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"America's Answer"

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Tempo M. March

Voice

Piano

Intro'

fall $\underline{\underline{f}}$ Tempo!

ramp will read.

Voice

Piano

Way over the ocean,
now Germany's No. 1.

Rose such a commotion,
The Yanks did surprise her, showed her.

Listen!
she showed her.

Billy the Kaiser,
what they could do for

shrank a surprise,
The old red white & blue

Listen!
showed her!

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He took a notion. To rule the ocean wishin' some there
 How Army munitions clothes & provisions

so forty years they had one Hun, and then one frightful war
 Help us, Backbone, spare allies and the same Yankee boys pray over there.

From over the waters, news of the slaughter reached us.
 All ships we could build here, were put to work in support of Victory -

came to the ears of
 Plans worked night & day for

good Uncle Sam, be seceded us -
 The good old U.S.A. so shield her.

How could we be neutral,
 Ships were sent there fast

murderous - old Hun - knew he had - - a chance gathered he offered
 Happy glorious day. For the boys back from the fray How proud re - BAPPY -

peace is will seem. - - While he tried out some more new
 we will be - - to see out brave lads of Victory -

schemes - - Then Billy just woke up and your saw his mis take when he
 Then Murray and Murray and your saw his mis take when he
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tried the Vankee fines so Break.
 Troops. brings back home your boy =

AMERICA'S ANSWER.

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1st. Verse.

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Way over the ocean
Rose such a commotion
Listen.
Billy the Kaiser
Sprang a surpriser
Listen.
He took a notion
to rule the ocean
Wishin.
So forty years prepared the Hun
And then the dreadful war begun
From over the waters
News of the slaughter
Reached us
Came to the ears of good Uncle Sam
Beseeched us
How could we be neutral?
Look on the brutal
Slaughter
So, Uncle Sam stretched out his hand
To the helpless ones across the sea.

1st. Chorous.

So then he sent the Yankees there
Poor Kaiser Bill was scared for fair
And when he saw our brave lads landed in France
The murderous old Hun, knew he had'nt a chance
So then he offered peace it seems
While he tried out some more new schemes
Then Billy just woke up and saw his mistake
When he tried the Yankee lines to break.

2nd. Verse.

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Now Germany's wiser
The Yanks did surprise her
Showed her
What they could do
For the old Red White and Blue
We showed her
How arms and munitions
Clothes and provisions came there
To help to back our brave Allies
And the Yankee boys way over there
All ships we could build here
Were built with a will for Victory
Plants worked night and day
For the good old U.S.A.
To sheild her
Ships were sent there fast
With Boys from mast to mast, for Liberty
Now Kaiser Bill is wiser now
Then he's ever been in forty years.

2nd. Chorous.

So when the Boys come marching home
To dear old friends and Home Sweet Home
The world will all put on a holiday array
On that happy glorious day
For the Boys back from the fray
How proud and happy we will be
To see our brave lads of Victory
So shout Hurray, and let your heart
Sing with joy
When the troop ship brings back
Home your Boy.