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Start with one thing. Say, a gun is fired at a family picnic. Is anyone hurt? You traveled by train for two days to get there. Is anyone hurt? It may have been nothing.

You become inordinately interested in finding the place near the high school track where you kissed your wife for the first time. This becomes the only thing you want to know. You can remember every Number One hit that year. This is now part of the story.

She was my queen, you think to yourself. Although it sounds foolish & you would never say it aloud. Although this is what so many of those songs were saying. Stories are not always what you want them to be.

Every story asks: Is anyone hurt?