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*asking of Reality from Chimera in an interest of Charity and Chastity*

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one] there is a color and the neighbor mentions a color and there is an agreement the name of the color is the same color  
 [really]  
 has nothing to do with color or a single color and  
 has to do with a dedicated word choice called language in which a word is spoken and another [understands] what is spoken  
 whether agreeably or disagreeably  
 [and]  
 to have a mis insistence upon [ ] each their own  
 there is no good day what neighbors may or may not say hello to each at their respective mailboxes [have a good day]  
 if to believe  
 [day means night] [good means mediocre]  
 and the continuity of conversation  
 the armless dialogic conversation for there is no sign language when there are no arms to carry fingers  
 one could say they clouds and  
 would one be meaning the clouds I am not certain I will just take you for your word  
 understanding  
 a clouds are which what from the rain

two] I am out of apples I should get more apples and  
 tortellini shells  
 I have white sauce already  
 I can pretend  
 [hermione] [the adult brown hermione feminist hermione] [all grown]  
 chicken  
 the cheese is in the shells and  
 red pepper spice or  
 bacon  
 salad

three] the chainrings of a bicycle may be two or three  
 the once ten speed  
 two chainrings and five shiftable cogs at the rear axle derailleur is ten gears  
 the comfortable saddle handlebars with sticky tape  
 tires inflated  
 I pedaled a blue one when I was young that was not mine  
 it had metallic sparkles  
 I had a schwinn twenty inch bicycle at age eight and a gray five speed was in the garage  
 one chainring at the pedal and five shiftable cogs at the rear axle derailleur is five gears  
 the five speed was fast and I could barely stand over the frame and pedal leaning each pedal motion

hand brakes are not coaster brakes

coaster brakes are a brakes one pedals backward to apply the brakes on schwinn banana seat bicycles coaster brakes only brake the rear wheel of the bicycle

four] on the declaration of prettiness

a female friend once said of a female friend of mine: 'she is pretty'

another

the same female friend once said of another female friend of mine: 'she is pretty'

I agree

anyway

someone once stole a giant stuffed bear from a party at a house and they asked me if I wanted it because the novelty of having stolen the bear had worn off and I said: 'sure'

I traveled from the eastern seaboard with a giant stuffed bear in the trunk gave the giant stuffed bear to the female friend who had always told me my female friends were 'pretty' to my agreement

five] silence

the basement soundproofed drum room and

there is no drummer

the cave interior

one mile in

the wide open

no wind

between canyon walls

apres rainstorm

six]

they wear feathers in their hair

(they)

and the color of a dandelion on their chin

a rosepetals

and in winter the deciduous rose

when the frosted ground

the wind

there is no color in winter

and the clouds

there is no color in winter

seven]

the hollow

a question of hollow to notice hollow

and the vehicles

a sputtering of smoke gasoline

once seventy five cents

american

—

thaw

the carousel

the seasons

were not ralph waldo emerson's

ralph waldo emerson's were

civilization

and again civilization

(circles)

and when the seasonal river fills again

until

eight] airforce airspace  
 the aircraft carrier and the nerf football  
 popular culture and the aircraft carrier  
 the twenty five year fuel capacity of the aircraft carrier and  
 the submarine  
 I have never slept in a three vertical bunks ship of cots  
 one cannot harpoon a whale from a crow's nest ishmael  
 like bob dylan books that have left a meaningful impact  
 and floating ships with sails and oarmen  
 [the dinghy]  
 [the dinghy with the sail]  
 how high the highest airplane  
 the commercial seven forty seven travels seven hundred miles per hour and  
 with jet stream  
 thirty eight thousand feet is  
 the speed of sound  
 the speed of sound is slow  
 andwere the tsa baggage check  
 I found a boxcutter on the ground into my tool chest  
 I once went to a president obama rally with a pocket knife in my pocket inadvertently and  
 the metal detector personnel said knives cannot pass  
 I said it was an eagle scout knife and  
 the metal detector personnel said go on through  
 jack johnson the surfer was playing the kindergarten music of curious george afore  
 the sharpshooters upon the ninth floor of  
 the adjacent building appeared  
 [the secret service]  
 fear and loathing on the campaign trail was on a bus fear and loathing on the campaign trail was on  
 a dumpy mispainted plane  
 of journalists  
 following air force one and campaigners various locales for rallies  
 the air force  
 george hw bush parachuted at age ninety five was a paratrooper in world war two  
 and I do not know where kennebunkport is and I like to summer vacation among mountains and or oceans nor have  
 I worked in a salmon cannery seasonally to fill my pockets for the year  
 the ocean meets the mountains in anchorage alaska if I am not mistaken  
 I have never been  
 nor yellowknife  
 one can fly a fighter plane from a hangar in annapolis and patrol the arctic circle and be home  
 in time for dinner  
 I have never held two red flashlights for an airplane

nor the cropduster in the yukon  
 with mittens  
 and the grass in the infield I read of in russia is no stop the aircraft  
 the one seater  
 the climbing of a mountain  
 acclimation in regards to higher altitudes until  
 there is no longer air above

were fifteen thousand feet base camp say  
 every three or five thousand feet elevation above another is  
 required for respiratory acclimation of low oxygen at high altitudes  
 a climber a skier feels woozy at high altitudes for the first time a chair lifts reach eleven thousand feet in elevation  
 the ski lodge with the big fire place like the shining movie civilian conservation corps ski lodge may be at  
 eight thousand feet  
 the effects of alcohol at higher elevation are multiplied due to the lower air pressure with less oxygen because  
 the same amount of oxygen percentage in lower altitudes with lower air pressure is  
 an overall less quantity of oxygen  
 alcohol and high altitudes  
 on occasion a band plays at ski lodges  
 there are adirondack chairs where people sit in their ski boots and tshirts and enjoy the band and the scenery  
 ski away eventually in some variety of manner  
 the army's tenth mountain division telemark ski division trains near aspen colorado  
 there are more colorful homes in aspen than vail what I have seen  
 the professional ski instructors of america telemark ski instructor division may or may not ski preferable to  
 the tenth mountain division  
 tenth mountain division telemark skis are camouflage white tenth mountain division telemark ski poles are camouflage white  
 snow camping requires a forty degree below zero sleeping bag a ground cloth ground padding fuel to heat water food warm  
 clothing snow tent or igloo making device  
 snow is melted for coffee and dehydrated oatmeal  
 I once climbed an easy climb of a tree seventy five feet into the air the climb was easy because the limbs were like a ladder and  
 to travel any further is to have the top of the tree start to bend  
 the view is good from the top of the tree above rooftops  
 the dominican twitter priest father patrei hitched a navy or air force ride or photo opportunity recommended writer's tears irish  
 whiskey  
 snow melts at the top of the mountain last  
 snow melts in the shade last  
 the mechanics of adventure thrills are a deterrent to me the parachute may fail  
 what is within an adventurers' control  
 the rock climber the skill of the rock climber the preparedness of the adventurer for weather and season  
 the glider  
 the paraglider



and dante's is a comedy [that] what is incline is consistent [and] inferno purgatorio paradiso are one comedy  
 frequently sold in three parts [is] [one] comedy sold together as \_divine comedy\_  
 airspace from the ground may be determined by as ten feet off the ground as a plane may fly ten feet off the ground if a plane  
 has not flown ten feet off the ground airspace may be speculative  
 the barnstormer  
 the previous barnstormer is a dare  
 the bragging rights are to the most recent barnstorm success

nine] feathers to be worn  
 in  
 one's hair

and one's hat

I had a vase  
 for feathers  
 a bouquet of feathers

feathers are dusty licey dirty organic decaying

I have never had a pet bird

feathers are for hair

prayer feather  
 turkey feather  
 inna vase

feathers are for hair until  
 one  
 no longer cares to wear the feather in their hair

feathers are for arrow direction

feathers are for hair

the adornment of oneself  
 a small bell jingles  
 a feather for one's hair

the writing instrument

a feather for one's hair [the peacock feather is too large] [the turkey feather is too large]

a feather for one's hair

[so no one notices]

an ornithological feather

I once found a blue feather on the ground used the blue feather as a bookmark

a feather in one's hair [they] shall I [copycat] [question]

[they wear feathers in their hair] [do they not wear feathers in their hair] [question]

I still

have the book

on my shelf

with

the blue feather

the blue feather as bookmark for

the next page to read

eventual

the money churchman with the homeschool is not

[eventual]

parrot feathers are somewhere tropical like toucans parrots live one hundred years and sit on pirate's shoulders

bald eagle feathers are federally protected and may or may not have been ceremonially replaced by turkey feathers by recognized native groups

the gift of a feather

she wore a feather in her hair

rucksack

there is a path already worn path

forest

picnic late season wildflower and a feather on the ground

[without sound] [would you like a feather] [question]

birds lose feathers replaced by feathers

found on the ground

the robins' egg is blue and the robin is brown and orange and the oriole is orange and blue and the purple finch is red the

mallard has a shiny green head the swan is white the swan is black the owl is nocturnal in the day the owl is brown and can

rotate its neck two hundred seventy degrees a gaggle of airborne southbound geese in a v shadow a ground the color of a shadow is blackish translucent opaque-ish the highest bird is the hawk and obscures the sunlight as turnal and makes a shadow similar in color to a gaggle of airborne geese I have seen an ostrich photograph and the ostrich is gray and a feather of the ostrich may be too large to wear in one's hair as one ostrich egg equals twenty six chicken eggs the cardinal is brown the cardinal is red blue jays are twice as tall as the very tall cardinals the nonbirdbat is black the blackbird the crow the blackbird the raven the blackbird the blackbird the brewer's blackbird with blue head the red spot of the wing the redwinged blackbird the wing of the redwinged blackbird the marsh the cattail

the wing feather of the redwinged blackbird  
 they wear feathers in their hair

ten] follows nine  
 there is an order to alphabetic  
 abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz  
 and a mathematics as calligraphable

plus minus times division  
 mnemonic

the texas instruments <sup>TM</sup> calculator introduced in fifth grade age ten upon a fourth graders' mnemonica  
 the plus minus times division tables

ie  
 pluses [+]

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	

ie

times [x]

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81

an axiomatics of mathematics may include numerology

I once deposited a quarter .25 into a bioreader machine to have the machine tell me my favorite number  
my favorite number is '8' according to the arcade machine

on the virtues of pseudoscience

there once was an hiker with a writing instrument wrote down a names for a previous unnamed five mountaintops

in eventuality the names were recorded in the geopolitical formal cartographic reference section

there was an airplane flying overhead and the pilot notices the five mountains resemble an 'hand' in appearance from an  
aeronautical perspective thus called the range the 'hand range' of mountains

another pilot flies over the same 'hand range' and says he prefers to call the range the 'whale flipper range' at which the current  
range of mountains are called and on paper maps for one hundred years

pseudoscience in that eg a constellation is renamable called ethnoastronomy like zodiacry

in that people may or may not act in a manner in relation to a social nominalism

the mountains exist regardless the stars in the constellations exist regardless

the naming of the mountains and stars is a social nominalism and may or may not be socially contextual

a notation of any unmoveable feature including mathematics may be considered nominalism

that the unmoveable feature was notated makes the unmoveable feature social

that an unmoveable feature as notated is social is cause to say all notations including science may or may not be nominal

[and to notice]

the difference atween science and nominalism may or may not be foundational in that

nominalism is recognition and

potence of relations [thus] foundational unto unto another

were relations relevant in nominalism

algebra started for me in sixth grade age eleven

$x+2=7$  solve for x

seven minus two is five

$x=5$

is algebra

[unknown] [variable]

hypotheses exist within the construct of the American Psychological Association nor  
Chicago Manual of Style

theorems are certainties

postulates are assumed certainties unproveable certainties

eleven] the braid of her hair is french braid

the braid of her hair is ponytail

the braid of her hair is three strands braided straight back toward one's back

she wore her hair in a bun she wrapped all of her hair into a bun and or stabbed the bun with a chopstick or wrapped a scrunchy  
and or rubber band the bun

the woman with the one inch buzz cut hair

the feathered hair

and carole burnett hair

the afro of afro

the jewish sorority woman straight up with one of the connected hinge combs [her hair morning andwith sweatshirt]

the hair to one's butt look

the hair through the back of the john deere tractor hat

the short bangs long straight hair

I have had the same haircut parted on the right since fifth grade I once wore a necktie to my second grade picture day

twelve] I have an handmade hat made of wool and a patterned cotton inside I have an earring made of amber poked to the back  
of the hat

thirteen] is august and I will be traveling north

I will bring wool and

money to buy curios next to the wooden indians

fourteen] there are no republicans on yesterday's primary ticket at my local poll  
 tours are free at the capitol  
 I recommend the gyro or tutto's pasta  
 make a day of it

the presidential general election is in november

fifteen] the husband going to sea on a twelve week oceanic research mission  
 the wife at home for twelve weeks

sixteen] the sea is a lonely place  
 there are horizons  
 an imagination at sea is varied  
 a swells are up and down long slow swells and  
 there are no birds and  
 on occasion  
 a bird

seventeen] the cloud  
 one cloud  
 in the middle of the sky

eighteen] to see seven feet over the railing of the vessel  
 into the water  
 the water becomes dark

and to look up from ten feet aneath a surface  
 a mirrored shimmer  
 beyond is  
 air

and some fish bite  
 there are fish who may bite defensively  
 there are fish who may bite predatorially as a matter of diet

there are symbiotic species

there are parasites

there are shellfish attach themselves to barges

there are fish born in freshwater swim to saltwater for their mature lives and return to freshwater to spawn and die

there are jellyfish without bones and cartilage

red phytoplankton bluegreen algae

orange barracuda

black eel

lateral line shark lateral line is a sense organ

exoskeletal lobsters exoskeletal crabs with  
butter and garlic

shrimp are exoskeletal

I could invent a fish I would want a fish to last three million eons I define a fish as an underwater biologic animal with gills the fish I would invent would live deep in the deepest location of the deepest ocean the fish would not be affected by weather or seasons the water temperature would be constant year round a subtle ocean current passes by the large and reproductive fish at a steady constant riverly pace may be geothermally warmed to a balmy sixty degrees compared to the other saltwater around at forty five degrees all the time the ocean current would bring edible microorganisms á plenty because there is no light the mollusk without need to address the underwater pressure of three miles beneath the surface because its own body is liquid and tastes bad to potential predators which do not exist anyway I shall call the invented fish 'somewhat mollusca blobbus' or 'weighted jellyfish' and the trilobite of ten million years lives near shore

the lightning and the ship

sunrise

the cloud and the horizon

the compass the magnet the round knobbed wheel of the captain the raingear the metronome the sputter of the engine and the anchor line can only reach half way down

and the tug into the harbor the marina

research funding agency expectations are in order

data datum dati gathered as planned

[the husband going to sea on a twelve week oceanic research mission the wife at home for twelve weeks]

[I have never been in the navy]  
 [I have never lived on an oil rig for twelve weeks while the wife and children are doing god knows what]  
 [I have never been a carnie] [nor  
 a sherpa] [nor a  
 caretaker of a closed for the season civilian conservation corps lodge]  
 [a traveling architect]  
 [I have never been] [nor  
 stampede cattle rancher or ridealong chuckwagon driver] [nor  
 [I have never built a dam or the panama canal inwhich I would or would not be required to ponder a wife and children  
 at home for twelve weeks in a row as a member of the cement layers away team for a dam and or panama canal]

nineteen] the rowboat floated beyond the bank of the lake  
 just drifted  
 someone had to retrieve the boat

twenty] the shipbuilder the boilermaker the maker of tugboats  
 the long beach pier with cargo ships the giant crane the ship travels beneath unloads traincar and semitruck trailer size  
 containers for land travel  
 there are berths to travel in on shipping containers for paying customers likely bring your own food for the travel the same place  
 the shipping cargo ship is going  
 a berth may have a bed a porthole

twenty one] the deepest point in the ocean is five miles deep  
 the ocean  
 the weather above the surface of the ocean  
 the ocean beneath the surface [lets] light until  
 there is no light

a research vessel may receive a flying fish on occasion  
 ernest hemingway's old man received a flying fish  
 flew into his boat for water  
 the old man drank from the flying fish when he was thirsty and was no longer thirsty  
 there are tuna in ernest hemingway's waters swimming fifty five miles per hour in schools  
 the old man's catch was longer than his boat however and a tuna would have been half the size of his boat

the consumption of saltwater is similar to the consumption of urine  
 the saltic content is dehydrating and removes actual water h2o from one's body and makes one thirstier to consume

where freshwater meets saltwater is called brine

and the largest creature on earth is the blue whale eats krill small shrimplike creatures the blue whale reaches lengths of three



hundred feet in the open ocean

the predatorial animal which kills and eats the largest game animal may be the sperm whale which dives to depths of one mile to catch giant squid is why many squid have scars on their mouth area because of biting upon a giant fighting squid with thousands of suction cups on its tentacles the sperm whale itself has been hunted for its oil in its bladder which allows it to submerge to great water pressure depths the oil has been used for parfum which may be very expensive in paris herman melville wrote of an albino sperm whale

twenty two] on the airplane flying overhead

twenty three] the presidential election in november  
a tuesday  
there will be frost on the grass  
I will see my breath

twenty four] the training of  
the education of

andwere consummation

twenty five] religious foundations are frequently satisfied in the home before adulthood

twenty six] the metaphor of the boat is an ark  
there are two of each the species one male one female that each species propagate after the flood

twenty seven] the metaphor of the plant as ready for diploma'd graduation  
[ripe]  
[said by a mill person]

twenty eight] the metaphor of the swine

dogs do not sweat either I do not know whether dogs sweat I am not aware of cats sweating

twenty nine] the metaphor of wholesale retail

thirty] the metaphor of baseball  
is a long and rich george will editorial and  
ken burns

thirty one] the metaphor of the foodie  
I have never shared a sandwich with a lunch date

thirty two] immaculate conception

mary became pregnant remains a virgin has a baby she names jesus nine months after in zero ad [ce]

thirty three] on counting

seven is biblical

seven days may or may not be simply operative nevertheless

the gregorian calendar began with one of the nine or thirteen pope gregories

thirteen is unlucky

a penny .01 is required and made of copper [to count to five]

four cardinal directions magnetic north south east west

thirty four] royal crown cola is similar in carbonation and caffeine content to coca cola

thirty five] I have never picked up an hitchhiker

and I have no seaweed in the nonwater in my living room

and I should move around my area rug so it rests flat

and there are no lily pads above my rooftop

there are professors who die at age sixty five

and the rain I could hear through an open door

it was a dark and lonely rain

last one

a wind like now picks up and a rain quick quicker and

sideways rain

the door remains open and the smell is fresh

some rains are gone quickly hard rain and gone and

the sky lights

a rainbow

ambient

a residual water drains an hill into curb drains audible when the sun returns

an heavenly beam of light through

a clouds

and I am out of coffee excepting espresso for morning

and my native yard rabbits have no natural predators last summer there were seven at one time on the yard and I plan to live trap

one and slow cook it with vegetables like roast beef eight hours on low with vegetable stock rabbit may be nutritious rabbit is a

white meat would go well with chardonnay and side of asparagus with the yellow gunky sauce and ground pepper asparagus

grows in ditches around here and not only does the world need ditchdiggers there needs to be ditches if not aqueducts for asparagus asparagi to grow

and I once rearranged my furniture removed my couch from in front of my television and only a bean bag chair and surround sound speakers for a good movie / film with good soundtrack like \_apocalypse now\_

and the artist who frames their own art inherently impresses me

and the acoustic ukelele and the electric ukelele plugs into keith richards amplifier were he to allow and to strum at full volume in the outdoor stadium of seventy thousand audients while his rolling stones stage crew finishes details for an evening concert

a totem pole should have a raven

a totem pole should have a fish

totem poles should not have hats on top though should be smoothe so the log does not crack with moisture

thirty six] the excommunication of the well mannered anthropologist priest

that other cultures exist

[each] with a sacred feminine divine is

counter to authority and

the priest accepted a position in another faith

thirty seven] the chipmunks about the yard

the ground squirrel is no chipmunk I still use the terminology chipmunk

the tree squirrel lives in trees

an holes like prairie dogs pock a grass

and in the spring a chipmunks give birth

eight week gestation

and a rabbits

and without predators

propagation

and population density can sustain

twelve rabbits per point three three acre

seventeen chipmunks per point three three acre

and the pigeons are

city birds when the last condominiums were constructed

a farm home once

now surrounded by

civilization

thirty eight] the farm home of one hundred fifty years  
 empty  
 grass in the yard  
 vacant more than one year  
 empty basement of cement corner to the opposite corner empty for sale  
 rat traps  
 must  
 a ballroom beyond the foyer entrance and pocket doors  
 five thousand square feet I imagine  
 another ballroom resembling living room  
 marble fireplaces in each  
 kitchen remodel and serviceperson's living area behind the kitchen  
 upstairs a living area with four bedrooms and  
 water bathrooms  
 barn near  
 four hundred acres I imagine

thirty nine] the big tree in the clearing on the slope  
 and the water ski rope  
 to swing about  
 the tree with  
 velocity  
 with waterski handle

the big tree in the neighbor's yard who are away for the season  
 a tree fort

the big tree with the spare tire swing

the height of the tree rope to the ground is  
 significant in that  
 the fulcrum is greater the longer the rope

the lake swing tree to swing and jump from the swing into the body of water

the underdog

forty] art as communication  
 art as entertainment  
 art as record

forty one] aesthetics as observable as attentionable  
 aesthetics as foundations of interpretation  
 aesthetics as foundations of preference  
 the aesthete  
 the ontologue  
 the pedagogue

forty two] an open letter to the giver of gifts  
 were reinforcement reinforcing

an open letter to the receiver of gifts  
 [...] as important to learn to receive as give

forty three] the calvinists known for john jon calvin fifteen hundreds  
 were heugeonauts the same  
 nor poverty

and the fiscal  
 the fiscal homemaker  
 and the half onion need not be thrown away

the measure of

the measure of wealth  
 were or were not the opposite measure of poverty

the bell curve and  
 ninety two percent is an 'a'

the bell curve and  
 one standard deviation above one hundred percent

the bell curve is shaped like a bell

the dinnerbell is shaped like a triangle from the symphony

the povertied spirit  
 defeated

I switched to behaviorism

the pavlovian to the hungry  
 the skinnerian to the hungry

I switched to behaviorism  
 statistics was easy statistics was mnemonic  
 personality was subjective  
 apa is useful  
 central nervous system is mnemonic

I switched to behaviorism  
 the kind which removes something bad  
 the kind which reinforces something good

I switched to behaviorism  
 the kind which evaluates a ten page student essay with a number two pencil

forty three] follows forty two  
 forty four is abba's number  
 twenty two is half a pews in one direction half a pews in another direction  
 and two twos do not equal twenty two  
 and zero is not a number  
 and a texas instruments calculator with zero three one eight zero zero eight turned upside down spells boobies  
 and the abacus may or may not have a corporate logo

forty one follows forty two

forty follows forty one were I to travel in

thirty nine follows forty

[I could go on] [the negative numbers are as infinite as the positive numbers]

I once counted to one thousand  
 I may have been at a picnic table  
 just to prove

there once was an empiricist

forty four]  
 can it be done is unique from should it be done is unique from shall [I] do it

the latent dinner is  
grilled cheese

gourmet with bacon and tomato

forty five] to the immigrant from russia 'when the whores went on strike' author  
I have a question

mister vozhenzenzky is it? are you a steelworker? I have a city lights pocket book of pablo picasso's. there is a woman goes to my church and she wears a sleeveless carpenter feminist union vest over her churchclothes. she has good posture when she prays some old folks sit while kneeling; -not the feminist carpenter union woman; -proper posture. did you walk the frozen sixty miles between russia and alaska; -there is an history of athabaskanism and pockets of athabaskan possible. and there were wooly mammoths.

forty six] to all end at zero

to all to be of no burden

forty seven] what is curriculum john dewey asks  
curriculum is a lesson plan for a day a week a semester or a school year including introduction presentation assignment evaluation

the content of curriculum within the frame of 'lesson plan'

and a teacher were three years of teaching to consider 'herself' teacher

and the content

today, to you ten and eleven year old fifth graders, is ecology, a three week lesson, at the end of which you will submit the final paper and the results from your experiment

does anyone know what ecology is?

if the mice were not present what would the hawks and fox eat?

and the trees for habitat

and the sun will go out in one hundred million years mentions maurice sendak in his movie

ecology is balance of species within an ecosystem eg population density

eco logy is the study of

the objective

forty eight] the books I have on my shelf  
 several dictionaries  
 several bibles  
 several signed book copies  
 the story of struggle \_old man and the sea\_ story of man versus nature  
 bearing the cross sclc  
 travels with charley john steinbeck road trip and rocinante  
 walk whitman self publishes one eight five five  
 ralph waldo emerson's book  
 czeslaw milosz the literature laureate  
 where the wild things are ©1961 maurice sendak  
 stephen king trade paperback copy four novellas ~1984  
 jk rowling's hagrid was good  
 [...] [and the one about fishing]

a rock can serve as a bookend an hunk of steel a book on its side can serve as a bookend

to read disciplinary

forty nine] it is quiet but  
 the sound of a dump truck

quiet again but  
 the sound of a chirpy bird

quiet  
 and there are cicadas

like the night with different creatures

it is day

fifty] rapt  
 and to have understood  
 rapture the nature of rapture  
 rapt  
 to notice rapture said rapture



and were it I [to be contained]  
 rapt  
 the passion passions

fifty one] and fiction cannot  
 exist without  
 truth

fifty two] the sit around poetry critique group was really good  
 someone had a good poem  
 I went to mcdonald's after

fifty three] on the varieties of negation  
 there is the commonly understood single syllabic 'no'  
 there is the somewhat commonly understood double syllabic [huh uh]

on the varieties of affirmation  
 single syllable [yes]  
 double syllable [uh huh]

and when the singer including  
 the mayor said  
 mitochondrial voodoo is and is not a good part of this city and I agree

the tractor sped by at sixteen miles per hour in the school zone fifteen

podunk is a word  
 means dairy queen in french

there is a big lake by the way dear diary from which  
 a submarine is pay per entry  
 the town next store is where I will be staying with  
 a tugboat of their own is pay per entry

up and down the northern coast of lake michigan  
 ice forms and blows onto shore stacks fifteen feet tall  
 natural phenomena  
 acts of god are impressive  
 a wall of a cliff falling from the cliff  
 an avalanche

the spectacle of airblown ice to shore is evidence and completion of an act of god

lava

snowstorm

there is snow

and a mountains are up and down

the ships come from sturgeon bay shipping manufacturers boilermakers make their way to the atlantic ocean

fifty four] athenians may consider themselves the scholars

and there are those that held things

called civilization

fifty five] the sexy woman

the windy mediteranean

surfspray

nor inclined to want for the windowed living room to admire the storm the surf

I once owned a nice sailing raincoat colored blue white red

the mormon latter day saints' church has recently constructed / reconstructed a building six miles from the vatican in rome

italy is a different geopolitic than greece [and]

there are old cultures on the meditaranean sea

fifty six] the numerologist's daughter

fifty seven] the parody of national lampoons'

one hundred fifty years' past begun

fifty eight] I have never flown a plane

an aeronautical plane nor

helicopter

thirty eight thousand feet cruising altitude eight hours to paris

the thing about sea level

the mass at the center of earth makes sense regarding gravity

the water flies away were there no gravity

and the clouds commonly twenty thousand is  
 a good view the scenery like  
 a tall building mapping the cartography

I have never flown a plane [and]  
 a rockclimber free climbing without ropes anything over one hundred fifty feet above the ground of the climbing wall falling

the depth of water is arbitrary over the depth of ten times the heighth of the swimmer swimming in a lake and or ocean

fifty nine] athenians may consider themselves the scholars

sixty] saint thomas aquinas op is a scholar

sixty one] saint anselm osb [?] is a scholar  
 whether an ontological argument

sixty two] the numbering of perfection may be  
 superstition may be  
 aesthetic is  
 axiologic  
 requires an object and  
 another an other

sixty three] and the numbering of data

sixty four] the colloquialism of rock climbers  
 'falling'

the rock from the ledge  
 knocked

sixty five] it is a dark and gray day  
 there is rain

and cars in the rain sounding

sidewalks  
 gutters

gravity

sixty six] tomorrow I will report on history  
 tomorrow I will purchase history  
 tomorrow I will publish history

tomorrow I will ponder the oldest [thing]  
 tomorrow the perishables will be perennials  
 and I am out of coffee  
 and butter

as for yesterday yesterday was bountiful yesterday was abundant  
 I purchased history  
 I published history

there could be ritual established publishing  
 I lived near a newspaper printing press and walked by a large plate glass wall to the building's exterior to view the late night  
 newspaper printing  
 some professions gain public trust

sixty seven] and a several left and  
 empty nest

sixty eight] pinsky's figured wheel  
 title

is ritual I do not know

sixty nine] fish is boiled

and I had a pastie  
 a magnet on my fridgerator for a snippet

and it was an old hotel on the lake

seventy] were one year prior were preconception  
 and what a mother introduces to her in utero child

and the child is born

walks age one  
 kindergarten age five  
 adult age eighteen

seventy one] the picture on the wall  
 the corner  
 were a seaside faire carnival sounds  
 boardwalk  
 a waves  
 and twilight grows dark the evening  
 the picture on the wall is still

seventy two] relief of burden the let down pail

seventy three] how blind that cannot see serenity: henry david thoreau

seventy four] about a person when they die

seventy five] they wear feathers in their hair

seventy six] the chipmunk lived in the ground  
 and the hibernting bear

seventy seven] where else you got a freckle minnie driver

seventy eight] solitary lighthouse keeping  
 there were one hundred something lumens  
 and the ridge  
 partly invisible

seventy nine] at lake michigan's edge  
 there were bathers  
 a motorboat at the horizon were seventy miles to the sunset side  
 there were a crane on a platform boat  
 lighthouse  
 a flock of canadian geese in the water it is september were november southbound in a v  
 leaves will be on the trees another month  
 and ice  
 and a wind blows ice to shore stacks upon shore like wilderness  
 whisp a cloud  
 a distant water is dark and were a distant water curvature like the earth for a distant visible horizon

again a waves and again were  
 hypnotizing the

mesmerized meditations and meditation is silent  
 meditation is without sound  
 a senses open and cast to gone and  
 there were no sound again nor afternoon light nor the feel of wind meditations  
 and absent for being

prayer is different  
 prayer is mnemonic  
 prayer is predetermined posture

eighty] on the admiration of nature as nature appears civil  
 there is an hotel  
 and a flagpole

there is a tourist wearing a tshirt as he swims as not to get sunburned

the road by the water allows people to get closer views of the water

the landscaping on the waterside establishments is cut weekly

what cannot change to look upon a large body of water

the shape of the water cannot change

water assumes the shape of the container the water is in

eighty one] the wet towels lay  
 on the cement with  
 the bathing suits

eighty two] I have always assumed ducks float  
 twenty seven canadian geese are floating in lake michigan

they were and now they lift from the water and  
 fly

eighty three] a continuity  
 a list of scars

ankle scar thumb scar  
 a mole

I had freckles as a child most grow out of their childhood freckles moles are forever

eighty four] I have not seen the news in days

there were a forest fire

eighty five] wiffle ball bat with a pine cone

louisville slugger wood bat with a pine cone

pine cones are flammable

pine cones can be stacked in a pretty bowl and put on the mantle

pine cones can be filled with peanut butter and hung from a tree with twine for aviaries

one more on pine cones and then I will write a one page article with at least three citations

pine cones may or may not be used by eight year olds in their eight year old art projects

eighty five] working title: on the changing of light

audience: critical commentary periodical audience

from what I understand russian literature written in the nineteen twenties including bulgakov bakhtin khaarms during stalin's governance were published in the nineteen sixties in the united states avenue of the americas if I am not mistaken

absurdism

the idea of absurd

presented in literature is a rabbit suit surrounding a businessman carrying a briefcase at a bus stop at three am

to answer the unanswerable

one] ask a question of the absurd in similar material art form

two] be more absurd in similar material art form

three] go about one's day as were there nothing attentionable such as a businessman in a bunny suit carrying a briefcase at three am

the suppression of literature is the closure of printing presses is the closing of bookstores

living room 'circles' cannot be ended

on the changing of light

is metaphoric were one pondering nonlight

were a teleologies of social change assumed were a particular quantitation established of living room gatherings afterwhich a

'nonlighted' metaphoric light a measurable social change a stalin conference table gathering may or may not discuss a governmental 'noncontrol' of telos related to living room gatherings

the changing of light from the perspective of writers

the changing of light from the perspective of stalin's conference table gatherers

the dynamics of any government include a measure of free will

how free will is measured

one] the happiness of the geopolitical land's citizens

two] the operative quantity of spendable currency in one's liquidity and the availability of goods which to purchase with national currency

three] personal biological legacy and personal nonbiological legacy

four] the free will of physical movement

metaphoric light may be considered in relation to social change

light [from sunshine] is ambient is twilight is crepuscular one half hour before sunrise

light [from sunshine] passes through stained glass to the interior of a church

translucent

light [from sunshine] the morning window

transparent

light [the artificial incandescent bulb] the office door the frosted glass upon and the unlit hallway

opaque

light [from sunshine] passes through a glass magnifying lens to begin a fire

focus

light [from sunshine] the canopy of the trees and green

ambient indirect

and the clouds for difference

the shade of a tree

the gazebo the band the marine band

the gazebo the lesser salvation army band [afterwhich] with

the domestic violence shelter women at the brochure table with free decaffeinated coffee

[someone dressed like bakhtin] [



]

[two thousand twenty four]

eighty six] animula is a definition

anima is a definition

animated is a verb

animal is organic born grows dies temporally with respect to environment

a characterized animal spirit[s] the totem pole the doll the part the feather the taxidermied specimen the wax museum the halloween costume the zoo animal the dinosaur book the ant farm the beehive the deep sleep the hibernation the scavenger the predator the lover of berries the planter of wildflowers the eater of native yard rabbits the let-er of spiders in ones living room the friday pescatarian the natural pigment painter

eighty seven] solitary lighthouse keeping

there were hours

there is a foghorn

there is fog

eighty eight] solitary lighthouse keeping

aneath

the water

the rowboat on the shore

there is fog

eighty nine] solitary lighthouse keeping

seals on the pier

sound of the shuttleboat puttering

smell of the outboard engine puttering

it cools in the afternoon

ninety] solitary lighthouse keeping

the bulb changed

the lens cleaned

ninety one] and it were clear and at night it were clear  
 itwere the stars for night twas it were stars twere clear and  
 twas it were clear twere stars  
 [thus]

ninety two] the writing of one's own dictionary and  
 with regard to audience because  
 language is social

ninety three] jesus wrote the bible

and with no author said  
 someone once mentioned and I agree

except for the alliteration part

ninety four] there is a webster dictionary an authoritative word peoples in new england area one was a united states  
 representative in the early eighteen hundreds the dictionary family the audience of the websters' dictionaries is common one  
 webster dictionary exists in every household in america

ninety five] anyone can be an high school distance runner  
 anyone can be an high school shotputter  
 anyone can march in a municipal parade if they sign the list the day before

ninety six] the matter of quantity versus quality  
 one hundred is greater than ten  
 ten pages literarily filled with writing content in two hours

the poem she  
 held to her chest

[and upside down upon the others]

ninety seven] the evening news  
 the central intelligence agency controls the federal bureau of investigation  
 was a president in world war two parachuter afore central intelligence director and his son bought the texas rangers or was in  
 some manner an owner of the texas rangers  
 so presidents overrule directors

ninety eight] a common language  
 and there were two subjects  
 and there were two people across a table

ninety nine] the clear cut

one hundred] the united states marines uniforms at the tijuana thriftstore

the athenians may consider themselves the scholars  
 the else the spartans

they wear feathers in their hair

they wear feathers in their hair  
 [they]  
 and the color of a dandelion on their chin

a rosepetals  
 and in winter the deciduous rose  
 when the frosted ground  
 the wind

there is no color in winter  
 and the clouds  
 there is no color in winter

the hollow  
 a question of hollow to notice hollow

and the vehicles  
 a sputtering of smoke gasoline  
 once seventy five cents  
 american

—

thaw

the carousel

the seasons  
 were not ralph waldo emerson's

ralph waldo emerson's were  
 civilization  
 and again civilization

(circles)

and when the seasonal river fills again

until

who was sisyphus

I have a first edition copyright of his on my bookshelf of something else  
 written in nineteen forty two

ethology  
 bony trout  
 privation of public relations  
 rock on a string from the clouds  
 people think re [what dare we think]

the taming of the feminazi [with and without regards to cauliflower ears]

one hundred one] the omission of light causes shadows  
 and the origins of light  
 I do not know

andwere darkness all and how is it you know darkness

and the ternal when the light

first light and frosted ground first frost

one hundred two] flabbergastion is a dictionary therewere two departments

one hundred three] the lives of authors are poor brutish short and  
the vanity of the author

one hundred four] dioptrics I do not recall optrics what audience to supinity panoptic panoptric of the dioptric

one hundred five] ptolemy and zero θ [ονε ηθνδρεδ τηρητυ ψομμον ερα] [one hundred thirty common era]

one hundred six] the aftican art in the corner a wooden man missing an eye has staff taller than he wears something down to his  
knees could be a woman I suppose somewhat of an halter top seems to notice something the ten inch tall wood statuette

one hundred seven] pretender  
and it is not halloween to wear  
the plague doctor's mask like last year and  
there were a clown near a dog  
there were a pagan woman

I do not believe in ghosts one can be a pagan and not believe in ghosts

my favorite halloween candy is the caramel crackle

I once dressed as a pirate my second year in elementary school I had a balsa wood sword I carved

I had a monte christo at the pirates of the caribbean ride in disneyland

whether there is an audience for free association

what do the sith do for each other

one hundred eight] nor negate the learning baby age zero to two and the toddler two to five years of age called parenting school  
starts half day age five kindergarten

nor so inclined to reasonably ponder baby stories by new parents

and about cousins

one hundred nine] religious iconicism therewere an halo I know  
 the saint like  
 a docent knows a saint

the year of our lord two thousand twenty four common era [ce]  
 and were an after death [ad]  
 and the removal of moral ideas from after death to common era  
 were a person an hero  
 one needs to start counting the years sometime and die eventually  
 [that] another generation  
 an halo a saint  
 therewere two miracles and papal affirmation [thus] a saint  
 and the grain  
 and the oppressed  
 and the studious

and the mnemonic  
 doctor doctor  
 teacher ordinal teacher doctor teacher doctor of the church canon doctor andwere canonical the hermeneutic bible  
 and to ends what teleology  
 nor relativity nor yard  
 twere a western lands tamed in fences  
 westernism israel is western philosophy and  
 the international dateline is a matter of magnetic north  
 the tropics of cancer capricorn

and it is twelve hours of passion in the daytime  
 all year  
 long  
 at the equator where plantains are abundant import  
 mediterranean olive oil  
 fry  
 eat with sugar and cinnamon

nor light in winter the northern ice pole  
 and the stars aurora borealis northern lights  
 vivid  
 [lucid means to have discerned appreciatively]  
 lucid  
 and the aurora borealis sometime in july according to the gregorian calendar

I have not witnessed the aurora borealis and photographs only

when the wind the tiny flakes of snow as ice  
in november  
and there is no green for the season

plague doctors remove the dead from homes  
brought to the city street for proper removal

when the wind the tiny flakes of snow as ice  
nor longer halloween  
and november I and  
wool

one hundred ten] mead is fermented honey  
there were a jester near

mead is fermented honey  
long grass [now] it were clover  
small white flowers

mead is clover honey fermented clover honey honey wine

consumed out of pottery

mead is fermented honey

one hundred eleven] sisyphus was sent to hell punitively or sisyphus was sent to hell as a matter of recognizing the human condition

one hundred twelve] [let] to eat cake  
so it were my own  
recipe  
[only permission] I own the ingredients upon  
my shelf  
will [you] be joining me [in person]

one hundred thirteen] the office gift the cubicle gift  
ogden nash is good  
I call ogden nash the cubicle poet

one hundred fourteen] the bridge spans the water  
 the watercrosser holds the cable above the steel dangling cart pulls the dangling from the cable cart  
 safely crosses  
 spans  
 and a rope crossing

the bridge spans the water  
 there is a tree a fallen tree spans the water

one hundred fifteen] I never mentioned the adventure I had  
 whatwith the woods and the wolfcalls and the owlcalls  
 itwas midnight  
 owlcalls

one hundred sixteen] the noonbugs  
 crescendo

one hundred seventeen] how to fly without wind  
 and there is already a bird on the wind

one hundred eighteen] there are ways to fly are there not ways to fly to fly underwater  
 and there is no resistance in space

one hundred nineteen] lemonade and grain alcohol very refreshing on ice in one of the thin long tall long island ice tea glasses

one hundred twenty] starved of information [thus] the cartoonist and  
 invention

nor difficult to be a superhero  
 nor difficult to become a superhero

there are mortal superheroes  
 there are immortal superheroes

how does one become a superhero  
 [pick a cause] [your cause can even be a bad cause]  
 [do as expected in relation to your cause]  
 [wear a costume with or without cape]

one hundred twenty one] mead  
 a bees from pollen



bees are social insects and  
 a fermented a honey  
 mead

one hundred twenty two] a tingling about [aye were whisper]  
 afternoon  
 sabbatical  
 nudge inherent to pass atween  
 a sleeped and sabbatical  
 slumber

one hundred twenty three] I was let to eat cake  
 set down  
 [that I]  
 and when it were to have been let  
 [that] [an] [others] would choose  
 [let] to eat cake

one hundred twenty four] let to eat cake  
 she wore white and I believed her  
 and the jello table was full with jello  
 there was an igloo thermos with red punch and another with  
 decaf coffee  
 'hun'  
 let to eat cake  
 and there's more too let to eat more cake let to eat cake  
 let her to eat cake  
 and him let him to eat cake  
 and her and her dog let to eat cake  
 and the woman near the older woman let them eat cake  
 let her and her mother to eat cake

one hundred twenty five] let to eat cake  
 [it]  
 was sitting on the counter without supervision so I ate  
 [it]  
 [the chocolate cake]  
 [no one was around] [so I ate] [it]

cake will not be eating me it will be I eating the cake

of the varieties of cakes I have eaten

- 1) sweet cakes
  - a. birthday cakes
  - b. pancakes
- 2) seafood cakes
  - a. crabcakes
- 3) fritters
  - a. corn

one hundred twenty six] on dating

the united states postal service once carried

a snipped panty part

from afar

she was young and so was I

eventual there was a fair maden across town

she had her nineteen eighty's senior class portrait in a studio with backlight ambience behind

I had my nineteen eighty's senior class portrait taken in an aspen stand

so the fair maden across town

one does not see someone so frequently as were they nearby

we went to prom and graduated and moved physically separate ways

[the afar relationship]

one hundred twenty seven] to count a days

that every hero have a life to absorb

were the footstep exact

how to retain objective experience of the footstep

one hundred twenty eight] cloudcover eighteen thousand feet and the airplane

regional travel

and the united states airforce planes are no bother

the atmosphere is one hundred twenty miles above sea level inwhich

gravity is no longer operative

the orbit of the moon is two hundred fifty thousand miles from earth

I have not flown in an helicopter nor

balloon

the clouds on the ground when there is no fog

and only the clouds at seventy thousand feet above sea level whisp

and only the heavy encumbrance of water to cause rain dark underside

the fast [let]

a creeks

down confluence down

hill

rain

down

one hundred twenty nine] the peoples migrate leave

fences

and the dusty old airplane

with the hangar

with the six foot tall wooden indian

and the air

constance from

the sunset

there was a tumbleweed

the paved road came from the north leads

north

the peoples migrate

knowing their children

the peoples migrate

light a fire

the drum was here before I

was zuni said professor doctor a keith carreiro

someone built a telescope into

the volcanic cinder cone

straight up line no optics a tunnel ten feet diameter [?] diameter an observatory particular  
times of the night the earth is naturally situated [roden] [roden crater] [without telescope] [observatory]

an act of god is  
creation

and the avalanche the tornado the tsunami the flood  
o safe appreciative distance

ex nihilo  
in regards to god acting regarding the denotion immaculacy immaculate conception

and what is relieved  
were teleology suspended

and what is relieved

and the garden still it is not october

and there is an election in november

one hundred thirty] disembodied poetics  
disembodied pome

o how and  
will I miss you tomorrow when  
the sun is planned

and the smaller days unto december twenty

I will be fifty five in february

I like four bean salad and cookie shards leftover at the cookie store at the mall at mall's closing time [they just get thrown away]  
and

she has a friend last time I visited the cookie counter  
the friend was quiet she looked up a couple times the last time I visited the cookie counter at the mall

chocolate chocolate chip with seasalt is my favorite and

about disembodied poetics; -a cookie sure sounds good

I have [gotten] [received] cookies at no expense my entire lifetime

one hundred thirty one] whether the ends of poetics are politics  
[no]

one hundred thirty two] [ens] being [unum] unity  
the consciousness of one individual  
the keynote mentions nor  
the keynote rambled from the podium she  
stood to her left of the podium ninety minutes to present  
some at the eight seat round tables with white tablecloths wore collar shirts  
there were watermaids serving water throughout the keynote  
one had a waterpot on her head  
someone wore an hat to the keynote and took it off when entering the building  
[ens] being nor on being ie ontological

one hundred thirty three] the numbering of pages  
the table of contents [for] and  
the index

and were the lower script roman the prologue introduction before the book begins

and the pages numbered like a calculator [thereafter]

the numbering of pages

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the nihil the pleasurist  
the hedon the pleasurist

—

semioptics

panoptics [panotics]

two hundred thirty four] nihil hedon was a learned man

nihil hedon once took people back and forth a river on a ferryboat

nihil hedon

[liked]

[enjoyed]

[appreciated]

two hundred thirty five] the motorcycle a dissuasion inthat

therewere a mountain and another a distance

a motorcycle is good inthat one can travel further distances

than bicycle

than foot

the distance between two mountains isthat eighty miles

the motorcycle a dirt motorcycle

runs out of gas at mile forty

one must leave their dirt motorcycle and walk forty miles

the bicycle one pedals eighty miles werethey

to stop for mechanical breakage at mile forty

one may carry their twenty five pound bicycle

one may leave their bicycle and walk forty miles

two hundred thirty six] the statuette the fetish

the windowsill

andthe stained glass upon the suction in the

morning east window

two hundred thirty seven] the orchid

temperamental

the temperamental orchid

the barometric basement therewere artificial

lights

the exotic

the venus fly trap the patient proud smelling carnivoric botany

the exotic

the duckbilled platypus lays eggs

the exotic

the cicada emerges from the ground after seventeen years

the exotic

the fish with the headlight baithead in the bottom of the marianis trench

the exotic

small entemological bees about tiny white flowers at eleven thousand feet above sea level nor further higher in elevation

the exotic

the chimera is myth is not the chimera myth

two hundred thirty eight] freehand

the brush

stroke

nor model decided

two hundred thirty nine] cursive the

learned penmanship calligraphed

there are twenty six letters in the alphabet

[font]

calligraphed

painted letters

inked letters

two hundred forty] freehand

free verse

the stanza [then]

andwerethere a difference atween arts and fine arts

two hundred forty one] freehand and

whether free will

whether free will is conditioned by sacrifice [kant]

free will the burden

free will the sacrifice

free will the study

free will is free sacrifice the study  
 were sacrifice the dollar lost to be okayed with the individual picking up the dollar by not mentioning were will  
 were sacrifice the volunteerism for cause were will  
 free will nor any [and]  
 free will the discipline free will the rain's endure  
 free will [to acknowledge]

free will as social license

they wear feathers in their hair  
 mead

two hundred forty two] the biosphere and  
 were its idea of formation whereby  
 two people to live in an airtight and watertight environment with entirely eco recyclable plants as food source and oxygen  
 source  
 were there an underwater peoples I am not aware

the idea of science  
 the replicability of

the variable

to prove bywhich  
 teleology

and science research the curious  
 were one's own discovery

there is a question

[ ]

two hundred forty three] cacaphony there were insects in the afternoon varied insects  
 its gets cool late in afternoon  
 sweatshirt  
 the insects quiet

like winter  
 the wind  
 cacaphony were



trees  
of whistling wind the persistent wind

the quiet of a train station and  
wooden benches  
the quietist I am aware of is two miles into the earth with flashlight  
the cacaphony of quiet

a waves are cacaphonous I enjoy the waves at  
midnight  
and star against  
the surface of the lake

the romantic poem of which [  
romance is a roomer I once wrote  
romance and the romantic the cacophonous were a nighted sound of nearby streetlights through the open window  
the ambient is romantic  
the ambient is mechanical  
the ambient is natural

two hundred forty four] the biosphere named for the biosphere and there is a cave nearby resembles a mining cave and  
chainlink fence covers the opening to sneak through covered by a shrub requires one to crawl around to enter the cave there is  
also a convenience store nearby the biosphere across the paved county road from the dirt road

two hundred forty five] social iniquities and the  
were cause for sight of [classes]  
andwere lyndon johnson the great societer said equity nor equality and  
I mostly agree

the socioeconomics of travel  
the canadian dollar one for one nor american express travelers checks in montreal

two hundred forty six] social preemptors  
social exectors of the social preemptors andwere  
there only two to say  
the antithetical may or may not be as inspiring and  
the forced spectation there is an apartment building overlooks baltimore oriole stadium with barbecue on gameday  
the social question  
the social contract is locke is rousseau  
emil is invented  
summerhill is an experiment

the social study and the study carrel and  
 a quiet stacks there are nine floors [here] there are electronic moveable nine shelf stacks row after row an entire row of shelf  
 stacks move silently in a compacted space limited nine story research library [here] the quiet of a library

the librarian is not quiet the librarian speaks at  
 [volume] among the quiet

the socioeconomics of fraud  
 embezzling and twenty percent skim  
 the stamp machine for personal use

the socioeconomics of college admissions

the socioeconomics of taxation

the social password

the social penny

the social picnic the social witch the social butterfly the social postneoprogessivist the social writer the paperback writer the  
 paperback notetaker the dictionary on the lectern the library closes at nine the single bell at eight fifty fifty to close and lock the  
 library the theater the lights flash five minutes before the production

the social nuance the nuance I notice the operative nuance the acquired operative nuance [it] [gets] [you] what [you] want

the social pester

the social seed

were there regional social seeds

the social fence

the social frolic

the annual picnic

the annual secret santa

the annual macy's thanksgiving parade with inflated animus' with strings for hikers on the busy street

the annual tulip  
 from the snow is  
 march  
 [time]

the annual [the sighting of the oriole] the association gathers to elect a new lawnmower  
 kneehigh by the fourth of july is what I was always told  
 this year a little free library inwhich  
 twenty books of some notable value  
 [orioles like grape cane sugar jelly] [orioles like oranges]

the annual girl scout cookie

two hundred forty six] the listless the listed boat  
 there were many  
 leaning  
 the side of the boat  
 a large fish for tourists  
 near the surface  
 the boat  
 flopped upon  
 itself and  
 the tourists

the listless could be undimensioned and the listless could be in a rotating cubicle as not to list

the listless is a charm  
 the listless is the color pink

two hundred forty seven] the color so toxic as to add a letter to its  
 the toxic color is amber light amber  
 I may say the color of the liquid is ambera I could say the color of the liquid is ambere

two hundred forty eight] ritual fasting for health ritual fasting for social

two hundred forty nine] solitary lighthouse keeping  
 the round room  
 the sound of the surf  
 the stockrooms  
 with lightbulbs

two hundred fifty] the ejection o forbiddance shall I  
 look around the corner  
 the brewed profit  
 the wait  
 in the library are ways like quiet the  
 passage of time  
 and therewere made an effort upon a secrecies inwhich  
 history is associated with philosophy  
 the value of one [thing] over another [thing]  
 a path and  
 were my attention unto the unusual today and  
 what is hidden I ask

two hundred fifty one] the peacock feather  
 tailfeather were one  
 bouquet  
 one feather were  
 forty upon the peacock's tail to fright a predator  
 the peahen is  
 defended

in the vase the bouquet the one  
 peacock tailfeather were bouquet to designate bouquet  
 and the feather gathers dust nor  
 flower  
 the vase

the ornament the centerpiece the dining table  
 next to the napkins and  
 the kitchen is quiet everyone is at little league practice  
 and the napkins  
 not a sound in the house and  
 the light shines through the window  
 on the napkins

nor a crumb on the table

a napkins on the table

the ornament the centerpiece

something geologic  
 striated black igneous something or another is my estimation  
 place for a candle

two hundred fifty two] the strewn floor  
 were movies to play on my television

two hundred fifty three] the imagined sleep next to the lake  
 were the wind

liminal  
 the summer season is near over I brought a bottle of water  
 the boathouse sold canned beverages and  
 I only plan pasta for dinner

two hundred fifty four] the audience  
 for the band

two hundred fifty five] the illustrations for the book  
 watercolor and ink

two hundred fifty six] upon the last number [then]  
 [andwere] [and]  
 [again]  
 my favorite number is five  
 and eight  
 seven is good  
 zero is not a number

having memorized the abacus and check my answers with texas instruments  
 it takes two hours to count to one thousand

bookbinders earn six dollars twenty five cents per hour whether they are in the bookbinders' union or not

two hundred fifty seven] the ascent  
 were the peak  
 the summit  
 seen from the valley cabin

two hundred fifty eight] the pendulum clock  
 the literature  
 and a bug outside in the night open door september balm

were tock  
the clock

two hundred fifty nine] the competition construct a totem pole  
ten heads of a totem pole eagle fox fish turtle shorebird snake hawk sasquatch duck deer

two hundred sixty] how fast is the arrow  
the arrow is as fast as anything the arrow is as fast as lightning

two hundred sixty one] \_the paragraph\_  
is the stanza in the poem \_the sentence is the stanza in the poem

and the haiku is  
nature

and free verse is invented by walt whitman

there were a cantos

and the sonnet the rhyme scheme iambs ten syllables elizabeth petrarch fourteen lines blank verse

blank verse is ten syllables fourteen lines

and the united states department of the interior united states bureau of indian affairs asked a question whether teaching creative writing would lead to the same high school student's proficiency in prose I do not know the answer or how a determination of a potential curriculum of poetry leading to proficiency in prose may be objective and whether teleologically sound as a question (~1973)

the diagram of the sentence

and the prepositional cloud [upon]

the best book [ever] by nobel laureate in literature is \_old man and the sea\_ ernest hemingway

I own a dictionary inwhich  
a word I am seeking [because]  
I am not aware [you] had a [thing] to say

and the news anchor once ice skated while anchoring

the john deere zamboni and the eric heiden rink

ice is thick enough for ice fishermen at point nine seven inch thick  
 a zamboni weighs five hundred pounds  
 there is a cold spell uh cummin next week roscoe or is you goin' by clement now  
 then you won't crash through know what I mean  
 eric heiden won five gold medals in the olympics on this rink  
 I particularly enjoyed watching anton ohno short track never seen a roller derby  
 in the summer there are basketball courts and lily pad pond with dragonflies  
 dryland training for speed skaters may or may not include weightlifting squats four hundred meter training

how fast compared to the runner  
 the horse  
 the fast vehicle  
 the grayhound

two hundred sixty three] indecision and the intersection  
 therewere a one way from the left

indecision and the intersection and objectivity  
 northward  
 go northward there is a lake

indecision and the intersection and subjectivity  
 I am a destination driver

indecision and the intersection  
 it is late nor  
 forward left light  
 the oncoming drivers  
 approach

indecision and intersection  
 the burial mound and the to be dead

indecision and intersection  
 the end of the story denouement and the resolution of all of conflict

indecision and intersection  
 the dusted place and a trading post something cold inside

indecision and intersection  
 the conceptual intersection and the physical intersection

indecision and intersection the english teacher

[what is read] [what is purchased from the bookstore] [is what is published]

indecision and intersection therewere a yield andwere an early turn for the road reconstructors

indecision and intersection the paragraph is the bulding block of the book

indecision and intersection is natural consequence

two hundred sixty four] having never been in the great state of mississippi I imagine

alligators

blues

airboats

southern charm

waffle house

gulf air

the river borders the western edge of mississippi

were it eight weeks to float from bemidji to the gulf of mexico

I imagine brass

band

two hundred sixty five] autumn is when the hours when the sundown

a nearness of winter for experience

andwere first frost

twilight

a.m.

change a

rotating season I have known

the dormancy of life were deciduous

the hibernated

the perennial

a leaves do fall and

snow

were melt afore a green again

summer



two hundred sixty six] they wear feathers in their hair  
 inna braid  
 I see

and a bicycle rim can be made into a drum  
 there is a rhythm bywhich

there is a pattern and  
 I eat fish on fridays

and the feathers are turkey feathers I was told as  
 I purchased one for thirty five cents and five point five percent municipal sales tax total cost thirty seven cents united states  
 currency

[really] it is a prayer feather  
 [for a vase] [really] [it is a quill]

two hundred sixty seven] the school desk is righthanded  
 a lecture desk moveable in the classroom  
 notes  
 the righthanded notetaker listening to  
 the person at the table at the front of the room  
 lectern atop

I have been to several lectures  
 academically and literarily  
 the largest four hundred fifty students in auditorium seating  
 [abnormal psychology] the three hundred level class  
 a church basement lecture regarding aristotle inwhich  
 there were pastries and orange juice and coffee  
 parapateticism ens unum  
 folding chairs  
 a literary reading is not so much a lecture as  
 a presentation of completed literary work  
 a lecture on scandinavian democracy inwhich  
 sixty percent tax rate is mentioned

there are not so many places such as a classroom desk to write in  
 celebrated onetime visiting lectures  
 the classroom and  
 so many lefthanded desks per quota

the righthanded desks for listening pondering returning again on wednesday  
seventeen weeks in a row

arrive fifteen minutes before class  
an empty space before other students arrive  
a room of desks  
a table  
the lectern on the floor  
the lights still dark

the notes upon the righthanded desk  
what the lecturer mentions  
reference a readings for the day [other authors]

and there are windows in the classroom  
and when the wind  
the single panes rattle

two hundred sixty eight] longhand  
the calligraph  
the darkest ink possible is india ink or waterman intense black ink  
and the fountain pen near to the calligraphy instrument inthat  
the same writing instrument holds a varied nib and the same ink is used

cursive is a nine year old's assignment  
the mastery of cursive is the calligraphs

there were a bible at the chazen museum calligraphed in english  
a temporary exhibit of three months  
as dazzling the calligraphy as noticeable the language the bible was calligraphed in  
all bibles were copied handwriting to handwriting before  
the invention of the guttenberg printing press inwhich  
bibles were printed and exposure to biblical ideas were presented more rapidly than previous when  
bibles were handcopied

the handwriting of the alexandrian  
the papyrus scroll  
what is important for a library  
alexandria is in egypt  
the library of congress is in washington dc across the street from the national capitol  
the united states poet laureate office is located in the library of congress

presently ada limon

calligraphy is a rather simple procedure

a nib on the end of a writing instrument is kept in a fixed position as  
the calligrapher moves the writing instrument without moving the nib direction  
requires a steady hand

squid ink is from cuttlefish

watercolor paper absorbs a liquid ink and is good for calligraphing

two hundred sixty nine] is near when

a coolness arrives

and slowness to attend to what precedes a first snow

winter will last five months

halloween thanksgiving christmas new year's my birthday april fool's day and the snow melts [then] one month after which a  
new bud and grow leaves on walnut trees maple elm oak

the tree tire swing

covers with snow until it can hold no more

two hundred seventy] in defence of poetry

[per title]

poetics is the social aspect of

and were told one regard there is and is no place for objectivity in poetry

the glamour of neon like miami at eight am when a stores begin at nine am is  
sight

the buzzing neon is interior to a windows cannot be heard

the neon

'electronics'

a radio for sale in the sidewalk window and

nineteen eighties 'electronics' is with at least one adjective

the quiet sign

inside the window and

the next storefront

'cubans' the restaurant I had one on the gulf side and know their importance and

pork and pickle 'cubans' need not be indicated

as every 'cuban' has a pork and pickle with at least one adjective

eight am is early for retailers and restaurateurs

could be mentioned objectivity is a beginning of subjectivity and which is  
a poetic importance is certainly a question

a bank may be more objective than what is subjective and  
the skilled hand of an alphabetic calligrapher knows  
the importance of penmanship [that]  
an intentions are presented as intended whether  
an intentions are importance or no and most frequently  
an objective is related to an ends  
a subjective is a position  
a quantitative may or may not be objective and be rather boring to a literary audience  
a qualitative numbering of pages is standard in publishing

the social audience of a poem in regards to the written poet is [those] who read the poem  
the social audience of spoken word in regards to [ ] is [those] who listen to the poet as a member of a physical audience

the audience of a particular poem may be different  
a poem may be written for one person by an author  
a poem may be written for a social cause by an author

in defence of poetry  
poetry is inherent  
poetry is signatorial

in defence of poetry  
there is an argument when there is no argument

on the creativity of ten people with the same first name

on the convincement of the existence of waterdogs  
on the convincement of horny toads and  
how a waterdog becomes a salamander just like  
a frog becomes among  
a crickets

a thing about amphibians nor the same as  
the thing about  
ornithological species

the mammal  
 the lizard the reptile the exothermic  
 the entomological species nor

[other things]

on the creativity of being named for an aspect of one's environment  
 [etymology]  
 [placename]

the pushcart award has no monetary award if I am not mistaken the poet may receive a free one year subscription to a newsstand magazine of their choice

the pulitzer prize winner may be awarded ten thousand united states dollars for their good book

the nobel prize in literature awardee may be presented one million swedish currency units

inspiration may or may not be profitable  
 may or may not be a question of the empath

I have never been awarded the pushcart prize

among the annual subscription newsstand magazines positively impressionable  
 the new republic  
 poets and writers classified section  
 boys life

I would choose \_the new republic\_ were I to win a pushcart prize  
 nineteen ninety five is when I first started watching nbc today show with katie couric  
 the same year I began reading \_the new republic\_  
 the same year I picked a brand of additive free tobacco from the corner of the magazine newsstand shop

\_the new republic\_ is critical commentary and very few advertisements andwith two poems every issue with open submissions

critical commentary is not poetry were critical commentary in prose form  
 [thus] [form] and  
 [content] were or were not my interest

two hundred seventy one] a teacher believes

were ontogeny recapitulates phylogeny

were ontogeny does not recapitulate phylogeny

an herbert spencer sensitivity

and were haeckel mentions nor hegel

the lens of a teacher the perspective of a teacher

a choice within curriculum is inherent to a teacher's design of curriculum

were a ponderance upon a teacher's formation

ontogeny is the genesis of the individual

generative learning of a students is the ends

the teacher

the experienced teacher

to say the individual recapitulates from the genesis of the species

[tabula rasa is a thought epistemological]

may or may not be important to a design of curriculum by a teacher

and the species

an ontogenic experience in consideration of environment and physicality

a limits to physicality in that a methodology of curriculum is significant to foundations eg previous lessons in that

a capacity exists including natural ability as well

a foundational curriculum is historically relevant contextually relevant philosophically relevant

two hundred seventy two] patrilineage is a tree of squares [matched with circles]

ink on paper and

seven generations is history and

lines vertical lines generation to generation

one square to an other

two hundred seventy three] ritual fasting abstention

and a time period designated before fasting

an individual named mohamed mentions pregnant women and young children are exempt from fasting

two hundred seventy four] on a bicycle campout in which

the showers appear nice

a county park

water spigot source near rv's and tents and there were

an one mile walk to a neighboring community for diner breakfast on day two

a mowed grass nor pastoral as natural the marshland near

an apple tree near the bicycle path leaves end of season apples on the ground

slippery like wet leaves to the bicyclist and  
 some leaves are changing  
 already it is october and I have not seen my breath yet  
 a registration for the wrong county campground  
 and to pedal home past the teahouse [plan another registration]  
 iced tea  
 and noon home for the campsalmon and can of beans were  
 fish friday is  
 the abstention of meat and fish is fish I was once told when I asked 'is fish not meat' as her passenger in her mercury four door  
 vehicle  
 a bicycle tour requires panniers for clothing food sleeping bag

two hundred seventy five] on strawberries  
 inna garden well  
 shade  
 onna ground green and short and  
 the little berries  
 a seeds about  
 sweet and tomorrow  
 through the season

two hundred seventy six] the rain comes so  
 and it were clear and balmed a moment  
 rain  
 lightning  
 nor spans a sky in sheet though behind a clouds  
 lighted  
 a second

two hundred seventy seven] the rain continues  
 the rain continues

and the sky for color

the meditations of rainfall  
 it is a ten hour rain

two hundred seventy eight] the rain  
 the smell of rain and  
 there is no wind

and it is not still

there is no wind  
a back door ajar

two hundred seventy nine] the creek in the rain  
fills  
the summit of the small hill

in the spring a snowmelt creek and for a presence  
rain runoff  
down  
a naturally eroded ditch  
stream capture unto  
lake michigan three hundred miles were I to guess a map

stream capture  
confluence

two hundred seventy nine] rain is a metaphor and  
whose rain today were the rain  
rain is cleansing

two hundred eighty] rain is a metaphor  
the stars astronomy are metaphor and  
the clouds

two hundred eighty one] the plane  
in the storm

two hundred eighty two] and the storm from atop the cloud  
is clear  
the sky

two hundred eighty three] the smoke into the air  
the campfire  
heat rises and the smoke  
dissipation  
and the mythology of smoke forwhich

and the smoke of tobacco



and the smoke of forest fire  
 and the smoke of internal combustion engines  
 and trains are diesel  
 and the paper match is difficult to locate at restaurants near the mints  
 and the strike anywhere match will smoke upon its extinguish

and the iron and the ironing board and the water bottle  
 an evaporative water to smoothe lines  
 an evaporative water like after  
 a rain  
 a parking lot is dry

and an evaporative water to a smoke high in the air  
 gathers the cloud until

rain

come down for being heavy upon a smoke

the air is clean after a rain

two hundred eighty four] a philosophy of metaphor inwhich  
 a body is metaphor for the governing entity  
 in regards to one's human body

the next world  
 the idea of heaven  
 rebirth reincarnation  
 assume a soul

do I or do I not assume were a soul to be reborn the soul would be the same soul

andwere speculation

a philosophy of metaphor inwhich

and were voodoo and or dashboard variety of delusion to say  
 a twist of one's own finger moves a crane in the sky  
 a removal of one's own natural eye will cause the sun to go out

two hundred eighty five] old friend

it is thirty years the last

old friend  
and it is fifteen minutes

old friend  
have you ever heard of taco time and  
the dairy queen banana split used to cost three dollars and twenty five cents after little league games and  
dairy queen had a buglight at midnight

two hundred eighty six] traveling report [colon]  
boston is east of cleveland  
in cleveland  
snow about the grassed park near martin luther king drive there was a fish kill millions of fish washed up on shore there was an  
aparrent local said 'do not go over there' [holding his nose] as I was walking over the burm to the shore they were everywhere  
the dead fish were everywhere lining the water shoreline  
there is a rally cheeseburger with [really] good fries  
and windshield wiper fluid for my vehicle due to the slush on the road I have leftover presently

I ran out of gas in cleveland walked for more with a gascan in my trunk

found a ~ nineteen fifty three copies of samuel clemens mark twain adventures of tom sawyer and huckleberry finn books  
shortly after the huckleberry finn book was republished without the 'nigger' word (~2009) in neighboring mentor community  
where there is also a starbucks

two hundred eighty seven] the vegetable stand  
permits  
the westbound lane  
one at a time  
there is no vegetable stand on the eastbound side

and the drop into  
cleveland or was it  
tollbooth

and I have my passport

two hundred eighty eight] the cattle guard  
were dirt road ends to meet  
the highway the fence of barbed wire along the paved country road  
where the dirt road perpendicular to the pavement at the pavement

an heavy manhole cover strength steel covers the width of the dirt road and is six feet long  
 slat of open width in the steel of openings of four inches parallel to the paved road  
 perpendicular to the dirt road at the intersection  
 the idea a bovine will get their leg caught in the cattle guard and  
 the cattleguard shape isthat a bicycle can travel forward direction without getting caught in the cattleguard  
 the barbed fenceline connects to each side of the ground cattleguard which serves as a fence as well

the bovine is  
 and the elk

and there is a bulldozer dug an hole  
 filled with rainwater over two years  
 for the elk

and another tank has  
 lily pads

two hundred eighty nine] succeeded ford after nixon resigned  
 is carter the one term president preceded reagan  
 which ended the modern american presidents as of nineteen ninety six neustadt  
 were franklin delano roosevelt to quadruple federal expenses was the first modern american president as of nineteen ninety six  
 neustadt  
 andthe theodore roosevelt the cousin to franklin delano roosevelt invented the national parks and the bull moose party his  
 second term  
 isthe woodrow wilson the academic president with Doctor of Philosophy  
 andthe winner of world war two dwight eisenhower  
 andwas nixon ran for president against dwight eisenhower afore the nineteen sixty eight ticket with barry goldwater  
 andis jimmy carter volunteers for habitat for humanity at the age of ninety five  
 andthe pen in bob dole's hand is the same world war two as george herbert walker bush  
 andwere daughter in law to have her own children's library  
 and barrack obama  
 and donald trump  
 and joseph Biden

are modern presidents

two hundred ninety] nor have I  
 ever written a disembodied poem without a writing instrument

nor have I been to denver  
 for to be in one place one must be outside the airport

nor copenhagen

drove straight through atlanta once  
driving straight through does not count for being in the city

slept in dallas  
I drove to the airport in roanoke so I was in roanoke

I most frequently write with a waterman writing instrument ballpoint pen color black ink fine point  
and faber kastell

disembodied poetics is related to aristotle's poetics I am mostly certain

itwas allen ginsberg and bob dylan at jack kerouac's grave in a black and white youtube video

two hundred ninety one] the underbrush barely passable  
near the lake  
the hole the swimming hole  
the overbrush the canopy were green  
an hollow wind  
from the lake

two hundred ninety two] the cacophonic  
the wind chime  
too loud  
were the softwind chimes the aluminum and  
the hardwind  
a tangled tines to undo  
near the garden and the bath for birds  
overgrown

there is a sundial made of cement  
brings attention with  
the seiko wristwatch upon my wrist  
[exact]  
[for its location the sundial]  
[exact as the seiko I am wearing]  
positioned

next to the bench  
and windchime the greater near my porch of wrought iron

one chime per storm  
 silent again

two hundred ninety three] the cacaphonic  
 the first ornithological first light sound  
 [another]  
 [and soon]  
 cacaphonic

and the owl last night  
 territory to another owl from afar [respond] [the same]

in an hour will be first light and  
 the nocturnal are completed

two hundred ninety four] on impressing a woman  
 were the woodchopping to impress me  
 the buttoned flannel removed aside the 'to cut' pile  
 sleeveless cotton  
 admiration is a warm fire for admiration  
 admiration is a warm fire for heat  
 when the floor is cold

snow in the air  
 collects at the sill  
 outside  
 a windows steam with  
 the steel waterpot  
 were december unto april  
 the path  
 to the woodpile the packed snowpath  
 an armful of wood is a ninety degree elbow

on impressing a woman  
 were 'her' to impress me  
 a 'bring your own bottle of wine' restaurant  
 she chose  
 for me to choose the bottle of wine  
 I am partial to cabernet sauvignon

on impressing a woman

[that I] [admire]  
 your blouse and

I am wearing white cotton boxer shorts

and I like your shoes  
 would you like to walk to the coffee shop in the rain on saturday

on impressing a woman  
 [appearance]

[kiss]

two hundred ninety five] nor to suppose questions as answers  
 socrates  
 for to answer a question ie rhetoric and  
 the lecture as  
 answer and presented as question throughout  
 andwere it common to regard enough questions as consistent in presentation  
 nor such lecture is open though  
 presented  
 and to regard

proto

proto

proto  
 history  
 the historian presents an history in a manner inthat  
 a future is recognized and  
 consistent with the historian's account

the utopia  
 the visionary  
 people stay close to their homes as they age  
 people stay close to their garden as they age  
 andthe life changed in an interest of zion were zion the equivalent of utopia  
 andsay a forests cleared left to regrow  
 andsay the conveniences of being are admired in retrospect  
 andsay renewable resources

andsay the clouds are still

the visionary

andwith authority

andwith resources

in an interest of community

in an interest of legacy

the memorial

the marble park bench with engraved names in the middle of the u s forest

the stone the headstone at the municipal park

and the fear of the nuclear power plant

the visionary

to borrow an idea

to spearhead one's own idea

the presentation by the visionary

the wholeness of being

upon self actualization

the comfortable home exceeds maslow's idea of shelter and

fresh water are basic

the sound of a bird at the garden

two hundred ninety six]

the votive candle holder nabbed from church and

I left forty dollars so

I am mostly without conscience

and it was a cold day out of the doors

the army navy bead store is not far away

burger king on the way

burger king flame broiling beats frying two to one

slush

the center and sides of the street and

across the saint croix

I once drove by a mature bald eagle eating a deer roadkill on the shoulder of the road

wings spread wings to traffic

this very same road

were springtime

two hundred ninety seven] a moon of pluto were there a moon of pluto is the furthest celestial object in the solar system unless another planet has been discovered

the stars on a clear night

the crisp

and breath to see

the stars rotate if to admire long enough

and it were earth to rotate I imagine

and a solid stars are

outside the galaxy

two hundred ninety eight] the industry of appreciation

and a porch swing

will be lemonade

to stay out in the rain

and an emptiness of the garage

appreciation of an ends

a porch swing

afore the effort of construction

the idea

what joy a porch swing nor only

the effort of manufacture upon which

I shall sit with lemonade

were lag and

shaping

a parts so slowness

a one of a kind object

[it will snow in one month]

[I plan to position the porch swing in my garage

[thus



[open the door

[when it snows to watch

[in warm clothing

two hundred ninety nine] were there spartans  
 surrounded by spartans  
 everywhere a spartan  
 here a spartan there a spartan  
 trading amongst each and  
 tractors  
 a red tractor  
 a green tractor  
 only red and green tractors each  
 with fresh paint and  
 wives  
 talking aristophanes and getting up before sunrise  
 they are all spartans they call each other spartans  
 hey spartan  
 hey spartan  
 and all the dogs were spartans and wondering  
 and of the spartan dogs who were not wondering they were  
 eating  
 including fish with no dietary restrictions and  
 so were their children and  
 throwing leftover meat on the floor when  
 they no longer liked their meat  
 talking ethnocartography and the new state sign for  
 the hill in some spartan's name  
 colored green reflecting green like mph signs  
 and the gas pumper was a spartan  
 and the grocery bagger was a spartan  
 and the highway signmaker was a spartan and  
 had an in with the spartan governor  
 the movie theater andwith spartan moviemakers and  
 the university named the spartan university  
 the moment of silence is each others' dissolution  
 is not the moment of silence is each other's dissolution  
 the spartan with the fence  
 the spartan with the rocky property

the spartan near the water  
 the spartan near the saltwater andwith view the house  
 the spartan the dying spartan and known for dying  
 [inna moment]  
 [the spartan will be dead] and  
 there will be a new name for [everyone]  
 and a land will be divided with and  
 without fences like  
 westernism westernism  
 and a single train either electric or coal or diesel  
 [traveling north  
 [and back again

three hundred] the wind makes a sound  
 blows around  
 trees

three hundred one] and the wind  
 chills causes  
 burn

three hundred two] were the wind  
 the blown tree  
 and a roots above ground

the wet soil

three hundred three] wind moves pollen  
 and the butterfly the wind

three hundred four] twenty one percent oxygen  
 the wind  
 and civilization is a screen window  
 the wind

three hundred five] wind has no color  
 wind has no name and I give wind no name

three hundred six] and when the wind stops  
 and the silence of stopped wind

to remember the wind is to  
say  
'still today'

three hundred seven] the unnatural wind the ventilation turned over  
a mechanical sound and  
the closed door

three hundred eight] the picture I did not paint  
is a painting a place  
I once was without  
the painter

three hundred nine] the concert  
and without instrument  
and a sound there were an upside down  
tub  
a broomstick  
a string

and the wooden xylophone homemade

three hundred ten] the original  
the copycat

three hundred eleven] a place far away is oxford where people walk around

three hundred twelve] on the ocean there is a captain  
captain ahab is it  
bob dylan mentions herman melville as equally impressive and was it tolstoy or dostoyevsky because tolstoy may have a  
geologic monument in mexico and dostoyevsky wrote in russia  
and there was an ishmael I read as a lad with the pictures on every right hand side of the page otherwise chapter books and  
moby went deep and got away and ishmael was the only to survive and I have a collection of herman melville short stories if I  
'get' a 'chance' to 'git' with bob dylan to let him know ya know

three hundred thirteen] 'things' that fly in the air may have captains

three hundred fourteen] napa valley and the grape  
the dry grape  
the wet grape  
the white grape

the red grape  
 the jello grape  
 the chocolate covered grape at the movie theatre  
 apocalypse now  
 the medicine man and what he should do with has challenged children  
 and bones are physical  
 hillside grapes  
 rainy region something sweet fermented  
 and the vintner's home  
 and the winemaker's home with the long driveway

is bacchus indicates good

three hundred fifteen] intentional bogging  
 a minds of youth

perplexity  
 and the standards of perplexity  
 andwere a greater lesson in a perplexity of objectivity  
 andwere authority  
 a lesson nor lesson complete

there are social lessons

a neglect were an objectivity of eg foundations  
 math  
 the inescapable value of one plus one  
 the long division value  
 application thereof and throughout life  
 andwere the apprehend of foundational importance  
 an interest to a social maintenance  
 an interest to an idea of authority  
 a product and social expectation will and will not follow and  
 a social will value what it is taught to value  
 [eventual]

three hundred sixteen] I have a question  
 I am the audience to the answer to my own question

three hundred seventeen] the protostudent  
 the experimental student

the divide of the upper class  
 a peer is a model student nor an upper classman

children begin socialization at age five kindergarten

three hundred eighteen] how bovine feed I do not know  
 farmers grow hay and have hay in their haylofts  
 how chickens feed they eat bugs and grain from the ground to make eggs  
 goats eat from childrens' hands like deer eat from childrens' hands  
 and I do not know what sheep eat likely grass because they freeroam with a goat ten at a time with someone reading a book in  
 the shade of a nearby tree with a staff leaning against the tree  
 pigs must eat something liquidy or grain  
 and farmer  
 anna  
 and farmer  
 stu short for stuart  
 eggs some potatoes milk imported juice of oranges or grapes and bacon  
 afore the domestic dog and  
 the barncats goodfor micng

dear diary  
 the flowers today are meant for the market  
 a rose  
 the thornbush  
 the sunflowers a clover field last  
 season  
 meant for market

the window box daisies are not meant for market  
 daisies are my favorite  
 while I eat david's sunflower seeds spit out the shells of every sunflower seed with the wad in my mouth  
 and the sunflower plant is eight feet tall and the twelve inch diameter of the head of the sunflower plant rotates with the sun as a  
 day travels from sunrise to noon overhead to sundown the sunflower flower follows the day the lightgiving sun giving light  
 daisies are my favorite  
 good for a lover  
 on the way to the organic grocer

the tulips are planted in november  
 sit through the snow  
 beneath the snow  
 the first flower to come up through the snow in march

zinnia starts with a \_z\_

dandelion starts with \_d\_ is found naturally and can be found in one's yard and can be made into wine

philodendrum begins with \_p\_ phonetically philodendrum begins with \_f\_

dear diary the dump truck outdid itself

all of the trash

a local contractor owns his own

plus tip

there were shingles and everything

three hundred nineteen] shall I say so again without drinking water while I talk

waterboarding and the ends of interrogation

'interrogate the bible' said doctor george tate ThD at a brown bag lunch also said

'what is a black man called at harvard' 'nigger'

I do not know what waterboarding is

the stretch machine seems as if it would work

the longevity papillon solzhenitzin incarceration in social interest

three hundred twenty] the boundary waters the beginning waters

the rivulets

the snag

the tree from seed

the tree lives two hundred years remains standing

the tree dies

is called a snag inwhich

insect colonies dwell

woodpeckers peck into the soft wood and eat termites

the fallen two hundred year old tree

decomposition of and

termites ants the raccoon aneath

three hundred twenty one] a bus paint

the roads

a bus stop

the electric bus

and there are no cars on the street  
 the electric bus and with prongs atop connected to suspended wires of electricity  
 sparking  
 and dark nor  
 cars on the street  
 mid night

there were a school bus as all  
 colored yellow  
 and another commuting and another

the short bus  
 the band  
 the volkswagen bus is no campermobile  
 the twenty one window microbus  
 the band

and the fifteen passenger van  
 I once drove twelve women from a camp  
 four wheeling in a fifteen passenger van  
 one asked may I get out over this next rocky spot  
 four stepped out and walked to the other side of  
 the rocky spot  
 stone ruts eighteen inches deep and  
 I stay out of the ruts  
 got to the other side the four women back into the van  
 reached the paved road

three hundred twenty two] last year's walnuts are on the ground  
 the squirrels eat the shells and  
 the remaining walnuts exist as brown and black

a new walnut starts green  
 the shell is removed  
 the walnut dries  
 the interior is the edible nut with steel walnut cracker to crack

a pine frame and  
 the shell juice of the walnut  
 the darkened wood  
 and with local character

three hundred twenty four] of the speedy now  
 have to pause  
 for their own interest  
 dependent

three hundred twenty five] snow comes in november  
 and thanksgiving  
 there is a turkey two blocks away with five others wild turkey  
 afternoon  
 eating about the tall grass

I own an hickory bow and

hickory arrows

and the wild rabbits in the yard have no predators  
 and a live trap  
 and a slow cooker with  
 potatoes  
 carrots  
 onions  
 six hours

and the lamb in my freezer may be good

was last year a mail ordered boar was good with  
 asparagus

game preserves are a way to special order exotic meat  
 many game preserves are in texas

three hundred twenty six] the geography department  
 across from the philosophy department  
 uses placenames on the maps in their map drawers

a street is named shale avenue two hundred years ago  
 a rustic paper map  
 may or may not remain the same

itwere practical to name a street



it were efficient to number a home

a path is begins as a footpath and were named and or numbered

[when]

[and] a widening of footpaths are cause

the jeep trail

the rural road

the paved road

three hundred twenty seven] the exterior appearance of a building

three hundred twenty eight] the matrix is metaphysical

only explains

the matrix is metaphysical

I literarily read back to the future in nineteen ninety three months afore the movie the same year inwhich

the flux capacitor allowed time travel like

hg wells

it rained the whole time

the spaghetti was good

there may or may not have been a gold mine

the summer time ski lift had a cement sled with wheels to coast two point two miles down a slope which is used for skiing in

the winter

I hear killington has a mountain bicycle addition to its chairlifts for people to ride the chairlift to the top of the mountain with

their bicycles and coast down the trail

it rained the whole time

and there was a general store to sit under an awning

so the book was good

another book I read previous to a future production of the movie the giver the movie was acted by jeff bridges meryl streep

and I preferred the book

another book shawshank redemption the book

another book the body is preferrable to stand by me

another book the shining I have not read and sure enjoyed the movie

the book where the wild things are won the caldecott medal in nineteen sixty one the following movie where the wild things are in two thousand and nine was very entertaining and differed from the nineteen sixty one book slightly

I read the book one flew over the cuckoo's nest in my high school senior english class with english teacher ms barren and one week after turning our final book review assignments in ms barren's class we watched the film one flew over the cuckoo's nest the film had an undiscovered all star cast with danny devito jack nicholson [chief] [and the accountant who was mad at his wife] the wildlife scenes were panaronic and the accompanying music eerie ominous I recall the chief with pushbroom in the book and the movie

a physical matrix is difficult to deny

a suspension of belief may be pleasurable in regards to a book the author's imagination the author's introduction of ideas the same a film a cinematographic experience the film director's introduction of ideas after a playwrite's introduction of ideas after a book author's introduction of ideas

a metaphysical matrix is speculation

three hundred twenty nine] there may not have been a road  
without a trail  
compass direction  
twenty miles

three hundred thirty] the compass held  
onto the map  
clear back  
align north  
twist the map

the magnet in the compass can be  
rubbed against a pushpin  
rested in water  
to find north

a meniscus of water will hold  
a pushpin  
on top  
without the pushpin getting wet

and the paper cup with  
flame aneath will boil a water afore  
the cup burns

the water strider  
the surface of the water  
the quiet spring

the quiet water of the spring I  
once tasted with my closed palms

and the lotus  
the larger quietude  
frog atop

to sun  
in the dirt road  
in the winter their bodies are endothermic  
in the summer their bodies are endothermic  
a road collects heat  
thus suns the rattlesnake  
in the winter is the mocassin does not move its  
body is frozen  
like the cattails like the ice surface

in the woods  
a bed of needles

the magnet is invented in greece  
presocratics are invented in greece

three hundred thirty one] the top of the hill  
a two rivers nor  
confluence and  
the separation of one water  
rain and its melt

three hundred thirty two] all the curious musical instruments I can name: mouth organ tympany drum professional xylophone  
bugle sandpaper slide whistle kazoo

three hundred thirty three] once the stadium  
full  
and the lions  
again the stadium  
[and at night there are blue and red spotlights  
[on the exterior  
[and there is no coliseum

to be hauled by horsemen with

carriages  
the carcass

and next

is a bull the same  
previous sold for meat

once the stadium [again  
national television is a superbowl  
round  
infield groomed

twelve month season I do not know and  
sunday is the sabbath once  
per week

three hundred thirty four] today I will learn guitar  
I will learn greensleeves  
I will learn single note greensleeves

after I learn the scales  
do ti la so fa mi ray do

and I will tune my guitar

before

three hundred thirty five] and the crickets loud  
tonight  
summer is nearly complete  
summer is completed

the wind and a coloring leaves to fall  
and winter I wait  
is dead season when a last  
yellowed leaf

three hundred thirty six] slag marmot  
the slag  
from the spent mine

the trail of slag  
 discolor  
 there is a mine productive  
 years and years  
 all the silver  
 the vein  
 and all the geology about the silver pushed  
 out the open mine  
 down a trail of the slope outside the minehole  
 [left  
 [for notice ever after  
 andfor the marmot  
 the marmot is a rodent a large seasonal rodent  
 hibernates in snow country  
 scurries in the high elevations of summertime about  
 ghost town mines  
 dilapidated building tools  
 steel left upon the ground  
 miners walked away acause  
 nor any longer silver to mine  
 the abandoned buildings [now] weathered  
 unsafe  
 for those curious who pass  
 marmots about scurry  
 the summertime  
 one plant to another plant  
 the prairie dog lives in colonies  
 dusty land of flat lower elevations including  
 high desert  
 fifty yard diameter prairie dog colony  
 all dust  
 for the prairie dogs have removed the botanics  
 fifty yards exact outside of which  
 prairie land tall grass with  
 predatorial birds overhead sunshine  
 the marmot the same and four times the size  
 the side of mountains  
 steep slopes  
 burrows dwellings beneath logs and  
 objects  
 the rodent two front teeth

andwere the canine to have two sharp eye teeth  
 the raccoon  
 andwere the feline to have two sharp eye teeth  
 the fox I do not know

wind blows through a ghost town  
 the desert ghost town the tumbleweed  
 the mountain mining ghost town nor  
 sound and for the wind  
 a mattered time when  
 a civil structures collapse degrade  
 into the earth and  
 longer for steel  
 the ghost town andwhere  
 a families lived their husbands miners

three hundred thirty six] there may not have been a road  
 when the road was put in  
 connected the east and the west allowed  
 a big building allowed  
 economic opportunity

and was a trail a time ago

say lament  
 a pastoralism were  
 wildflowers

three hundred thirty seven] slag marmot  
 the small badger vegetarian root eater varmint rodent  
 hibernator

what is found among debris

with wind  
 the ghosttown  
 the dirtroad kicks up  
 dust

three hundred thirty eight] tomorrow I will learn guitar  
 nor list required

tomorrow I will learn guitar and  
 the aspects of guitar I have forgotten since  
 second grade in nineteen seventy seven when  
 I used a pick and still have the pick and  
 now grow my right hand fingernails long  
 to pick

three hundred thirty nine] slag marmot  
 and the watcher  
 the rented jeep stopped with lunch and binoculars  
 the ghosttown floor could cave with any  
 step  
 for old wood  
 and the weather  
 and marmots weigh practically nothing and  
 go where they please

three hundred forty] manysmiles is a time  
 and for joy and its presentation  
 manysmiles

three hundred forty one] and death is end at hospice  
 the thrift store about  
 the corner and  
 the objects of the dead were  
 cootied  
 [to know their absence]

three hundred forty two] the dinner bell found in the symphony  
 next to  
 the tympany drum in front of  
 the audience in  
 the back behind  
 the strings  
 percussion and  
 atonal  
 were boom [once] on occasion  
 the foot pedal

three hundred forty three] writing is active  
 and a pen bleeds from its moving nib were

thought  
 completed  
 [then]

and the scribble

and the doodle and  
 I am no doodler  
 and the doodle requires  
 ink

and whether a treasured clock requires  
 proper time

writing is active  
 to have read  
 'to think is not to write'  
 [I agree]  
 there were six other rules nor ponder so  
 frequently

nor the clock marked for time like  
 paper

and paper does not move  
 and paper can contain no battery

three hundred forty four] the slag marmot and  
 the view of the slag marmot  
 a windy switchback from the valley floor  
 halfway upwards treeline towards  
 the mine

the camp is made of wood  
 could light on fire  
 the woodframe structures  
 the lamp oil in the glass lamps

and the snow  
 a miners to lower elevations when



three hundred forty five] [ken]  
 the entirety of what one knows  
 the entirety of what one interprets  
 [and tomorrow]  
 the entirety of the speculative  
 including denotations

three hundred forty six] [soul]  
 the undefined soul  
 the defined soul  
 that there be mercy and  
 appreciation and  
 whatwith to appreciate and colors and smells and sensation  
 with whatwith to appreciate that  
 I am prepared for  
 the weather

three hundred forty seven] the waterman pen ink in  
 the restaurant removable pen near  
 the cash register  
 fine point and  
 some diners do notice

was an indian buffet all you can eat  
 I had previously come across  
 a made in india wine opener nor  
 made in india wine to be opened  
 nor here  
 nor there  
 and the buffet was good  
 haveth you any chardonnay cabernet sauvignon of indian origins  
 twenty dollars under the table  
 and the buffet was good

three hundred forty eight] alchemy is  
 a dire straights album alchemy is a paolo coelho novel  
 alchemy is an agreeable mixture  
 [intentional] said the chemist with a spinster wife nor  
 children

alchemy is

[what is nature] for  
 there is no war in nature  
 and decomposition  
 and predatorialism  
 and the seed of the plant the propagation of the seed  
 the animal that eats the seed plants a plant  
 one hundred miles away

alchemy is  
 notice of mixture and what occurs of mixture  
 alchemy is a separates and their relation

three hundred forty nine] the strawberry with one million seeds  
 the eyed potato  
 each a seed

pollen and  
 sunlight  
 to the underground

the carrot

the peanut is a legume dicotyledon

am told a ponderosa sapling's root may be cooked like potatos

and the beet for urine

o how the coconut and I  
 have seen a root in the surf back and forth and back and forth nor with  
 hold

the kelp is undersea and slimy and potential salad it were  
 the kelp bulbs  
 the appetizing

chicory is blue with taproots as  
 the dandelion for  
 wine I have not tried

the fruit the orange the navel the adolescent

halftime the parents prepare  
cut in halves cut again

there is an apple  
with peanut butter

and I am new to the plantain afry  
in mediterannean olive oil  
and cinnamon and  
sugar

the grape  
the winter grape  
the sweetness of the winter grape  
ferment

and the let cucumber for size  
the watermelon

mint can be eaten from the ground

like watercress

three hundred fifty] the formality of candles  
is glass  
about  
the flame

for the wind

three hundred fifty one] chlorophyll is green

and phloem is food

and were syrup maple tapped  
the phloem  
the xylem  
I do not know  
in the springtime  
when the thaw when the leaves  
require

three hundred fifty two] the stage and there were no person in the audience  
nor lit

three hundred fifty three] the deer  
from the birdfeeder  
in the night

three hundred fifty four] the hawk  
about the prairie  
from a view

three hundred fifty four] the owl  
it is gravity  
propels the owl  
midnight

three hundred fifty five] the elk  
in the yard  
this morning

three hundred fifty six] the tolerance of walt whitman  
the beats were good too

three hundred fifty seven] the patience of  
the lighthouse keeper  
nature is longer

three hundred fifty eight] there is lurking secularism  
on willy street there is  
a nonprofit headquarters for nonprofits

and an old hardware store

there is a community garden near  
the reconstructing church

and an used dvd store

and an elementary school near the water

the old monastery was bought by the neighboring community and because  
 the monastery exists in a different community  
 the sign mentions property owned by the neighboring community

and the local grocer sells fresh mozerella balls in whey

the lurk about secularism is  
 complacency andwith four seasons and nine month school years

there is a spectre  
 there is a lurk  
 there is an haunt

and the weather

three hundred fifty nine] were measurement of divinity a longitudinal genaeology

were politics the ends of divinity

three hundred sixty] the prototrope  
 the procreative woman in the corner

the shadow

three hundred sixty one] the prototrope  
 eight ounces of iodine were  
 too much

and learning were

three hundred sixty two] the prototrope  
 and a stars are important  
 to fall asleep to

and to come again

three hundred sixty three] the prototrope

and the phototrope  
 and the gravitrope

and it were the water say  
 gravitropism inwhich to oppose gravity or travel with gravity in way of obstructions  
 riverstone  
 aerodynamicism

and the tree bends on the sandy shore toward a water and air and moving air may or may not be from open water

and the coconut  
 roots  
 find purchase in sand

three hundred sixty four] protohouse  
 and he wore an apron for the bread

and she carved the turkey  
 the big knife  
 and the best paints chosen  
 and they had always dreamed their childrens' names

protohouse

three hundred sixty five] prototrope  
 and the marketeer

the dazzle of neon andwere the coupon

the two for one

andwith reinforcement andwith dependence

what I once liked as a child I may or may not appreciate as an adult  
 what I once liked as a child be marketable romantically to a similarity as an adult in regards to sentiment

three hundred sixty six] the prototrope

the subjective lesson

evaluation

and the eleventh grade student

three hundred thirty seven] protohistory and were  
 imaginary futures of the past starting  
 [now]

three hundred thirty eight] not only  
 how  
 and actually when

as a season

three hundred thirty nine] and whether buildings whether  
 cities whether  
 municipalities are  
 organic

a buildings and fill a city limits and a suburbs  
 [then]

and the prototrope

the investor

three hundred forty] and the delusions  
 the tornado  
 were mine  
 and the hurricane  
 the act of god one  
 the tectonic plates were wishful  
 and the rain  
 whose rain is it today  
 the rain is not mine today  
 it is only july

three hundred forty one] the bungalow and wild wild grass  
 were wraparound porch  
 the swing  
 and how a wind blows a grass

hawk on wind

three hundred forty two] halloween is a pumpkin grown

a field of pumpkins  
 rows of pumpkins orange from the ground collected  
 the horsecart  
 the roadside swipe visa credit machine on a warm day for  
 two pumpkins  
 one for each front door and  
 moldy maple syrup please

near the thick rope tree swing  
 the big tree and  
 romance

a smaller country county road  
 the kind with no paintlines nor shoulders and  
 a rise to the next hill is without gforce atop

grass

I once read of a feral child living among badgers in grass

three hundred forty two] the lair  
 the nineteen eighties home television game

a lair is a defensive idea to stand within a three sided lair

and the cave

were it my own importance to return  
 [to bring]

[question]

three hundred forty three] a clouds rolled in echo  
 a sound of one automobile  
 another  
 an other  
 the sound of an automobile  
 a clouds rolled in left  
 ]parameters[

a distant sound



]a star makes no sound[  
 ]even the far stars make no sound[  
 it is a single bird makes a sound  
 for the wind

three hundred forty four] the woman lived across from the college  
 the consterned woman lived across from the college  
 waited until the light turned green to walk across the street  
 the deliberate woman lived across from the college  
 I was not aware at the time though is the next street over with backyard gates to the city park  
 the woman caught my attention lived across from the college  
 original prints are expensive and I do not own a fifteen foot wall for a print  
 the listening woman lived across from the college

three hundred forty five] the tropic ['troe-pic]  
 the tropism  
 the tropist  
 the trope

the seed the sunshine

the seed and the root of the seed

and the leafs  
 and the first frost

the baby is prone to growing at birth and upon  
 social age  
 the assignment of  
 impressing the teacher upon  
 the introduced trope and is given  
 a gold star  
 and is given  
 a diploma

the teacher the troepic [tropic]  
 the social teacher  
 a conceptual tropism

and the natural trope  
 were the grazing wildlife return

the summer prairie

and the natural trope

the rock rolls down the hill

it were gravity

and the aerodynamics of a bird

a diving bird

and what once protected a turtle the shell

and evolution is

stopped at a two curbs between two bodies of water in which

the turtle cannot cross

three hundred forty five] and the island

the tropic island with

bananas

and a monkey

and blue skies

and some dolphins offshore

and shells

and a cottlefish with ink

a hunk of coral

nor birds because the island is far from the mainland

and tradewind

and a shipwrecked with bottle

sent and returned [hello] [greetings]

the turtle nest

thatch for an hut

and some coconut water

the toucan at the steep side

the parrot died on the ship

three hundred forty six] the separations of cubism

the separations of poetry

the separations of sunrise

the separations of an aengine

all of the colors are black all of the absence of colors are white

and the texture of carpet

it is seventy degrees indoors some say sixty eight degrees it is seventy degrees indoors

and the carpet is warm

the separation of one falling asleep in the snow with their frozen bodily form  
 one's own determination to survive at all costs after having read of natural selection  
 the separation of the asexual and the sexual  
 the taxonomic  
 the classification  
 the subject the object  
 the form the content  
 the frame  
 the frame the frame the frame and the collection of frames in a closet  
 the separation of fruit bearing trees andtherewere  
 an orchard  
 and the nut orchard the filbert orchard a rows a rows the orchard trees are woody barked  
 the apple tree  
 the orange tree  
 the watermelon on the ground the pumpkin on the ground  
 the squash thanksgiving with pepper and salt  
 and the butternut squash with bacon and butter and pepper and salt and sour cream  
 the butternut squash on the ground  
 from seed  
 and an eel is no reptile

three hundred forty seven] speculation  
 one is the authority [how]  
 one's remains are remaindered upon a living end

recently  
 were anthropology  
 a vertical cemetery inwhich  
 people died were interred vertically  
 head down  
 feet down  
 thousands of years past  
 a remote island  
 [archaeology]

and a last will and testament were  
 the burial inwhich  
 one is located in one thousand years

removed for examination  
 pondered

culture and  
 what is expected upon death inwhich  
 culture is enculturated inwhich  
 childrearing  
 an assumptions like  
 folklore  
 [what becomes of the dead]

speculation is an uncertain's existence  
 [among]

three hundred forty eight] the art glass  
 ash tray  
 clean upon a pack

paper matches left

three hundred forty nine] the empty wall  
 for the slide show  
 white paint  
 the carousel

the appetizers on the tall table and  
 the bragged inexpensive wine

is a dinner party and dinner coats and  
 gowns

three hundred fifty] shellfish on the menu nor beef nor  
 crustacea  
 nor fish  
 and spaghetti with

salad

three hundred fifty one] gravity the ditch  
 the old ditch  
 with shovel and  
 asparagus

the wildflower  
 chicory is wildflower

three hundred fifty two] it is not the wind and the sound  
 the sound is a waterfall  
 the sound is constant volumes from the overhang

the water flows to a larger river  
 as all water flows to a larger body

and the rainbow  
 for the sprayed water mist air and  
 there were sunlight

and there were trees in a dry place  
 next to the water

three hundred fifty three] the town next door with  
 local produce  
 and a veterans' memorial with  
 water

a main drag

there was a little league field where I grew up  
 inground dugouts  
 grass outfield infield  
 outfield fence

the concession stand with  
 hot dogs  
 big league chew  
 and the cans of soda  
 the announcer's booth above the masonry concession stand  
 with young people in uniform holding  
 their coins and dollars for  
 a slushee

and the announcer with  
 the loudspeaker  
 announces the batter

three hundred fifty four] in the january of winter  
 there will be ice on  
 lake michigan

I am not aware whether the middle of the lake stays  
 open

three hundred fifty five] the deciduous leaves  
 down  
 andfor springtime  
 is monochrome and  
 wait

three hundred fifty six] one by one  
 the entemological ants  
 small black

the larger  
 the carpenter ants  
 seem to travel individually

is sugar for the small path ant groups  
 find a way  
 an unclean counter  
 were jelly

left  
 from the sandwich

yesterday

three hundred fifty seven] the traipse  
 destination  
 the far antennae

in a wooded area clearing

andthere is no  
 corporate logo

on the antennae or  
 the dirt road or  
 the electric fence

three hundred fifty eight] were the bow drawn  
 the strong bow  
 the long bow not to be confused with  
 the recurve  
 and the arrow into  
 the hillside  
 near the pine cone for target  
 six arrows

three hundred fifty nine] the grotesque  
 and I do not define the grotesque and  
 the ugly is ugly is  
 rare to offend excepting  
 conceptualism

is the grotesque  
 excessive

three hundred sixty] character education  
 the social nature of character education

and infant depravity  
 doctrine  
 nor am familiar with infant depravity

a child is born and were I to believe  
 the blank slate  
 again  
 the blank slate of social nature character education  
 the five year old kindergarten classroom  
 again  
 all is new  
 the blank slate  
 age eighteen high school diploma adulthood  
 independence

three hundred sixty one] and the noncommittal

I am not aware

three hundred sixty two] the sunflower  
the stem of the sunflower taller than I  
sun  
the head of the sunflower as wide as my open hand  
brown and  
yellow petals  
a seeds of a sunflower are in the large center of  
the flower head

shaken  
drop to a cloth for  
salt for

the little league game and in the winter

a stalks stand until  
they no longer stand folded

for the snow

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