Juggler

The blue-black plate of sky Teeters on a point of zenith Like a juggler's disc Twirling on a stick. Intrepid owls (2) Interrogate the Intruding moon Until splashjangling Dawn splits Night blue into A billion oranges Molded into a smolder. Up comes the sane sun Wheeling the lunatic Moon on ahead and Tumbles it off the brink Of spinning sky, To be caught by the Juggler and thrown up There perhaps again.

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