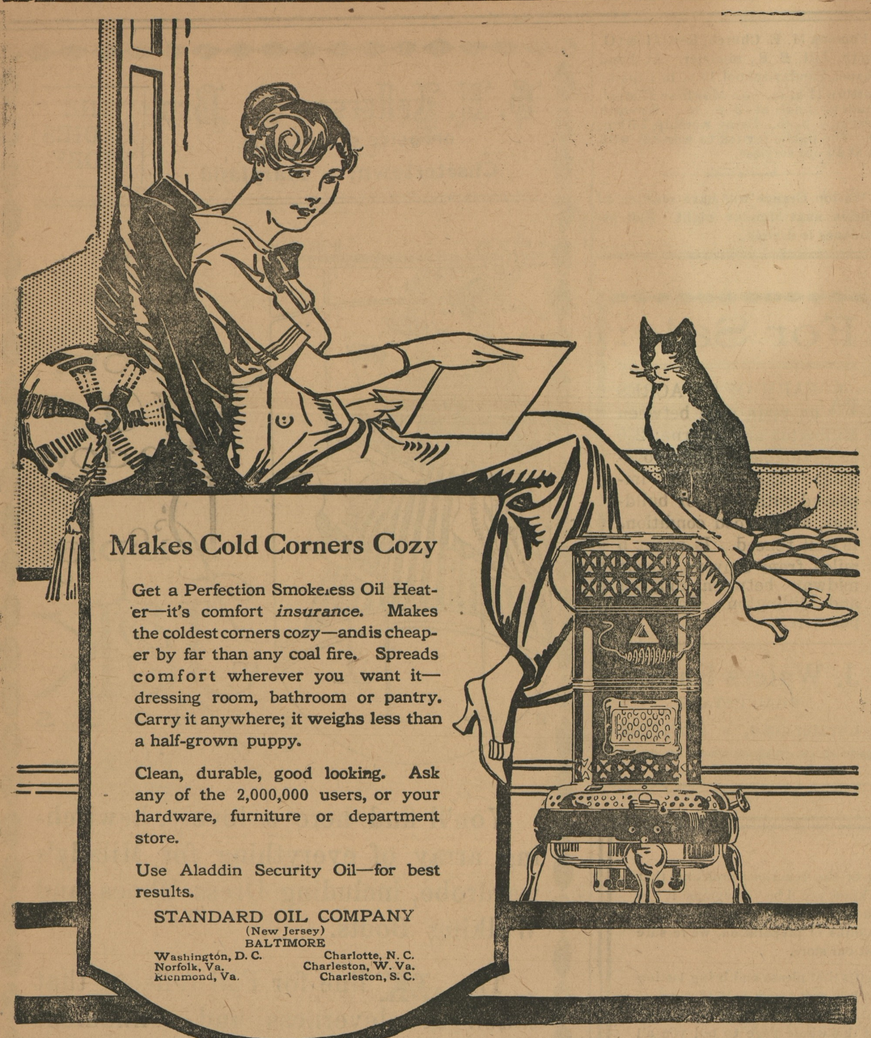


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LETTERS TO SANTA CLAUS

Arthur Peacock, Chestertown—I am a little girl near seven years old and please bring me a raincoat, writing desk, big doll, white go cart, nuts, candy, oranges.

George Peacock, Chestertown—Bring me an express wagon, doll, candy, nuts, and whotever you think best for me to have.

Norman H. Cole, Galt R. R.—I am 7 yrs. old, go to school every day. I want a bicycle, train of cars, tool chest, wheel barrow, trimmings for tree. Don't forget my teacher, Miss Blanche Huhn.

Ella Virginia Cole, Galt R. R.—I am 5 yrs old and want a neck chain, locket, doll, go-cart, pair gloves, don't forget grandmother Cole and and Hudson, also Cousin Helen

Three Comegys Children, Millington—Mabel wants a little wash tub, towel, cake of soap. Pauline wants a sewing machine, knives and forks, and spoons, and I want a set called Richters anchor block toys of stone.

Richard W. Legg, Cliff City—Bring me a pair of boots, overcoat, sled, boat, hatchet, horn, fire crackers, candy, nuts, apples, etc. Don't forget mama, papa, grandpa. Trim my tree and fill my stockings.

Ruth S. Legg, Cliff City—Bring me a ring, muff and fur, doll and baby carriage, set of dishes, bank, nuts, candy, oranges. Brother Thomas wants a rubber toy, don't forget mama and papa and my little cousins which are too numerous to mention, and Uncle Sam wants you to bring him a girl.

Calvin M. Walls, Chestertown—I would like you to bring me a velocipede, sled, gum boots, tool chest, candy, nuts, oranges, apples.

Dora E Hadaway, Chestertown—I wish you would bring me a little lamp, crocheting needle and some pretty cotton, a blue sweater, muff and fur, pair arctics, you may bring me a doll but not many toys as my little cousins come while I am at school and play havoc with them. Don't forget m ygrandparents, also big Uncle Sam wants a nipple.

Walter S. Dickerson, Chestertown—As I have tried to be a good boy and want a Farmer boy galloping swinging horse, pair gum boots, pair shoes, unique walking bear, drum, pair gloves, horn. My little brother William wants a kiddie horse or a rocking horse and horn. I know I am asking a good many things of you but I am only a little boy 6 yrs. old. I want candy, nuts, apples and oranges, ornaments for tree. Irish potatoes are very high in price, but my sisters, Helen and Lillian would like you to bring them a large switch with a potato on it, and my big sister Estella wants a chocolate sucker to last all Christmas day.

Estelle Williams, Chestertown—Doll coach, doll, telephone, set of dishes, games, hair ribbons, cologne, toys, something in stocking.

Mary Scotten, Galena—I want a desk, picture book, box of pencils, new dress, pair of shoes, rubbers, kid gloves, nuts, candy.

Helen Bolton, Galena—Bring me a big character doll and a camera.

Kathryn Vansant, Galena—Bring me a bicycle. Now please bring it to me.

Ada Muiford, Galena—I want you to bring me a doll, reed doll coach for Christmas.

George VanDyke Turner, Galena—I want a silk necktie, bookbag, bicycle, engine, pair of gum boots, gloves.

Thersa Scott, Galena—Bring me a high chair, pretty books, game, little doll baby, desk.

Alice Shropshire, Galena—Bring me a little doll, snake, camera, storybooks, games, candy, nuts, white grapes.

Catherine Dempsey, Galena—Please bring me a girl's bicycle, big character doll, straw baby coach, some candy.

Raymond Walmsley, Galena—I want a bicycle, air rifle, wagon, pony, sled, new pair shoes, gum boots.

John Quinn, Galena—Bring me a rubber tire wagon, little engine, football, big sled, pair of skates, camera, pencils, candy, nuts, oranges.

Carlton Wallen, Millington—Bring me a rolling coaster, in Larking No. 6225 book, Chicago, blackboard from Sears Roebuck & Co.

Harry Smith, Chestertown—Bring me a Charlie Chaplin doll, train of cars, popgun and a toy motorcycle.

Hilda Smith, Chestertown—Please bring me a dress, pair kid gloves and a game.

Margaret Smith, Chestertown—I want a clown, doll baby, doll carriage, and monkey that climbs up a string.

Hilda K. Bramble, Massey—I would like you to bring me a baby carriage for my babies, nuts and candy. Don't forget my brother, father and mother.

William Maxwell Bramble, Massey—I am a boy 10 years old. Bring me a pair gum boots, nuts, candy, oranges. Don't forget grandmother and grandfather.

Alfred Bramble, Galena—I want an automobile, Sandy Andy, coaster wagon, story book, live wire acrobat, candy, oranges, nuts, grapes, dont forget mama, papa and grandmother.

Fletcher Bramble, Galena—I want a rifle to shoot B B shot, pencil case with pencils in it, Sandy Andy, oranges, candy, nuts, grapes.

Margaret Bramble, Galena—I want you to bring me a doll carriage, piano, writing desk chair, doll baby, oranges, candy, nuts, grapes.

Lillian S. Dickerson, Cliff, Md.—I would like a pair of dress gloves, pair of rubbers, pair of shoes, coat, or raincoat, piece of hair ribbon, candy, oranges, nuts and apples, Please trim my tree and put a few new ornaments on it. Don't forget my parents and grandparents.

WHY A FARMER SHOULD DEPOSIT HIS MONEY

We have been urging farmers to start bank accounts, and it is interesting to see what effect this system has on the business man with whom Mr. Farmer has dealings. We believe this effect is pretty well stated by Mr. Hamp Williams, a prominent Arkansas hardware merchant, who said recently:

"If, after a farmer has bought a bill of goods, he takes out his check book and writes me a check for the amount, I naturally place a higher estimate on him than I would if he had paid me the cash. He conveys the idea to me that he is a business farmer, and I wonder if he has considerable money in the bank; but if he pulls from his pocket a little greasy wallet and takes the money from it, I can usually size up his pile. If he makes a mistake and pays me too much cash, he must depend upon my records to show the transaction, and if my system of doing business is no better than his, we can never tell. On the other hand, if he gives a check, the mistake is easily found."

In this connection, too, let us repeat that the thing to do this fall is not to pay your debts and then deposit the balance of your crop money in the bank, but to deposit all this money in the bank and then pay your debts by check. —The Progressive Farmer.

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In the Circuit Court for Kent County, In Equity. No. 1943.

ORDERED, this 5th day of December, 1916, by the Circuit Court for Kent County, in Equity, that the Auditors Account and Report, stated and reported by Lewin W. Wickes, Auditor, in the above entitled cause, be Ratified and Confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 1st day of January next; provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Kent county once in each of two successive weeks before the 25th day of December next.

A. PARKS RASIN, Clerk.
True Copy—Test:
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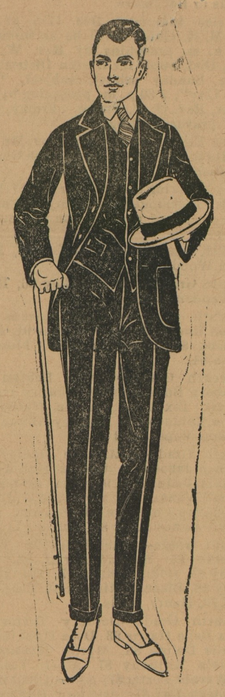
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