I left Garden City Kansas with a ticket and a yen to see New York

I typed eigty words a minute so your corporation let me go to work

I fetch paper clips and coffee even help you dodge your dominee ring wife

Mr Walker it's all over I don't like the New York secretary's life

In this building there's a lotta guys with old familiar thought s upon their minds

That's a lot of hands a reaching out to grab the things that I consider mine

And the president persues me even though he's old and his hair is turnin' white

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There's a flat in Greenwich Village that I took because the sub ways wasn't far

But a trumpet player's upstairs and below me ther's a jumpin' a ll night bar

And to frost the bitter cake I have to share the place with bug s and big ol' mice

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Your sweetheart in personnel said I should give her written not ice like the rest

So I wrote goodbye with my brightest lipstick right across her big expensive desk

You'd better call the Times and tell 'em put your wanted ad rig ht back in classified

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There's a greyhound at the station and a mom at home with open arms for me

Garden City's looking better every minute now since I have lear ned to see

And the boy next door don't know it but come June he's gonna ga in himself a wife

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