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Intro. - March

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I SURRENDER TO THE RED WHITE AND BLUE

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Now honest, Mr Kaiser, are not you a little wiser,
Since you find that you are playing it alone?
Don't you wish that you had heeded, to our terms of peace conceded
Then we might have kept our Sammy boys at home.
But you had a foolish notion and dreamed you owned the ocean
And you tried to build a fence across it too.
So you must be taught a lesson, and teaching's our profession,
That's just the reason why we've come for you.

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Soon you'll see a new attraction, Our Rookies, all in action
In the thickest of the fray and battle din
Then you'll hear our cannons roaring and see our bullets pouring
For the World knows that the U.S. Boys will win.
With your men about you falling, you'll hear your Generals calling
"They are cutting down our forces to a naught"
Then you'll stand there all alone, without empire, crown or throne,
That will pay you for the wrongs which you have wrought.

C H O R O U S

When you see "Old Glory" flying o'er your wounded and your dead
And our faithful soldiers watching on the Rhine
You'll forget your aspirations to conquer all the Nations,
And admit that "Uncle Sammy's" come in time.
Then you'll hear the bells a'ringing and a million voices singing
"America" and "Yankee Doodle Doo"
And on that eventful day, with sword in hand you'll say
I surrender, to the RED WHITE and BLUE

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