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Becoming part of the fold
is not as easy as it seems.

Bending
so as to make
everything square.

Folding while everyone
is bending in
different directions
is counter
to everything.

But,
the grace of pleat against pleat
is worth the wrinkledness
once you are there.