

Forestry Song, Movement 14

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1. Mayapple

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furtive
in March
beneath slime
or rot

.
its hidden armies
. .

2. Trillium
. .

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Three-leaved
undulating flexible
in its magic powers
. .

3. Bloodroot
. .

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encouraging, August
Murrican, bleeds ruddy
when
trampled on
. .

4. Canadensis
. .

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late March
or early April
on
river slopes
. .

recurved,
remade
brackets
hillside
and margin
. .

5. Compass Plant
. .

and
leaf ("never plane leaf")

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 grows
 larger in embrace of the sun
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done