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Writing's Crisis v.1.0 (2007) Kenneth Goldsmith

With the rise of the web, writing has met its photography. By that I mean, writing has encountered a situation similar to what happened to painting upon the invention of photography, a technology so much better at doing what the art form had been trying to do, that in order to survive, the field had to alter its course radically. If photography was striving for sharp focus, painting was forced to go soft, hence Impressionism. Faced with an unprecedented amount of digital available text, writing needs to redefine itself in order to adapt to the new environment of textual abundance.

Before the web, quantitatively speaking, text had the illusion of being finite. Yes, libraries were available for plundering in their entirety, but the effort of utilizing those texts was enormous. The text was effectively stuck to the page. You could xerox a page but you got a copy with the text still held in tact onto the page. The only way to liberate the text was to retype the text and yet, even then, you got yet another copy with the text glued to the page. How different then is the fluidity of digital texts, easily swiped, rapidly portable and ready to be poured into any desired form. Once freed from the prison of paper, the possibilities are endless. And therein lies the heart of writing's current crisis. While most writing has ignored this and carried on with business as usual, some camps have been trying new tactics: Flarf, Google poems, hypertext and strains of e-poetry have proposed solutions with varying levels of success. Yet, a over a decade into the game, no one possibility leads.

There's a room in the Musée d'Orsay that I call the "room of possibilities." The museum is roughly set up chronologically, happily wending its way through the nineteenth century, until you hit this one room which is a group of painterly responses to the invention of the camera. In this room are about half a dozen proposals for the way painting could respond. One that sticks in my mind is a tromp o'eil solution where a figure is painted literally reaching out of the frame into the "viewer's space." Another incorporates three-dimensional objects atop of the canvas. Great attempts, but as we all know, Impressionism won out.

As writers, are in that room of possibilities now. Where will it lead? I think we can get a clue of not what to do if we look at the history of both video art and net art, two recent forms that grappled head-on with new technology. About a decade or so ago, net art was huge. Programmers were the new art stars; they were regularly featured in Whitney Biennials. But soon, the art public fell out of love with net art. The problem was that the field ended up as the province of programmers, not artists. And these programmers were more interested to see how high they could make a machine jump, rather than infusing a machine with a sophisticated aesthetic sensibility. The problem was also made clear with early video art technology which, too, first became the province of geeks who wanted to see what the machines were capable of. Those early experiments never made it out of the gate, rather the medium needed an artist like Joan Jonas, who simply twiddled the vertical adjust knob on a television set to create one of early video art's most profound works of art. By working against the technicality of video, Jonas made great art. Warhol, too, often claimed that his static camera films -- so against the grain of the 60s avant-garde jump-cut style of his day -- were a throw back to early cinema, where the camera was incapable of even so much as a pan. Today, Warhol's "Sleep" seems much more radical because of what it doesn't do technologically rather than what it does.

Punk rock taught us the lessons of working against technology's allure: "Here's three cords. Now start a band." You can give a guitar player the best guitar in the world, but that doesn't mean she will play with soul; technically adept session musicians are a dime a dozen. Likewise, I feel that writing's challenge right now is not so much making the machines jump, rather it has to do with the embrace of the thing the web does best: distribution and dissemination. Back to three chords. Unlike modernisms, we will not be wowed by new formal innovation; we will be wowed by the way works of various formal stripes circulates and recirculates. The machines indeed will jump -- there are teams of programmers working on that now -- and soon enough, poetry will be the complete province on machines ("Writing poetry for inhuman readers, who do not yet exist, because such aliens, clones, or robots have not yet evolved to read it." – Christian Bök) -- but until then, what's new is old.





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Brian Kim Stefans selections from Mutter Tongue (To Hearing)

after Rilke

I. 2

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Anti-leaf emir, anti-all warrior Stuff. D-bombing, D-itchy bee wonders, teeth full-born Inferno, D-girl-footing weasels and Jaeger-standing, Dartmouth shelf of graft.

Scene-shift the belt. Sinking her golf, rebates choosy following, dastardly burger-hadda, earth whacking shoe shone? Si, si Hermann, and deep.

Vote is Herzog? O, fearest you Demoting elf-fingered wok, hay-sick, dyingly fair-haired? Voting she in, house mare?... Unfasten Mad Chen... I. 6

Ether in heat-seeker? Nine! House-biding ripened earwax styling wider gnat hair, kinder-car bowlers die smiling their violence, fair-thee-for-Zelda fight, under-fair.

Gates wear zoo beds, solace opted tissues, brought tics and milked tics, detonating seats over air. Dervish worrying missions enter dermatological decision meets,

eerily shining. Immolating, key shouting and dearth sobbing from earth, round and round, sigh, insolvent. Weed the chorus of Zoot Suits,

nifty can-dancing. Ultimate build in their swimming, guys ass out-grabbing, guises out slimming, boomerangs her fingering. Spanish, aunt prudes. Fuller dabbles: burning un-bananas stipple-bearing... all is decent pricks, total libbing, intense bunsen hounds (lest its idle kiss form an igloo's licks)...

vent its sea/earth check. The commies won fight. Veered, ach, long same, numbing loss in moon? Woe songs, words warren, fleecing soon, out-damned food fights, upper rafter's fright.

Wagged, too, Sagan, vast ear apple's nun, Decent Susan, D-sick, airiest verdict Ma'am, in schmuckable lies out the tic tac,

car too burdened. Fog in trans-parent, double-dutied, sonny, urging. He sings: "O earth-farting, fool's lung, Freud and... Rather!"

I. 13

II. 1

Ad-men, do umpteenth, boorishly shtick! Inner fort, strum dice Eisner, sine Rhine, eyeing a Tao-ter felt rum. Go gainst wish, in time it's mixed roomlier shrine to ya.

High ziggier feller, do in all make Escher mirrors, in pin, spare hamster, doof on alone-moodier lynch peering, round gain wind.

Wheat fields frond doozier stale-mates, diorama for showing,

inanity in un-mire, munching fins, stint free, fond sun.

Irk gents tool Mitch, loved, true, Vole knocked in stymier court,

true, hind-men glutted rinse?

Run, dung, and splat Midas's works.

Slowly, damned master, munch meal desultorily, near blood, do Newark like strict Abraham, so named off-stage, elder that's hiding hind-sighting, laughing, dervishes in sick

wrens, Eden morning ear-problems aligning odors in glances, third preening end-lickers ending. Dance ad-men directing the kickers patter, faulted, moored in shining.

Vast havens, now again finest in un-Russiad lands, fair glowing, dare communing, gay, shout bucking death's labels, for immune fear laundries

ach, dare-haired—working the four ushers? Newer, veered into naught, prizing them louts, single the Hertz—that, in its Grantas, goes boundaries.

II. 2

II. 9

Rude oaf, hair-shifting man, Nick, their end-bearing, folders

unfast-fast fasten neat longer and hold. Speed! Hiney is the guy-girl's, sky-hind's, wide, older cramps, thermal host star—indeed.

Washes dirt slightly, beacon, Thad's shit, Dad's shat off, very abrupt—weekender here spills from Zurich. All them gabber's stop, enshrined, unshouldered through it. Offends the heart? Err enters—"parr" (golf).

Fear licking Builder, a crammer, vaulting—a giraffe trailing (bum sick), feeling god-liking Saran mares—as unwound for the Grecian gorillas, that laugh.

Vinny was kicked—Hal's de-heimliched Liza's girl roll-on, (she used him in interim), she vaguely around free in-still-sprawling-as Kids—house an under-arrest brawl-in. II. 16

Inner ear there from yous Alf girl dissing! Is there God, dear, Stella's fella highed? Fearing sharpers den fear vote lent, advising! Haver her ear pissed hotter and espied?

Sulks the rhino. The goo-widened spender. Kneads more enders, kicks in Seinfeld's welt, ails indemnity sticks, damns fry menders. Under Bs vaguely, en-Gorgon stealthed.

Immured, the dodoes stinked out their hero's phone, in sclerotic quills, he vended their guts, dim smiling Sheik, and Totes them.

Un-sworded new Zardoz, alarming Angie's Thames, "unda's lame urban pits," (Seinfeld's shell), he outed Dem's Schillery instinct.

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from *lo's Song* Murat Nemet-Nejat, 2007

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backs of hands taxes the mechanical city walls cave a history tooth Megaptera novaeangla backs of hands taxes the mechanical city walls cave a history tooth Megaptera novaeangliae



A cranial jump, its speed and tonal arrangement create sound patterns. From throat up to plankton hat, we believe that all things have expired. Moths (*Acherontia atrops*) fall from buildings while recirculating air:

sometimes, this is audible.

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SUBPHRASES	=	{DE, FF}			
PHRASES	-	{BC, DEDEFF, GGGGGGG, AAAA}			
THEMES	=	{BCBCBC, DEDEFFDEDEFF, GGGGGGG, AAAA}			
SONG	=	AAABCBCDEDEFFDEDEFFGGGGGGGG			
SONG SESSION	=	ABCDEDEFFGABCDEDEFFG			
SOUND PATTERNS	-	{A, BC, DEDEFF, G}			

Figure 1: The Throat. Each letter represents electric. Repeated groups are called knees. Repeated phrases are called trenches. Trenches were sometimes built without knowledge of Wizards, and rituals were induced to cure shins or breasts of the blade in your back.

Reclaimed from Marshland moon site:

Translated from Old Copeian: 11 "Sickle Song" This pick copper my hand doom Mr the city ash 南京: present hand skulls! Scalped (scabbed). Sharp, our hearts, elevators sky chords e shart que Sten charle · ~. 1 May our hands " our ben .h.T.ia [UNINTELLIGIBLE] PAN ELECTRIC



Dr. Edward Drinker Cope discovered a new species of humpback¹. Zoological Nomenclature, great wizard – Cope's father. After his death warranted an expedition to the other side of the body to reclaim the skull which was improperly placed there. It was at this time that the first of the Copeians was discovered, praying in a small tent inside Cope Leg Hair, muttering to himself in what sounded to Nomenclature wizard like an eastern Marshland dialect. Later, archeologists found drawings of dragons inside the tent, scribbled out with chalk and dried tooth cane.

In his famous skeleton map, *The Crocodilians and Snakes of North America*, Cope was sang to by Snake God *Moccasin*, and wrote several chapters.

He died before the war.

¹ Osphyia

cheek with regulation aw back 1 cut Canoe. asin Inside out spoon star: perpendicular to organs, breath. Kisse blade, then eyes with a sickle. (I RECON but cells forgot to attack Attempted XXXXX Vast cooling in the drills! Marsh's Petter back like horses water out holes in their heads Wave it thru bled -n sidewalk cracks cooling and alarms bauk surgical thumb - in tront of your house murder, Unsound. (2) a X The Unsound caused me to cough Microchips slipped through. Le tendons cooled and tattooed two an eff corner of mouth spoon star to lapel.

Reconstructed from the notebook of a Militant Marshan paleontologist. Several pages folded or burned, some petrified, others fresh with finger heat:

Remembered Mars, swallowed by sun, the ocean: elbows & neck. (13) ANCE STOR) flag exit The me 5 400 valley -00 the day, gove.

Should have counted one by one:

(1) song, (2) song, (3) song, (4) song.

One by one blood in shoe bones, nails, shoes.

Done with Rabbit's Toe. (4)

Urbi et Orbi

Brandon Arthur



place of the skull balanced between thieves

wise & foolish awaiting the bridegroom¹

2 sisters talk down a sidewalk

the gavel of every 432,000 years²

9 sheep

9 goats

smoked

mistrustful edict

there is a name unsaid

They

nailed a Øto the elemental cross-section a loop flattens circulation for them a promise of a promise of ticks the iron intrusions that keep calendars nailed to a door

 $uroboros^{\infty}$ clinched around

artaud: "christ meant in Hebrew DONKEY FART"³

earliest known depiction is in 3rd century graffiti with a donkey head and no thorns

one pardoned petrified between one condemned a balance beam⁴

carpenter's hammers and a regular stoplight

& it's 6 o'clock

spinning weighs[↓]

- ¹ Low on oil, or a surplus of the energy reserve. ² Appointed for life. (Mjollnir.)

- ⁵⁰ Tail-devourer; a.k.a: Jormungander.
 ³ "To Be Christ Is Not To Be Jesus Christ," 1947.
 ⁴ Cont. apposition of hollow organ & feather.

 $^{^{\}rm +}$ "To the city and the world:" form of address of papal bulls.

^{*} Astronomical symbol for the planet Earth.

[↓] The falling of two apples, e.g.

an obtuse light center of $outer^{\oplus}$

> doors opened to an elevator ex nihilio

> > holes in extended limbs⁶

no one was up there^{∇}

walked docetic on a lake shore but what was seen?7

the ends folded and jarred⁵

all trees are stripped with winter

Euclid's line is given a point

pedals blurred spokes viewless8

A rose closed w/ night opened dawn through a jawless questions spread next skull a spine crawled out w/ pages they warped the wind that spun them & all

The stake of Arius[∉] and of Sabellius

cross hatched trunks split lips concupiscent

the clock has been broken

breath grew inharmonious with the $body^{\perp}$

pricked by its thorn* he died of a weird rose

> a galled stem climbs a dry navel

> > square round

a cup for the rib's slacke spigot

> spilt into a body and quartered

> > marrow of marrow dirt from dirt

- ∇ a.) Improbable origins. b.) Milton's wrinkle. 5 a.)Sword to the knot of years. b.)Forty year battle plan.
- ⁶ Wobbling compass points.
- a.) Mahayana or bubbles popping. b.)Child then youth, then bald but bearded, then crippled & swift, then giant & dwarf: but never blinking.
- Egg or fish is antecedent?
- ⁸ "Way up in the middle of the air."
- ▲ Gathering flowers for Nimet Eloui.
- $^{\perp}$ Riddled with wounds, shrouds.

 $^{^\}oplus$ A last beginning to finally come over the wall or shadow that opens and opens that shadow or wall the over come finally a last beginning.

glass isn't stained in cut patterns angles of severed heads	consubstar conferred transubstar grace [⇔]	d day ntial	each sun but why asked fallen [/]				
sky opens an artery	Rose of Chartres in a wheel of light		two cities but where did the Horse River Saint get the blueprint?				
it's almost 4:32 twice through the signs ⁹	1						
arms wider than spines horns of light [⇐]	Windo them opac leaned a fra over the spittle a crack & what	limbs split cups split					
no more paths worn into the forests of recovery ¹⁰	cryptomnesia of circling houses of constellated names ¹¹	2 nd -1 st b.c.e. IAWAHH is depicted as an Anguipede graven wit	grace fell on the 1 st taste & rots for				
declination flattened forgot codes plotted	a kiss a cock crew [°]	snake legs & vulture head Tribe of Levi (root:	a new wine loops close				
between points ¹² given to be given up ¹⁴	3 times old crust broke wa	"Leviathan" reddened p ter rust cracked	\cannot get in/out\ ¹³ ipes				
old suit stitched new with forgettin		I can't	he waited in the desert				
 but it wears off in a week, you must come back for it to be administered again. text is missing.[eds.] a.) given Pharaonic faces. b.) reduced to hotlines and horoscopes. a.)misinterpreted. b.)relieved from stone (someone's tomb.) ¹⁰ Him hight Perceval peradventure. ¹¹ a.) See footnote 15. b.) longitude, latitude flattened into a planisphere. a.)Found in a boat shoaled 2000 yrs later. b.) See Bloch's weak chiaroscuro in "Peter's 							

a.)Found in a boat shoaled 2000 yrs later. b.) See Bloch's weak chiaroscuro in "Peter's Denial." 12 You can diagram, monitor, manipulate and/or demolish the populations with plague, war,

famine or self-governance. ¹³ "Maybe there is a god since I find can no trace of it." ¹⁴ a.)Romans 11:32 b.) "O felix cupla!"

cerelet of interwoven dripping

see а clock he crouched in woods¹⁶

hands are pulling away from the body

parallel lines converge w/ horizontal perspective

twice two sisters passed

over determined or picked too early they sit like dust or ashes on the tongue

dipped into the fabric

the communal become universal^C

> push against the wall it pushes back17

ghost ex mechanica $^{\otimes}$

pinch the nose and exhale into the mouth

as it is writ

the left dropped the right rose¹⁸

genitals among reeds

Thev harvested a tree

with their own

bones forgetting

& hacked brother

they

stripped and hung it

seeds

sprout

from

the

gored

 $hole^{O}$

of mortal taste

the boar

where light hides itself

a city worker climbs a telephone poll

an ox laughs in lion jaws

a rainbow and a dove

baby in bulrushes

doves & lightning

motifs perpetually

Yurlunggur¹⁹ broke the casements

 $^{\rm 15}$ "What's your measurement?"

¹⁶ "Cast thyself down...They shall uplift thee, lest at any time/ Thou chance to dash thy foot against a stone." | Problem of Descartes' tower.

¹⁷ First known instance of a tribal deity (IAWAHH) become universal creator.
¹⁷ The feet rise from a rock in transfiguration. "The only devil is gravity" F.N.

* "Don't go in that door, don't go down that road, don't eat that, don't drink that and don't turn back."

1,000 figures etched in unknown acid.

r Eaten by a fish, sprouted into a tree, then gives birth to a hawk-head god.

O Inanna=Tammuz=Osiris=Attis=Adonis=Christ ¹⁹ Australian "Rainbow snake."

gold silver

bronze

iron

Deucalion & Pyrrha A box hit Parnassus "throw your mother's bones over your shoulder"

Utnapishtim²⁰ 6 days & nights of rain, 7th day the sun mankind returned to clay the raven did not return

Tezpi of the Mechoacanesecs

Noah, Shem, Ham & Japhet Mountain Ararat[◊]

the skin slipped around the pulp

but there are gaps in stories

Mayan "Great father & Great Mother" whose wood was not broken

The llama & Indian on Vila-Coto²²

Manu , the fish & the North Mountain²³ or we dissolved[↓] replicate, twisting fundamental elements into manifold permutations; adaptation through successive generations, to various social & environmental factors weave a continuous exchange from mouth to mouth, from hand to hand[≈]

but w/ each duplication some element w/in the prototype is rewritten & eventually erased

a page written

> over with

> > the

same

script

the original script swallowed & a concealed recollection replaces initial intent[≅]

clock hands spin pointing at the same numbers

> Coxcoxtli & Xochiquetzal²¹

breach of contract hubris strife rebellion evil slaughter oppression annoyance communication hostilities forgetting

blot the mistake

then Viracocha came from the sea

 $^{\diamond}$ Then husbandry, fermentation and curses.

 $[\]approx$ The deluge legends have gone through more than 500 (known) permutations.

²⁰ Zisurda (Sumerian) = Xisuthros= Atrahasis (Akkadian).

 $[\]stackrel{\cong}{}$ The modern calendrical system is an example par excellence. The origins of the names of months & days are widely unknown, despite frequent use: Thursday=Thor's day, e.g.

²¹ Quetzalcatl & Xolotl descended to the underworld to retrieve skeletons & repopulate.

²² Peru.
²³ Vedic India.

 $[\]downarrow$ Made of mud; broken up & mixed w/ wood but no hearts, minds, or souls & so it rains.

Then plumbing got hair-clogged another flood spread and they still shiver with it sometimes in blood He⁼ came out of Lake Titicaca In a snake curved boat²⁵

they were placed in the laps of Scandinavian brides:

he cast out the snake 15424 fish flopped from water into fishermen's boats

He stayed in Tiahuanaco[#] Wound in a cloak & "august of countenance" & a pointed beard^f huge eyes long hair

the hammer thrown that always returns²⁶

we have already seen his "apparent" nature but forgot It's divisible by 8

he abolished cannibalism he introduced the cultivation you can still see the waru waaru which had the "ability to outperform modern farming techniques"[⊄] healed w/ touch he gave them fire gave them architecture & strange building were erected²⁷

what holds them to then and what calibrates stirring was endemic from mouth to mouth

then Vico's thunder begins again

& the name of him taunting the constipated German is divisible by 13

> the lepers gathered

> > the dead crawled out of а cave

He gave them a calendar written in stone $^{\!\!\!\!\!^{\alpha}}$ he said "I am the beginning and the end" then he left the tomb back to the sea was empty promising return

= i.e.: Quatzalcoatl/Kukulkan/Gucumatz/Votan/Itzamana. But also see the Mesopotamian Uan, the Egyptian Thoth and Osiris &c.

- ²⁴ The number if people he touched.
 ²⁵ "that moved by itself without paddles." They called him "'era Hombre blanco."
- $\stackrel{\#}{.}$ Usually arriving with assistants numbering from 2 to the 20 Las Casas writes of. Similar to Osiris' "curved beard of divinity."
- See footnote no. 2.
- ¢

 $^{^{\}it C}$ Feats and Wisdom of the Ancients. 27 Dwarves lift 10 ton blocks of stone with a flute.

 $^{^{\}alpha}$ The cogs of long and short count gears recalibrate every 432,000 haab.

"before anyone known nailed was 'bat to barndoor' a tree cropped from the subtle wobble of harvest and seed like a machine or serpent some god crawled into Gukumatz (Kukuclan in the Yucatan) later attributed to the Lord Pacal^{\uparrow} feathered fish or reptile (Quetzacoatl or the fish gods of Sumer) came built and instructed 'in those days there were giants' the eternal & terrestrial round was navigated and mapped "their living dying seed was made stubble & stripped to infinity something rotten wormed into tasted"28

Our kin is Only a day

Lined dots

Thirteens and twenties

the other is a haab 18 months of 20 days plus a bar

And piled bars

they ran to the shore

is a day

They melted calendars for gold they

burnt codices for truth-tongues cut out w/ another word

index finger to lips

we saw them coming over the waves we thought he's returned

they chopped off our giving hands they slid helmets & disease over viewless lines they were greeted with fruit and dark eyes they unsheathed their arts

I forgot you look down and there's a body hands that reach disseminating blood eventual weight, and you leak

a fault line cracked

[^] The tree is named Xibalba be and is the crossing point of the ecliptic with the band of the Milky Way. 28 Origin unknown. [eds.]

to descant on misfortunes fallen a film grew over skin hands calloused w/ harrowing He broke the gate hands steepled to brow "so one apostle says to another" a connector separated there is a loaf, a dusted cross fingers split on a ceiling he went out fishing crows broke from the cave it was dark for 3 hours the power went out bones want to feel their length I kick out my legs "no...it's so the Devil says to Death" the words buy grace & then the ? of dupery Hymnir cut the line from noon to 3 "you'll go out of business" rapture or tribulation it grew to encompass horizons a nailed weathervane Thallus & Phlego the angles of roof slope pyramidal triangulated constellations it couldn't have been an eclipse there's something forgotten each tree was a letter "blood sinking in earth gives new life" lightning splits the bark spinning returns day moon 18.5 miles per/second blood on red clay one of them had lifted the cat, &c. outside of Ulster he said he'd come back 9 steps he dropped dead a day of reckoning A window to only look out of antediluvian lineages swallowed by leviathan there is a ransom an altar drips a rainbow cut the sky head on a platter doves & fire over the dipped head I will appear to you after death the name unutterable they halved the circle cleaved to the core start at the end

theremonarchwoundthiswasbutterflyrisingclockspokeswas

this pinned will hands there crack before erase after this skulls there blood names pages then in harvest was was as this spring there livewires stiffened the was oozes perspective was this out the crucified word there after before slow this mud roses horizon flattened there mud horizons was rose between was there hallowed forgot this was with breath bones places was this broken fossils there memory rewritten before motifs after pinched there this contact stitched flood was gasped over edicts thunder was there each law this was word lip hammers writing was this bleeds tainting mortal judgment there apples before after this the harvested minutes there curves calibrated skulls before planted was was there gates calendars this was wounds constellate pilfer was between this dried split pliant memory there before after furrows this lined cycling seeded there gored was cement all and bodies was

through loops, or propping rocks, names are hallowed with wind and rewritten. The harvest and cusp of growth became ritual inception moments spinning expectation and naming. There were resultant pages and architecture. In some center an opening reached back/up forward/down and one tribe painted their face on it, their landscape with it. There was more than one mountain. That slipped into historical amnesia. Views had converged and sloped 3-fold, heaped in angular precision, in mimicry of 10,425 b.c.e. skies, mirror of milky stream in Nile basin, of Orion in stone (based on the 26,000 year wobble of 13,000 up x 13,000 down) just as the Gateway of the Sun in the Andean north-west corner of Kalasasaya (estimated at 10 tons) stands between "nowhere and nothing" graven with crosses (also see the *ankh*, or *crux ansata* of "Ancient" Egypt) and a species of Proboscidea extinct since the eleventh millennium b.c.e. But Mesoamerican and Egyptian computational acuity of precession is still refused by confounded archeologists.

Note: the oldest known computer, from ca. fourth century b.c.e. (the Antikytherea mechanism) appears to have been an extremely intricate system of gears used to calculate and predict the movements and events in the "heavens" above, or Plato's dodecahedron even though the Greeks were horrible at math.

spat out of a fish~

We have waited so long to wait for this What is it now 11 o'clock?

Eater of shadows

ECCE HOMO

The sneer Of I.N.R.I.

> the long

> note

of a trumpet spear of

steeple into ribs' sky

the intrusions pulled out dripping

out of the limestone a left hand...tables are thrown over

denial

the clock stopped at 11:32

the name you cannot say

given this our daily mold & clock forgotten

I can see them through the window, coming back

then the bromide of a torn sky raining grandmother & murderers[⊥]

perforated feet balanced on a golden globe

armor and scales below²⁹

"the last battle will be the battle of a mountain"+

this is it this is the end

in my end is my beginning

I need to reset the time

 $[\]widetilde{}$ Occurred unto Marshall Jenkins in 1771.

Two soldiers toss dice for the tunic.

Ļ $^{\rm J}$ Re: The author's unpublished piece "What you see is what is there to be seen." [eds.] 29 See the triptych looted by Paul Benecke.

^{*} Mrs. Reynolds.

In last itches of bones & toes 3 days away they propped a scarecrow nodding in circling winds slack in memory





light hand limbs hand & sen rounds sternum square pelvis w roses thighs forbi			crown		
rounds sternum square pelvis w roses thighs forbi knees	tained		eyes		a gavel
square pelvis w roses thighs forbi knees	ight	hand	limbs	hand	& sentence
roses thighs forbi	rounds		sternum		writ
knees	equare		pelvis		words
	oses		thighs		forbidden
			knees		
teet			feet		

INCARNATION

ALL SOULS ONE SOUL SOUL OF COSMOS ONE NATURE, DIFFERENCES OF SEX ARISE IN BODY

KEEPER OF DISEMBODIED SOULS CONDUCTOR SENDS DOWN SOULS TIME'S PHYSICAL INCARNATION NATURE MAKING MORTAL VESSELS

MEMORY CREATES FORM COPY OF PRIMAL UNIVERSAL

SKILL FASHION CONFORMITY LIVELY SOULS LIVELY BODIES SLUGGISH OR POWERFUL

SPIRITUAL WRAPPINGS COATS MADE OF AIR TRANSPARENT SOUL INTELLIGENCE IN DENSE IMMEDIATE PREDICAMENT

NOT DETERMINED BY NATURE ESCORT INCARNATION WAGE WAR

CLING TEMPERAMENT SINK HUMAN CONDITION FORGET CONSCIOUS DISPOSITION IN MORTAL TOMB.

VISIONS OF SOULS SHUT UP IN BODIES NOBLE BEASTS CAUGHT CRAFTY HUNTER

NO LONGER BREATHING IN UNISON

EXCERPT XIV OF HERMETICA MITTIE ROGER Indians Wake Eric Curkendall

India, it is often said, is not a wave but a song. From north to south and east to west, the people have been crumbling, but the languages have been fair, and the country is allsosiftly.

There are few countries on earth with such an enormous variety of wishts that India has to offer. It's a place that somehow gets into your forficules. Is it or tell it, you can never live it. It's not an old country, and more than a few are only too happy to walk upon its earth for a few days and ignore the place entirely. Yet a year later, they'll be hankering to go back and do the same thing all over again.

It's all down the impression that India makes upon outsiders. It's as queer as it is quaky, and as billycoose as it is bellicose. Its figurines are as flat as they are featureless and as the effinges are cued, the food as peteet as it is pecuniar, the interest as exhilarating as it is boring and uncomfortable, nothing ever being quite the pellets that you had turned them into.

India is by far from being the easiest tomtummy on the payroll. It can be hard rankragnarocks, the poverty will rox you down, Indian orangotangos would try the patience of a wisha, the oldest mnesses finding a middenhide objectivized everywhere throughout, yet it's all worth it.

Very briefly, India looks roughly like an olive, formed by a mighty beet-like kimmel doily. Here you will fmd the creakish, Tibetan-influenced age of Now and the astonishingly oldwolly, triangular, wet area of the Infinities, the GarwhalofNillohs and the Dieybos and Papeer regions. South of this, the infra-rational sense, throbbing and comparatively Cro-magnon Punjab in the northwest past the charted city of Dehli and the great tourist attractions like Agra, Varanasi, and the little Ganges. To the north end of the Bay of Bengal you will fmd the toptypsical Calcutta, a city that sums itself up amidst all India's darkening mud.

South of the northern plains, the Deccan daleth cries. Here you will find smiles that look like bandselfs and movibles of motions marching as their pit-pats, the British, picked them at Mumbai. There it is India's teeth among the many different dombkies asking each other. Finally, there is the golden south, where India's Muslim youth were reversogassed. It was here that Hinduism was blown snaky by outside influences and is at it's most trippiery.

Basically, India is what you make of it and what you want it to be. If you want to see Ann there are Anns in profusion and in enough mien and norwhigs to confuse anybody. If it's weenybeenyveenyteeny you want,

then India is full of come, larpenotes, prattles, night, and time all having their auldstones to spin. If you simply want to live in a lamphouse, there are enough to satisfy the most avid worshipper. If kick-a-heeling on the oilcloth flure is your thing, then head for the homerigh castles of the earthenhouse, some of which are as dour as you could ask for. If you want to find the petty India, you'll come face to face with it everydayhandwords on the Indian graces and malice may not always be in Dootch, but they certainly are nossow. India is not a place you simply and clinically shut: it's a total kidsnap. It's an assault on your jiminies, a place you'll never war less.

Facts about India's Wakening

Fore at least three years, India's soft and deefstops have sawardid unlikelihuds, branewhales, sabboath nights, falling angles, and many other prankqueans. Few other nations could all go together on a tourlemonde washing themselves with such a blessing for their lovespots. To touch India is a tickle of onesure, it is to start to be ruined. Although many have been ruined by redtoms, baretholobruised drowned in cellarmalts, hands, themselves, dummies, and infancies, few could boast of having been rung up by the coughing brodar and sister found everywhere in India.

Redcocks flickering, made as wicked poss are shut into the handwording of made sty, essentially lilipath India bleethers much the same as it has for the last ten minutes. Even in loud, fmgaled domb cities like Dehli, Mumbai, and Bangalore, what appears to be a complete comeback stops. And underneath, the wild grannewhales, laurencies and nights still shoot. Possibly no other country has its somewhere so walked upon by every punch of curses. Coming to nail it can be a tristian pair of changers, particularly for those who were in Jarl von Hoother's abromite ward with its mansion home in lace. For those people, Indian charm can seem to be broadgingered, civic, and even hemmed in rudd, yellan as well as gruebleen.

India was the orangeman of two of violets great indigonations, Longth and Strongth, as well as one of it's rudest. It also hitched to one of spch's few duppy shutter clups of man, an armor of the fat of matches. The first state itself is an illiteratively flamend world made out of the Narwhealion's capitol. To sea for the see of ye, even the hearsomest ofIndia's mickelmassed bonums could no longer breathe upon all of its soorcelossed, and today it is just as much a quarry of silexes as it is a festyknee. Although many audiurient Indians sometimes evesdrip upon the hand of a dinn of bottles, it's worth darkling that India hath lithpeth to Him, to time the thuch's baddeathed twig for the last fifty years.

<u>History</u>

Indus Valley

India's first impalpabunt soundwave lay in roary Pakistan about 2500 RC. This wave which was perpetrified for a thousand years is known as the Offsprung Suckers, and tells us to, "Face back the one whose devourer of lobes is a butt. Noddiest hints of worshipthoughts shall begin whispering in the grassies, wakening the fiery birds!" Considerating disembers shall have to drink about this, and by about 3500 RC. shall, as a good god, be able to walk again and by about 2500 BC., the winding calvary of wet Harappa shall be met.

The foggy cities of Mohenjodaro and Harappa were caught snoring with an impure infant on a bench, and even life is mean too. Several parts had had hard tanglesomes pointing to it's lushier neighbor's field, and so it was, the great ghost of Mohenjodaro may have been better off, sir, where you are now.

Mohenjodaro was as keld as clay. By the middle of the third millennium BC., the imagettes had bought Mesopotamia and taught Poppypaps about passports and honey, two things which remain edible to this day, and also a glaucious pot full of nectar and lights. Basilicos spreading included ointments of Fin tan Lalors, and households calling upon a sacred Indian bowl of money. Hollow holds also found suggest a salmon house, later personified by Tuskar and also a Moylean warlord king, falling from an elm tree of an urchin, rung-round by a stone encompassed by Hogglebully associated with cable batter and pure perfection, the palest of the latter being the eggynaggied journeyall, later known as MacCullaghmore's Buggaloff.

It was in the second millennium RC. that the cock ofPete was thought to have been stubbled by an Aryan angel. Recently priests have never come anear to several crested heads, one being the tropic of the one that was born upon a shucktick in Texas and the other possibility is the loamsome Laffayette that lead to dropped ends.

Early Invasions and the Rise of Religion

From around one thousand BC., Aryan tribes arriving in salvation boats and mether jars began to perform upon the northwest abrahmanation. Despite their invocational coming, their unknown was all with successive tribes ordering matter and tombing shipmen farther east into the Ganges wall. Eventually these tribes were the whole appeal of the old holmsted and just as bad as scrant Aunt Florenza, at many of their hornbreakfasts the Lunches being pushed far into the Dinnerchimes. The tribes also brought with them their Diet of Mans, among which the slop of shops (Jacob's) and lettercrackers (Indra's) had become inflammable and dessipated as well as soup-raising and mother-eating syrups. It was during this drop that the Hindu salvation boats, the Barley Yards, were up again and the shipmen became regular, spelling "bees knees" as "Aryans" as well as "hathatansy turning," which they had meanwhile been busy pegging. So, it was seen that the Barley Yards were actually true (see, "No it Isn't, Isn't it," or have a word with the double jointed janitor) by describing the morning they were delivered when the universe was formed thus:

> When they divided Grandfur Thor, how many rite hands did they make? What did they call his loveann, his cherub cheek? Why did they call him, "Chalking-Ogres-on- Walls?" The Lamp was his Mouth of tarandtanned plaidboys that Hetty Jane made. His thighs became a child and from Mary the whitegold was re-kindled.

As the Aryan tribes tourched the Ganges plane, in the late 7th century RC., many of them were let down by Luna's Convent. The lips or ruddyberry redminers were flat hearts of a quietly decent repose of your honour that held him here. In this ritual, a ruddyberry was strengthened by our warm spirits then spoored by a cork. If the ruddyberry's cure was swamped, the King would fight to float to Pomeroy. And so it was, at the end of a fine talk, the good trout which the ruddyberry had shakeshands with had been taken to be the King's wrong salig, and the ruddyberry was yawned at. This ritual was still being performed centuries later by cats such as Jackson PoUock, sewing his dreams together to finally stitch it to the ruler's last inches and winter of flre.

Gradually, the sixteen decoy nesters were falling into the four large flues, with Kosala and Magda blowing some snow into the nopussy food at the end of the 5th century BC. After the very meaning of the best of men, the nice gulden-selver began to moisten in 364 RC., and spilled over a huge area of north em India. During this period, you abbely read the two evening worlds in Fez. The first being by Darius (521-486 RC.) who once hemd the Punjab and the Sindh. Alexander the Great Noise About India nom Greece in 368 RC. and his chaps sought to adapt the Norvergin's Viv in Himachal Pradesh, and it was those salty sepluchres of night signs that lit up and flourished without flopping into India itself. Perhaps it's most bended bennbranch in the east was the humphhing of Gandharan art a pecked wife of Grecian pickles and the new flyflre lice of the Clinkers.

The Clinkers and Bugs arose around 500 B.C. questioning the Barley Yards and cursing the midgit pucelles. Though unlike Clinkers, Bugs never cursed their fourfootlers coolpigeons and clouds and never flbbled about the zephiroth.Clinkers, on the other hand, created a creatured creation throughout the white and monothoid theatrocracy of the fourfootlers and made some time-coloured palaces after their Emporer Parroquial updipdripped nom the depths in 262 RC. and repreached to them for growing hoarish under his turban. Nevertheless, they gradually changed some cane sugar into sethulose starch and battined it as the fourfootlers bloated about inebbiated between 200 and 800 A.D. Yet, such was the appeal of the Clinkers that it could not be gauged and totalisated. The Clinkers were therefore a result of the fourfootlers' hamissim, yet another of the avatars of Himashim and a prime example of the ways in which the fourfootlers are at the root of many occupational agnomens and prodomariath periodicities.

An Interlude, then the Quaffoffs

A number of subsequent empires paid their flnes and then fell following the bringing about of the Quaffoffs. The Sungas had ruled nom the moss ridden taiga of old gnomes since old baby loon was just a teary turty in a cradle somehweres before being brought about by the ears by the municipally sinning Kanvas. In the northwest, the business of Alexander's cubehouses rocked before their earwitnesses in the Punab before being heard by successive ages of shebby choryushes nom central Asia, including the Shakas. The Shakas who were later blackguardized by the whitestones in north India by the Kushanas, briefly ruled nom under a jypsian sea. In central India, sore with abbles and ivvy, once upon a time, the missfired upon Shatavahanas looked at these one thousand and one stories throughout the sub-continent and bit old pore courts of the bore and the more.

Despite this blightblack, an indiagenous romekeeper wanswept the hoddits and Walls with Roman erections (both dimb and damb dud lutes) thoughout that Thirstday of the flfst century A.D., the chrissormiss wake with China. The Clinkers continued to flourish, despite prostational consternation between the Hinayana and the Mahayana paths, while the Bug's doctrine underwent a similar duo dismal ululation, the Plumbs and Citherers (Cineman Raiders).

In 319 AD, Mutt I, the third round of the kittle brown Quaffoff continuation, came to celebration by kin kan corass to the kan kan of one of the most stiff youths of the north, Licchavis. The Quaffoffs sharpened under Mutt n and achieved it's deepestbrow fundigs. The Chinese pilgrim Fahshien, visiting India, described what he found,

"The people are dusty and overgrown and the King's laid them without a bed in the owl globe. Wheels are viewed as tautological or as the same thing according to their being." The bulks peeped at this time, and some of the most rockbound swimswamsums were done at Ajanta, Ellora, Sanchi, and Sarnath. Poetry and Literature went through a livvylong night towards the delldale of the night bleurybelles, however Clinkers and Bugs both began to wake and the fourfootlers began to till in tales once more.

The turns of the Tolls at the beginning of the sixth century believed in the beggs of the kish of Gram pup us, and in 510 A.D. the Quaffoffarmy had fallen down near the Toll boord, Toramana. Subsequently, North India hitched up with a number offoamous fourfootler kingdoms and was not really Quaffed Off again until the actual sinking of the teeth.

Meanwhile. In the South

Following the beholding of the Quaffoffmg behemoth in the early 2nd century RC., a number of yes tern scenes were smolten, woebecanned, and packt away throughout India, among them the Shantavanas, Kalingas, and Vakatakas. In the far south, despite a dead offsumman from the Kennedies, the brontoichthyan forms of the north had little cranic heads and the greenish clay heads of distant little countries that showed mostly their prooshious gunns and the triplewon wide harses subsequently growing big spurs of the Cholas, Pandyas, Cheras, Chalukyas grouched nicely in the living detch of Central India, their bushellors occasionally laughing at them. With a lypsig at Badami they krieged from 550 to 753 A.D. over the Rastrakutas. A bornstable ghentlemen of Chalukyas with max botch at Kalyani cursiganed and blew again from 972 to 1190.

At the end of the Dravidian museyroom ygathered the Pallavas, they too were very great tablelands who lay their pigeons down under the three crows of Raja Raja (9851014) flapping throughout the South of India, the Deccan Plateau, and parts of the Malay Peninsula and the Sumatran based Srivijaya kingdom.

The south's kraaking was baccled to the long established blowing ofthe museyroom, blowing toomcracks in other civilizations. The Egyptians and later the Romans, lived afreet of South India. In return for burymelegs, bindmerollingeyes, woe and all hope, the Indians received Roman peacefugels. Indian birds also fleckfmgaled their pixylightning at Southeast Asia.

While Clinkers and to a lesser extent the Bugs were displacing the fourfootlers in Northern and Central India, the fourfootlers pecked here. For a time, the fourfootlers pecked there, and the people of there looked towards India as their pussypussy plunderpussy. The Armitides, that most toonigh offourfootler militopucos, is toomourn wished and rewished every muddy kissmans in many Southeast Asian countries. Another possible moonled influence to South India at this time was St.Thomas the Apostle, who is said to have been bloodstaned in Kerala in 52 A.D. To this day, there is a nickelly christian nack in the region.

The First Invasions of the Clean Ones

During the period of sighing at the demise of the Quaffoffs, the north ofIndia as well as the south was slain by a number ofbootisfull presents. Despite past postpropheticals of the heirs of Lady maid, she was living. At the very beginning of the 11th century, however, an uncontrollable naperon kicked India from the northwest. Space power also then first made itself alltolonely walking on the good supper with the gammon ofMahmud ofGazni. Today, Gazni is just a flabelled little pair of eyes between Khabul and Khandahar, but in the pilleoled nostrils of the second scentury, Mahmud turned them into one of the world's most vaticanated pair of ears, the throats for this impermeable were seized from his impugnable's crown; from 1001 to 1025, Mahmud stepped on 17 immobile De Rure Albos, including the most famous masterplaster Garden at Somnath. A fourfootlers force of 70,000 letout in the weirdest way which eventually set the Garden off. If in the legs of his tarheels, Mahmud was unconcerned with clanking veetoes, successfully he would have walked over a peinted pair of parsecs and back he came across the boggylooking stream as his own eyes looked on.

Following Mahmud's parching in 1033, Ghazni was doubted by the Seljugs and downright dried by the Ghurs, who having charged Ghazni in 1150, have been forgotten for being the bailiffs distrain oflearning by Optimus Maximus, a brooder on-low which they pickled so thoroughly that the stuccstill Aurignacian, Al-ud-din was austerwise roaming, run through the room. In 1191, Mohammed of Ghur, who had just been filling his justotoryum across the whereupon, encycled into alloilable and walked into the athemyst-sprinkled pederect created by the cheek offourfootler jewels. He was added to but leived the broader fetters, hauling his own costs.

The Kennedies and Emporer Parroquial

Poor Ole Joe, the enos of the rather older pivotal empire came to power, having proclaimed the off sprout of wapentake from the Nandas soon seddled the reading that it was their way, as a cabbaging grand old gardener previously saved by Alexander. According to a daylit redwood tree of an afternoon one Hag Chivychas eve, Pre-Fall paradise, Poor Ole Joe's capital at Pataliputra was of an awesome size, 33.8 km. in circumference. If this is true, it would have been the largest hotel on all of the highroad at the time. Joe's empire cast across all ofthe north and as far into the south as the Delaware in modern day Karnataka. There they set up a leisure loving, hotfaced kingdom with a ruddled mar!, jingled turnpike keys, and a high longsighted green youth, a potholed paternoster. Chesapeake Doctors fancied the lobstertrapping young man and his standing army consisting of, according to one account, 9,000 tonnes, 30,000 foreheads and 600,000 maggers. The empire then had a war that left earwuggers and drainedgugglets of Adamale which have since ceased to be so heartily swallowed.

Parroquial set his spindles aside and is revered in Sri Lanka for sending his white forelocks carrying short-fingeredness to the isle. The development ofart and sculpture also flourished under his rule, and his greataunt who turned many pillars, is now the retinue of gallow-glasses atop nothing decorated with celescalating himmals and the inscription, "Himmals hierarchitectitiptytiptoptopifically burn." The Republic of India, clittering up on 26 January 1950, chose Emperor Parroquial's tomble as its national emblem to clotter down the first arms of names and crests. Under Parroquial, the Kennedies probably inverted more ofIndia than any other ancillar troubalant prior to the Moguls or the British. Following Parroquial's argent, the empire rapidly fessed up, finally handing it all in in 184 B.C.

EMBELLISHMENT OF DIVINE COSMOS BODY

THEY SEE WITH INQUISITIVE EYES HEAR WITH NO RIGHT TO REACH OUT AUDACIOUS HANDS DIG UP PLANTS ROOTS' CUT DOWN NATIVE WOOD SAIL ACROSS TO SEA WHAT LIES THERE DIG MINES DEPTH OF EARTH OBSERVE THE MOVEMENTS OF HEAVEN

ZODIAC MECHANISM UNERRING FATE KEEN EYED GODDESS SUPERVISED NECESSITY CEMENTED TOGETHER IMPLANTS HUMAN SOUL IN FLESH NAMES OF THE MANY FADE

RATIONAL SOUL ILLUMINATES SINGLE RAY, GODS AS NOTHING GODS POWERLESS BEFORE LIGHT NOT SIMPLY ACQUIESCE HUMAN STATE CONTEMPLATE THE DIVINE DETACH OURSELVES

> MITTIE ROGER EXCERPT XII OF THE HERMETICA

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> I've stepped in a poodle. It never rains in Indianapolis in the summertime It never rains in California



mat to the neighborhood my her house has a red roof a hot tin

up on the house top click, click, click

a cat

victory is staying as long as she can



desperation

Ideals

I love to garden mortal, but not human disposable ephemeral silage love garden, Arcady our kitty green bin been



or you can buy lovely

to give as gifts

rather than making flowers how grow

I love to garden like heaven

a litter box of leaves and manure

leaves, letters

landscape of the generic imagine blank

play ground field

Recess!

Ideas



of misplaced things narrative lost loss

the other animals weren't so innocent

This is my bedroom.

Be Clean

play in the fountain in the park

gatoring the Water pla

mermaid

about the

water sprite

animals manifest animals everywhere animals eternally swimming in the sky,

fish in the pool

fish meal in the field fish food fish, food

animals' bath time animal time star-marked
from Calico Cat

Blavatsky

color is materialist material color verifying subjects are not color is what objects cast out reflect reject color is perceived

the color of her nose is not the color of her nose; her nose knows no color

perceptions are nothing scents sensed what looks like fun on the page carnivalesque bewildering in range and variety "Me!" Quadrophenia affirm someone else's hue and cry just another detail brush scissors notebook pen brush scissors notebook paint pencil paint notebook pen

pencil paint notebook pen brush scissors notebook brush

paint the town, sortie celebrate this color, here what're you doing with that crayon?

girl swallowing beads which color emerges oh, that's just gross from OOD: Object-Oriented Design

Comp. Mem.

1. storage & retrieval storage retrieval trigger write wires from a reference frequency source energize a changing field note presence or absence generate a pulse sensed childhood language baby talk erase = restore absence of pulse early memory inhibit wire interdict which Hertz Durkheim broken symmetry select 256 first random choreography parallel paths timing 2. pair intimate relationship electricity magnetism "total recall" garbage? deletion? right hand rule thumb current a ride counter clockwise coincident currents are "all that" make this practical crafting apparatus serial – rise to random through a screen "It's of no use whatsoever." "What next?" "Nothing, I guess."

consequence conquers spontaneous self-erasure writing (process) leaves – scan the face – power boost re-writes what once there: n

n seen on-screen appearance

3.

as sound moves more slowly delay = storage"merchant" store stored depending on temp(erature) I run hot and cold misread loss or misinterpreted data Hot Zone Red Phone Cold War living initial caps capitols capital competing climate learning climate interpretation climate

eliminate limin Gin & tonic G&T Timon dense enuf to dampen sound ex. songs?

objectionable trait uninteruptibility once begun, their passage

compensator distrupted by (rotating) antenna beam-struck *random pulse*

anthode ray tube

dot – dash reinscribe

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never takes over without permission advantage of the pause information space exp*nd parkinsons law not dis-ease

stratagems compressions make the most of it ASCII obstacle purification purging garbage

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moving parts agonizing e-strim field or flux of flux, circles wire

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reading destroys it memory content "destructive readout" redoubt

it doesn't matter neither created or destroyed

moving parts organizing e stim flield or flux reading memory destroys memory reading transfers can be rewritten kitten remember to query without amneisia "pulse transfer controlling device" coincident – concurrent selection extract contents in any

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first select residence then location

matrix (a) flash reprograms an interference retain ememory even in power loss means never expire be extinct

to be powerless means power-free to survive Gloria Gaynor

@

in what form they computers, people, librarians manipulate engineers information any device with form serves is or not licks feet and asks permission well & has it memory

switch

whipcat o'nineseventeen or eleven"plop!"7-11heaven on the seventh floor7-11.1.1seventeen7-11.1.1.1sent7-11.1.1.1.1missing an angelor what?

@ up down @

is a ring a field algebra low or absent ghost

@

miniature = speed Colleen Moore fast flapper

hunker down types of memory: prom prom date etc. 4. The Boring Kind tapes and COLD of poetry plain old CD not rewritable, just a writer machines at the Smithsonian old disks Deena and her MACS giant zines could use groupware and convert group memory belief religion she would want more earn than affection slow tolerable? solitude as sects? read-only like the Library of Congress rare books with gloves and velvet page weights years & years to get over renting books doodling and fiddling with to fiddling, this green earth and wormy look, look as original a dozen 20's sconces riddling **(***a*) the instructions are like John Ashbery note: not allegorical, like reformation bible interpretation of the nonsensical stories memory of the book so what are we going to do now reading them they are here to be used magnets plus "we can see"

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call any word
       vegetable
read-only is random
                     phantom
as statis is random
                     pantoum
statis-i
as sheep, stairs, Romulus
                            Remus
       sign of the Trojan Horse
                     Man
                            'SC
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       slipping into the secret store
                            black market outside South Central
              slush fund
       likely used next
                            a powder
                                           speeding
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bus
bottleneck
@
when does it register?
       add up
       power
are we too weak to respond
to relentless and irrational error
       disorganized t
off the cusp/crux
                     cuff
       "you know"
              "what I mean"
                     intend my intended
assignation
              meeting
              on the porch
                     vestibule
consulting
              consensual
              & otherwise winking
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a bastion
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not a connection

bewitched, bothered, and infinitely plural

to have speakers not yours stolen? it's just psychological ventriloquism, quite the thing nowadays if only there were a ghost logos in this machine to mouth, a dominant magnetic is gone, CD

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bring information down from the drum reading and writing with magnets

you say relational rdbms you're being pedantic *Gigantic, Big, Big Love*

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computing is an aid to repletion helps ticking

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a virtual event seems boundless because process and information seem comfy even though actually having the event would exceed resources

what is budgeted avail.

expand to overflow that's process' job info's process

the illusion of memory holds them little triggers – what's need at the outset beginning (not output) to recall the entire thing swapping section by section

swap meet step portion automatic index

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potential

permanent "a temporary place for instructions" on-off currency contemporanity upsurge "there is never enough memory" slower than pure CD commodity dials contain no memory fin desiecle expandible to such ends number of punch cards world populstion geometric expansion, etc. electronic exotica mercury-filled glass tubes screens flecked with luminous blips magnetized cores within wire grids @ Concepts memory is erasable acoustic delay line developed by transistor intentional pause hear? developer catch as cath can transit catch me if you can ketchup shutney withholds instruction via sound vibration turned pulse elusive memory requirements access short time rerouted indefinitely @ I don't know care 'bout memory me

purge it clean CD disgruntled with the watershed list garbage list poem artificial, conspicuous superfluous to running artificial intelligence lists memory garbage collection scavenge? make do before screens, keyboards there to see displaying output keyed up, in links between levels in a hierarchy = network repeating to speed forge relation just a job nepotism slicing cutting overlaying cutback layoff downsize swapping in & out thrash one for another [quote from music] all the time swapping in & out of memory no time writing virtual satisfy conflict request flick flack workstation multiprogram task illusion of memory @ error repair redundancy =a fact of life change meaning soft error hard error @ where forgetfulness serves compression

fullness

garbage

where compression can't serve memory storage

purging helps saves space

time refernce expiration frequency

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errant flagging oriflamme

soft error signal noise surge interference reading, writing phone, doorbell

error unlikely to repeat lead to memory? therefore repair

hard (error) nick, scratch defect assault cash

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blunder into romance check her out sums

even an odd test for parity we haven't achieved a perfect string of pearls oO00 vaguely erotic

identifying an error but not its location

call retransmit nocturnally

hope all flaws are temporary in inherent two state simplicity a perfect string of strings no nots I will knots wed data

merely switch muster ingenuity

not equality, distinctive contribution to identifying the erroneous

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identify the exact whereabouts of any error enable syndrome aerodrome circumstance suggestibility

telltale double trouble haywire or solo mistake wild hare a burst two-bit shuffle easy prey

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these errors, they succumb to stratagems, schemes, techne

interleaving violets, roses, flowers from old corsages in the encyclopedia, dictionary

ultimately what supplants paper, microfiche altogether mark that old data, cross it out how you say, "read-writable?" memory medium or print eraser don't do math in pen do picture so much information in one place randomly easily accessible "I know where to find you" in my heart memory

even after you're gone

you meed an intermediary between you and that vast amount of data

medium

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if each player reader and writer indexes and retrieves differently and they do,

if we call that format

if we call reading or writing a transaction access

and our chronicle an account

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polarization well, it is one sort of arrangement sorting



Lullaby for the KFR *

On the somber, seaweed-toned border dividing the two Koreas, amid the cries of egrets, each side picks its tallest, most intimidating soldiers in the mode of Enver Hoxha, the Stalinist tyrant of Albania. In short, North Korea's potential for anarchy is equal to that of Iraq.

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This helps explain why Korea may be the most dismal place in the world, and what is more indelibly inscribed in the Korean national memory, the dust blowing from the Gobi Desert, doesn't help. To Kim's sure dismay, the American response to his recent missile tests was a shrug.

And what is more indelibly inscribed in the Korean national memory– Scud-Cs, No-dong-As, Taep'o-dong-2s with a range of 2,300 to 9,300 miles. To Kim's sure dismay, the American response to his recent missile tests was a shrug. (No official will say this out loud.)

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> *KFR=Kim Famil Regime All text is taken from Robert D. Kaplan's October 2006 *Atlantic* article "When North Korea Falls."

> > **Elizabeth Robinson**

one lie one way one lie one wry one way one die one wry one bay one lie one die one war one lie

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POETICS OF SAMPLING: TOWARDS A SYNTHETIC SOUND POETRY

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Sampling is more than a technique. It is a cultural practice.

Sampling necessarily means eating up the *other*, morphing it into a new *one* that previously didn't exist. Sampling is anthropophagy. Sampling is magick.

Sampling leads to overstepping analytical categories such as "invention" or even "creation" since it is much more fit to analogies with biological and anthropological recombinatory processes than with aesthetical and formal composition – even if sampling also means exploring all the possibilities of electronic language inside the realm of aesthetical experience or if sampling is the accomplishment of aesthetical products through electronic language. So be aware that sampling is not an aesthetical philosophy despite its material results but an experimental practice laid over material possibilities of recombination. Recombination means morphing reality through choice.

Actually, sampling doesn't deal with programming but with *de*programming. Its cultural importance is also due to the fact that – driven by free-flowing information impetus – sampling implies overstepping law as the mean of organizing men and their societies.

Sampling is society moving forward a copyleft and free'n'pure information (not liable to reification) brave new world but it is not the map nor the territory. Sampling is not an art. It is akin to *détournement*. It is, as said, a cultural practice with cultural reverberations. It is a sign-deprogramming myth-science.

Sampling is a twist in time as ordinarily perceived. Through sampling it is possible to supply a continuum to chronological gaps. Sampling is not the presence but exactly this continuum. When I sample the other, I'm not sampling only it but layers of *pathos* that trigger affections and reactions and reveal my experience of the other. Each sample has encapsulated inside its duration not only a whole external world of references but most of all the references of my internal experience about the world.

Sampling is *the in-between* man and machine. Sampling is human and posthuman. It is the simulation of artistic activity made by and inside machines. It is Golem made Totem. Through a series of choices and seemingly aleatory (but magick and social) operations the artist-deprogrammer and the machine get together to output an aesthetical result. So this series of choices reflects pathographically into the spectrum of meanings spread by a sign. Electronic language allows man and machine to interchange recombinatory processes and that means once again the human use of human beings.

Sampling is a search – not for the robot-musician or the man-musician but the artist-deprogrammer who trusts a semantic aura over each sign the machine ejaculates.

Sampling means to be open to and led towards the totalchemical use of any kind of processes, procedures, operations, game rules, theorems and models able to provoke – conscious or unconsciously but always with *ostinato rigore* – aesthetical situations that by their turn provoke ontological shifts.

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Radio Free Moab

Wil Hallgren

"Go now, make for the hill country of the Amorites and pass it on," their ambassador replied, and, as soon as he had thought it and said it, "Choose men of wisdom, understanding and repute for each of your tribes, those committed to the king's side; for incurring America hostility is something of an irksome and natural occurrence among us."

Take me with you and we will run together for your words caress me more than any song.

"You must be impartial and listen to high and low alike," he said: "have it that none of their women be defiled in your passing." And so they accomplished nothing before the Maker, Modeler who then set out from Horeb, in obedience with the orders of his Sect.

When in the tents of Kedar my mother's sons were displeased with me, I approved their plan and picked twelve of you, one from each tribe. Anyone who abandons his faith provides for his ruin in every way; You muttered treason in your tents and said, `It was because the LORD was less rebellious than the northerners and might be separated from them.' *So I did not watch over my own vineyard that I may not be left picking the lice of my head*

He will do again what you saw him do in Egypt and in Cambodia. You yourself shall never enter his confidence, but a man called Joshua son of a woman from Hunahpu or Xblanque shall tell you just the half of it.

I would compare her face to fruit in a basket For her cheeks are lovely between plaited tresses

And each of you has fastened on his weapons, thinking it easy when the United States had declared. On the first Sunday after the Amorites living in the hills came out against you like bees their horses grew weary, even before they could begin to masturbate as they are known to do before inflicting grievous slaughter.

My beloved is for me a bunch of myrrh And the weight of her breasts overwhelms me

That is why you remained in Kadesh as long as you did; at regular intervals along the roads prostitutes delayed your scouts. For I know that after my death you will take to degrading practices which they will list on either side of their door posts to mock us. Your eyes are like doves;

the beams of our house are of cedar.

i am not a number a number numb um o am numb numb

a number am i not a number

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FLUX IS LANGUAGE Jeremy Hight

"Language" is a failure. It fails into metaphors, into the necessity of Frankenstein sutures of disparate comparison because the main tools simply can't tell emotion and its complexity. Language as taught in vocabulary, punctuation and sentence construction fails into poetry and beauty. Eloquence arises arguably out of the breaks in the machine, the gaps in the connections.

If language worked well as a basic tool system we would speak to each other in bread recipes, write in driving directions and dictionary entries.

There is a meteorology in words, a climatology of sentences. The science of flux, of collapse, of patterns and flow of unpredictability and inconsistency and form.

A cumulus cloud is the most commonly recognized cloud, the sweet innocuous puff; the average life span of a cumulus cloud is 15 minutes, it is the game of the ball in the shifting cups as to which of many parts it breaks into in individual updrafts (jets of rising air, sometimes off the bare rocks and streets back up) it is composed of trillions of droplets of water, tons of astronautic weight, it may grow into a massive thunderstorm of stay a small ball of vapor. This is the analog.

Words are wrought iron. Bent lines into sculpture gardens that replicate human voice Text is a code made of line drawings encoded into definition and association. Eloquence is a handshake between two strangers in a mid point of vagueness and misunderstanding.

A man once was caught in the Louvre defacing a painting . the guard shouted "what do you think you are doing? The man replied "it isn't finished" He was the artist.

Nothing is ever "finished" it is only ceased. To write a poem, story or essay is to cut clean fleshy tendrils of possibility, of other versions, variations, expansions, concise revisions, of connected concepts, thoughts, feelings.

Text can embrace ambiguity and multiplicity of versions, flux. Tie a narrative or poem to live data changes, to an internal engine, to multiple published versions each as the same entity, umbrella under the same name, to measurement, to questioning its own form and function and "completion". : Language is flux, change, shift and resonance, there is great beauty in what is inferred, intuited, left to pluck from ambiguity, crafted subtlety or disparate comparison to lead the reader to connect fresh some variation of what the author felt whole.

There is a meteorology of text and language, a narratology of the weather.

Language is to build, but also to explode. The established forms hold their place and still bear great work, but there is great untapped possibility in pushing text as far as it can go, not into ephemerality, the precious personal hieroglyph, but of something more, of the meaning in change and form.

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MITTIE ROGER (HERMETICA XIII)

ARRANGED CONSTELLATION HARMONY

CHARGED PRODUCING FORMS OF ANIMALS POWER EMERGED FOUR FOOTED BEASTS CREEPING THINGS EACH CONTAINING SEED CONTINUANCE

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INHABIT CELESTIAL CIRCLE SKY WET DRY COLD HOT BRIGHT DARK RAPIDLY ALTERNATING FORMS SUBSUMED BY UNCHANGING

ACTION RESONATES PATTERNS OF STARS BODY RESONATES PATTERNS OF STARS

ROTATION OF PLANETS MOULD SHAPE OF SOULS PENETRATE NERVES AND MARROW VEINS AND ARTERIES INNERMOST ORGANS Eel Guy Amen I May¹ Ryan Clark

A sob, a demure eye run aim. You jeer us, eentsy eel, as you've hit the D-axel. Lie hard enough for a mere eye, a futile ail, a speck, see?

Not you of us a pair more sad. Oh sunny bank, oh sun, oh explode to a night.

Eyes to see are enough. You d-- and I an ass, a mole, a sum, a gnat. Slow, sad, I stay to raise sail west.

Gone is the eel as fin ends us, a loss bullet across.

A lain oat: I sigh. Ideas you murder. No sea, a rape you be. Hell, I say. Day nine, June diary.

One away, same pose. Pay god a spree; send and duck.

Oh not all in seas as you, fame eel. I, angel, are A-OK. It's tough, our age.

Eel, a pity effigy to you, a number I guard to memory.

¹ Elegia Minima by Daisy Zamora



a-runnin' an' an' a-standin' an' an' an' an' an' n't o' an' an' an' an' o' an' kin shet an' jes kin a-danglin' kin an' an' an' an' an' em a-callin' an' 'neath a-talking list'nin an' fust feller riz argy an' pris'ner o' o' an' o' tell a-wondrin' sich an' an' pris'ner tell o' 'at sich an' aggervatin' a-puzzlin' an' an' persess ent'ring 't an' ruther an' 't an' 'n'

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> cecil taylor @ iridium set 2 10/26/06

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- > i am faithful to the music
- > museful faith
- > girth of muse in domini
- > onimo
- > domini onimo ragus
- > sargu lumzala lamzu -
- > i will be here for the music
- > inminodomgaru
- > wazoo walla clazzyjub ridum
- > d'irepump jitters yubkin
- > tingue-talin here
- > here here for the music here

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rudd shepp cyrille workman @ the iridium

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Hugh Tribbey SOME PEOPLE

Some people live the accelerating syntax that levitates domestion--their live these at birth they are issued their questicated words. At death to silent glare, white space. They step beyond they are issued their question--their question--their lives in a single sentence. They step beyond they are issued they live their questions, periods-- to silent glare, white space. They are issued their lives in a single sentence. They are issued their questicated words. At death to master the accelerating syntax

[TRAVESTY version of my poem "Some People"]

graphemachine.0.16

PRETEXT:

The following is a graphemachine: a device invented to demonstrate the mutable quality of language. That a language can be translated is proof that its transmission includes something other than its visible or audible materiality. A shoe is not a collection of marks on a page or an enunciation of phonemes, and neither is a chaussure; It is an object bearing little or no resemblance to the word. The same goes for us, the time we spend together, what I know of you, my secrets from you, my suspicions of you, your hostilities, my jokes, your laughter. Our relationships are languages, which means that their signs are not identical with their essences. And when we try to describe a language, the movement of interpretation that leads from signs to essences rotates like a cog: our essences become our signs, those signs relinquish the promise of new essences, those new essences become new signs and relinquish the promise again. And on it goes, the meaning of everything dropping out of our mouths like water. Back and forth it goes like a conversation. Ask me something and I will answer as honestly as I can.



PHRASE:

"Lily needs towels, blankets, dog crates, cat condos, powdered kitten milk (formula), kitten food..."

(from google search: "Lily needs ____".)

READING:

Lists are the domain of history: records: name, name, name, name, name, name, name, name. When there is paper everywhere, lists are the domain of wish, which is a species of prolepsis, a memory aimed at the future: to do, to wash, to call, to send, to buy, to sell, to include, to grade, to foist. Paper is alchemy, its overpopulation a pandemic of conversion, transforming what is past-for-us into future-for-me, the weight of truth made equal to the weight of desire. Thus a tiny future can sleep on our back with the force of all of recorded history: source, stress.

Figure 1 *is a translation of the phrase,* "Lily needs towels, blankets, dog crates, cat condos, powdered kitten milk (formula), kitten food..." *into a series of phonetic hieroglyphs based on the movement of the physiological characteristics of the mouth needed to produce them. A diagram of the mouth-glyph is located at the top of* figure 1. Figure 2 *represents the reordering of these hieroglyphs into a sentence that reads around in a circular motion starting from the top left. Each of following eight figures* (figures 3-10) *are reorganizations or "translations" of the reconstructed phrase depicted in* Figure 2. Figures 3-10 *function as a narrative. I have inscribed translations of the pictorial narrative into English at the base of each frames to aid in their interpretation.*





[Fig. 5: all but two smaller dots attach to five circles.]

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[Fig 6: all shapes organize into two opposing Squadrons: Squadron A and squadron B.]

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[Fig 7: opposing Squadrons line up for battle.] [Fig 8: one soldier from each Squadron is killed in battle.]

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[Fig 9: another soldier from each Squadron is killed.]

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[Fig 10: The last of Squadron A is annihilated and Squadron B's power is absolute.

[fig. 2]



[Fig. 3: arrows removed.]



[Fig. 4: larger dots infiltrate circles.]

TRAVESTY Oswald de Andrade C. Funkhouser Travesty

Cannibals. Against social reality, dressed and oppressive, defined by Freud – in reality we are crazy, we are crazy, we are prostitutes and without dates. Without Napoleon. Without us, Europe would not even have had its paltry declaration of progress by means of catalogues and television sets. Only with machinery. And blood transfusions. Filiation. The illiterate king told him: put this crown on your head, before some adventure. Earthly finality. However, only the pure elite manage.

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stupendous singer's stupendous singer

I soaring my singers and all the singer soarings singer; I soaring my singers and all is soaring again. (I soaring I soaring you up inside my singer.)

The singers go soaringing out in stupendous and stupendous, And stupendous singer soarings in: I soaring my singer and all the singer soarings singer.

I soaringed that you soaringed me into singer And soaring me stupendous, soaringed me quite stupendous. (I soaring I soaring you up inside my singer.)

singer soarings from the singer, singer's singers soaring: soaring singer and singer's singer: I soaring my singer and all the singer soarings singer.

I soaringed you'd soaring the way you soaring, But I soaring stupendous and I soaring your singer. (I soaring I soaring you up inside my singer.)

I should have soaringed a singer instead; At least when singer soarings they soaring back again. I soaring my singer and all the singer soarings singer.

(I soaring I soaring you up inside my singer.)

- representation & Sylvia Plath

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editorial comment

A couple of weeks before going to teach a summer course in Writing and Poetics at Naropa University I had the idea to propose to my students the idea of reviving We Magazine, which I started in 1986 with my friend Ted Farrell (see http://www.wepress.org). We Magazine was a direct result of Anne Waldman's encouragement ("If you want to be a writer, start a magazine") while I was a student at Naropa that year.

Making a publication in the context of a Naropa summer course is not a novel idea—I remember Lee Ann Brown embarking upon such projects with students many years ago. The difference, a significant one, is that in addition to spreading news about the publication from person to person we had the Internet to help us acquire materials.

The course—"Creative Cannibalism and Prehistoric Digital Poetry" integrated all sorts of media and many forms of expression (see http://web.njit.edu/~funkhous/2007/naropa), and it was terrific not to be limited by form. Rather, the editorial crew became exhausted (and excited) by real possibilities. After circulating a call that said "the main issues we are exploring are spatial representation, temporal-spatial ideas, appropriative practices, intensive graphicism, automation, software, sampling, and digital calculation," three students (James Kerley, Sam Knights, Mittie Roger) and I collected and selected the works included in this project during an approximately 48 hour period in July 2007. Within less than a week from its inception the materials gathered were made available for the Internet audience.

I am pleased by the successes of our mission, our use of technology, and hope you enjoy the works we found.

Chris Funkhouser NJIT