solutions as "equilibrium" solutions, and by IJ's studied refusal to use "that" as a relative pronoun, a refusal that could make H. W. Fowler undergo the usual rotational instability in his grave.)

Each of these books offers an effective entrée into a lively area of research and a helpful guide for those who wish to apply the theory. Each book would nicely complement the standard texts used in beginning graduate courses in ordinary differential equations.

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> The pair have reached that fearful chasm,
> How tempting to bestride!
> For lordly Wharf is there pent in
> With rocks on either side.

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