

An aerial photograph of a residential neighborhood. In the upper left, there are modern, multi-story apartment buildings with flat roofs and balconies. A street curves through the middle of the image, lined with parked cars and trees. Some trees are bare, while others are in bloom with pink blossoms. In the lower right, there's a house with a prominent brown roof and a small tower-like structure. The overall scene is a mix of urban architecture and natural elements.

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***addresses of old and new
shift movies through my memory
living the barclays here and there
by banks and gates of lancaster –***

***celestine drives of prophecy
to london maps and ways and roads
with afghan streets that twist to find
a main and seventh just behind –***

***half-remembered avenues
merge into haro nicolas
tossing me from bleeker homes
into sherbrookes then sherbournes –***

***boulevards and streets and roads
twist and turn back into one
like tributaries gathering
the highway to my next abode.***

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