

HARVEST

The rusty rake
was bound together
with cement gray bailing
wire like a trellis supporting
raspberry brambles
horseflies feast on the rump
of the Palomino
it's riders Pendleton wool jacket
flung to the nearest pitchfork
impaled in the newly baled hay its sweet
aroma lingering like a perfume trail gently
wrapping around the codified pasture in a summer
embrace