PROGRAMME

NEW AUSTRALIAN REVUE

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LIEUT. COLONEL W. L'ESTRANGE EAMES, C.B., V.E.

The following is the only known British Atrocity perpetrated at the Front.

WHAT HO! WATTLE!

A Passing Revue on Active Service

Scenery and Properties by	A
Music arranged and disturbed by	В
Words strung together and strangled by	C

CASTE.

The Super-Sergeant attempted	by	Staff Sgt. Chapman
Staff Sergeant Stores "		Staff Sgt. Ball
Staff Sergeant Wards "		Staff Sgt. Eady
Sanitary Squad Sergeant "		Sergeant Whomersley
Sir Percival "		Sergeant Kennedy-Cox
Night Wardmaster "		Corporal Wigmore
The Football Pet "		Private Record
lst Football Blesse "		Corporal Onslow
2nd " " "		Private Clegg
Military Police "		Private Smalley
The Super-Sister delineat	ed by	Sergeant Jarvis
Mrs. Swankin Keir Hardie "		Staff Sgt. Earle

and

BEAUTY CHORUS by Members of the Sanitary Squad (and others).

Privates Maxfield, Ellenden, Johnston, Clegg, and C. Bartlett,

Under the direction of Sgt. Major C. R. Williams.

N.B. - The role of Military Police will be undertaken at a moment's notice by Private Ellenden.

SCENA

ACT	1.	The	Wattle	Hospital	(by	day)
ACT	11.		do		(by	night)

ACT 1

ENTRY OF SANITARY SQUAD.

We are the members of the Sanitary
Brigade,
By us your drains and heavy pipes are
laid,
Of work there is not one of us dismayed.
For we are the members of the Sanitary
Brigade,
By us your bredges and your huts are
made,
When we start a job we do it jolly
quickly too
Look out boys, the sergeant's coming!

INTRODUCTION OF SIR PERCIVAL.

I'm Percival, the unmerciful, the kmut with a "K",
The pride of Australian "Rawal Pindi,"
"A-A,"
The ladies and blesses, they run from their huts
After Percival, the unmerciful,
The Colonel of the Knuts.

THE WATTLE GLIDE.

(rotten)

Oh! won't you come and dance with me the

Wattle Glide?

The Wattle what? The Wattle Glide.

Oh! won't you dance with me, prance with

me prance with me dance with me,

Oh! won't you come and dance with me the

Wattle Glide?

And when the sergeant major's through

Cursing me and you,

Making us feel blue,

Put your belt on, and come and do

That (witty) Wattle Glide

THE SUPER-SERGEANT-MAJOR'S SONG.

On parade each morning, on parade each morning,
You should see them bustle along,
On parade each morning, on parade each morning,
I make them do a little bit of violent exercise.
I make them march and double,
Saves a lot of trouble,
With health they fairly bubble,
You should see them double
On parade each morning, on parade each morning.
They're glad that I was born.

FOOTBALL FINALS.

Come with us to the Football,
Australia and Lancashire call,
See how the the Ball to the Goalmouth whirls,
Cheered by spectators both Boys and Girls,
Come with us to the Football,
There'll be a welcome for all,
Don't miss the chance that has come
Of Football! Of Football!

Maj. Gen. W. EAMES, C.B., C.B.E., V.D.
Austn. Vol. Hospital. 26/2/30.

THE MEASLES MARCH.

They've had measles so long
At St-Omer,
Now they've started convalescing
They may go too far,
If we give them some golf
And a temperance bar,
They'll enjoy those measles
Caught at St-Omer.

YPRES DUET.

I want to go, I want to go,
I want to go from her to Ypres,
Where our men are fighting all the day.
Machine-guns mowing them down like hay.
We want to go, we want to go,
We want to go from here to Ypres.
Tell the boys we're coming to
Y-P-E, I don't know how to spell it,
But we're going, you bet we're going
To that brave old Belgian land.

PATIENT'S DUET.

You made us love you
We didn't want to do it, we didn't want
to do it.

You made us love you,

And all the time you knew it and all the

time you knew it.

You made us happy, sometimes you made us

You gave us Black Mixture, that was the

You gave us Blue Suits, and saucy little mittens, yes saucy little mittens

When we wore Red Jackets we felt like giddy kittens yes really giddy kittens Give us, give us back our khaki. These pyjamas make us fell so larky, You made us love you, that's true.

COOE-HITCH.

Oh! every evening hear me sing, it's

the cutest little thing

Got the cutest little swing; Cooe-hit

Cooe-hitch,

Oh! simply for Australians, don't you
ask me what it means.

For it haunts me in my dreams Cooehitch, Cooe-hitc

Don't I just do it as an Australian
would

Say, when I do it, don't I do it good
Oh! every evening hear me sing,
It's the cutest little thing, got the
cutest little swing

Cooe-hitch, Cooe-hitch....Cooee...

SIR PERCIVAL'S SONG.

Oh! he is the friend of all,
On each one of us he will call.
And directly our temperatures fall
He will give us one of his papers;
For he is the friend of all,
On each one of us he will call
Even on poor Sergeant Ball
But he can't spare him one of his
papers.

ZEPPELIN FINALE.

You'll have to get under, get out and get under,
When comes that flying machine,
Now each one of you know what I mean,
There's room for the fat and the lean
For you'll have to get under, get out and get under,
When comes the flying machine.
Every time I raise to blow my whistle thus,
Under a bed every one of you without a fuss,
You'll have to get under, get out and get under,
To get from this blessed machine.

N. B. - This Programme has NOT been passed by the Censor.

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