ripple flicker gobies flow rocks tumbling along en ríos submarinos between rivers braids, stones, turbid churn. churn. churn. churn. half-lit citadels vivid reflecting ripples reflux a pinky mouth swallow the ebb] stickle toiled the ice jam downstream soft water river moss float weeds on rust-red rocks black tadpoles start transforming pebbles hide stone, scattered sands stone, trickling roll, stir carp hiding in river revisited, revisited, revisited, revisited, dive, cold, sound, wave, flood like a curls catching treasure lies below entwined among dancing reeds my whispering wrecks; the mersey what lies hidden in the flash weir stone nutrient lurk water is murky my feet fumble light fast flowing waters water splashes, life erupts imagination brown in underwater running deep magnificent light refracts through the riffles waters underwater thoroughfare to be blenny or goby sunlight pebbles the heart submerged in a blue white wash sudden trauma swim below shifting depths distil life flowing seawards deep, dark life aesthetically cool storm roam, nomad home land life to forests sway in flecked blue green shimmer shallows surge dark the river's beds ambulance white stands pleasant summertime gently forcing could be knotted rainbow surprise calm and dappled light pebbles are liquid slime hides river flows safe again, see fronds and never the human waste what there is, what there easy, easy, easy, stone loach and minnow to my confinement paused weeds twisting with the current mottleflash flicktail rush weed shadow the inner elbow sliding in the sly ether murky weeds beneath our vision damaged reefs debris fish, strangled by at on life daughter rounding rock pebbles invite a visit to fades as pressure grows dreaming, i breathe amid reeds rolling of feathers stone soft in the set of stone silver fish skittering among

winged fish takes flight, takes flight, just see how she flies the hybrid. the hybrid. this lake-water lacks oxygen for gulping gills. gulping aills. i must and wing and fin a flash of flying silver brief fish ladders? fish ladders? salmon in the sky, above the flowing river, light follow that tide home to shimmer dance one last above the water, below the yellowing sun, yellowing sun, swift flash of waters dream up high. up high, carp-like, part machine steers with rear forth? rear forth? perpetuum mobile--engine in my butt. my butt. bamboo leaves rustling. leaves rustling. translucent sun speckled droplets wings iridescent deep-sea reflections a salmon's eves time shed no more salt tears, salt tears, salfly swims solo, swims solo, tail still, tail still, escaping right now, flying fish looking for life, away dreams, takes wing, soars, tastes the high life. salmon plans likewise. plans likewise. look into the fisherman's lure. fisherman's lure, the spread of his wings take to wing, to wing, river obstruction, river obstruction. meets salfly's adaptation. salfly's adaptation. who needs from sugar to salt, to salt, see-through wings afloat on-air scales reflecting i swim and fly home to enable creation to reproduce from danger. from danger, gurgling, bugged longing to return to my birth fiery sea on me i always welcome him. welcome him. salmon? mayfly? salmon? mayfly? sheen of a rainbow in the arc of her back. her back. four laced wings in flight where is my river? my river? scale swishing wildly around. wildly around. frothing the water, the water, salfly gasping air spreads place, gravel origin. gravel origin. the mighty dragon. mighty dragon. flying, twirling, hunting, feeding. hunting, feeding, the mighty salmon, mighty salmon, angler's fly lures fish. lures fish. ambiguity — freedom. — freedom. underwater. in pools we all become birds, become birds, what pushes me moment in time