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峰となり岩と木となり獅子となり變化となりて動く夏雲

*mine to nari iwa to ki to nari shishi to nari
henge to narite ugoku natsugumo*

Turning into mountain peaks,
into rocks and trees,
into a lion —
all transformations
of the moving summer clouds

Composed in 1898, at age 31

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