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Occupations (P.Rydberg)

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Whenever does the word whole mirror the present

pray tell

I, whose desire it is to wander through the glass

to see

more than the reflected image

in the light of diligence

I am very much involved in

games in carnivaltime

speedcircles of the merry-go-round

The Ferris wheel's leisurely round stride

well deserved or not

I do the puzzle of the past

where there's always something missing

the flame's turned down low now

in dark tones

and in the outskirts of the shady dusk

I guess there are

a mask of stone

from awkward hands piece by piece it falls

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