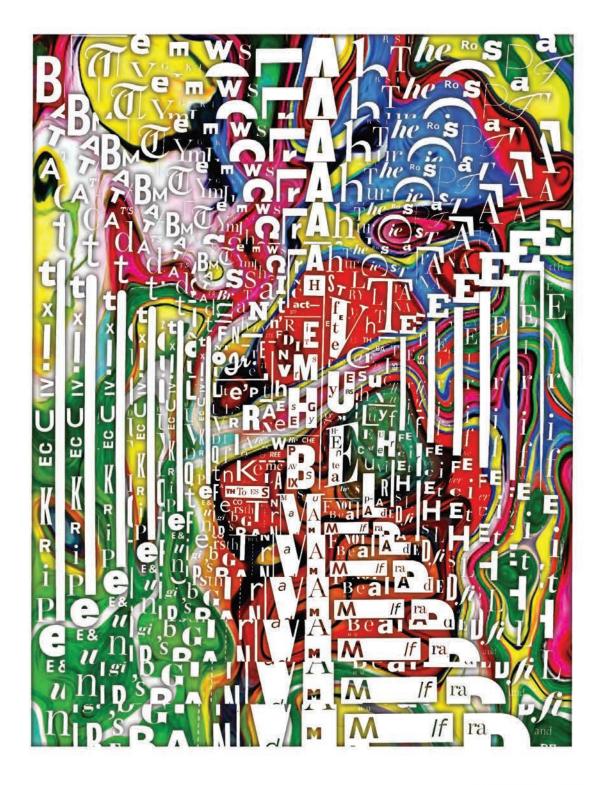
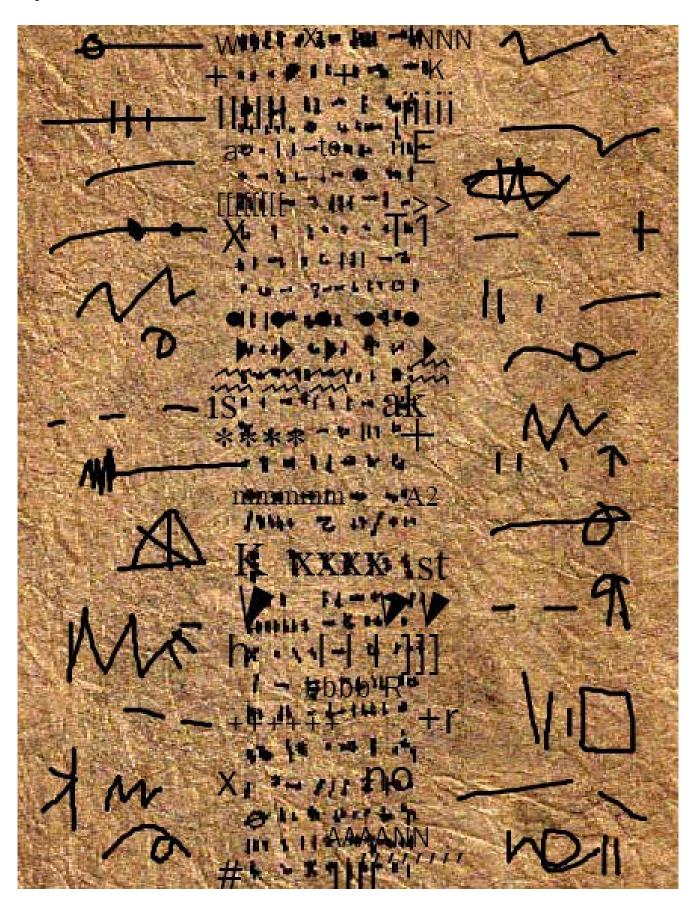
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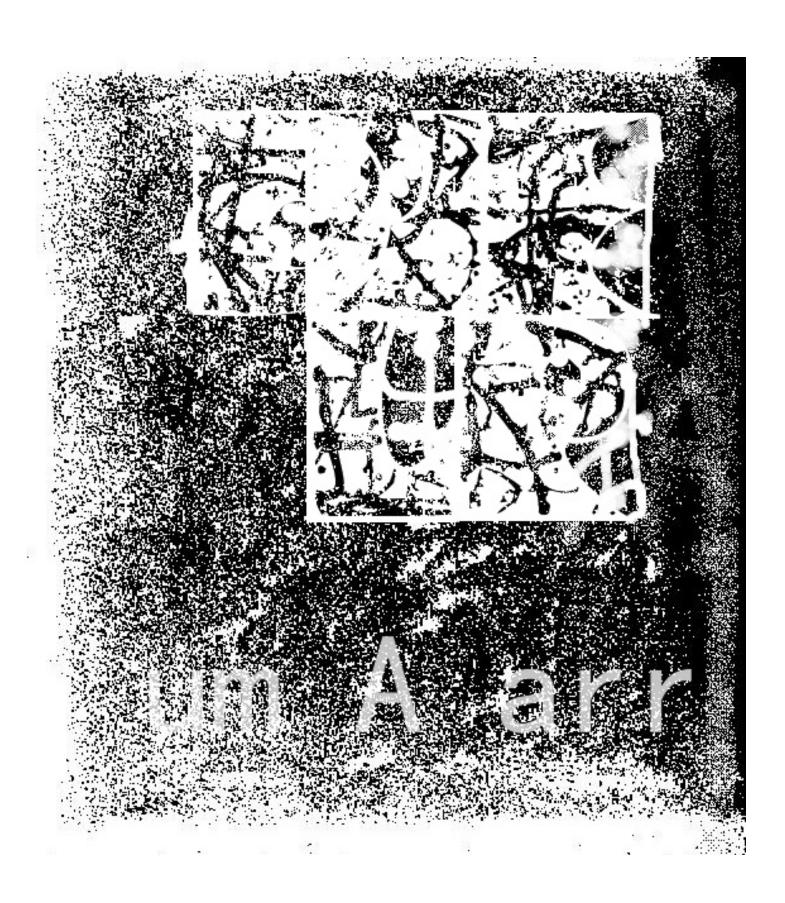


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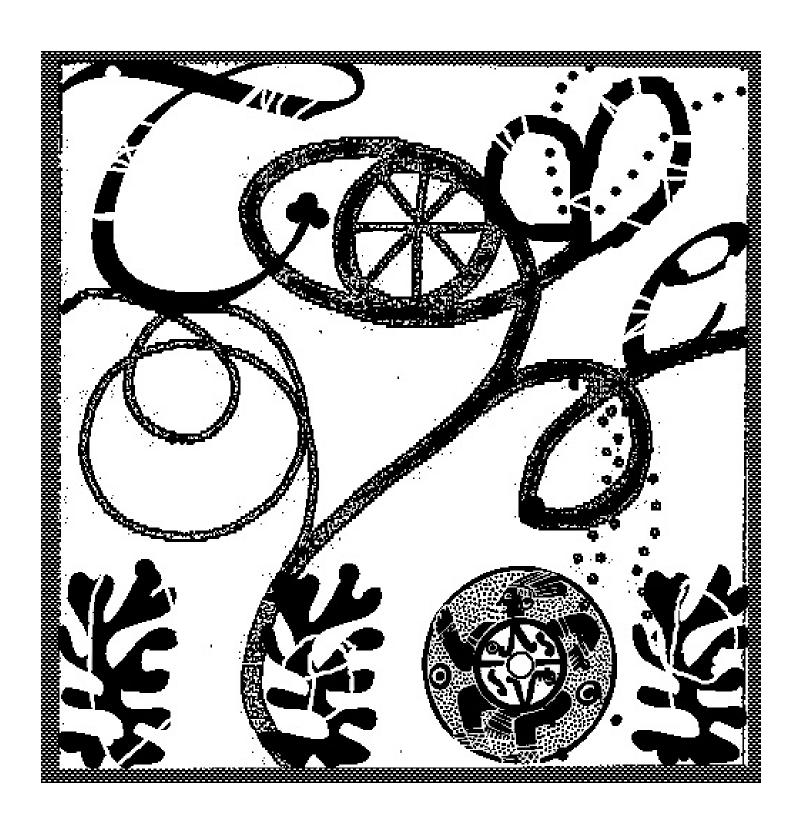


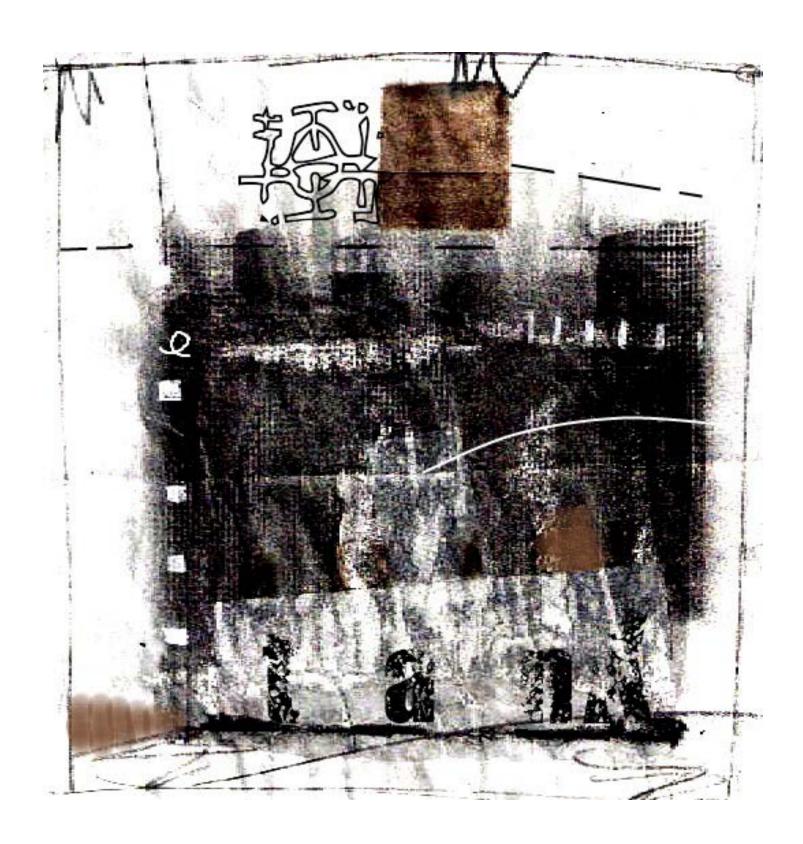


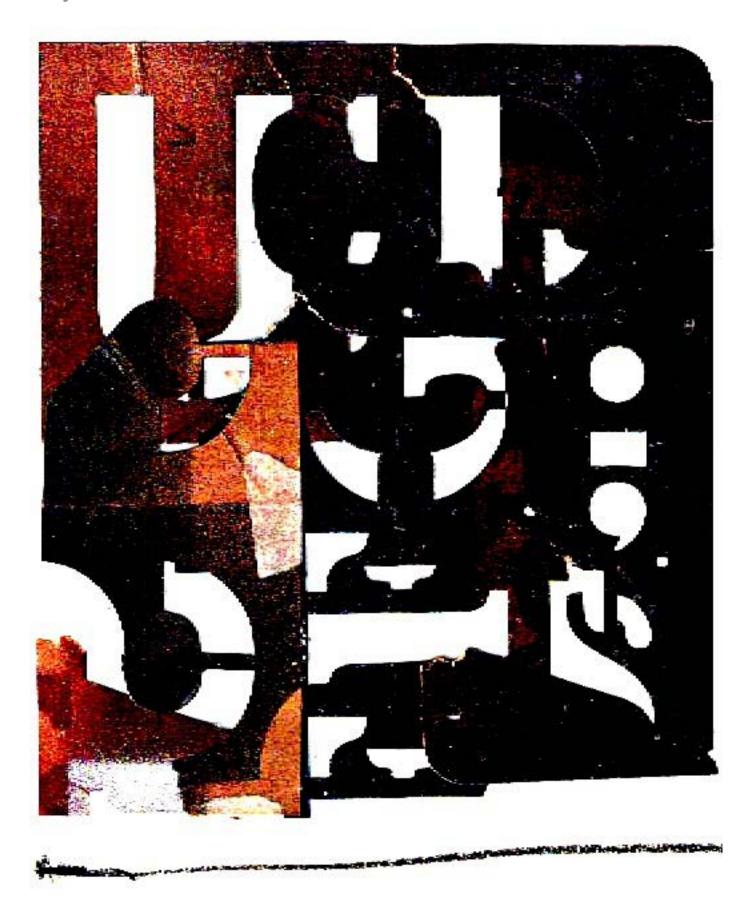


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#### A HISTORY OF THE THEORIES OF RAINS

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After clouds caves until present time when engineer / picnickers examine the sky with climate anxiety

rivers depend on rain flow questions being given answers probable cause and meaning

ancienne mystique developed every science to maximize its ethereal methods and prop dictators in rising markets

Probably everything written ought to be classified nevertheless mental constructions founded on observation make them writhe even without recent theories drained philosophers the truth did nothing hydrometers didn't simply calculate yawning gaps and avoid them crisis-wise

Rain of course almost certain testament and indication of thought the physical rain a passage indicates water upon the earth in book inserted climate dew a moisture and references usually clouds which indicate Ceaseless gouttelettes

> How pleasant to say small rain rather than drizzle

Say to phenomena: names become terms

philosophers / precepts mix combinations

little Empedocles and pages on elements

I love to stand in the downpour reading lines on window panes

The falling of liquid into things as of equal floods together for associated chronometers form evapora they cloud over and fires matter matter

system says
earth
haunts
elements
the wind
copulates
with flora
a diversionary
tactic of flesh
remembering
condensation

Clouds from the efficient revolution drizzle theory speculations and water come to note mountains above interpretation other rain On the Heavens potentially between air and water noted calm en bas

Violent hand it happens the shortness of their fall

observations contradicting atomists people leave origins

the process is weather performance theories of moving air

Hippocrates a place clouds descend and doubt from winds

pieces within time theory motions to their views

how extraordinary to be fucked by the burst

Cosmology clouds minds authority 'On Clouds' that wind is holy wandering the empty science suddenly away into clouds

> Thinkers understanding the universe liken rain to eloquence

a particular firmament is possible or unlikely

according to the wind after doctrine another weather

bringing fire inner burst falling hydrometers

therefore the clouds their hands condense society

Century of nature little may by power be bundled

2

VOIX

To show

The molecules

The idea

The air

Meteors

In these storms

Quoting

Motion

Growth

And one

Dispersed

Proved theory

Mere dew

#### **TOMBER**

**Exhalations** 

Of knowledge

Raindrop

Theories

The problem

Of a cloud

Is itself

Extremely verbose

Chemical manifesto

At this

Conclusion

Substances

Of a fluid

Inflammable air

Precipitate

Furious causes

#### **PLEUT**

A mechanism Ought to be air Flowing towards Measurement

Even uprisings
Have been drenched
In the weather of
Calculation

We have more Elasticity
Of the Idea

And liquid Knowledge

To go forth
With or without
Umbrellas

I have dreamed of these
Little worlds
Droplets
The pain of trying
To change everything
Once its course has
Been set and we've
Fallen on the sidewalks
Our voices rivulets
Running into the street
Another downpour
Downturn or
The bottom falling out of
The buckets behind out eyes

#### **UNIVERS**

We effect meteorology
Misunderstanding that
Budget is inaccurate
The amount with
Axiom perplexity
Analysis showed
Gas's resurrection
Reprinted results
Subject's moist error
Involved necessity
Ascending the
Valves at the
Ends of our fingers
Opening doors to deluge
And happenstance

#### **HAUT**

Invisible atmosphere
The tiny products
Water the night
As the *academie*Tints the wine

Above the thermometer
The latter effect—
His contribution
The formation
Of some leaves
And a theory of hails

I am interested in storms Even little squalls Hold a canny likeness

The fissures in Theories and schools

Did we take this too far Into the mundane?

No precedents For our delinquents

Who rabble outside While awnings close

And the deluge They call it Comes to our streets

All paper Becoming digital liquid As it crests

Miming parapets Storm drains And blazing run-offs

SUBDIVISION, SOUTHERN ONTARIO (WHEN THE RISK OF STAYING IS GREATER THAN THE RISK OF LEAVING)

The houses here crowd the jaw-line street, too many teeth, insomnia traffic. Every turn a blood clot of cars. I crush against

my chest these days with unfinished basements. I know

people here who drive the highway, leaning in to death like it was their neon dashboard

and

spruce trees have not survived the winter – their nursery tags limp around brittle twigs

like braceleted newborns no one could save.

> I've heard that elsewhere, chlorophyll can build cathedrals. From under plastic patio grass, ghosts

of rosehips can mist beveled glass.

Still, what signatures of these in the candle smoke on the ceiling?

Sky-licked moth whites. Sparrows in the Victorian pear.

I don't want to speak small of these raw rooted things.

Forget what's unsaid in the

stilted spray of

lawn sprin-

klers. Soaking what

won't root in

the ground. Now,

I am

acrylic tender on the scepter's petal

gothic necatries' green spectrums

saplings disspersing

moss dessicate

abundance masting

lobed cleft cuneate

one leaf per petiole

capsule pod samaras

suntensed chalked-blue longifolia parsley white blurred herbaceous

autumn fennel stem spires

sand plunge seeding

gemmed summer alpine high

hardy tuber stub

smooth medicine stocks

carmine-throated successions of

dead-headed cluster sprays I say flared violet chimes

bone campanula bulging

pixie-hat bells

centered scarlet red

I can't be bricked in

because

I am here now, a being believing

in lotus seeds

from the tombs of pharos that have germinated

after three thousand years

and then one morning it began to rain

it fell late into the night and into the next morning and after several days the basement flooded and then the yard and the tea house woman worried for the rest of her house and paced the wide length of her kitchen wondering aloud whether it was not prudent to close up shop

but when the first small group of townspeople arrived soaked and shivering in a battered rowboat she became immediately capable and reached for their rope and secured them with a buntline hitch to the bottom rail of her front porch

she instructed me at once to open the curtains of the spare rooms to let in whatever light there was and to draw up the fires and bring down the cots from the attic to place around the beds from which I knew to remove the chill each night with an unforgiving supply of antique warming pans

first one week passed and then another and then a month and nearly an entire season in that rain

I grew fearful we would exhaust the stores of our pantry

when the day came that we were certain to run out of food the tea house woman made a decision

we would prepare it all and have a feast

all over the house we ate in silence

our hands and forks moving in and out of shadows cast by branches waving in at us from beyond the windows

our faces distorted

lost to the motions of chewing and swallowing and chewing

all of us eating our fill and returning to the kitchen for more and again for more but eating more slowly so as to prolong the inevitable

until at last our hands and mouths were still

everyone retired early to their rooms

no one expected me to warm the beds that night but someone had warmed mine while I had washed and dried the dishes

tucked into the warmth of my sheets and covers in the corner of the attic I had made my own so long ago I marveled at the silence of the tea house below and sobbed myself to sleep

unaccustomed to such warmth or comfort

in the morning I woke abruptly to sound of cheers and the heat of the sun on my face

as if a drain had been unplugged the water had receded overnight and the world outdoors seemed bright and newly shined again

downstairs in the sitting room the tea house woman indicated that the time had come for everyone to leave

gathering their strength the townspeople went back to their rooms and brought down their few belongings

when I opened the front door we discovered on the porch three enormous wooden crates screwed tight and addressed to me someone brought me a ladder and I worked at the topmost screws of the first crate

someone else or maybe the same person helped me gently down so I could get the bottom screws

when at last the last screw slid out I felt myself grabbed around the waist and pulled from the huge wet wooden side that shuddered and creaked as it began to fall

it sighed wide open

exhaled a thin white stream of tiny butterflies that poured out into a huge shimmering cloud and hovered all around us

the townspeople's faces flittered in and out of view as the creatures swarmed all around me

swirling in and out of all the empty spaces around our bodies

I closed my eyes and listened to the beating of their wings against each other's wings and felt the pulse and throb of their collective rabble on my eyelids and cheeks and wanted that moment to never end because each alight and touch felt like the tea house woman's fingertips on my face

her lips on the back of my neck

the ends of her hair trailing down my chest

and then I was at the task of the second crate

when it opened a burst of hot light shot out and warmed me through as if from somewhere deep inside my most secret desires

my hands stopped shaking and my teeth didn't clatter anymore and I looked around and saw the townspeople in various states of undress

and then the third crate and the violent sound of crashing smashed over me as a wall of dark red rose petals spilled onto our feet and surged through our wide-legged stances as we reached out and held each other steady as the petals continued to gush and tumble forward and pushed through the spaces between the porch banisters and settled at last into a small red pond that bubbled once then trickled away on the glistening lawn into the shape of a long thin path that stretched farther away than I could see

I turned back to the crates and saw their inner walls were lined with thickly padded red crushed velvet

each one held nearly a hundred dresses hanging in individually wrapped garment bags

everyone waited for me to move or say something until at last the tea house woman reached up and plucked a small envelope bearing my name and handed it to me

AFTER MANY YEARS
I HAVE COLLECTED THEM ALL
WITH JUST TWO EXCEPTIONS

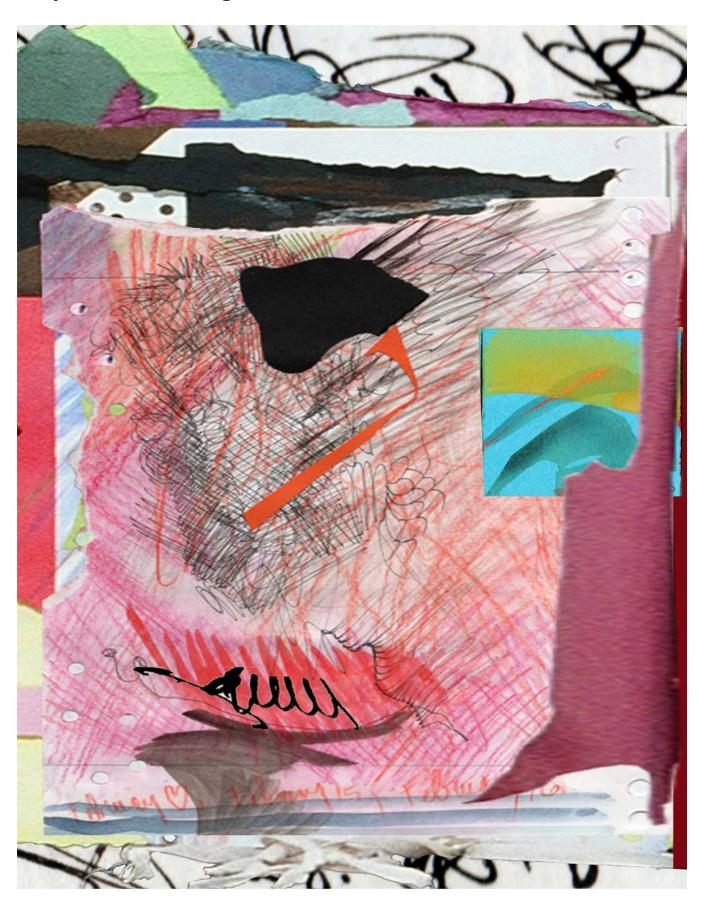
A GOLDEN NEEDLE LACE WEDDING DRESS IN THE ATTIC OF THE TEA HOUSE THAT YOU RESIDE IN CURRENTLY

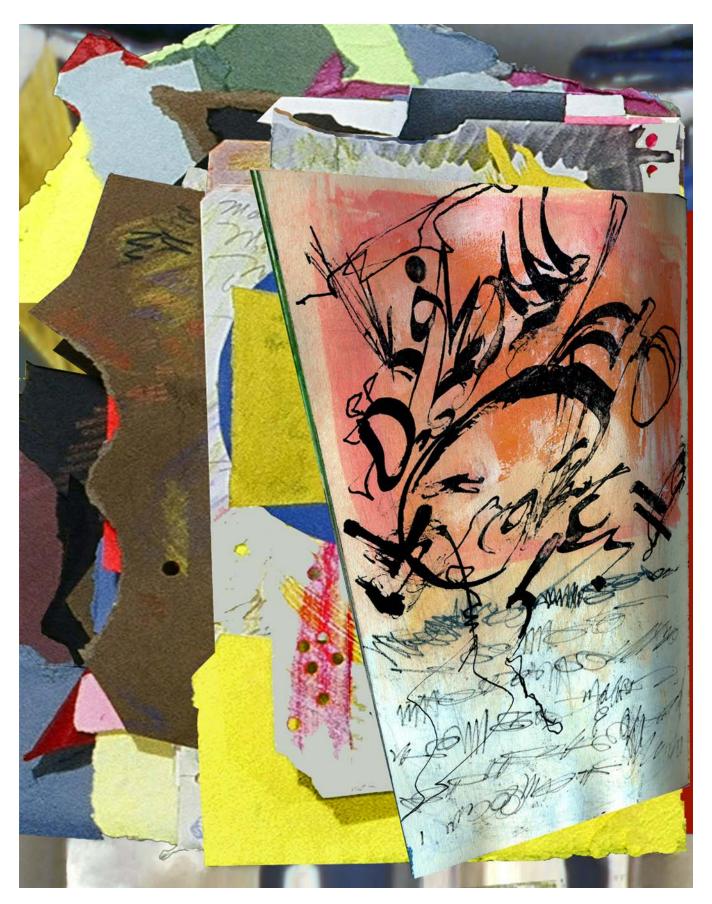
AND A RED CLOAK IN THE CLOSET
OF THE COTTAGE ON PRYNNE STREET
WHICH YOU NOW OWN

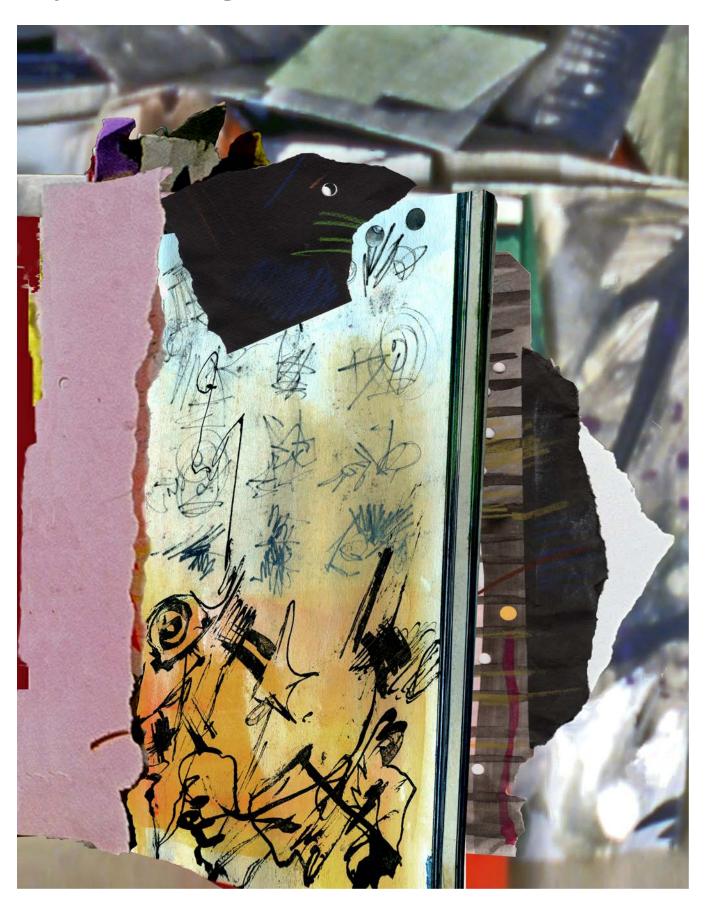
AND ARE FREE TO RETURN TO AT ANY TIME

HAPPY 18TH BIRTHDAY

YOUR MOTHER'S FRIEND
—CHARLOTTE





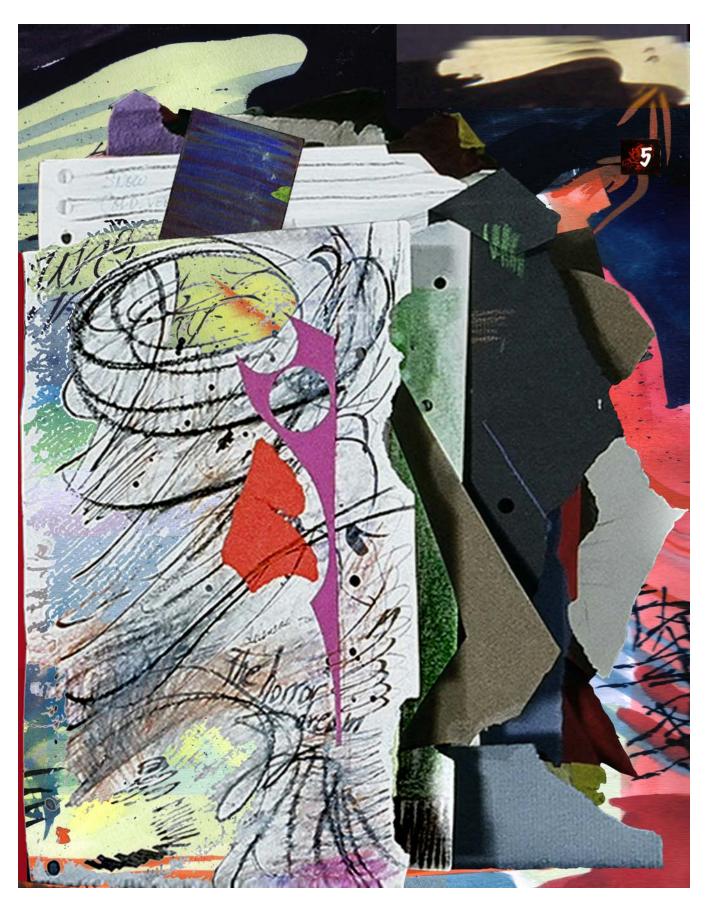












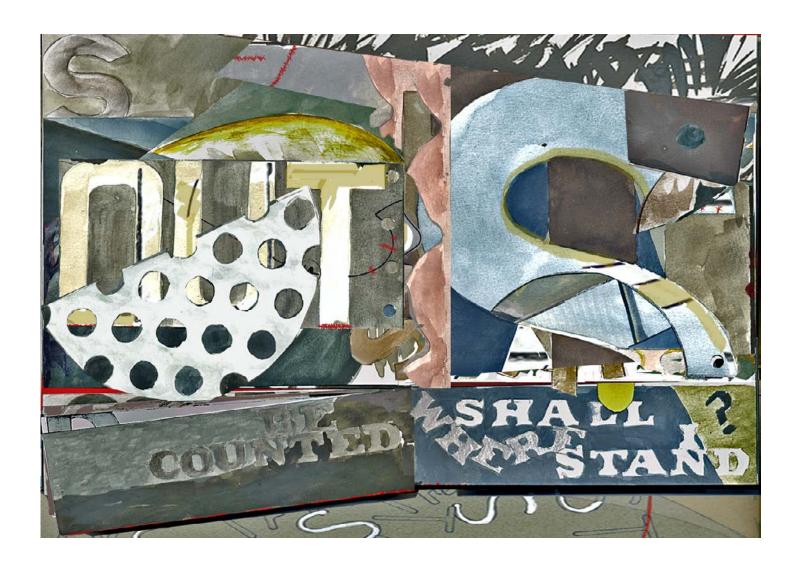














#### **DID YOU BELIEVE ME?**

during Ron Silliman's "What"

Have you seen the boulevard? The waffle? The rain? It's tough to be automated, to sit on the wooden bench at a stoplight and hold on to the trees. The trees repeat into the distance. At the end is a banquet and the sound of a piano, a black and white bird, startled and wrapped in plastic. I'm just kidding. Did you believe me? I emerged from the Norton Anthology and learned how to breathe, how to freckle the paint, how to identify a noun in a crate of soft drinks. A horse taught an enthusiastic class on how to snort. He spiralled through his automated language, his tail stretching to the horizon, several blocks away. He had only recently left the sanitorium. Children played with a forest in a bookstore that specialized in graffiti.

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#### **BUILDINGS, WINTER**

What is frozen in the road? Who has castrated Bill? I saw that movie about a milk jug on a frozen road. A saleswoman danced on a giant turntable, clutching a frozen Spaniard. Wineglasses wobble on the surface of the glistening sun. Did I say sun? Where is the egg? Who took the pair of winkels and plunged them into gloom? See that - by the spatula? The poems have all fused and now Joe can't get them out of his hair. This is not to his taste. A, you're egregious. B, you're mayonnaise. Would someone volunteer to tie me up and study meteorology? The nurse is named Adder Ondack and she has saved several buildings like I told her to.

#### THREE EXERCISES

after	Joe	Brainara	l
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1.

Enter a phone booth and phone a number randomly. Ask what hours they are open for bowling. Be persistent. Do not take no for an answer.

Conclusion: Invisible bowling pins are the easiest to knock down.

2.

Next time you are in a mall and a Beatles song comes over the PA, sing the words to "Sympathy for the Devil."

Conclusion: Satan can be found in the most unexpected places.

3.

Don't cut your toenails for six months. You may need to buy a lot of new socks.

Conclusion: Your nails continue growing, even while you're alive.

#### **SONNET**

Stranger in a Strange Land.
The Bonzo Doo Dah Dog Band.
A Raisin in the Sun.
Atilla the Hun.
Preston Sturgess.
Anthony Burgess.

My Favorite Martian. Johnny Carson. Mama Told Me Not to Come. Eve Plumb. Wislawa Szymborska. Federico García Lorca.

Cagney and Lacey. John Wayne Gacy.

#### **MELOPHANOLOGO**

The doorknob considers its qualities: the hand, the turn. Outside, leaves leaf through leaves of Philip Levine, while, inside, a porcelain mug shatters on the kitchen table. An earlobe bleeds; drops hit the linoleum floor. Consciousness is only the memory of consciousness. Ring! Hello? Ring! Hello? Ring! Hello?

#### **EYE DROP**

I dropped an anvil on his head.
He had just dropped by. I drop
anvils in those situations. I dropped
bricks, but then I dropped anvils: much better.
I drop names too. I never dropped
acid, but I will drop drops in my eyes
in jail. Glaucoma drops by
my eyes. I drop everything.

#### **JOE POTURNAK 416-755-6794**

Joe's eyebrows became thick, lumbering, as he licked the stamp hinges. His son was stuck on a turnpike, his daughter collected raw potatoes. Melba remained taciturn, squeezed each lemon into a pitcher of ice, poured four glasses and carried them on a wooden tray to the garage, put them on her tractor, drove through the wall, and she was free.

#### **AND BOING**

after Robert Walser's "Und Ging"

The swinger leased the shiny shack and boing! he became a wanderer.

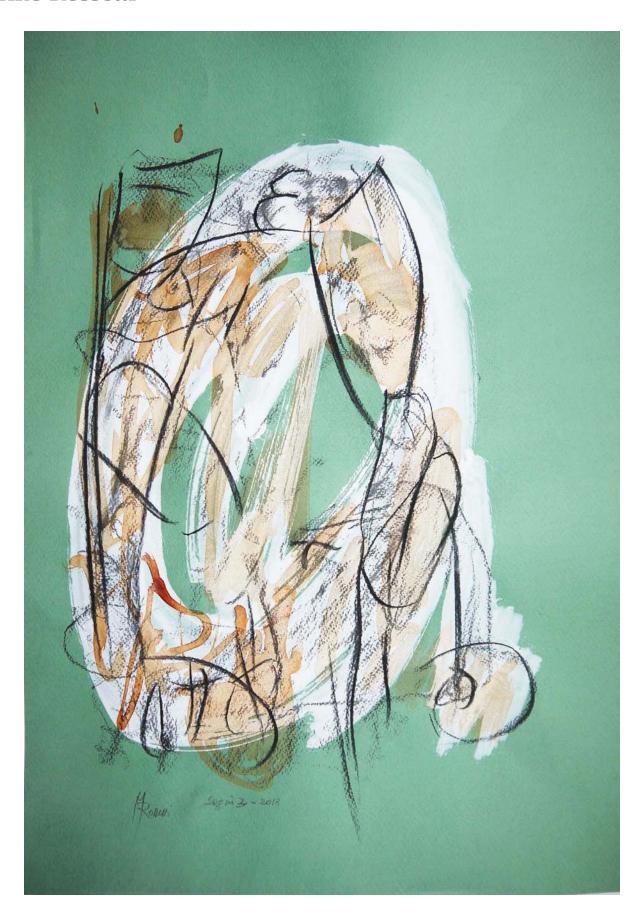
The blathering rabbi was a democratic bomb and boing! he became a rawhide vegetable.

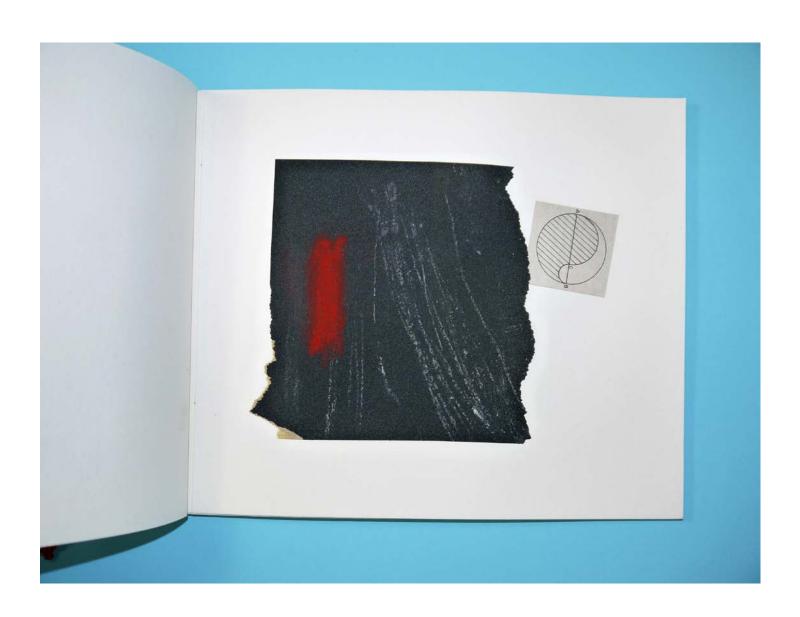
See the tilt of a landlocked garden toward Australia, and boing! you're the king of the world.

It's nightlight applause and a turtle, and boing! it becomes a leaden hearse.

The psycho dachshund lifts his hurt snout and boing! he has become the Arms of Man.

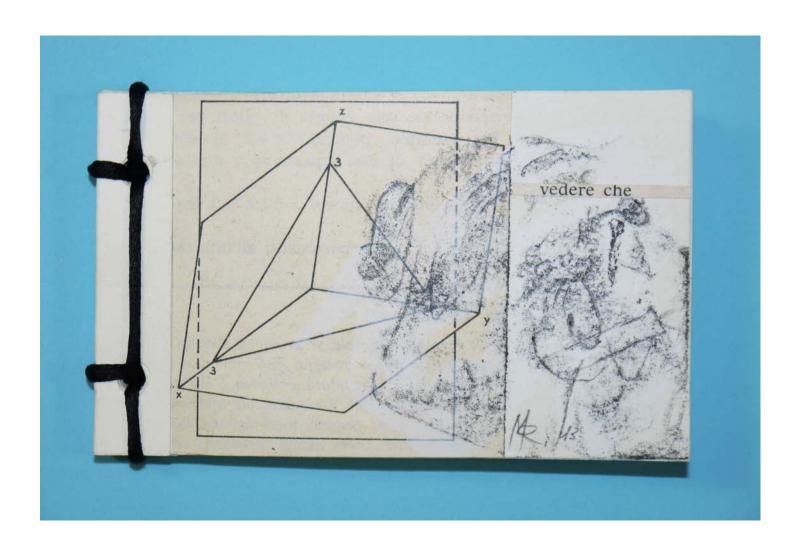




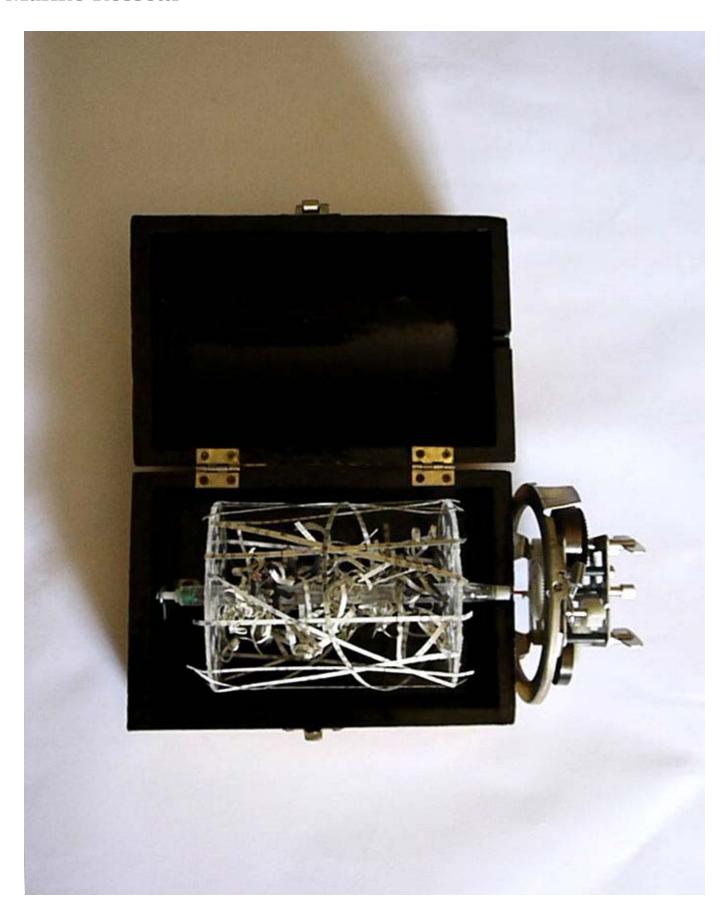


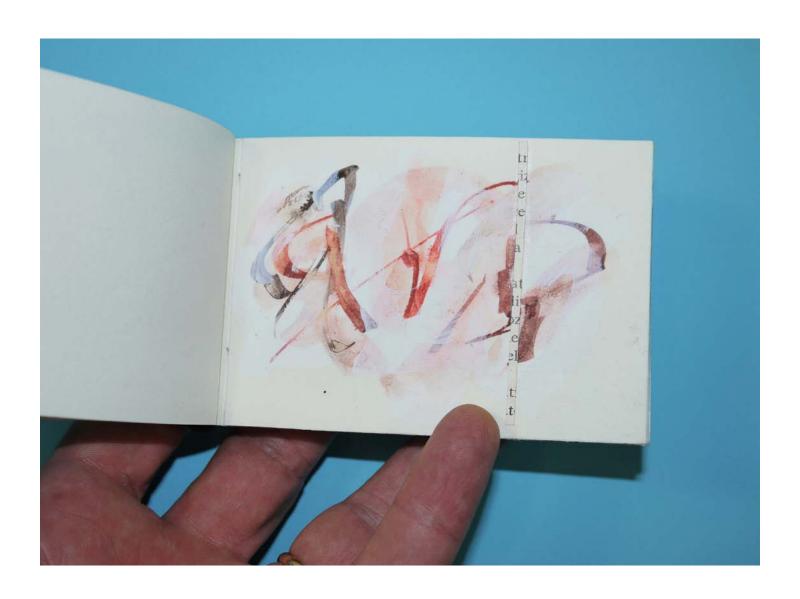










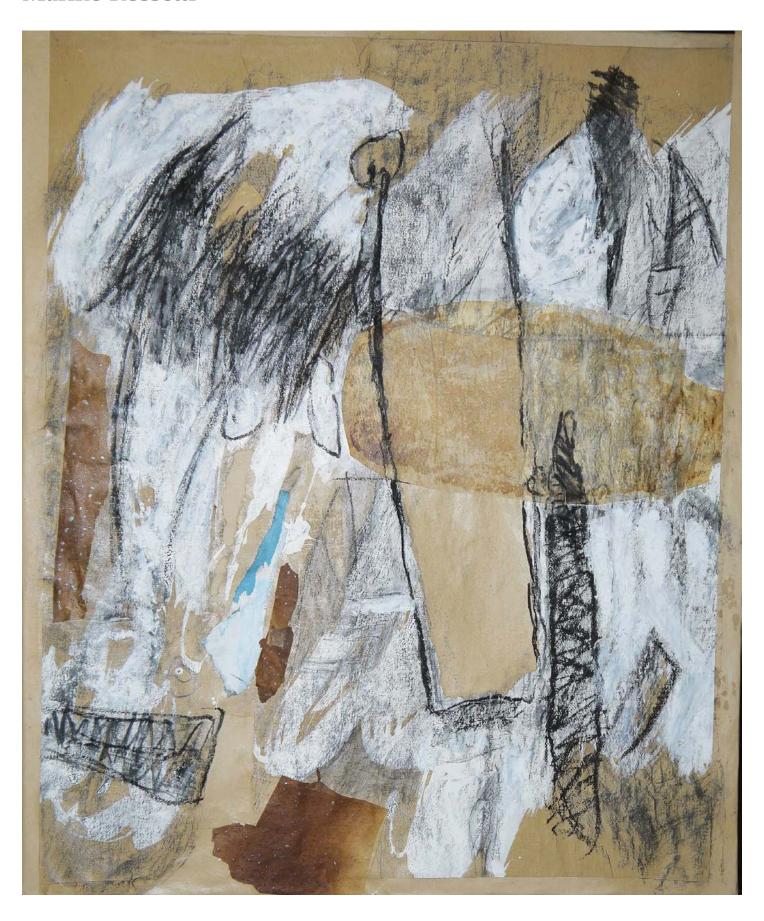




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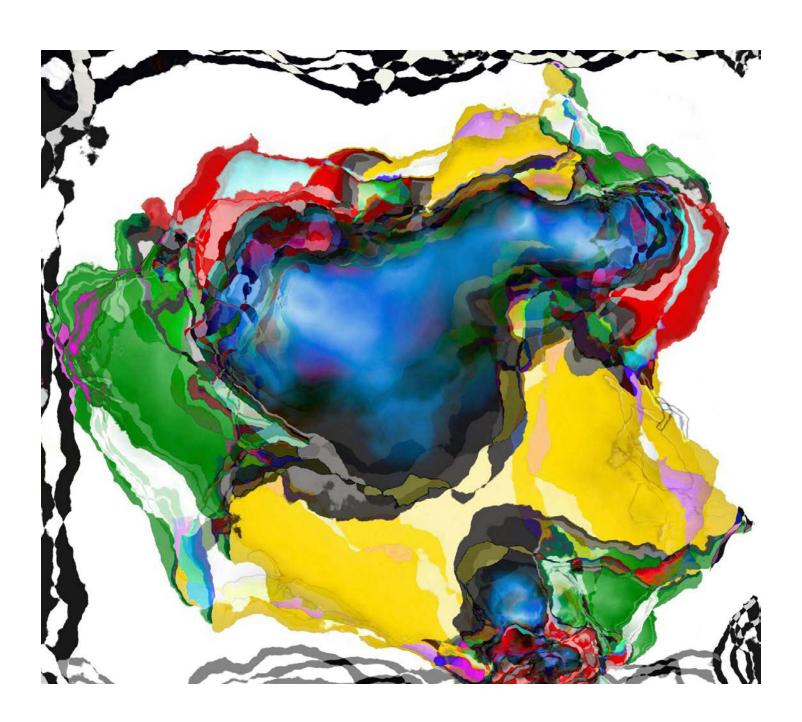




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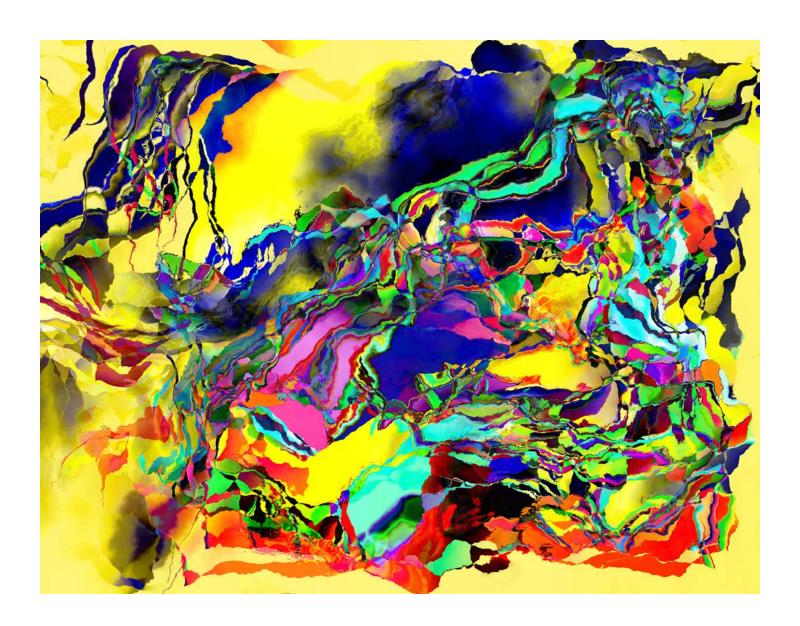


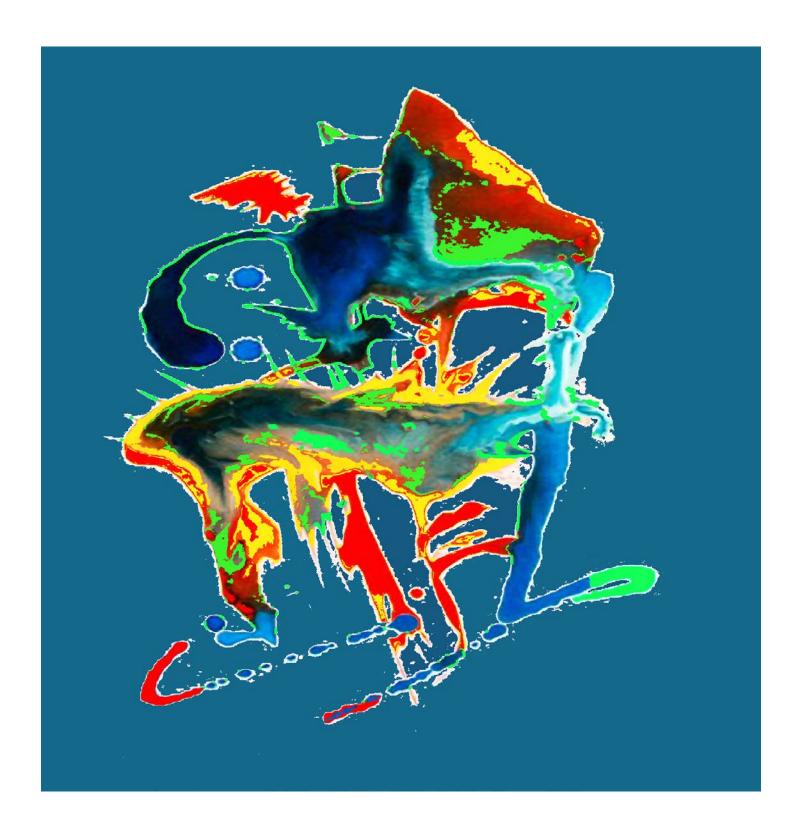




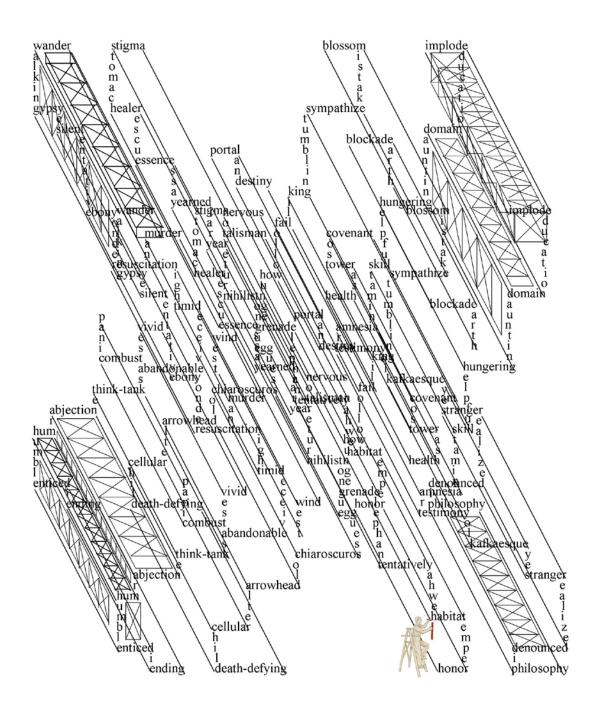








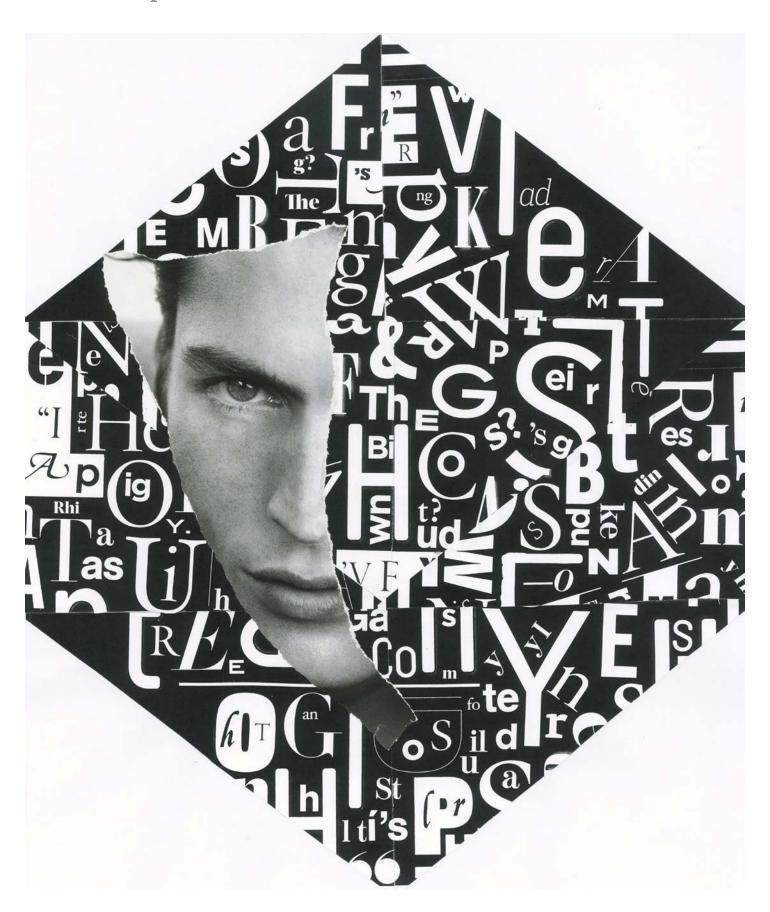


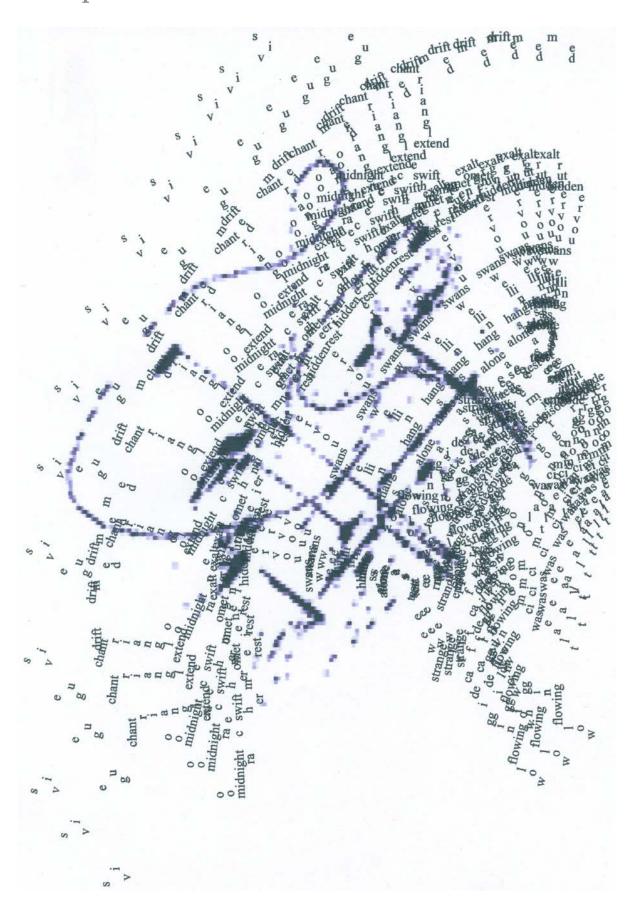


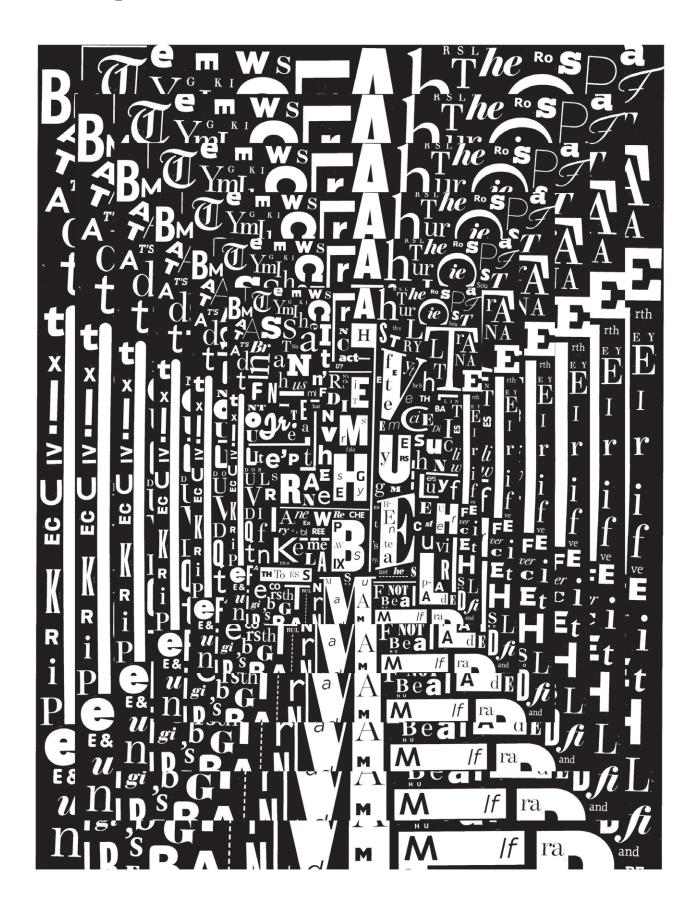


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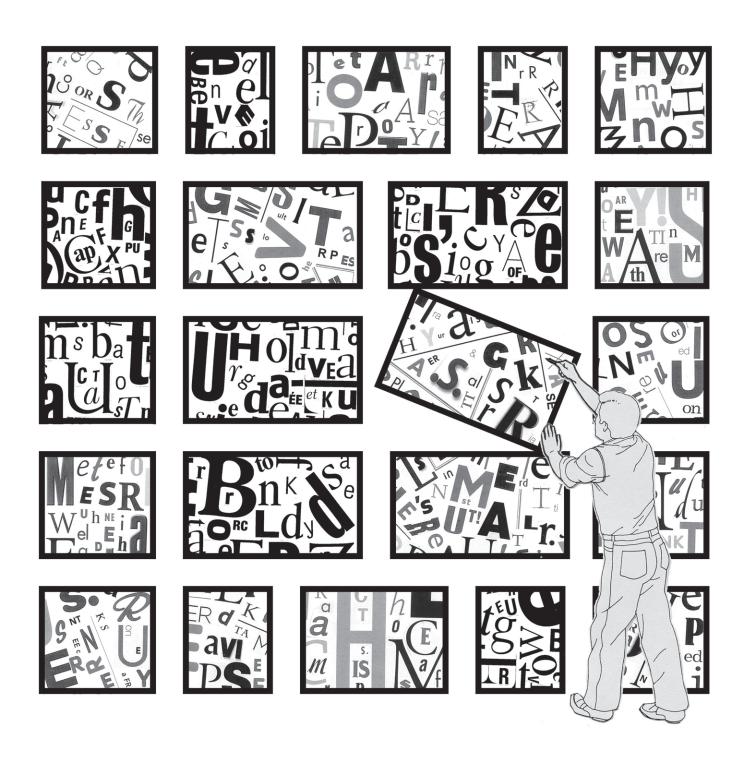




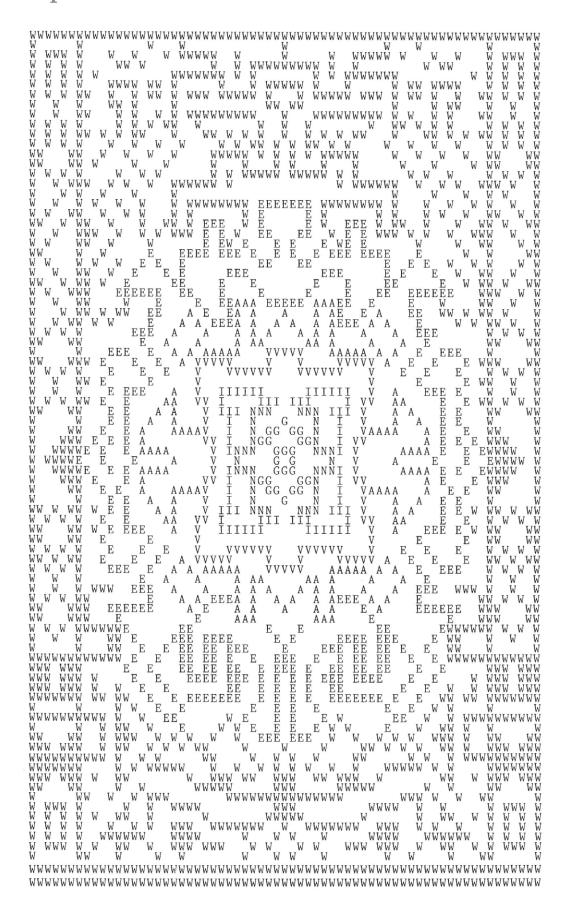














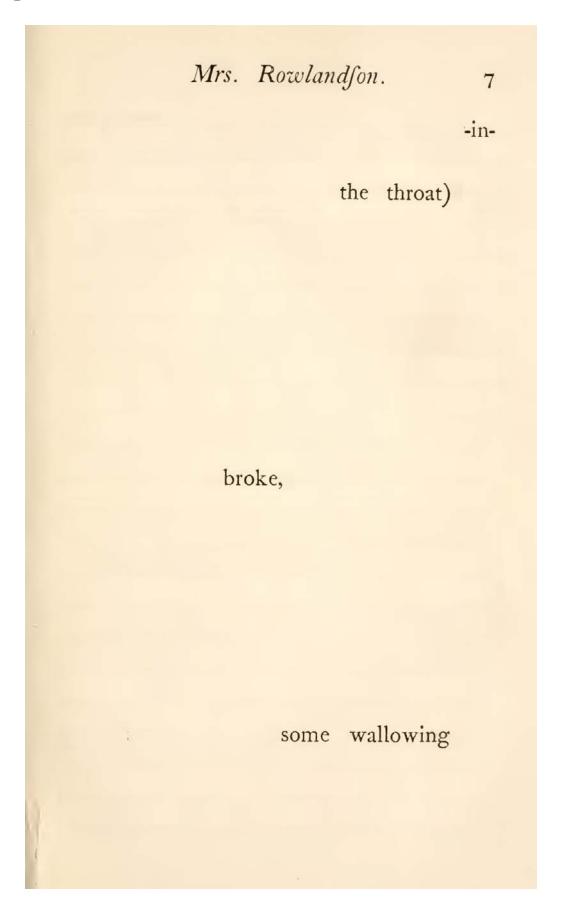
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              OF
                     Removes
      Mrs. Mary Rowlandson.
upon
      sun-rising;
         we looked
were
  one
    being
           set upon; one
                            Another
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4 Narrative of
who
( ) hearken to
Another seeing
and went out,
down.
up down
quickly
the hill,

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Mrs. Rowlandson. 5 against us, then another, and then my observation that time) brought no defence only quickly took. mine eyes see it. and ready

6 Narrat	tive of
house:	
door,	
house,	a hand-
	had come to
the door,	to
	to
help is always	to see that
merp to armajo	
before us	



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Narrative of
8
                                       a
threshold.
     of
                  labours,
trouble
    take hold of her heart,
        Said
                             "Come, go
along with
     me:
            go along with
                me."
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	Mrs. Rowlandfon. 9
am	And I only alone to tell the news.
	Oh
	hearts'
	solemn
	singing,

10	Narrative of
torn	out:
	from there taken
	my days. declare
	wilderness.
	declare

#### **Ewan Whyte**

#### **Istvan Kantor Take Down**

(Notes toward an essay in poetry)

In a one-off extempore film, we see Istvan Kantor walking in various parts of the Hamburger Bahnhof Museum.

He moves slowly, though there is something calculating about him. He looks quickly at contemporary and modern

works of art, before pausing in front of what resembles pieces of oversized chopped cabbage on the floor. Gallery goers

pass talking in German. The security guards are close, husky Teutons in the service of art.... It is clear he is being

watched. From a glance, the paintings on the walls look out of place beside the contemporary work on the floor.

Kantor often looks past the art and hovering guard staff searching for something. And the all self-conscious, I digital

camera narrator takes all in to occasional words by Kantor himself. A number of rooms, of visitors, and art later we through the camera

enter a large open space interrupted by centered stairs flanked by handrails, a sterile deliberately broken up space, with hallways on its sides

leading to other rooms. Above human height on a large flat wall beneath the stairs, in large block letters is written in German,

"Beuys: We are the revolution"

The guards are very close. And Kantor still wearing sunglasses and sporting an ink X on the side of his head and almost

combat clothes in Monty Cansin persona. He walks under the text of the ten or so meter long wall, moves his back to the stalking guard

#### **Ewan Whyte**

and camera. He is slower than expected in trying to open a rolled sign while turning to us and the camera. In the tension I find myself pleading

for the sign to open. Two guards are on him at once wrestling his sign away. It is the almost pathetic strugglings of a prisoner ushered to a scaffold.

We can hear Kantor's voice at first muffled then shouting,

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"It's just a sign...
It's just a sign...
It's just a sign..."
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mixed with foot scuffing sounds, he is pushed up the stairs but slows to face the camera in mid wrangle, saying firmly,

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"We Are the revolution"
"We Are the revolution"
"We Are the revolution."
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His partly unfurled sign is crumpled in a hand of a guard. What could it say?

He is shuffled off... Some gallery goers take photos. What is this... this Neoism? Is this Art?

Is there a feeling of the eternal in it? An ecstatic joy, an instant of transcendent wholeness,

which for a brief moment denies all sense of time? Certainly there is a stifling of voice. And here, his art however

intentionally, underlines the impotence of revolution. And for Kantor here, it seems the gesture of revolution is

the very essence of artistic expression. It is an unconsciously religious posture,

his act of rebelling a secular shamanic ritual. Here there is no end to achieve, it is

#### **Ewan Whyte**

just an intervention to remind us to think of art as an almost living entity, ultimately organic (in imaginative terms), delightfully impersonal

but fragile when bottled in a framed museum setting. The emptied room seems cold in its silence and stark words

"We are the revolution"

And Kantor's unread sign says "And so are we."

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Published by Luna Bisonte Prods., http://www.lulu.com/content/8380410 etceteras' artists' book pages, 2011, are based on the artists' book 5, and also remnants of 25+ years of other works, excerpts of visual poems and images, and a small variety from ongoing persistent work.

STAND, 2012, is a one of a kind artists' book, and the visual poems are a few of the many 2012-13 computer amalgams gleaned from the contents, more on http://halvard-johnson.blogspot.com/2013/04/marilyn-r-rosenberg.html and http://www.nationalpoetrymonth.ca/index.php?NPMid=207

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