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27TH REGT.—1ST BATTALION

Thos. L Swift, reported missin since June 15, 1915, Rich. H Stapleford, Bury C Binks, L Gunn Newell, killed in action, Arthur Owens, F C N Newell, T Ward, Sid Welsh Alf Woodward, killed in action M Cunningham, M Blondel, W Blun R W Bailey, A L Johnston, R A Johnston, G Mathews, C Manning, W G Nichol, F Phelps, H F Small, E W Smith, C Toop, C Ward, J Ward, killed in action, F Wakelin, D C M, killed in action, T Wakelin, wounded—missing, H Whitsitt, B Hardy.

PRINCESS PATRICIA'S C.L.I.

Gerald H Brown

18TH BATTALION

C W Barnes, Geo. Ferris, Edmund Watson, G Shanks, C Jamieson, J Burns, F Burns, C Blunt, Wm. Autterson, S P Shanks.

2ND DIVISIONAL CAVALRY

Lorne Lucas, Frank Yerks, Chas. Potter.

33RD BATTALION

Percy Mitchell, died from wounds Oct. 14th, 1916; Lloyd Howden, Geo. Fountain, killed in action Sept. 16, 1916, Gordon H Patterson, died in Victoria Hospital, London, Charles Potter.

34TH BATTALION

E C Crohn, S Newell, Stanley Rogers, Macklin Hagle, missing since Oct. 8, 1916; Henry Holmes, killed in action Sept. 27, 1916, Wm. Manning, Leonard Lees.

70TH BATTALION

Ernest Lawrence, —— Emmerson, C H Loveday, A Banks, S R Whalton, killed in action Oct. 1916, Thos. Meyers, Jos M Wardman, Vern Brown, Sid Brown, killed in action Sept. 15, 1916, Alf. Bullough.

28TH BATTALION

Thomas Lamb, killed in action.

MOUNTED RIFLES

Fred A Taylor

29TH BATTERY

Wm. Mitchell, John Howard.

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N. McLachlan.

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Alfred Levi

116TH BATTALION

Clayton Fuller.

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196TH BATT.

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Captain Hobby's Christmas

BY ELINOR MARSH

CAPTAIN JIM HOBBY made a fire in his kitchen stove and then looked through the window at the flying snowflakes.

"My gracious, we're in for a regular old northeaster!" he muttered. "If it keeps up all morning I shan't be able to get over to the island to spend Christmas with Hetty and the children."

As he ate his breakfast he could see the big basket in the corner where he had put all the presents he was going to take over to the lighthouse on the island where his only daughter, Hetty, lived with her husband and two children. Paul Robbins, Hetty's husband, was the keeper of the light.

Captain Hobby carried the same big basket every Christmas. And when the basket was opened in the lighthouse sitting room there would be much wonderment as to what the carefully wrapped packages contained—and no one ever knew until Christmas morning.

Mr. Robbins was coming over after the captain this time; he had a new boat belonging to the lighthouse and he had to come ashore for something else anyway. So, although it was snowing hard and the wind was howling, Captain Hobby smoked his pipe quite contentedly.

He sat there thinking of other Christmas eves when he had been a little boy and of what fun he used to have with his brothers and sisters, now all grown up with grandchildren of their own and all living many miles away. After awhile he put away his newspaper and began to pack another basket with some goodies he had been saving for Christmas.

He Began to Pack Another Basket With Goodies.

There were a dozen fine red apples that his old friend Captain Leeway had sent to him; there were some oranges and candy he had bought at the store the day before; there was a big bag of black walnuts and hickory nuts and a whole baked fish that the captain had cooked himself, for he could cook anything in the way of sea food that would make you hungry even if you were not very fond of fish.

And when that basket was ready Captain Hobby opened the big gift basket and looked at all the things once more.

There was a new dress for Hetty, a pipe and a big jar of tobacco for Mr. Robbins; there was a whole set of little books for Freda, who was eight years old, with a box of soldiers for Jack, who was six. And, besides, there was a cunning little gray kitten for both the children.

The storm increased rapidly and no one came, so Captain Hobby gave up entirely all thought of any one coming after him. So he sighed very sadly and thought that he would have to go up to the store and buy some coffee and condensed milk and perhaps something else to eat if he had to spend Christmas all alone. It was twilight when he went out into the storm all wrapped up in his big blue coat with his fur cap pulled down over his ears. He looked toward the lighthouse, and he could see a dim red glow through the thickly falling snow. It was the lighthouse sending out its warning to all ships that might be out that snowy, stormy night.

Captain Hobby breathed a sigh of disappointment at the lost Christmas pleasures and then trudged up the road to the store. He made his purchases and exchanged Christmas greetings with many old friends. He called for his mail, and finally, with all his bundles in his arms, he went back to his lonely cottage.

But was it lonely?

At first Captain Hobby thought it was on fire. But it proved that every room was lighted and there was a fire in the sitting room stove. And when he pushed the door open he dropped his bundles on the table and opened his arms wide, for there were little Freda and Jack ready to jump into them. Then their mother came out of the sitting room to kiss her father, and last of all their father came, his arms full of baskets and bundles. He had been putting his boat into Captain Hobby's boathouse.

"Merry Christmas, grandpa!" they all cried.

"Merry Christmas, everybody!" he roared, with surprise. "Where did you all come from?"

"We came from the island," explained Mr. Robbins. "I had two days' leave of absence, and the man came to relieve me this morning. We decided to spend Christmas with you this year, and Hetty has brought all her Christmas dinner along too."

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