THAT ROOKIE FROM THE 13th SQUAD

By Lieut. P. L. CROSBY
That Rookie from the 13th Squad
I wonder what the girls are doing now?
That Rookie from the 13th Squad
See how I hate to get up in the morning.

PRIVATE DUBB ABSENT

WHERE IS HE?

IN HIS TENT, SIR

WHY DIDN'T YOU TURN OUT FOR REVEILLE?

OH!! I COULD SEE EVERYTHING PERFECTLY FROM HERE.
Send private dub to me immediately.

What do you mean by wearing two stars on each shoulder?

I saw a man with them on this morning and I thought he looked awfully snappy.
Always learn to keep your intervals.

The distance between you two is four inches.

Now, Dubb, what's between you and O'Brien?

Ooh... nothin' 'cept we ain't speakin'.

10-16
HAVE PRIVATE DUBB REPORT TO ME IMMEDIATELY.

YES, SIR

WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY WEARING THAT ON PARADE?

MY GIRL WANTED TO SEE HOW IT LOOKED. SHE KNITTED IT.
Oh! It must be wonderful to be a soldier.

Oh! How wonderful to be so brave and fearless. You are so reckless and daring. How I admire a hero.

Snothin.

Gertie, it's past ten. Come to bed.

Father's voice.

I guess I better be going.

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P.L. Crosby

10-23
Dubb calls up his girl on the only public telephone in camp.

10-25
The one supreme event in Dubb's career - kidding the new arrivals

Oh! You rookies! Get those shoulders back! Left! Left! - you're in the army now.

P.B. Crosby
10-29
A: Halt! Who's there?

B: Officer of the post.

A: Advance and be recognised.

B: Well, what are you keeping me for?

A: I can't think of what comes next.
AND HE ALSO WANTS THE NAMES OF THOSE WHO WANT 24 HOURS LEAVE

\'AT'S ME!

WHO MADE THAT REMARK?
Thank her for me, Dubb

Tell her they're great

They wouldn't have left this if there had been any raisins in it.

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1211 Madison Ave., N.Y. City

My dear Dubb:
I am sending you some cakes which I hope you will enjoy in your spare moments. Don't make yourself sick.

Hoping camp life agrees with you.

Gertrude Volz

PRIVATE DUBB
305th Infantry
Camp Upton
Nov. 11-63

How about the fags?
Private Dubb, when I send for a man, I want him to drop everything and come.

The Capt. wants to see Private Dubb right away.

You wish to see me, sir?

Reckless if nothing.
HOW DUBB FELT THE 1ST TIME HE CHARGED A TRENCH IN A BAYONET DRILL

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Hang on like a Crimpet Eddie
WILL YOU KINDLY PASS THE BEANS?

AND THE SPUDS AN' MEAT AN' CATCHUP AN' SALT AN' PEPPER AN' MILK

AN' SHOOT DOWN THE COFFEE AN' SUGAR AN' BREAD AN' BUTTER AN'

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How Dubb felt the first time he tried to put on the spiral leggings.
HAVE YE GOTTA MATCH?
Those wishing to claim exemption will report to Medical Dept.

Oh!! Doc-tore!
Oh! Ooooh!! That hurts-- Ooooh!!

Nothing doing!!

Exemption cases

To a co.

P.G. Crosby
11-30
ADJUTANT KNOCK.

THE BOYS FROM THE COMPANY SAID YOU WANTED TO SEE ME, SIR.

ABOUT BEING MEASURED FOR A HORSE
You let a suspicious guy pass your post didn't yer-huh?

No!

No, Corporal, he's a friend.

What d'ya mean-friend.

Well look at the cigars he gave me.
"Golly 2 A.M. and I'm nearly dead for sleep.

Clank! Clank! Clank!

I wonder how long before reveille blows.

Who was it?

Dubb hasn't been in yet.

Just like father used to do it.
CAPT, WHAT ARE MY CHANCES FOR AVIATION?
MY MY! I LOST MY SHOULDER BARS.

I HAVE SOME INSIGNIA ON HAND, CAPT.

YOU'RE WELCOME TO ANY OF THOSE, CAPT.

 HOW IS IT YOU HAVE ALL THE INSIGNIA OF OFFICERS + NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS IN YOUR POSSESSION?

I HEARD THERE WAS GOING TO BE SOME PROMOTIONS AND I WANT TO BE READY FOR SUCH EMERGENCIES

Never can tell how far you can climb.
Show your pack and we'll tell you what you did.
How the girl next door looked to Dubb before he joined the army.

But after spending a couple of months on the post—Oh, boy!!
WHERE ARE YOU GOING WITH THAT?

To throw it away, Sir.

Throw it in the incinerator.

Yes, Sir.

Why didn't you tell me there was powder in it?

You didn't ask me.

Boom!
I think they ought to release you from the army. You have
to help support your family + then.
Again we can marry.

I guess you're right.

Hello, Dubb. Remember Bob? He's over on the front so's Pete. They were
both asking for you. Remember the happy times we used to have?

Remember Skinney - in our class, we'll never see poor little Skinney anymore.
The Germans shot him. The best friend we had.

Exemption be d---!!

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NO. TWO? THEN YOU'RE ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE CORPORAL

QUIT YOUR KIDDIN', LIEUT., HE HASN'T GIVEN ME A PASS FOR A MONTH
Dubb forgot that he was sleeping under one of those pup tents with his bunkie.
How it felt to dub the 1st. time he fired a rifle.
Private Dubb would like to get off for a day, sir.

No body can leave this camp unless it's an exceptional case.

Well I wanted to see a girl who's going away I'll never be able to see her again, sir.

Oh, well that's alright you can go.

Prices
Ticket Office

Have yer got 1 in the front row?

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Positively the last appearance of Dollie Dimple with the Cherry Blossom Girls.

10-18
PRIVATE DUBB ABSENT

NO I AINT EITHER- I'M HERE.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY SMOKING OUT HERE WHEN YOU SHOULD BE IN RANKS

'OOH!!'

'CAUSE IT'S AGAINST REGULATIONS TO SMOKE IN RANKS

'烟 life up in the smoke, in kind duty.'
The boys all warn.

My poor boy, have you received bad news? No death in the family. I hope.

Oh! no, colonel. Tell me what's troubling you and I'll help you.

I'm peeling onions.
Then let him have it with all your might and be ready to stick another.

Any questions?

Yes, Sir.

What?

When are we going to have peace?
WHAT DOBB THOUGHT THE INNOCULATING NEEDLE WOULD BE LIKE AFTER LISTENING TO THOSE WHO WENT THROUGH IT.

AWK!!!

NOW ALL TOGETHER, MEN- PUSH!!!
Ooh! $10

Maybe some poor fellow who can't spare it lost it. I'll try and find the owner.

Found $10 will owner call for same—Dubb

10 minutes later
WHEW! GOLLY I'M ALL IN. GUESS I'LL SQUAT ON THAT PILE OF CANNON BALLS FOR AWHILE.

BOP!!

YOU BUSTA DA BALLOON - YOU PAY
IN DUBB'S CO. — THE MAN WHO NEVER MISSED HIS DAILY DIP IN THE OCEAN THE YEAR ROUND.
We're all goin' to ask for passes - now don't come and queer it.

Gloom

The Capt. says there will be no passes - there's been too many lately - however.

One is granted to Private Dubb. He hasn't asked for any.

Well so long, fellers. I'll see you when I return.

Home Pass

To City

It still happens in prisons.
How Dubb thought he looked when his girl snapped him.

But this is what the picture was like.
HALT! WHO'S THERE?

COLONEL!
DISMOUNT! ADVANCE TO BE RECOGNIZED

WHO EVER POSTED YOU HERE?

NORTH. I'M JUST PRACTICING

12 MONTHS - 2 TIMES A DAY
12 MONTHS IN WATER
I'VE GOT TO GO TO HEADQUARTERS AND, WHEN I RETURN I WANT TO SEE ALL THAT STUFF ON MY DESK FILED.
Gee, I just learned some jiu jitsu. Let me show you a trick.

You! You show me something? Don't make me laugh.

Why when I was on the force I had that stuff for six months straight 'cept Sundays.

Well here's something I learned Sundays.
Now, Susie, you can't imagine how wonderful this Jiu Jitsu is. Let me show you.

I'd love to learn.

First you take a tight hold-then-

It's useless to struggle.

But how can I break it?

I've forgotten.

What, if what?
THE FIRST TIME DUBB EVER SLIPPED UP ON SALUTING.
Dubb, go peek over that bluff and signal to me if the enemy is in front.

Yes, sir.

Hello, little bright eyes.

What did you signal? The enemy was "advancing" rapidly — retreat.
THE 1ST. TIME DUBB TRIED ON A GAS MASK.
NOW REMEMBER IN THE
HAND SALUTE YOU
BRING UP YOUR HAND ON
HAND SALUTE,
AND
DOWN ON
"TWO!"

HAND SAL—OOT!

TWO!
PVT. DUBB
WHY AREN'T
YOU IN ON THIS
EXERCISE?

"CAUSE MY NUMBER'S
FOUR
HERE COMES AN OFFICER
NOW WHICH HAND DO I SALUTE WITH?

'MORNING, SIR.

HAVEN'T YOU BEEN IN
THE ARMY LONG ENOUGH
TO KNOW HOW TO
SALUTE?

I WASN'T SURE SO I
THOUGHT IT
WOULD BE SAFER
TO USE BOTH
HANDS.

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SUPREME JOYS IN A ROOKIE'S LIFE

WAKING UP AT THE USUAL 5:30 A.M.

ONLY TO FIND THAT YOU'RE SAFE AND
WARM IN YOUR OWN BED - SUNDAY MORNING
This is the neatest bunk I've seen today—and your appearance is very neat. What is your name?

Dubb, Sir.

Supreme moments in a rookie's life: Getting a boost before the bunch on inspection.

12-10
Supreme moments in a rookie's life.

In view of the fact that you have worked hard I am making you a 1st class private. Your increase in pay begins next month.

Oh! Is that so? Well! Well! -er-Thank you, sir. -er-Thank you, sir.
SUPREME MOMENTS IN A ROOKIE'S LIFE

TAKING YOUR GIRL OUT TO DINNER AFTER SPENDING A MONTH IN CAMP.
SUPREME MOMENTS IN A ROOKIE'S LIFE.
STAYING IN THE BARRACKS Owing TO INCLEMENT WEATHER.

Jacks or Better
HALT! WHO'S THERE?

FRIEND!

ADVANCE AND LET'S SEE

THIS IS COLONEL GARNER.

I'M GLAD TO KNOW YE COL. MY NAME'S DUBB.

Friendly nil nothing.