

Joe Amman, the yank, on his new side  
 drum,  
 Plays merrily all the way.  
 While Vansickle smart, keeps the time up  
 sharp,  
 As the bass drum he does play.

Nearly all are boys from the County of  
 Bruce,  
 Who honour that land far away.  
 And when the day comes, that stills the  
 guns,  
 They'll go back there for aye.

### A Good Word for "Bruce in Khaki"

Capt. Pearson, manager of the Godal-  
 ming branch of the Y.M.C.A., received  
 the following letter last week:

November 10th, 1917.

Dear Capt. Pearson—

I was much interested in that copy  
 of "Bruce in Khaki" that you left for  
 me to see after you went off to-day.

I was greatly taken—I might say fas-  
 cinated with the motto. It's just great,  
 top hole! "Save, Serve and Smile."  
 What a motto for our Empire to-day,  
 and how magnificently you Canadians  
 are living up to it. God bless you all,  
 who have left home and loved ones to  
 save the Empire, to serve your fellow  
 men and to smile at difficulties. You  
 know these lines?

Smile awhile,  
 And whilst you smile  
 Another smiles.  
 And soon there's miles  
 And miles of smiles,  
 And life's worth while  
 Because you smile.

Do you know that over 6100 of our  
 splendid Barnardo Boys from Canada  
 are in khaki to-day helping to save,  
 serve and smile?

All power to your elbow in your great  
 work for our gallant Canadians.

Yours till Niagara Falls,

W. W. Hind-Smith



Bandsman Anthony Nebbling spent  
 the week-end visiting a friend in London  
 town.

Bandsman Morgan Hahn has returned  
 to camp after being in hospital with  
 tonsilitis for several weeks. Welcome  
 back to our happy home.

Pte. McCannel, one of the boys in the  
 band hut, has returned after visiting  
 friends and relatives in Scotland. Alex.  
 says the land of the heather is a great  
 place to spend a short leave and a few  
 pounds.

Why should bandsmen make good  
 steam-fitters? Because they handle  
 valves.

Several of the boys were away on an  
 all day pass last Sunday, and report  
 having spent a very enjoyable day's out-  
 ing sight-seeing in dear old England.

One of the boys is in great distress  
 these days—he has lost his suspenders.  
 Take another look in Guildford, Crook.

Little William Prince, second clarinet-  
 ist, still makes weekly trips to Petworth.

Dr. James R. Kincaid made a fly-  
 ing trip to Haselmere last Saturday  
 afternoon.

The two fightin' men of the Band,  
 Hal. Trout and Denny McNamara, are  
 taking a special course in boxing from  
 the Heavy-weight Champion of Alder-  
 shot Command.