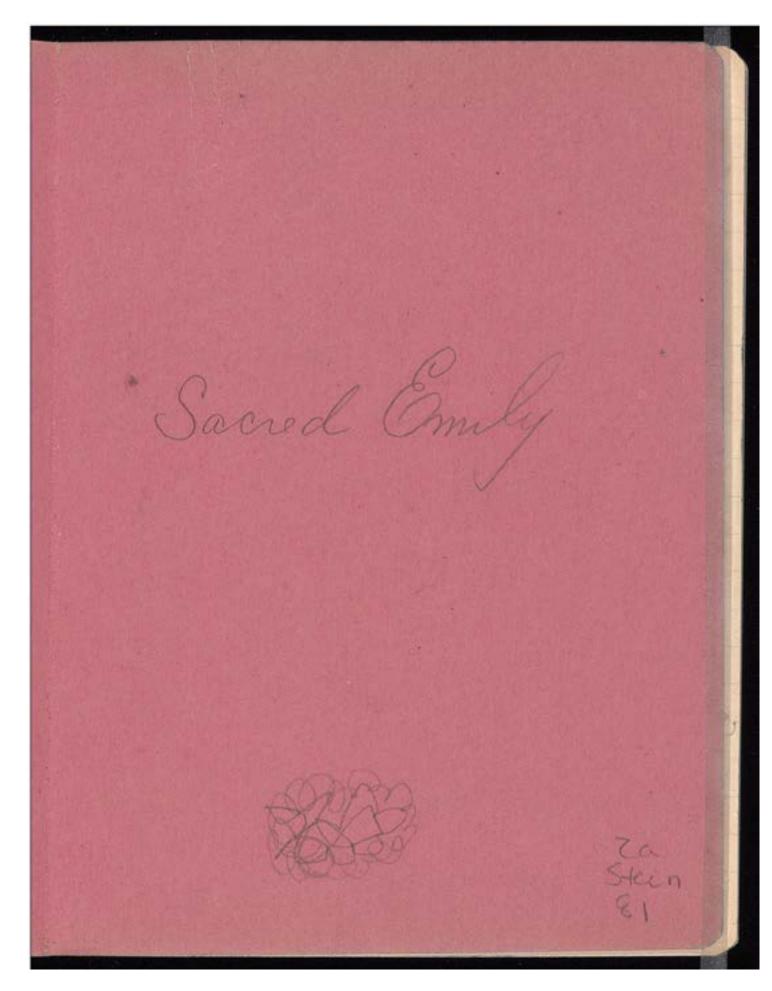
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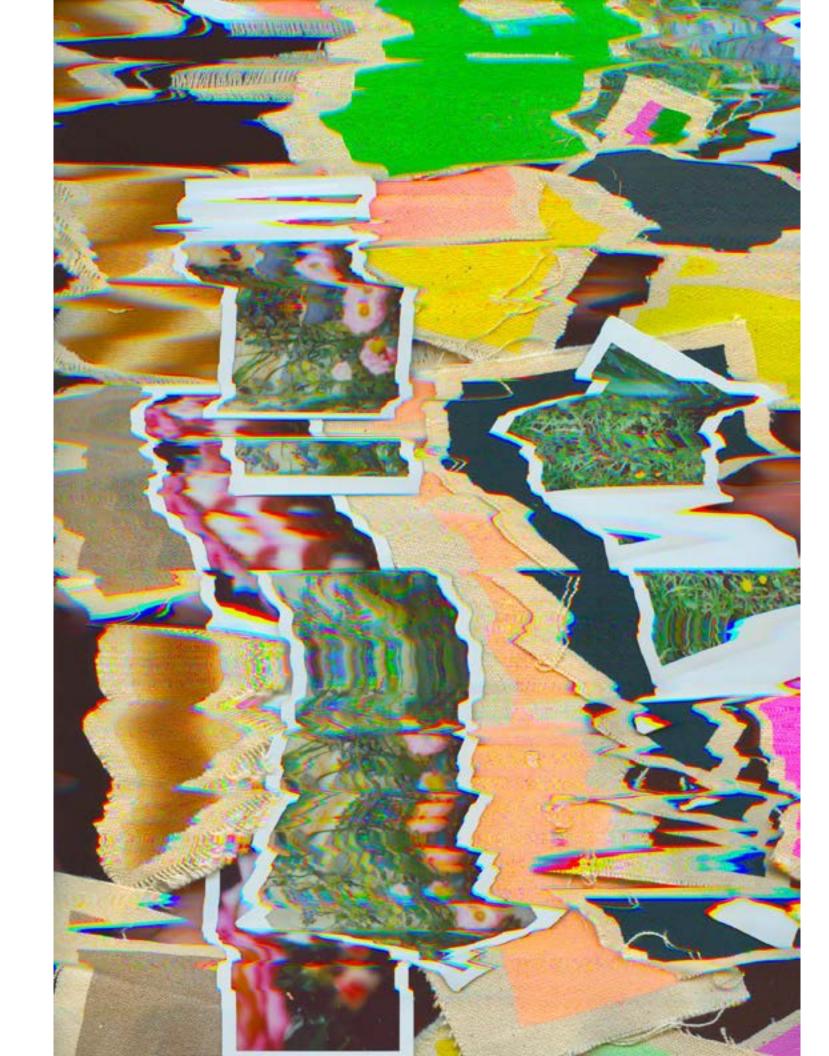


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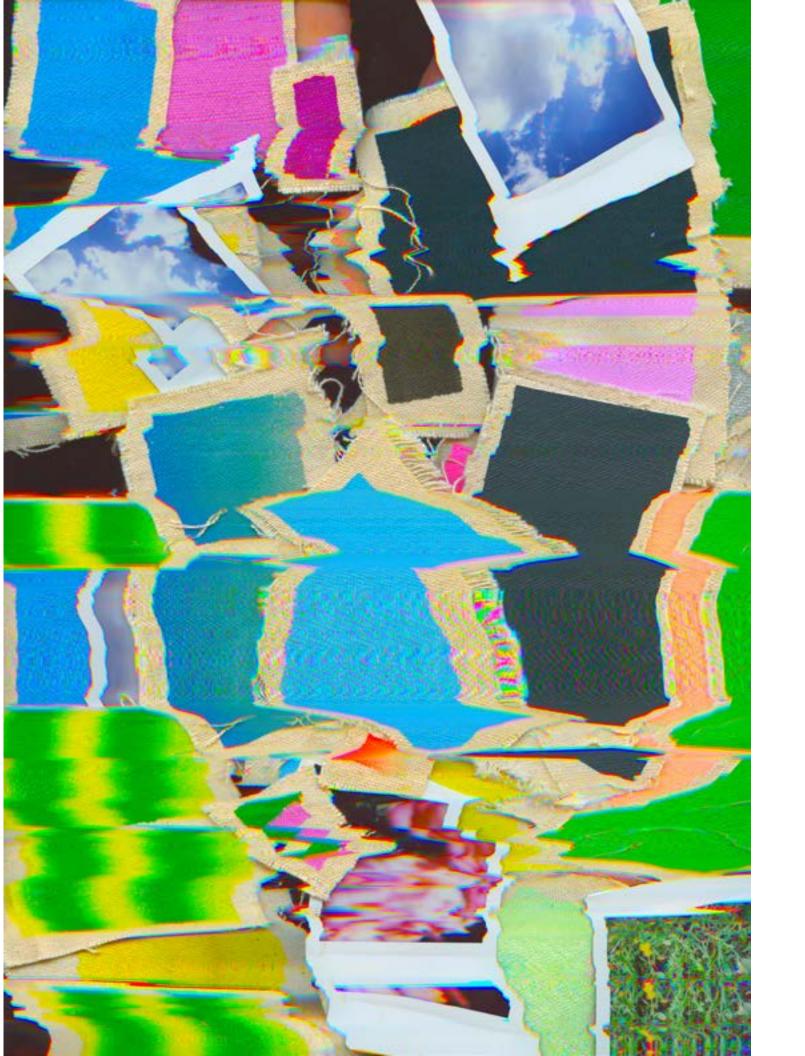




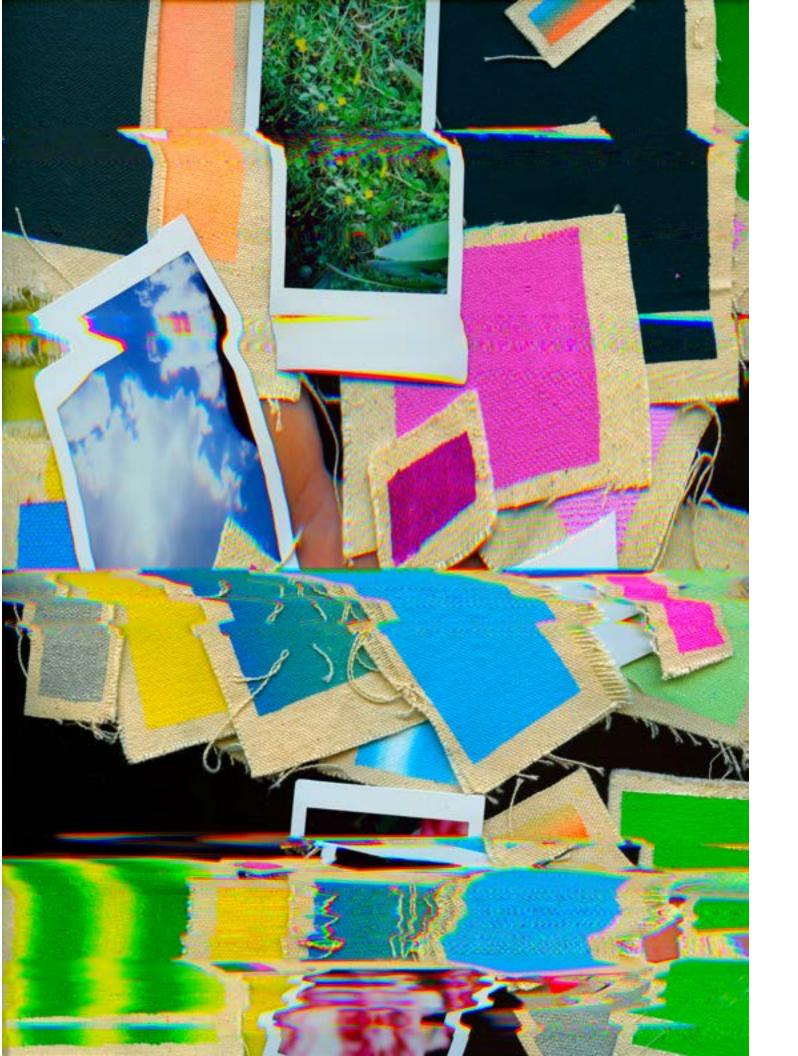


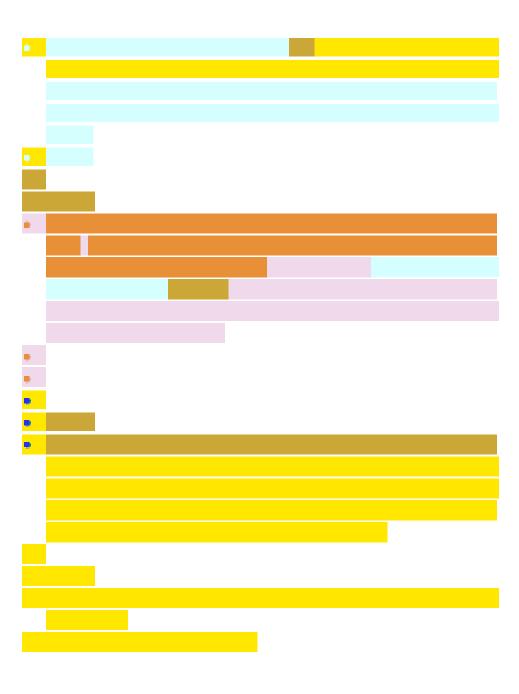
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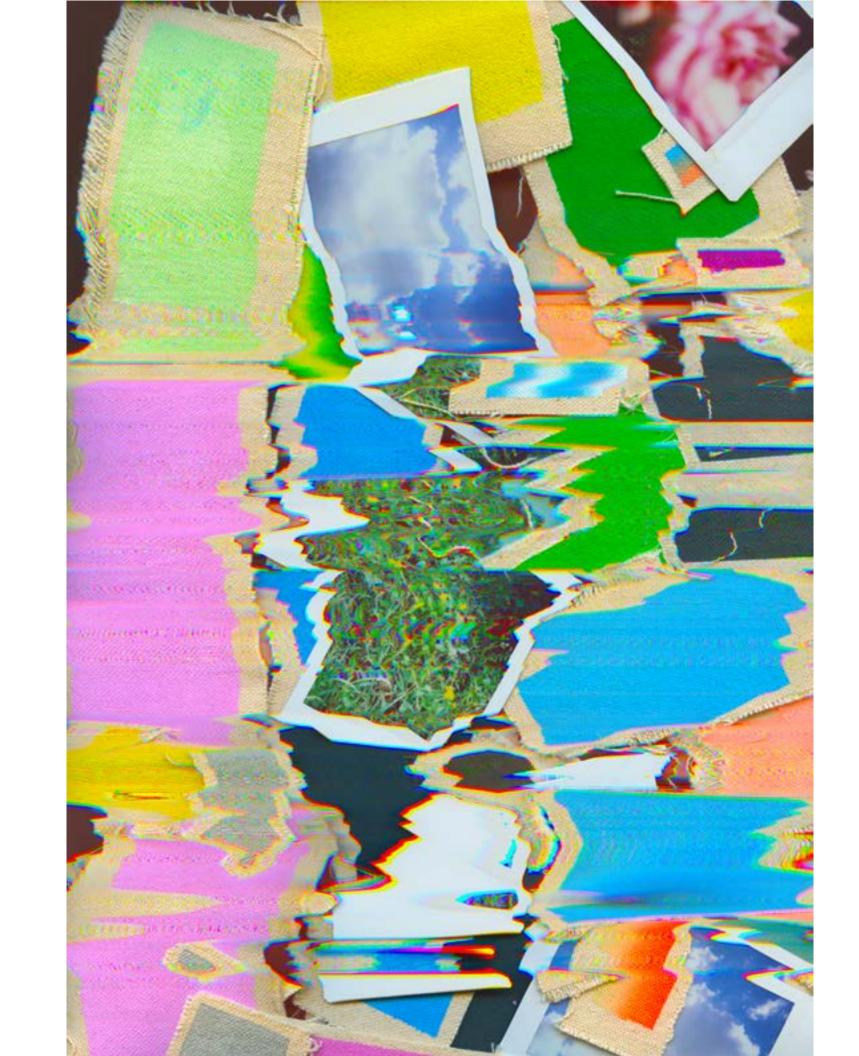


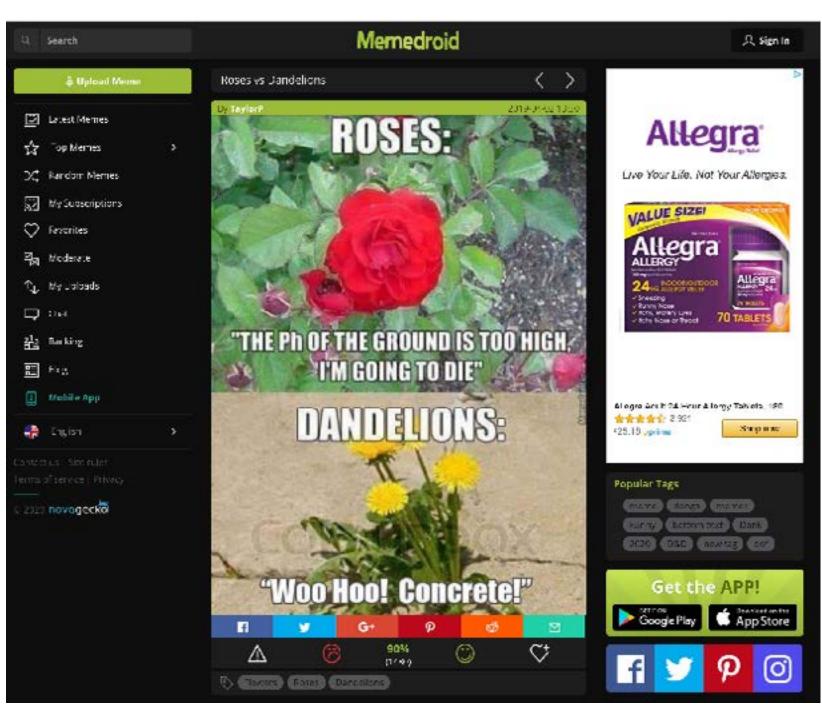
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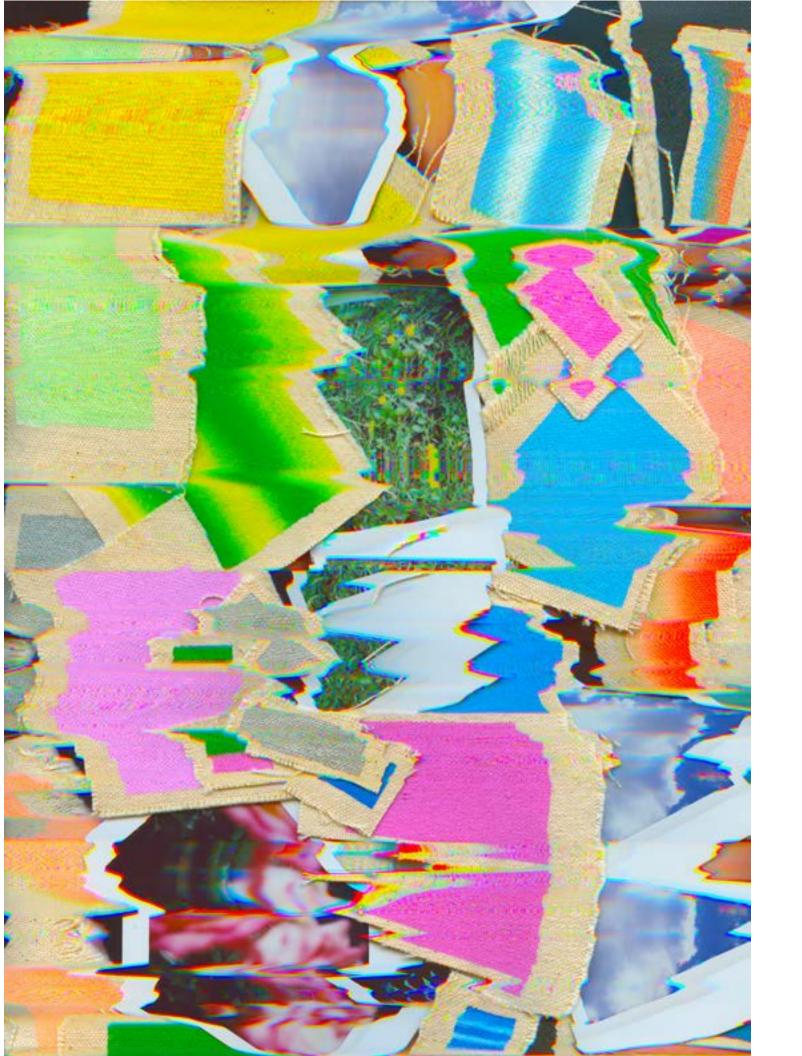




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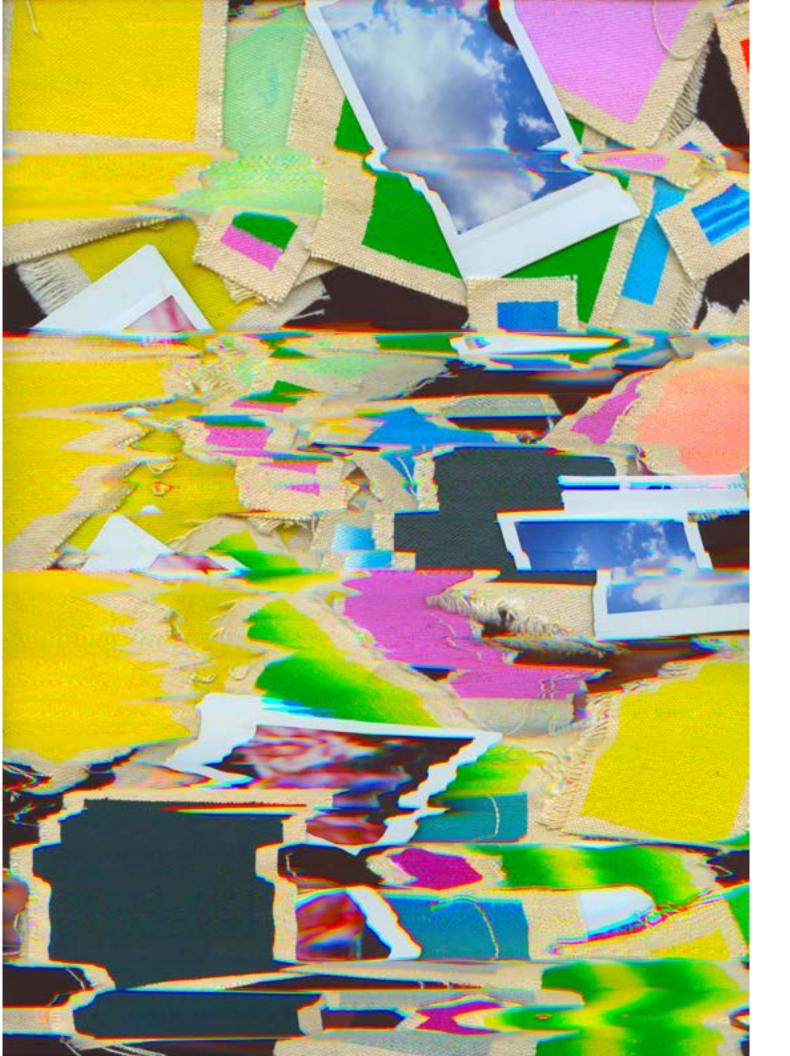


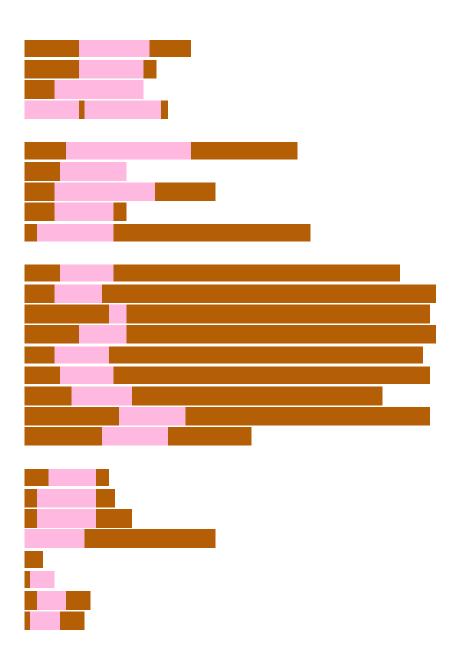




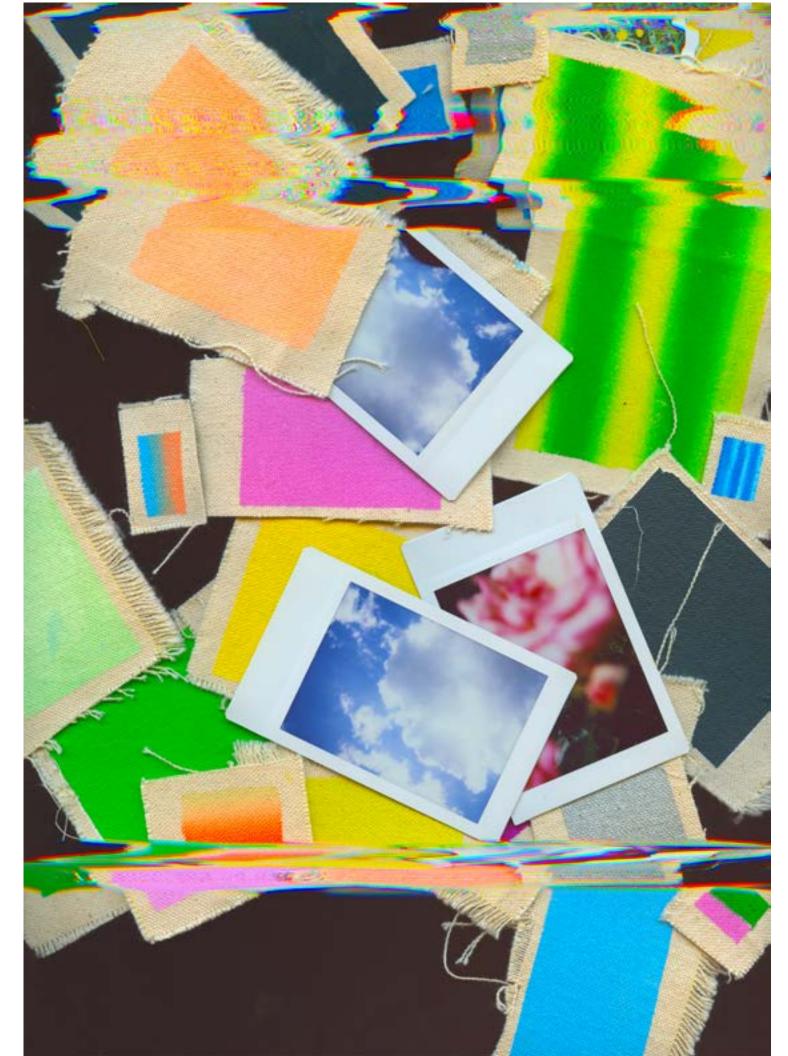
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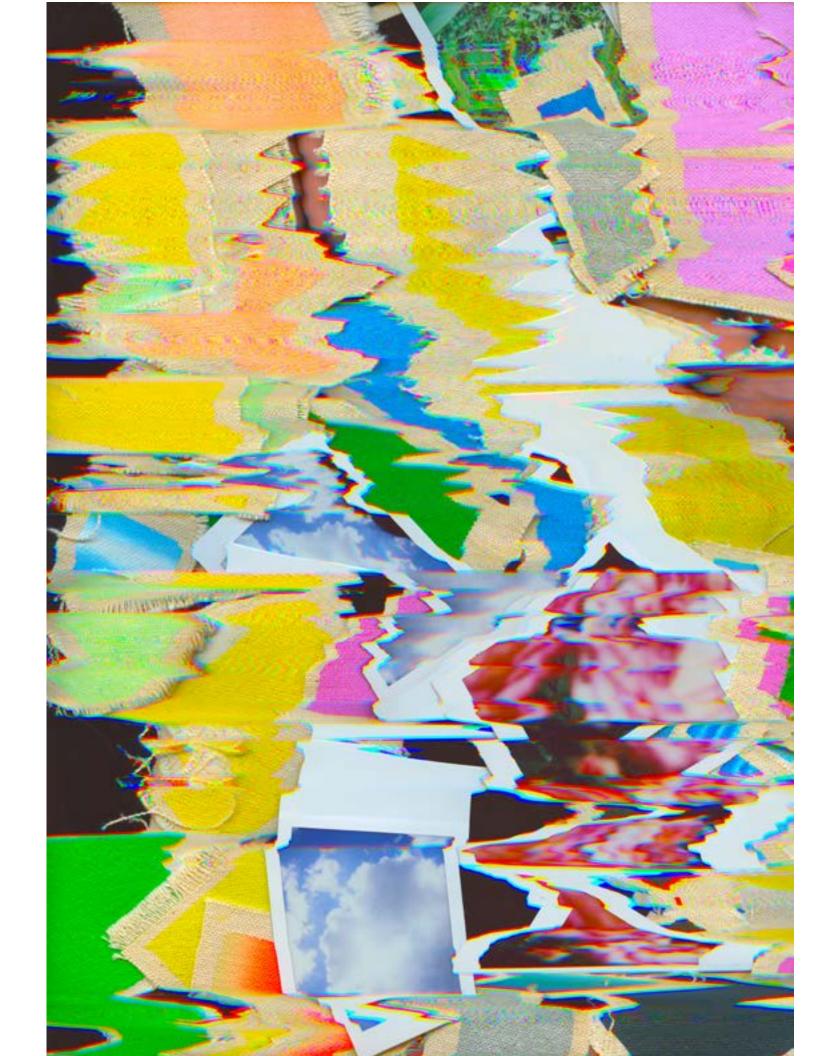


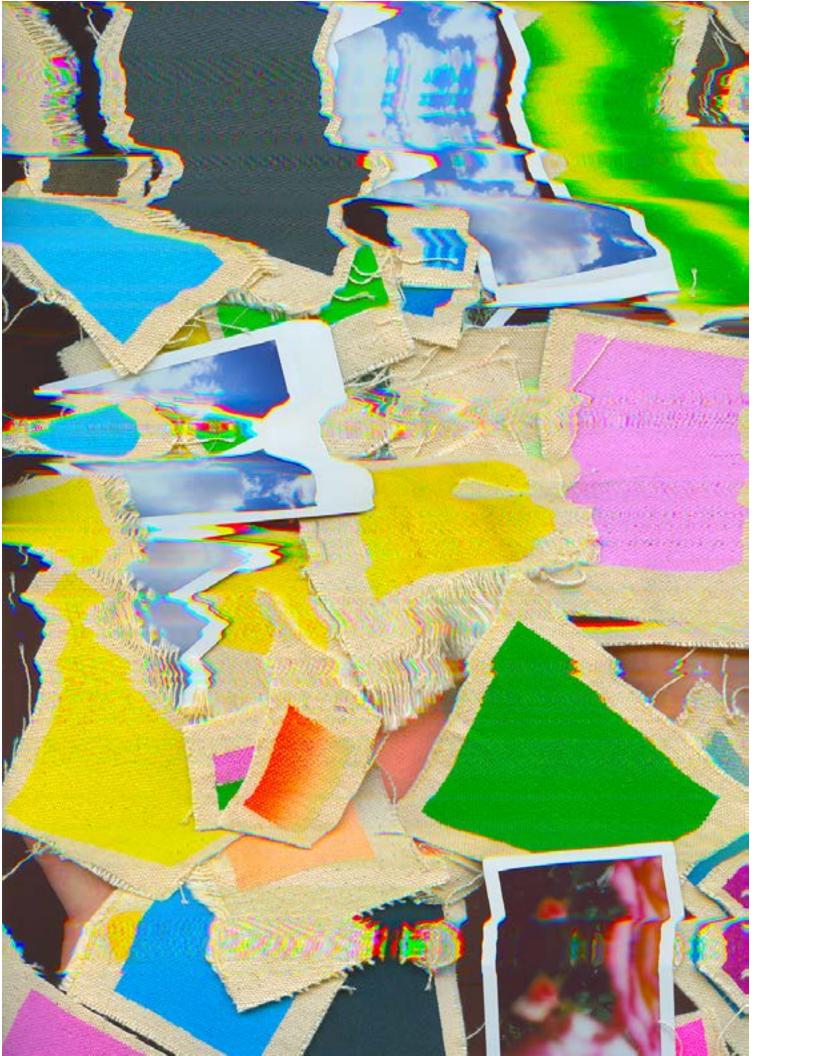






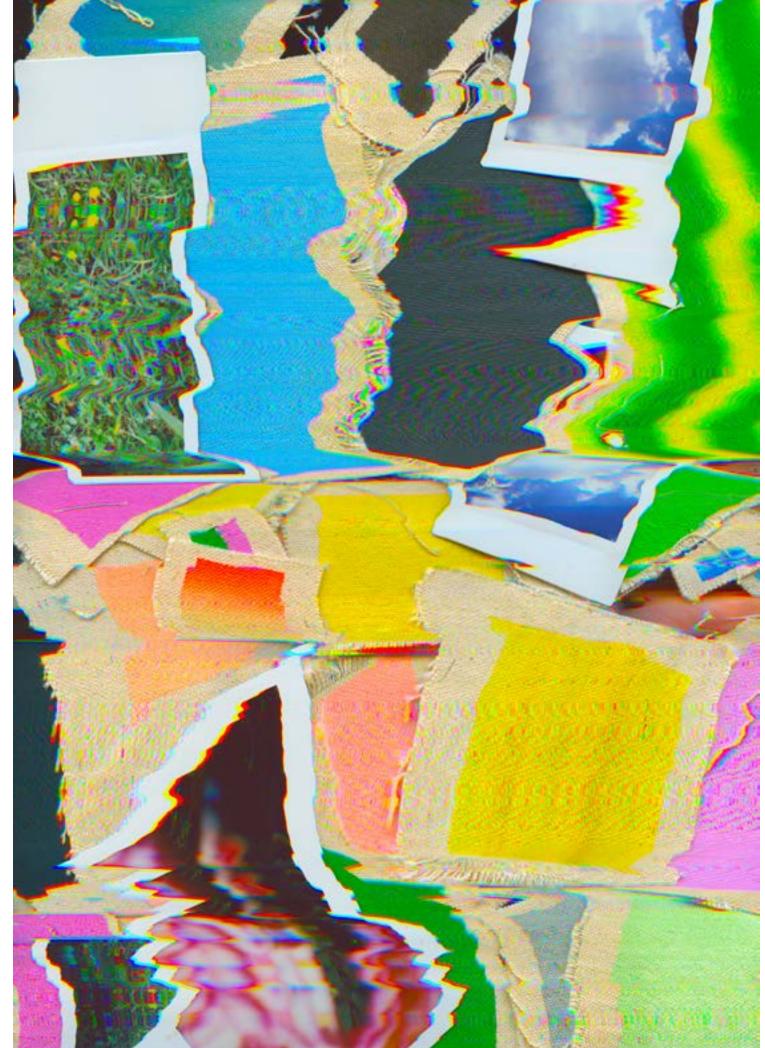




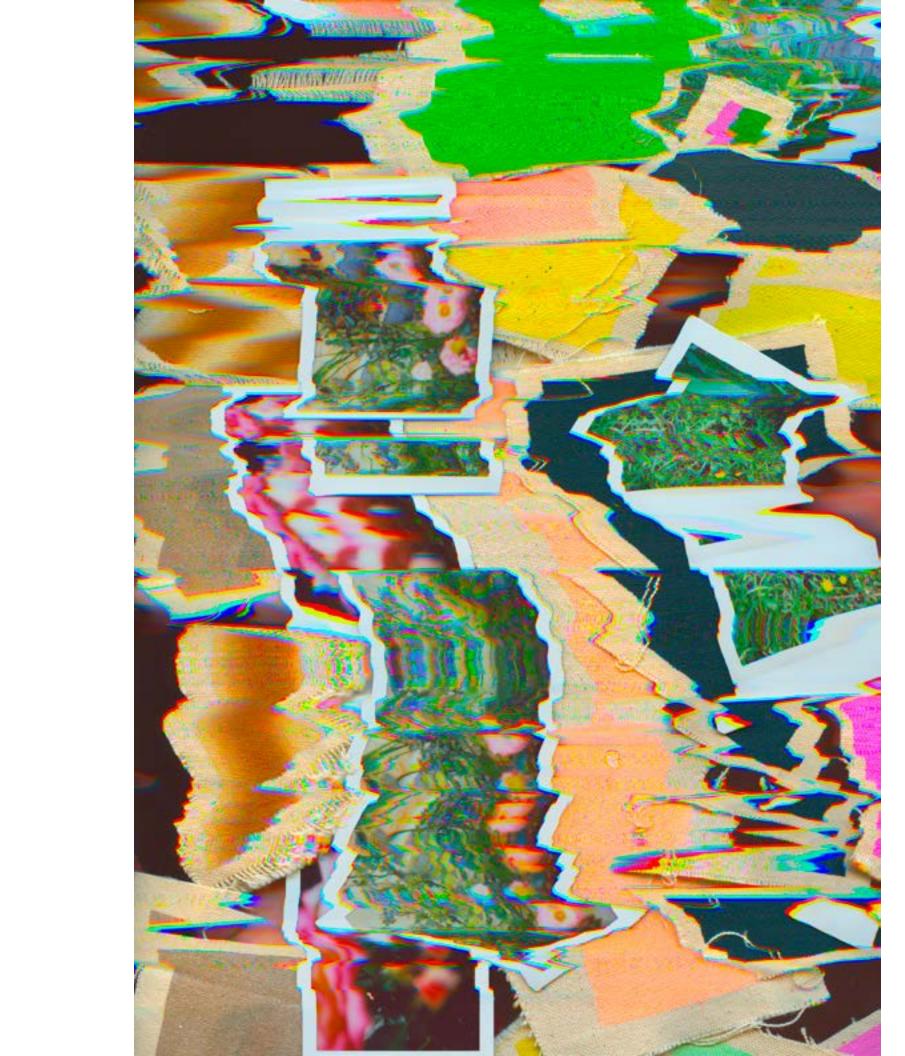




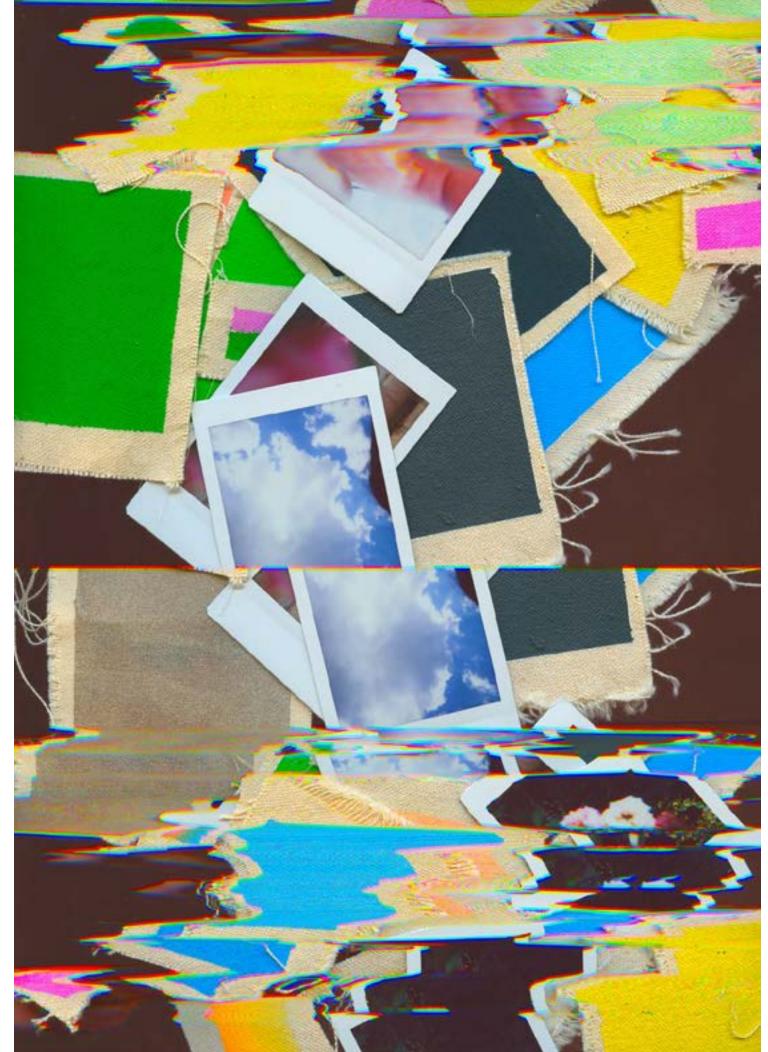


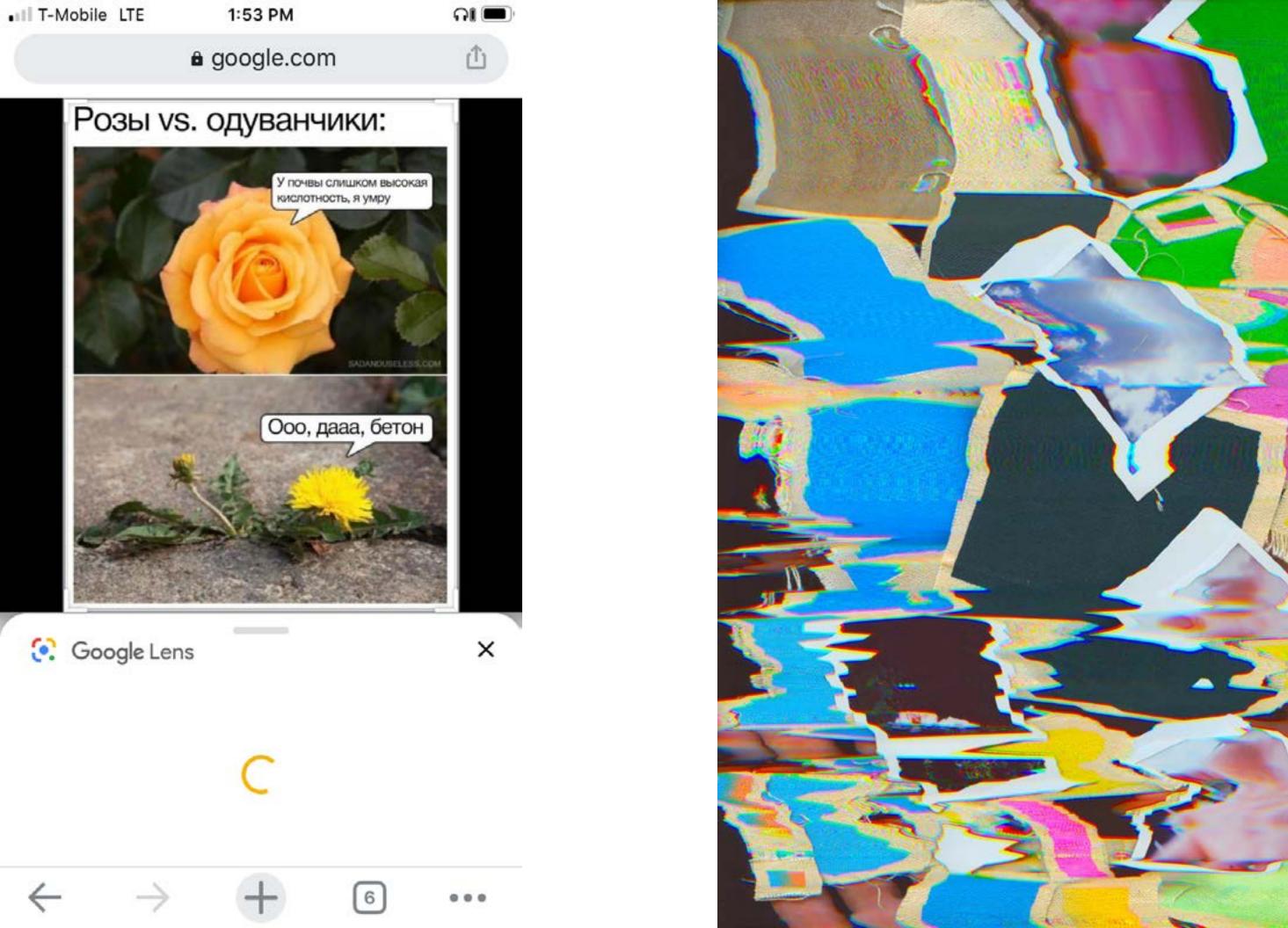














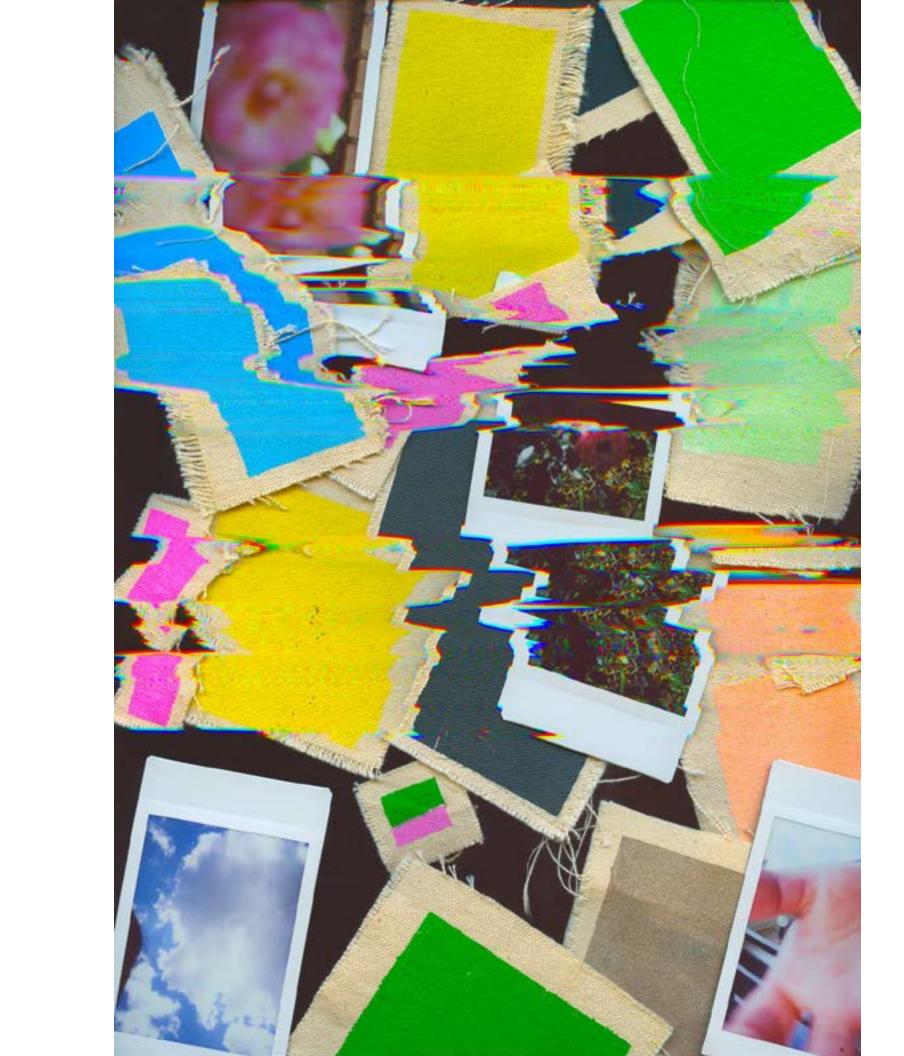


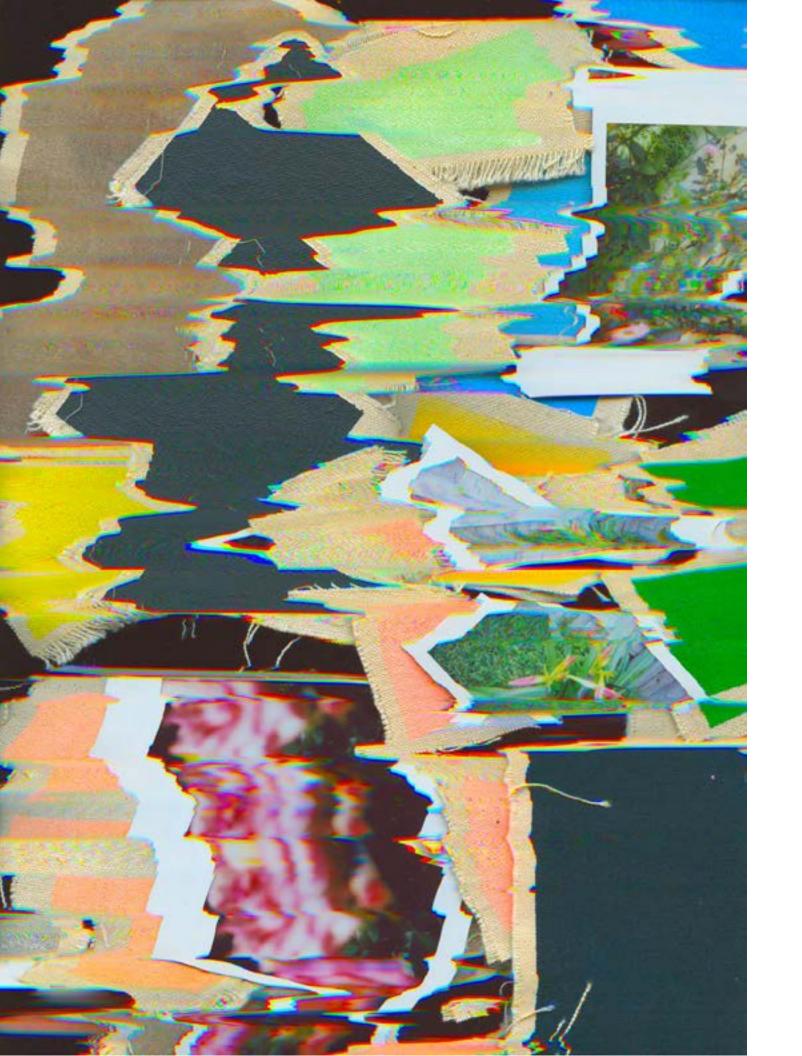


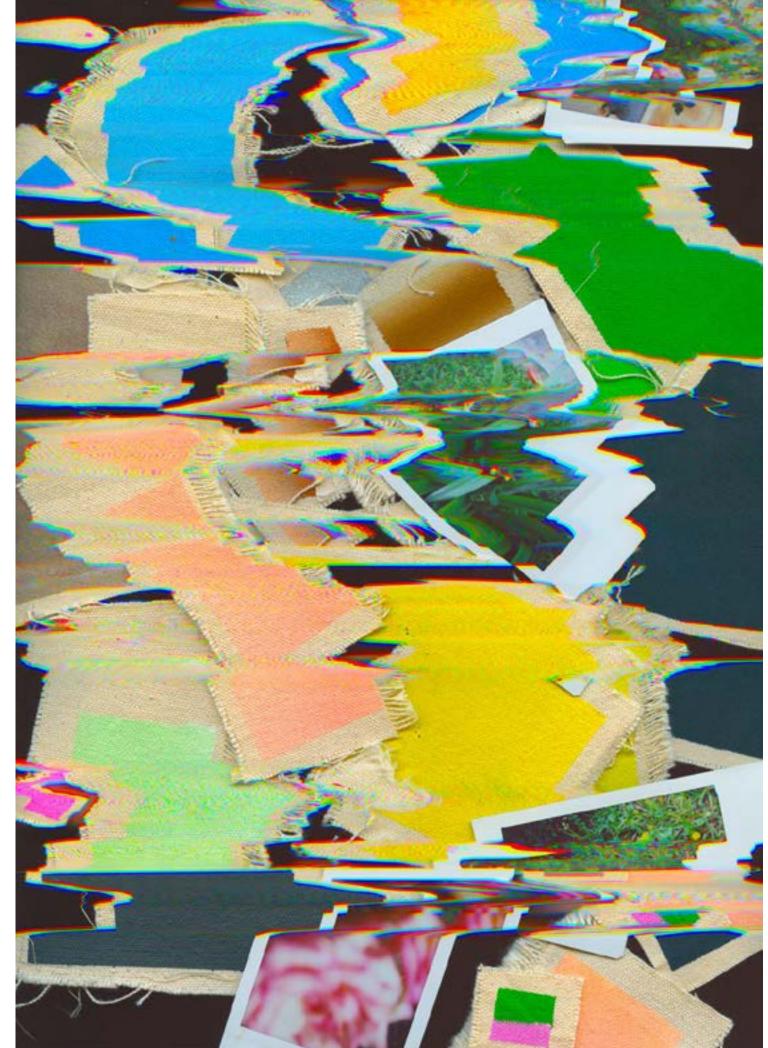
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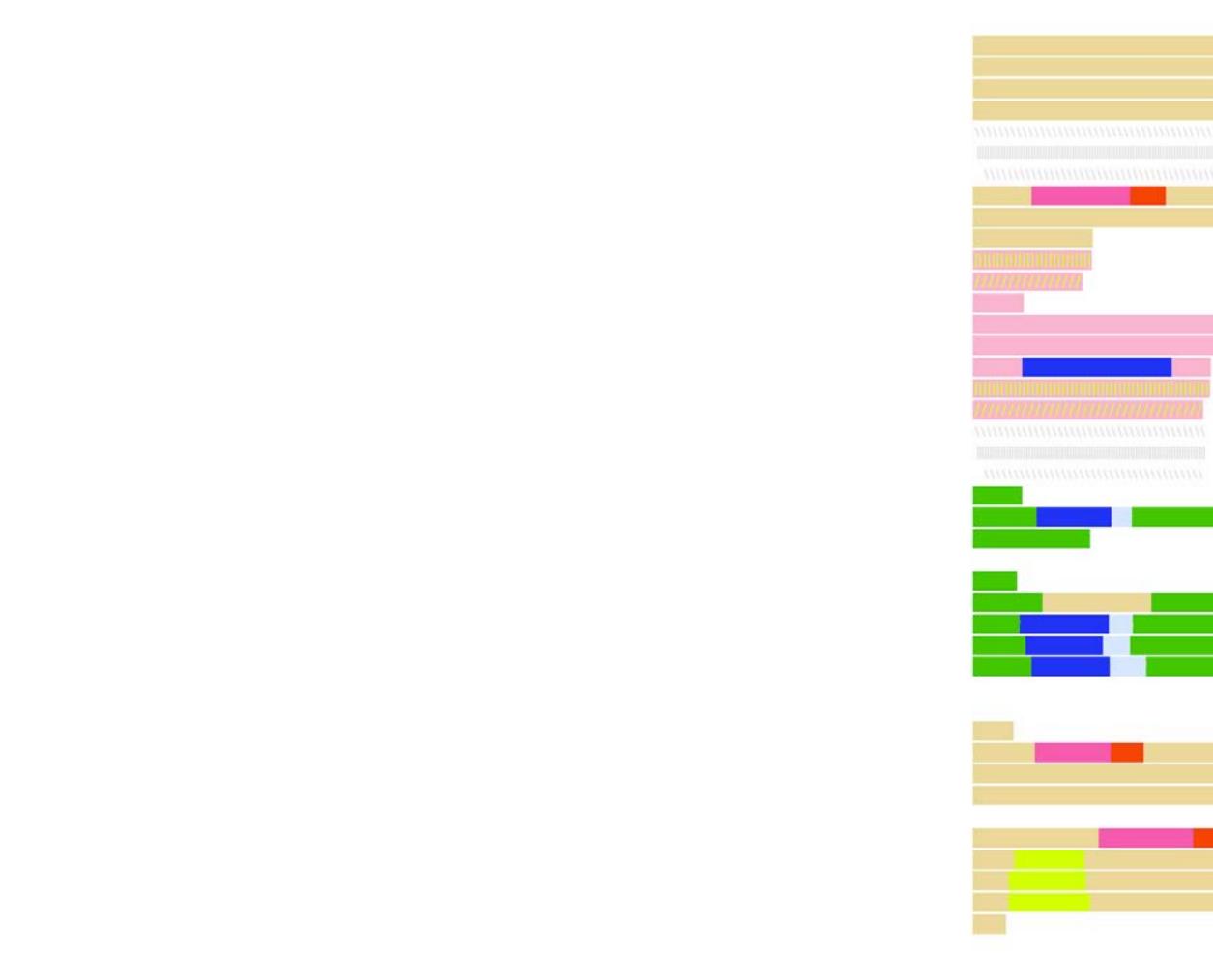




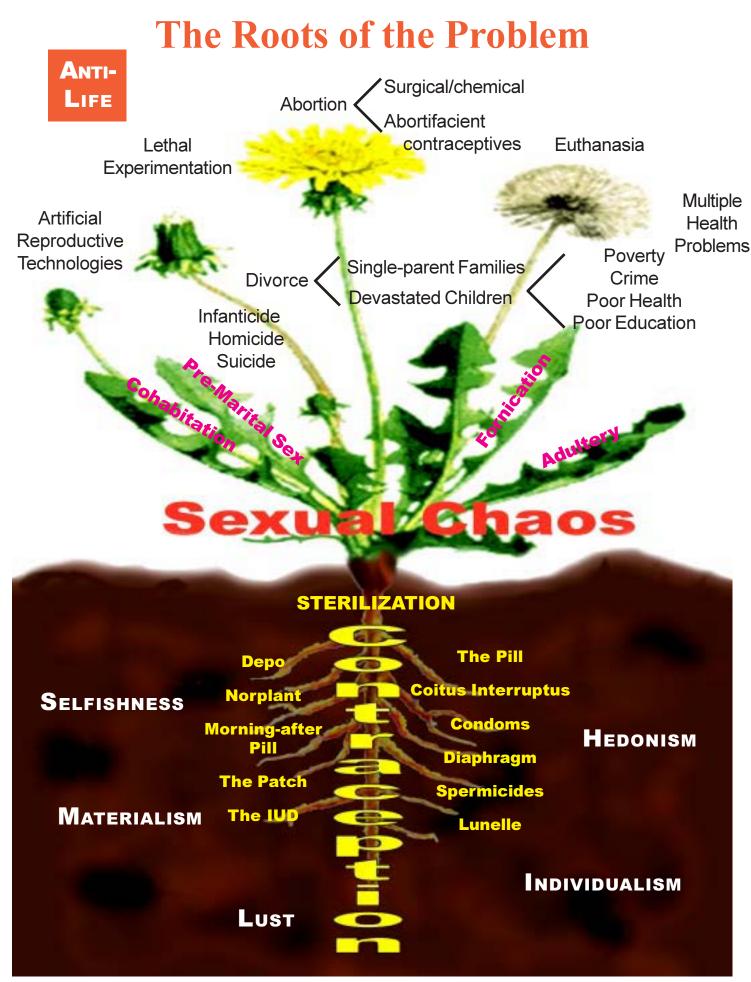




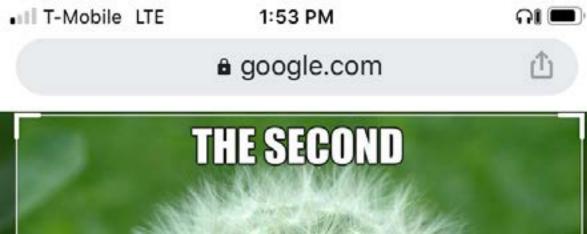






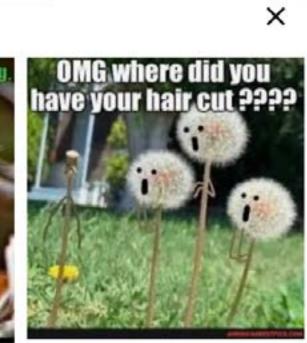












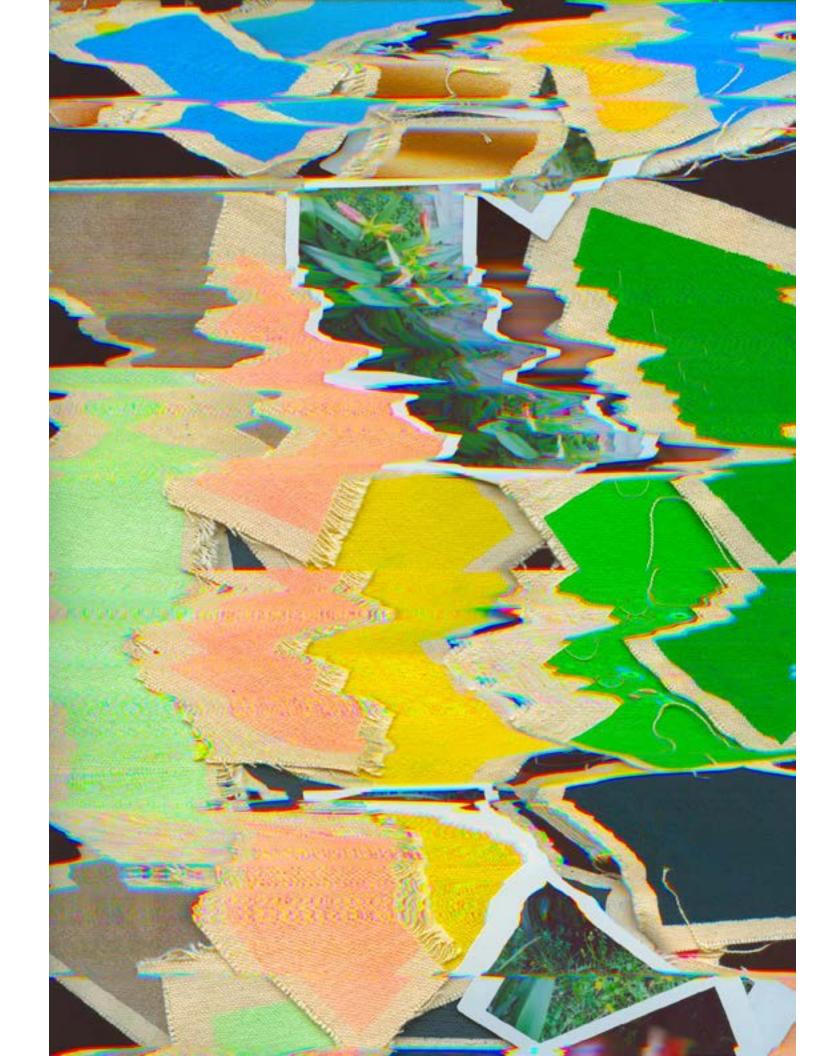
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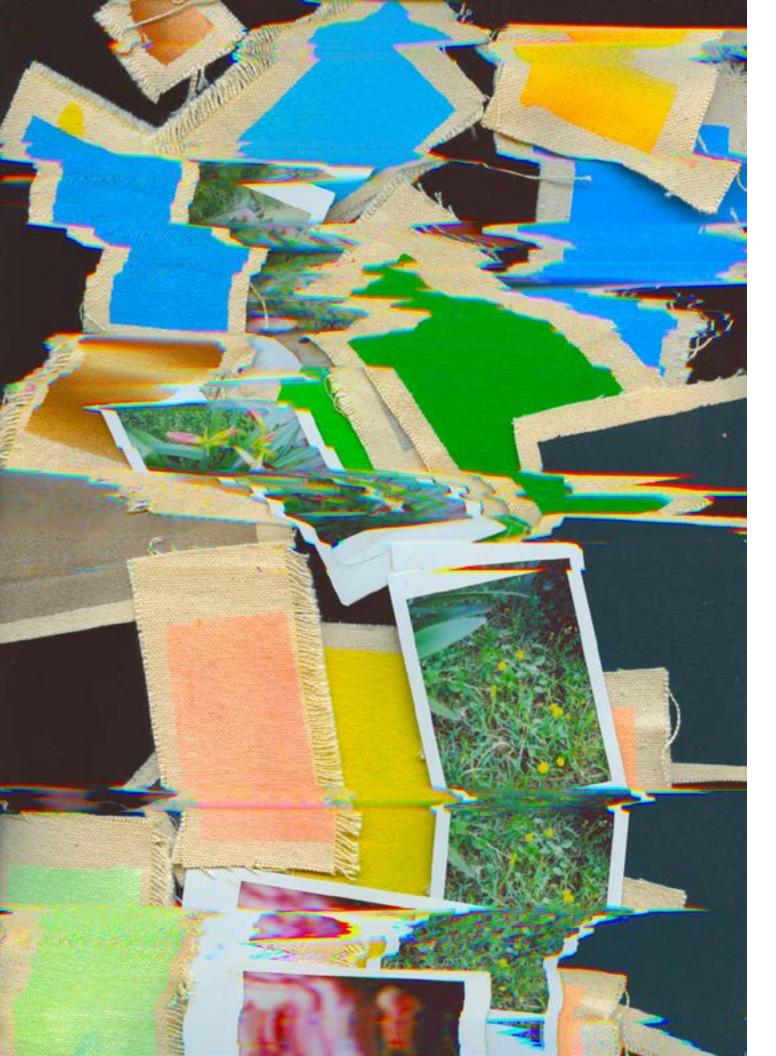
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What interested me about the meme Dandelion vs Rose was the fine point it put on human intervention in cultivation and breeding, its powerful influence and unintended consequences. As a weed, a plant that is not valued where it is growing and is growing vigorously, dandelion comes from dent de lion, the french for the lion's tooth. Oddly, there is a great Mountain Goats song of that name from around the same time.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mEay_H0ivt0.



Michael Pollan wrote The Botany of Desire, a book about human selection, breeding and genetic modification of plants to suit certain desires, in 2001, the year I graduated from high school. I have long wanted to create a mural on the scale of Rauschenberg's Barge, and this mural -- Dandelion and Rose -- uses this lens of plant cultivation as an opportunity to resist and challenge outmoded value systems. It is also my way of thinking about net culture and its poetics in addressing current issues of politics, race and class.

The small google doc paintings contain excerpts from my 2020 journal. As a painter, dealing in abstraction, I have felt taken apart. These paintings are an attempt to compose in the wake and face of destruction. They are small -- literally and metaphorically -- attempts to answer the question: How can abstract painting -- so defined by exclusion and inaccessibility -- access the personal and the political in our world? The text is readable in the downloadable PDF files.



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