

after that we go north toward En-Gedi
it's hard to believe the beauty of the Salt Sea
in this stranj hallucinating landscape
i would make luv to thee.

— Robert Head

Lewisburg WV

SEEING MY NAME IN PRINT IS EMOTIONAL

i go to my mailbox every day to find
demands from collection agencies and
acceptance letters for my poems —
i don't know whether to laugh or cry

KARATE PANTS COVER A GOOD HARD-ON
(OR MEN IN LOVE)

they cut the air with their hands
wearing clothes unlike the men of
d h lawrence who strip and battle naked
teasing the flesh with their body's edge

NEXT TIME I'LL KEEP MY MOUTH SHUT

he said i was the most passionate woman
he'd ever known after i'd just sucked
him off one last time before he left for
california without asking me to go with
him
i guess i was just too damn good

THERE CAN'T BE A CONNECTION BUT

ever notice how the salaries of
sports and movie stars have risen
in direct proportion to the price
of illicit extracurricular drugs?

— Paula Creasy-Fontaine

Clearfield KY