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FROM MY SCARF DRAWER

A pretty girl at the seminar table comments that women begin to wear scarves for softness around the face when they are old.

Shall I tell her that the neck gets cold?
No. Andrew Marvell wrote that.

This pretty chick has time/poems yet to do; some she will hide among silks.

POEM

Brandy & water an all right aperitif
Shostakovich’s Fifth a bad recording
Chinese food filling
Coffee at poet-friend’s grass going round
An all right filling round evening “good conversation” cop-out
No Fellini fountains
Antonioni vista parks
Godard tight shots
tight
goodnight
kiss

Home to bed
Mansfield’s
Miss Brill
with her whimpering fur

Lordy me
life passes by
Wuthering Heights is at Cinema I
Waterloo
at II

Next week
East Lynne?

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