

When that black dog
approaches my house who
rushes to meet it
foamwhite but my dog

Black dog might think
my house contained one dog

But inside
sleeping, deaf, or unaware
lives Mother, mild and smiling;
Father, cool;
brave Uncle Bull;
old wild Aunt Manic;
mirror's Twin;
bold Shinpad; and
still warm in wool and slumber,
milky Child;
Briar Cat; Kits thistledown;
if one but knew ~~ix~~
Mice; Spicers, Flies, Moths, ~~Moths~~
and so on

yet

when that black dog approaches
~~approaches~~ who
leaps out to meet it--snarling--b
but my dog.