

5. *the blue and the grey*

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so much depends on the colour of the sky

that first morning glance out my 3rd floor window

messages from heaven never lie

some days the heavens leave the world in limbo

blue skies – umbrellas on the shelf / get the unicycle off the shelf

grey skies – got to make the sunshine for yourself

so much depends on the colours in her eyes

that look she gave eleven days ago

the lines are drawn and these towns are full of spies

the clouds cast their shadows down below

blue skies – make hay while the shine remains

grey skies – be thankful for the rains

so much depends/begins when the colours militarize

troops amass and march far from home

the colours help the guns to recognize

the nations move in stunning monochrome

blue skies – amber waves of grain

grey skies – waiting for the rain