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Something there is that doesn’t love a wall,
That wants it down! I could say “elves” to him,
But it’s not elves exactly, and I’d rather
He said it for himself. I see him there,
Bringing a stone grasped firmly by the top
In each hand, like an old stone savage armed.
He moves in darkness, as it seems to me,
Not of woods only and the shade of trees.

Robert Frost, *Mending Wall.*