**Cross Words by Jen Hetherington**

Torso, east Texas hills,

in 1876 ways, a head, a man,

a pain, these, love, for a,

woman, hand, to tell, the,

crest, of hair, sure,

Gija, oonga, culture,

the sick, each, the use,

canvas, dance, one, tree,

word, is, Joon, stories,

hand, gooy, thrill, year, events,

drown, with, date, told, doo,

scars, as pain