9年级英语第14课时 拓展任务答案

Possible version:

On one usual school day, I ran back home and dropped my schoolbag on the sofa. Then on the table I saw “Mum’s Wish Book”- a mail order catalog from a gift shop. I opened it and tears ran down my face when I found gloves in the catalog. I knew mum wouldn’t buy them for herself because we had a hard time on the farm. I had walked a dog for a neighbor and saved my money all year to buy them for her.

I ran out and went straight to the post office. There I carefully filled out the order form torn from the catalog and bought a stamp from Mr. Smith, a post officer. And then I told him to keep the secret.

As I walked back home, I decided to tell Dad her secret and told him to help me check the mailbox every day. He nodded, with a big smile. Coming home from school every day, I peeked at Dad when Mum wasn’t noticing, but every time he shook his head, which made me sad.

Before Christmas dinner, when I began to set the table, we heard someone pulling up the driveway. From the window we saw Mr. Smith making his way to the door, with a box in his hand. He handed Mum the box, “This is your Christmas.”

Mum opened the box and her eyes lit up when she saw the gloves.

“Ho! Ho! Ho! Merry Christmas!” said, Mr. Smith. I noticed how excited mum felt, with a sunny smile on her face.

It was Christmas that no one would ever forget.