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again
fingers slip under papers
to drag those lines
from darkness
into
the private open

the touch and removal
of the concealing integument
turns me to warm cashmere
at my depth

&

i am

months before
in the grey grass
feeling your steady heat
radiate
the light spotted world

&

i am

standing
under the fall
of sensuous drops
which caressed us
as a cloud
the sky

but i have not found life sadness brings no change so you are wrapped and put back