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*Project:* Revision narrative/fluid text for a selection from paragraph 7 in “Spring” (“The whole bank, which is from twenty to forty feet high. . . . The overhanging leaf sees here its prototype.”)

*Nature of document:* Journal entry (March 15, 1852), located in MA 1302.15, published in PE *Journal 4*

*Position in composition sequence:* 3

The Journal material associated with the selection contains no revisions, although there is what I think is a use mark, in pencil, crossing the second and third lines, as shown. I’ve given only the diplomatic transcript.

These heaps of sand foliage remind

me of the laciniated–lobed–& imbricated

thallusses of some lichens–somewhat linear

laciniate– It cannot make much odds

what the sand is–for I have seen it in

the soil of our garden– They come out

from the interior of the earth like bowels

–a rupture in the spring–& bury the

snow–