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*News of a Useless Thing*

I

Along the shore the ocean  
adores no picture, rushes  
its roar toward the backwash,  
over starfresh stillness of sand,  
to spill its passage of vastness.

Versions pressed in succession  
display inertia's dispersion,  
compose option's composite,  
displacing abstract splash  
with after-image supplication.

Brine-marled partial designs  
depict, in cryptic equivalents,  
the critical force an infinite intent  
releases in waves, in relentless  
kinetics for a photogenic grave.

## II

Languorous, then intense,  
the ocean churns, pounds,  
bellows the same sound  
we try to say naturally  
with our mouth full of nature.

Sifting the rush, we moor  
disorder's specs of rhetoric  
to advancements of speech  
cohesive in their wave's  
sand-flattened avalanche.

We inhabit the prattling  
acting as tether to stretch  
the further-fracturing start  
that pronounced all its parts  
an ageless all-together.

### III

Along the shore the wind  
rubs the outline  
of a running man.  
Erodes the inroads  
his language gazed.  
Opens a maze of space.  
No sight but seeing  
synchronizing total looks  
with what all time will tell.

His legs track a set of prints  
that lost their contents.  
Having crammed imagination  
into granular sensation, he leaves  
the subreal to feeling's sculpture.  
Micro-bits of collective drift  
chiseling the truth of use.  
This. Just this.  
Just whet experience.

## IV

The man is information after hydrogen.  
His mind an expansive impasse  
of complexity. Memory's plenum  
making datum's destiny,  
churning up enough undersea  
to presage an end-kept course.  
Tides in tension hasten  
implications between out and in  
safely dashing his indivisible run.

The ocean is as young as its occasion.  
Pursuing what legs assume ages them.

Every wave is Wave merging  
the meanings of wavering water.  
Words vary to engage verse,  
reversing to a useless thing.  
Echoes backing out their beckoning  
to resonate what creation  
currently resumes again.  
News convening One Event.  
And this is it.