

## Misappropriation of Meaning

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descriptors tumble onto  
a page or other medium,  
like drunks ejected  
from a bar  
they veer, correct themselves  
and momentarily regain  
composure  
then  
for a very brief period  
prior to forming  
images,  
intended meaning  
is transmitted  
with perfect clarity

it is known that  
the insobriety  
of literary critics  
gnarl and mangle  
meaning until it becomes  
art,  
which is something special,  
something to adore  
or deplore