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Think of moving

walkways. This moment  
sequential

to the previous one, trees

clipping this moment and  
the next and each

that comes after

and after. We drift  
like solutes

across the membrane

trunks form. The planner  
did not seek

plant transcendence: plate

of soil impermeable  
to sky. Typology proliferates

like a syllable. So does genetic code.

Know we too are

permutations of other.

An aching sameness.

As if we tore  
all the shifting

wild from the wood.