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## Chains of Sparks

**Directions:** Montag's journey in *Fahrenheit 451* can be understood as a series of **cause-and-effect events**. Fill in each blank in the chains below by identifying the **cause** (event or action) and its **effect** (resulting change in Montag or society). Be sure to use complete sentences.

### Chain 1 - Clarisse's Question

- **Cause:** Montag meets Clarisse.
- **Effect:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Chain 2 - The Woman Who Burns with Her Books

- **Cause:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Effect:** Montag begins to question why books matter so much to people.

### Chain 3 - Mildred and Her Friends

- **Cause:** Montag reads poetry to Mildred and her friends.
- **Effect:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Chain 4 - Captain Beatty's Challenge

- **Cause:** Beatty forces Montag to burn his own house.
- **Effect:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Chain 5 - Montag's Escape

- **Cause:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Effect:** Montag finds the group of exiles who preserve books through memory.