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TO WESTERN NORMAL

(by Margaret Landrum)

Your appeal would I sing, Western Normal,  
For your spirit has entered my soul,  
Though I'm new in your midst, Alma Mater,  
I at once feel at home on your reel.

Through your halls inspiration's pervading,  
And good will overflowing, I find,  
Though the wish to excel grips each student,  
No one ever forgets to be kind .

And the teachers, oh, how shall I term them?  
God's elect, you most surely can see,  
Great of heart, as of mind, they endeavor  
How much service to each one may be.

I am glad I know so much of goodness  
O'er the earth even yet can be found,  
Let the cynic but glimpse Western Normal,  
And his faith will again be made sound.

Even nature has entered a compact,  
And for beauty of sight used her skill;  
She has made an appropriate setting  
In the masterly scarp of the hill.