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Our Greatest Accomplishment

All apologies to the wheel, but denial is humankind’s greatest invention. Without it we couldn’t live with ourselves.

On the Luxury of Living One’s Ideals

“I can think of nothing worse than eating meat,” said the vegetarian who’d never gone hungry.

On a Great North American Institution

Always bear in mind that our Democracy, at its most basic, is the majority imposing its will on a minority.

On Genre Distinctions

Literature without pain is pulp.

A Personal Prayer

I was born a Catholic and expect to die an atheist. If by chance I’m wrong and find myself at Peter’s gate, I’ll have an eternity to plead my case.

The Divine Analogy

Ants are to man as man is to God.

On Choosing Sides

You cannot celebrate the deer’s escape without reveling in the wolf’s demise.