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EVEN THOUGH THEY HAVE VANISHED

It is thought pressing the sides
of the cup. Thought
tightening the wires of the breath.
The wind, the engine,
the radiator stirring, the filaments
trembling, the instruments
maintaining
pressure on the silence, as if it, too,
had to be put to work.
We will get through this.
We might not get through this.
Meanwhile, the body changes
imperceptibly,
adjusts to gravity.