

Foggy Dew

Pertness

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To a city fair rode I
When Ireland's line of marching men
In squadron passed me by

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They hung out a flag of war
'Twas better to die 'neath an Irish sky
Than at Suvla or Sud el Bar

No pipe did hum, no battle drum
Did sound its dread tattoo
But the Angelus bell o'er the Liffey's swell
Rang out in the foggy dew

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And from the plains of Royal Meath
Strong men came hurrying through
While Brittanians sons with their long-range guns
Sailed in from the foggy dew

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