

Forestry Song, Movement 12

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Moveable values may  
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aesthetics,  
scenery  
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--as a buyer's convenience.  
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"...brung what  
I could carry  
in a canvas bag--trail mix, some water,  
jacket, elbow flexion, knee creaks,  
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and it's damn cold down here,  
so I clumb for sunlight,  
made words for this land  
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...noted steepest zigzag  
whittled, was 1903  
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time & intent  
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enacted soil,  
taught water,  
carried a steadfast root.

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James A. Gardner