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# Zest

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Notes on Contributors

Watched a baseball game on the tube with George Bowering last summer and am now hooked on the ballet of bases. Colin Browne's poetry has the swift movements and reverses of baseball but his game is more complete. Jeff Derksen lives in a lake-side house with a window-wall. Diana Hartog's book -Matinee Light- from Coach House won this year's Gerald Lampert Memorial Award. Bernard Hobby writes from Victoria, B.C. Noel Hudson is looking for a job in Guelph, Ontario. Erin Mouré is a railroad hand in Vancouver. Susan Parker

read the enclosed poem at a Chris Dewdney reading in Toronto Last summer. Craig Robinson illustrates technical papers at the University of Guelph. Timothy Shay's book -This Cabin As the SS Titanic- is available from Solstice Press. Richard Stevenson appears often in Zest as he does in many other places. The Fred Wah School of Writing continues to grow here in Nelson. Tom Wayman is one of Canada's most underreated (by the establishment) poets. Calvin Wharton writes and draws in Vancouver (think Socred when you see page 27).

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two bears from nowhere, at least  
the mind brought back

fog in the valley  
life, the hands tell

horse made of trees  
a labyrinth of space and time silent

the bears quiet now  
maybe the horse whinnies

just for a moment you don't want to know  
too much

the bottoms of the trees become huge roots  
gnarled, really, this moment past being

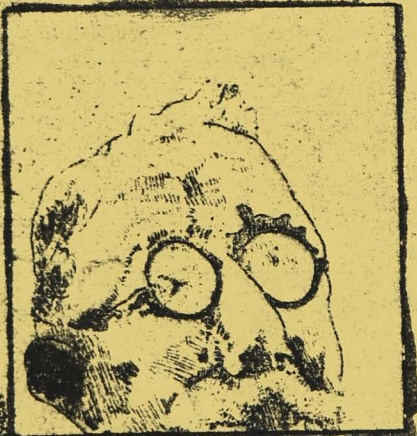
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