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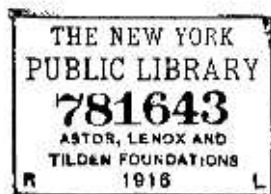
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INVOCATION

O EVENING star deep in the deep west burning,
Far over the faint line of flickering foam ;
A solitary star, and unreturning

But with return of night : thy sisters come
Laughing out of the east, but thou declinest ;
Day wanes no faster than thou fliest home ;

Thou wilt not, though in heaven, O divinest,
Endure divided glory, nor too near
Approach, nor multitude. Alone thou shinest.

Thou hast precedence in heaven : have it here
In song, and in my heart that yearns afar
Above the wave-tops toward thy splendor clear,