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Marvel, popped up  
    like tulips in snow.  
        Urgent bell  
    in a boxing ring,  
sharp as the lip  
    of a rocks glass. Music  
        box of baubles  
    that bites us back.  
Lit, uncracked  
    coil, tin pan  
        batter boiling over.  
    Hello, sour cherry center  
-fold. Good night,  
    miracle text, book  
        shut around my finger,  
    filled with the pressings  
and beautiful names  
    of all the things  
        that belong to you.