

A TOWN IN EUROPE,
(Blank) o'clock,
November (dash).

A fearful shock
Of arms occurred at (blank) to-day,
And I'm at liberty to say
That the result was (blank-dash-blank),
For which we have the (blanks) to thank.
The whole (dash) Corps of (censored) Huns,
Supported by (omitted) guns,
Advanced at daylight, and were faced
By (here a passage is erased),
Who held a very strong position
Resting upon (a long omission).
The (blanks) were able to advance
And occupy (a town in France) ;
But presently the (blank) Division
Attacked the trenches of (excision),
And soon (blank-blank) and then (dash-dash),
(Dash-blank, dash-blank) a fearful crash
(A paragraph omitted here),
As a result of which it's clear
That further efforts will (the rest
Of the report has been suppressed).

Horace Wyatt.

From "Malice in Kulturland."