

EXORDIUM

In what way names were applied to things. Filtration. Not every word that has been applied, still exists. Through proliferation and differentiation. Airborn. Here, this speck and this speck you missed.

Numbers in cell division. Spheres of debt. The paradigm's stitchery of unrelated points. What escapes like so much cotton batting. The building, rather, in flames. Does flight happen in an order.

Dates to impugn and divulge. The laws were written on twelve tablets of bronze which were fastened to the rostra. Trembling hold. Manner of variation and shift. Vacillation hung by tactile and auditory cues.

Those which are of foreign origin. Those which are of forgotten sources. Place and body.
Time and action. The snow falls. A falling snow. A fallen snow. A red balloon and a
blackwinged bird at semblance of crossing in a pittance of sky.

Chroniclers enter texts and trade. Was to children dying before their mothers. Accounts
and recounting. A nation's defense. Names of things made by human hands. Making
famine where abundance lies.

Mapping needles. Minerals and gems. Furs and lumber. Alterations through the loss or
transposition of even a single syllable. The next day is astronomical distance and a gnarled
hand pulling up wild onion.

Placed on a large flat rock and covered by a series of smaller stones. Edicts of building for private persons. Remaining principalities long ago divided off. Under that place which is called the earth wall. Around which extends a savage, trackless waste, infested with wild beasts.

Near city walls. Shapes of battle helmets. Instruments for giving precision to ideas of size, distance, direction, and location. A projection of the possible state. Lay bare and make appear. The gates are wicked — fresh.

With shields. For war and fields. This hill was previously called — it is recorded that on this hill — When the rickshaw stopped, it was three o'clock. The heavy chains were taken off and they walked to the place of execution. One boy's shoe fell off, and he reached down to put it back on, taking a long time to do it. Fierce dogs have come over the sea.

Cutworms in tomato beds. Roots of a tree close to the property line have gone out under the neighbor's cornfield. Wherever kin of word is. Partnership of words is one of many members.

Glyphs to alphabets. In which words have indications of time. They had to eat as much as they could in a hurry. Baskets woven by bloodlet fingers.

Venom verifies. Minuscule pebbles embedded in domestic crops. With the soot covered rice pot — stood and sat, stood and sat, several times. Meals offered up from yet more pinecones burning.

A second class of words in which comparisons are made. The pond after rain, a lily.
Watershed and water level. Coinciding glint of scales and scrapers. Conjectural poles.

Speaking and placing the speaking. To speak from the place of the word is to speak forth.
Such noise in the ditches — the mills and farms.

Standing in proximity — *think* and *love*. See, meet, face. Incidence of generation. Walls of
wattles, straw, and mud. A laundering stone and stones for the floor. Gently, gently level
the ground. This is the leveling of the ground.