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FURTHER SUGGESTIONS FOR THE STORY

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Let's insist on people who neglect the
Consequences and so can live without
Taste rather free—they may squabble even
Murder but they must be of a circle
Like bridge players—give them wealth that spoils
Them like fruit and hot wet afternoons when
Time stands as still as a herd of cattle
There must be blue patches of snow and the
Branches dissolving in an acid-bath
Of yellow light while always the longing
For the rank bars of midcentury thrillers
For love give them the salt of memory
Give them a belief in sunrises—life
Should progress as it should—accident or
Fever may interfere blunder or whim
May interfere but these people must en-
Joy their world—why don't we insist on that