ruts in the city roads

I saw the professor today
retired
had not aged
assume they still pick up the best found pens
I am ugly and confused and ugly and learning
I am introduced to where I have been
I am without vocabulary excepting one song
I am without vocabulary
I say faith is without interference is not faith without interference
I am without vocabulary

The four college men offered to push the car from a
rut

Thank you no I will work it out

and it is inconsequent to say a challenge without risk is a challenge
the trick is to start the car rocking
pendulum to pendulum
and at the peak ease off the accelerator to
move away slowly
ahh quiet pride

Nor mention I sneeze on the dashboard during

42.

The way the spiney trees hold a snow
there are white lines
and the telephone lines
the way the absent wind
the way the fluff puffs at footsteps
the invisible birds are starting for the feeders

It is midday

It is late in the day

It is dusk

The way the street lamps start indiscriminately
it should well be summer
it should well be Easter night
but there were snow and darkness at four thirty at night

The way the stars in winter
The way the stars in winter
long enough until cold settles a moment

43.

And four thirty in the morning because
an airplane will fly anytime through modernity
light is no requisite
call for
any sacred plan set aside by all corporations
they differentiated on
exact moments of the sabbath
just as well
for when is theirs I shall keep shop and likewise

A marrying entry into civil discourse
to say convince or sit in still ness
the logic of transformations
eat a similar food in similar tempo
just space for having started differently

A ticket taking tabulator
trust a plane
the holiday will be good this year where
the air is warm and rich
I am pale and contradictory and rely greatly upon
self reliance and other essays
experience the cabin the movement aloft
in six hours I am away
stops in Minneapolis and Atlanta crossing the rural squares
what is not a square
the little fences from
a cloud
go higher they
go higher

The weather were to God for that
I am no control
for material I am no control and ask questions and
had space been so startled
to make itself larger
that were figured
that were already figured every two hundred years
and who could predict a child would
say so simply
science
and if the depressions were to certainty then the
athletes
and if the depressions were to boredom then the
wanderers
I do not use the word depression
I am not psychiatry nor call upon psychiatry and
figured thought
it were a poem
it were a record to read twelve times and place upon a shelf for
reference
it were a sentiment and framed

The December sunrise from the air
sentimental
for its nature
trust a plane like goodwill and institutions and congress and
the reliable social hemispheres
were there too many at other times
were there too many at other times judgment

44.
I invented words for what I did not know

find there are often words all ready
 prepared
 [replace]

It were just to gather for social hemispheres call
 science
 settle into patterns and gradients until
 everything is found enough
 peace

And hold to an arted few like personal meaning
 saved
 they are in a wooden box with enough room for more always
 enough room for more

the monolith was enough for
 then stillness requires
 the shore in that way is rested and permanent
 and at that seated
 silence the poems come slowly at
 remembering and sense
 peaceably sorted nor requiring contradictory sport
 this is stationed and
 comfortable enough to plan for the nexted Saturday eleven in the
 morning

The replaced words are only theirs and
 participating
 for laboratories and genius the swells
 mention vocation until the whorls do pass and individualism is
 born again like before

There were other words invented and I stay at
junctions

with porchswings while they pass
sometimes exchange like politics

45.

The giant

words

falsified the records

sat upright in practice for having been right and equivalently right all
along

Skepticism is to trust what wisdom is to trust
and were it letting down that
conscience gathers itself more proudly than
that which it is an element of
and to say conscience were necessary and standard
nor kept

upon a fabled and contradictory nature lest [that]
conscience

prove itself reliably contradictory

that a negative value be put to

the pose of the giant and

[that] becomes understandably right for its consistency

The giant caused nothing like indirection
was called upon in poor company

The giant was given a list for service and
conscience is not universal

The giant is more visible

The giant is less conceptual

And a quash of when there were the childlike symptoms of joy

nor childishness

though to be without the words even when there were

language

speechless at lillied and sunflowered ways

the loud cars and energies of prosperity

when it were no idol to be once one day and another the

next

nor childish but free and a giant so

broadly conceived but only to be thought of

near when the eyes are closed for sleep each days' end

[That] [idea] grows small and worthless

like a metaphor proving itself as other than what they said it was

The volcano pushed apart the war

ask had an excuse been required

perhaps

Because a giant had surfaced at the modeling salon the

imaging

salon

only talked about physical features and

trends

long enough to recognize neglect

[New research is indeed required]

[New research is indeed required]

46.

Body

stamina goes on and on
gracefully pushing at edges
walked a day's worth from a lake to a lake
a modern road is crossed
enough to slow a species into two
a winter breeze will not pull a buttons up

Exerted and fast directed

Forward

47.

Body

the nurses' notes put the idea of the body into order

Sacred

48.

Body

the knowledge collected itself into
volumes
the genius of special collections was
when obscurity reared itself with one horn against
that with two horns

It were many numbers

mentioned nature again and again for conceptual [things]

I cannot argue

say I am natural for ways

for thought I am natural
as where I go is natural pushes
conceptual [things]

The fertile school
the fertile prairie is in winter
the fertile monastic silence of
within thick and proven walls I
invite in
everything

Opposites prayer opposites discretion opposites spirit and what is between and
fills between the one and the many and them with more important [concerns]
[diversions] [lessons] [administrations] [deviations] tobacco and smoke and
breath and fire and earth and gravity and light and bible and poem and
electricity and nothing nothing

I invite in nothing I expel that which is within

Expel opposites and discern and sex and color and sense and taste and the types
of nature and the ways the men incline themselves differently toward parenting
and the ways of season and the ways of day

Expel opposites I
invite in
everything

There is nothing I do not invite in

Body
put itself to silence for proving language
put itself to certainty for its completion

put itself to age for its being brought to print to curriculum to exercise

put itself to finitude for its completion

put itself to death for truth having been said

put itself to science

put itself to science for possibility

49.

Body the bathing body

body the eating body

body the sexing body

body the walking body

body the communicating body

body the system body

Formed a body politic from a body

modeled a vehicle from a body

said an ecosystem is this

said the universe is blood and cells and figuring growth

the light is an idea

the light is an idea another one billion lights

the light is an idea

Body the body is born

body the body grows and generates itself

develops like the mind develops and learns ages and lines and

governments and

strength and

what sustains a body

body the body is health and grows into nations and discussion and

time

passes itself unto

itself

what is given

body the body is given

50.

The holiday breached the thoughtlessness of routines

they must address

themselves

Arrive punctually for the annual service having

arranged to give

Dressed in family

It was early when the coffee started

the morning after

The other holidays are for [a] [particular] [thing]

put enough of an intention into a time to

resolve its thought for a year

The maintenance of social causality expects

young frames to

put memorials to importance until insight is advanced and adequately replaced

again and again

and when they grow old certainly enough

the securities of regards are to

conscience

That were easy and important and

no longer speculative

And soup were humbly enough reflective

with candles

until they go away after a week to

smaller privacies

51.

Cruising altitude

I pulled up the rope ladder to the treehouse

Delta flight 1492

the days the skies are haze nor clear

sun goes down below me

Delta the day after Christmas when she assumed

her own

it was long overdue long overdue like

that betamax movie from 1986 I

never did return

[Pet Semetary]

There is snow on the other end when I shall

connect in

linear fashion with 6077

it will be dark then and I will be bobbing in winter breaths

the clouds will disappear

the clouds will disappear and

The wet ten dollar bill I found on the curb his morning still has not

convinced me [that]

it be twenty if I buy coffee and cigarettes and newspaper exactly enough to

receive a dime in change

Leftovers are perfect

damn perfect
and
my optimism the greater at thirty thousand feet to say
a chicken sandwich divided in two
corner to corner even
is not two sandwiches though it is roughly
ten hungry bites and
happy to share that at any altitude if they can
find an alternative way up this
[this]

Convince me to let the ladder down and
I
can set up the tent on the island
too

In 1492 Rotundus
blew across the blue
slept not deeply enough to disturb airflight
like I do

Cruising altitude

52.

The sensors
accumulated the giants the stuff of giants
put it inna box for the chiefs
the snow globe

It could have been a crystal ball

It could have been a hard shell for the plasma breast implant

X-rayists may have considered
the possibilities of
gel contraband smuggled in breast implants
best not to let that cat out of the bag

Meow

The excommunicated giants riddled themselves at
how best to recommune with
the living
the dead poets are not really dead after all
[convince them]
[convince them]
do I not send invisible electronic messages no x-rayer can find
I admit
they are only early and some are ugly with
Christmas warts and
hardship hardship

And if a giant has had [a] [thing] implanted
I say
indeed
for how else to be revealed
anything pure goes away silently and naturally without having been
bothered
disappears from we conflicted sorts
into the depths of peace
[happily I assume]

And to be eternally gianted
and to be eternally gianted is

a question of faith and how much one really does enjoy their damn poetry

The sensors have considered
such normal distributions and the probabilities of
and administration starting
their own damn research by which dots a pleasantly gifted
damn poetry might emerge

Such is seventy
the probability of an x-rayist identifying
a giant smuggling explosive contraband in a breasted implant onto
some flying thing

53.

When the damn research started
[because he figured in two years he would be bored out of his mind]
looked to the great South and called it North like
all good bendable languages allow
they too have sand and land grand land

It is new country and steamy

I grow catapults and pumpkins and hummingbirds

54.

Irony
the rain came heavily December

Amid protest songs
the old poets were being replaced with new rivers
they too tell not their families of hardness
there are other poems for

that which is regenerative
the global heat index carved out a two percent lot from every geography when
the iceberg drew a curious brow
and the virtual facilities for communication when
nuclear energy is so brilliantly logical like
genius is logical

Interest is my own and to say
[those] religions worn like hats
say money were too logical enough for
God as institution
hence patches and pidgin
we are all brought so delinquently to efficiency
capitalism
and to say a difference atween a plethora of ones and
one great plethora be
communal in any sense
even the babies baked cookies for a quarter apiece
because
because

Tuition
when all is learning and learned and
the ones and the manies
be on a special path toward reconciliation
I am nearly convinced unto exhaustion that
legacy is marketing

Hold still
there is a quieter protest without
names

55.

The athlete became
a nation with colors for
cents still jogs at night

56.

I climbed within the building
sat differently at a desk
the American poem balances between idea and place

The new year's wind rattled the window
otherwise quiet enough for their footsteps
giant footsteps
quieting themselves away
excepting the shuffling ones the circling
ones

It is one hundred years old and grown enough to
establish branches
lines
see more unto discontent they form
dialogues
points of entry
publishing houses come from each

I let in peace today
wrapped it in folded sound resembling competition
it were only good
it were only good

The challenge is to say the right [thing] anymore
the expectation is to say the right [thing] anymore

cannot let in that
 I die like any
 that an idea of tying twine to one's ankle and swimming deeply into hell and
 writing an otherwise atom poem in difference
 among
 faith is that I be found and
 having reclaimed some tempers
 put them into a soil for rest

Go home at night
 saying the alternates of receiving is as important as giving

The American poem balances between idea and place

I am of several places let away
 now a fifteen minute drive

57.

The lawyer clan sends to the doctor clan
 nor the stars corrupt but the clouds can be from smoke and
 burning ways
 respond
 it were from the bone doctors to the minded elders charged with
 psychiatrics
 the way the green returns in spring
 pushed from builded things pushed from cracks in builded things
 consensus
 and to the lawyers having gathered
 a faith in that which regenerates
 nor the stars corrupt
 agreed
 nor the stars corrupt from this distance nor any distance

[they] fall asleep to the stars
do they not fall asleep to the stars like I do

58.

The giant returned having humbled himself
it was twenty years and now everything is silent and moved
really there is nothing to presence
excepting an others awareness of
and when it was encouragement like a parent
do I not wish for when I was planned and taken
that is only a fault for having been
conditioned that
way

Like the bicycles before too much thought unto safety
then they were stolen in a moment for transport
sprinted through the shortcuts to the general store for
Red Man and penny gum and push pops
that were only summer and twelve summers before
the rest of the
kids
were parentally civilized unto helmets and pads
egad
egad
it were a differentiated corruption than curfew and smoking [things]
they were brought within themselves
and who is not lawyered into
complicity

Giants had other news then like interest and formation
giants have other news now
giants do not have news now

giants are quiet now
giants are reconciled with one another now
giants have a collective unconscious now
evenly distributed across all giants looking slightly different each
reflecting their original character before
they knew
to stand quietly in protest
representing
the early days before logic was applied and before it was expected
logic be applied

And it is only cynical to regard

I am a giant become

confessions for every silence of theirs is mine for my

capture

this perceived

and to say loudly I am authority nor encourage deviance

but a slowness to progress

I encourage nothing

I say nothing and will one day find myself worn and old and then

gone

for having mentioned nothing

I cannot stop a garden when this is a garden

say I am character for having noticed

[Blink]

59.

Wind the wind measured

fitted clothes I do not stop for winter

but brought otherwise to nature

It is smallness an easy smallness returns

nor humbled but placed

a station is between

what they call celebrity and with no thought no regard

nor otherwise hate

but the ness of body

and without being

the air cold air damn cold to breath

There is not a celebrity not a voice if

one is decided

When a forest were called a forest

a boned and branched purchase now

The monitors suck in their feelings and suck in their sticky sap

a tops are shut down

I am not a tree

nor metaphor I am not a tree

I cannot hold myself to the worth of the just seasons

nor jealousy nor jealousy when

their hardness declares

a hibernated death

I live through this

with open eyes and shuffling feet and moving feet

with breath

I move through this

call forest

The lines

are not known

nor huddled in masses and concern and without answers

but alive

say more alive

as that which is against closure

say formation is the opposite of death

Say paradox

to lead them unto that without leadership and

pagan

nor democratic nor hier

and pantheism

God in every

say formation is the opposite of death

A days value of walk

nature is a concept when they speak when they put this to

parks

and borders and [other]

I am civilized and bearing and plan on bearing

nor argue grace

the securities of the opposite of nature

where sex is the only animal

where food is the only animal

where celebrity is the only animal

60.

Contraptions full of wonder

there are inventions

and dare to invention against a systems of selfism

I declare I am clever and aware

see things

use tools

And the conceptualists no less bladed than a barbers steam
push the technologies of thought
but I am not convinced a genius is as mentioned as a mason
excepting
its put

The cars still come
new and built upon the last
with new colors
say the space where heaven was is space for pioneers
unsettling
the physics of peace and flatness
for larger machines too a dare
and requisite for the outwards of
limits
the graduals and grades of limits ultimately
satisfaction for all
promise
[that]

I go away hungry and fulfilled
with a niche and
written

61.

The handsewn hat is lucky at home and cannot be taken
nor stolen
hung

Tomorrow the wind again winter wicked
long enough between working buildings where they pass

money and ideas

say that is a grand hat

spectacle for a gentleman every requires

The Chicago hot dog lunch

the architect

the driver

the nurse

a pepper is a dare when the stem is left in

the passing poems to the free museum

say art is necessary for a spell

like the stadium for elsewhere gladiation and bullfights the stadium is

necessary

like a place for art

The hat kept me to myself through

advent and silence and

the ways of cities

become anthropology in such a hat

first anthropology until an opinion is no longer restrained and

become philosophy and certain and

what comes next like starting hobbies

chess is a spectacle

a river is a spectacle

art is near as allowance

The automatic heater starts an hour before I enter

it is a good day

love

62.

Democracy is mentioned upon a recognition of

the several equal giants

because

I am inclined to my own certification as are each

belief that

the humors of human nature are self inclined

Reason manages the gifts of oneself

Reason assort one to the social structures

marketry and

fun

Democracy is mentioned they vote how

and to say a couples are coupled and grafting opinions in silence

and the official knowledge

called a form for leadership

otherwise [they] grow outside of doctrine

And the singularity of protohistory

reverence is a diagram of origins because

one cannot go luckily away had they not been

and to convince the solid lines of their finer braids

it is a trust

nor go easily without a power

an energy is to what collective studied

I have never met a president

I have never met a president that pulled rank in any case

And to have plied for aristocracy for its nature

so quaint and contained

so efficient

and it were not a lord to have given away ministries

excepting the calculation of balance for

the absence of [that] [minor] responsibility

[that] cause

and to say some do be taken and wanted and expected

and upon such labored and common ideals of

freedomism

reluctance is to cable television

otherwise expecting an equal path to self determination in

[all] its forms

And if aristocracy like elderism like strength shall happen

so too time and boredom and mishealth be natural and

tends a soul to

democracy and cooperation and waded votes and

public works

against a recuperative circle to have given a singled souls no invitation

and that is history

Say protohistory will be a buildings in

enough years to have forgotten their intentions when

a mootness of voting proves that too democracy will

advance upon a trust

that the king shall be one of many kings

gladly

so too said of giants

so too said of vampires

of clouds

of horses

Independence were the idea of fuel

to language

to poems

when the same fascinations were put upon

the others for tolerance is no word and can be no word without
[that] predetermined speck

I do speak
nor make calls for such absence

63.

The thresholds of individualism
they are inventors and explorers and
to expect of such animations a shard of social progress
say there were no protest to improvement
and taken from and given to
a redistribution is to what authority
and to have located that fixed seat is
to locate the path to that fixed seat

[they] come in taught logic blouses
[they] come in redistributive hats

[It] were sectioned to a various congresses
all
while he smoked his pipe
talking
talking

History will not ease itself
[that] is hardness

I was born in 1970
I remember later when
I carved boats from floating soap
there is a creek when winter melts

that is not taken nor included in [theirs]

nor concluded in [theirs]

Convince me in a
way

The separations distilled passions into reason
the official front is public opinion and
tomorrow is another language
leadership is different than [that]
a formula is a trickster
the opposite of reason the opposite of the other trickster
social inversion is not inverted if it is the opposite of itself and
upon an absence of constituency
[they]
too walk in parks more justly and more silently than I

64.

And if America be so free that
I shall be what I call my self
nor require insistence

I am a poet this day in the city and
the next wandering roads
it were come to measure in the salability of items
the baseness of material
for what they hold is relations
there is a book and
to be official having left fetishes
it were ninety nine cents in several languages

I am a teacher this day with ambition

I am a builder this day constructing
permanence and visitation centers

I put shape to thought and call labor important
and with measure

[Possible]

I am congress this day
yes I am
congress this day and with opinion

65.

Small world to say
cousins were in same schools
friends marry friends

And the familiarity of potato salad
the significance of change is
to what the children bring

Church were the important building
the lines were only perforated when other places
visit
a lines go away
when the picnics start
when the speedway when the baseball
oh life to say gladly
shall proceed through its littles and

The remnants are put gently to a shelf in frames

I vacuum and water the durable plants
make the constance back to what it was and
watch network lettermen until just the right insult and
put on retro Hitchcock

66.

A poem is not a hobby
he had written several enough
to say it is a city and a nation

A poem is a country

Whitman is an anthropologist with a vocabulary
Whitman did not stop to write

Yes the shipbuilders the planters
what is done
the young teachers the clothmen the experimental sausagemakers

It were vocation
our reconciliation

The roadbuilders the mayors the idea marketers

The city planners
organized trees and parks and organizational permits

A land is without mention until
I remember there was no encroachment when I was youth

Whitman prints what is not printed

lesson I say
the men from other places go home to wives and stations
as do I

The market the
market
sold furs and beer and livestock and ideas

The market announces money the economists

Vote
and that is social

Gone away toward the river Sunday again
left city America without a thought
it were not married to
freedom
really

Visits the used bookstore for exposure and transcendence
monthly they come together
saying farming
saying motorcycles
saying love
saying love and gender

67.
Love

Nor introduce an America consideration without

And it were not love's mention to say better than

the frames of old worlds
optimism is America I say
as much to say one place is ready for a family
fertile

And of old ways and pagan ways
my fathers did bring churches and foods
my brothers did bring energy and string
that is male
my mothers did bring

There were cabins but Americans were not first to know a land
introduce
European ways
I say there is goodness in the gentle introduction of possibility
there was offense
land was assumed from a peoples without a governance for titleship

Lesson
say all are from proud places I am

68.

What part does an audience play in the creative process

As to products
they were teachers with curriculum wrapped in
paper and twine
and were it reshaped when to be given
they were students and upon no format
they were painters and
a painting is completed
finished

ask where it is put
 they were poets
 a words are fixed and done
 published
 and what introduction to a verse

As to products
 the idea of America were advanced with
 its introduction
 and were it shaped to its audience and put
 nor say an audience exists
 nor say rightly that art theory were any relation to
 the creation of political ideas
 then there is no argument

Say retrospect
 there is an allowance for progress and administration
 inclusion is mentioned and
 inquiry upon such
 protectionism is mentioned and
 laws thus implied are not laws implied rightly
 and the elements of discourse
 recess
 come again like resolution
 [they] market solutions wrap themselves in solutions upon
 nature's state
 upon injustice upon the inconsistencies of
 promise and praxis
 say retrospect voices call their own roads and require no representation

Reply
 representation is a civil matter if it be to audience

and reintroduced

and reintroduced

nor all be required for [that] dryness

what importance I go about is preferably other with an ear to

[that]

[Grace is mentioned]

69.

The individual

thus received

what is not local really

and what predates peace is the nonconsideration of peace

peace were only a word upon a nonpeace

and what complicity like judgment to err

to say this is cold and away and other

that there be a push then

The individual be the germ of social reproduction

and it were the thoughtists with material

with pen and paint and bronze and

stone

originalism is a germ nor alone

when to be convinced

It were a wandering spirit

long and repeating itself

redundancy and ritual is to improvement

slowly like evolution and

[that is only theory]

it were just a small world and halved again and again and again

say an endless thought halved again and again be

yet endless several times over
 nor disturb
 what is rent
 what is rent
 there were no fences
 and public opinion is discretionary
 and public opinion is qualified and unqualified
 and public opinion is not universal
 and public opinion
 what is sacred

The individual begins such things
 wraps an importance around beauty
 ask if such attention were to a beauty's demise for
 a public opinion is to what it knows
 or service to say
 it were a negative [things]
 which require attention
 wraps an importance around diversions and misconduct and
 the ugly generals of waste and decomposition until
 [that] goes away
 respond a pragmatic ways do require the
 recognition of beauty
 I do

Nor format to individualism lest we stop at
 such a start

70.
 [Concedes]

It were the other reminding

beauty

to be so purposed and minded and ambitious

to speed for Darwin's excess

thus trained

it were a hard rain hard rain

it were death

it were a cañon's chambers and sense within

hush

washed gravel is from when the rain

hush

I say [that] competition is dispelled for importance

I am wrapped around importance

I covet importance

I let importance away

I push importance

I shelter importance

I grow importance

I listen for importance

I forget importance until

it comes again and again and every time I forget importance

it comes again

I am not important

I see a works I am only mention

thus I am important

thus

There were pencil drawings

there were photographs

there were poems

there were records

[Concedes]

What is a greater legacy than sustainability

71.

The likenesses of winters

they are one eventually like history

winters are one

excepting my place among them

There were toboggans and

frozen feet not realized until after

The walk across the frozen ness of lake where

the wind

blows

and if the sun comes out

blinds

crusted snow

slush beneath

The walk across like meditation and

could be a desert excepting the heat

Desolation

When the sun turns away for months

cosmology to say

[the other] shall return

reliably

The winter stars

The winter stars

[America] is not mentioned then because

And in [its] applause for

something great and insistent

let a banner be put to this let a words be put to this

let recognition be put to this

nor matter

when to be without speech

[Pause]

72.

Excellent

is a word

and to have heard

perfect

mentioned in all synthesis and all authenticity for

what could be a better word

excellent

say allows for one degree impossibly greater

say excellent enough

The borrowed

music

She was shifted and turned in thought

implies genius is nothing

[that] is easy

there are challenging ways which expect learning and

exercise

The

investment is to making personal and ugly things

excellent and blasphemous things

excellent and dirty things

excellent things I make again and again when it is

lost

stolen

given away

Whether a market for the delightfully imperfect

the excellent

there may be an apprenticeship for invention

but I only needed one

73.

The difference between a country and a nation

one is reference to place the other reference

to politics

Say something is possibly better

I attach myself to thought

or to say a nation is required

that of human nature having been supposed as acquisitive

History proves

either franchise

Mention it were a country reflected in

thought

and supposes all art like any personal formation is to

a seasons a grass and the way the wind

an ocean

that far away I walk to its borders and put my feet into it

I eat from it

the mountain

the flora the rest the rest

say anyplace by which I am

it be various America's I am one

acknowledge

and that were nation mentioned

The favorite childhood home was on a lake

The favorite childhood memories were with them and them

contented with a mountain

74.

Giants

struggle but quietly mentioned

too is America

too is America like stories

Poems

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