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Dear Mr. Santa Claus:—



Louis Earl Mench, Worton Route 2—I am a little boy. Would like you to bring me a gun, horse and train of cars, pair gum boots, candy, nuts, oranges and anything for a little boy

Doris Marie Sappington, Millington—I am a little girl 5 years old, I am real good, please bring me a doll, doll cradle, high chair, dishes and bedroom slippers, or anything you think a good little girl should have, candy, nuts and oranges. Don't forget mother and grandmother.

Elva Sappington, Millington—I am a little girl 7 years old, I go to school every day, so please bring me pair of bedroom slippers, dolly, doll bed, rocking chair, dishes or anything you would like a good little girl to have. Candy, nuts and oranges and don't forget my teacher, Miss Hartly.

Howard Alton Sappington, Millington—I am a little boy 3 years old and I try to be good I want you to please bring me a kiddie car, train of cars, a horn, bedroom slippers and any other things you have for a good little boy, and candy, oranges, nuts and don't forget my granddad.

Emily Sutton—Please bring me a dress, boots, rubbers, shoes, a little piano and a doll baby carriage. Don't forget my little sister, Jeanette.

Majorie Ruth Morris, Chestertown—I am a little 3 year old and would like for you to bring me a doll that says mama. A pass in boots, a ball and a little piano.

William Turner Morris, Jr.—Chestertown—As it is nearly time for you to come around I am writing you a letter to tell you what I want, I am a little boy 4 years old, would like to have a horn, a ball, a drum, and a goat that bleats, and a car, nuts, candy and good eats and also don't forget Uncle Edd and Aunt Elsie, bring them something.

Anna Pauline Morris, Chestertown—I go to school when ever I can, and I am in the sixth grade and would like for you to bring me a new dress, a new sweater and some good books to read, nuts, candy and oranges. Do not forget my teacher, Mrs. A. D. Bowen, bring her something nice.

Clifton Starkey, Chestertown—I am a little boy 2 years old, I am real good. Please bring me a drum and an automobile so I can take it apart and put it together again and a nice girl that I can take out riding, also bring her a box of candy.

Irene Hinkel, Chestertown—I am a good little girl eight years old. I go to school nearly every day. Will you please bring me a set of dishes, a cooking set, a pair of gum boots and anything else you think I would like. Don't forget my grandparents and my teacher Miss Cole.

Ruth Williams, Worton—I am a little girl 8 years old and I like to go to school and love my teacher. Will you please bring me a mama doll, one that goes to sleep and a little trunk. A game, a story book and please trim my tree. Please bring me some nuts, apples and some oranges.

Frank McGinnis, Chestertown—I am a good little boy and go to Sunday school. Please bring me a girl that would like a King Tut mustache, a sled and a pair of roller skates. Please bring my girl a nice new toy. Virginia Miller, Chestertown—I am a little girl ten years old. I go to school every day. I want you to bring me a big baby carriage and a rain coat and a hat also. Some candy nuts and oranges and please trim my tree.

Albert B. Groves, Jr., Chestertown—Christmas is almost here and we think it about time to tell you what we would like to have. I am 6 years old and hope to go to school in the spring. Please bring me a velocipede, I have wanted one for a long time, some story books, a ball and plenty of candy, nuts and oranges, and our little sister Margaret wants a kiddie bike, a doll and carriage, some dishes, also candy and oranges. Please remember our grandparents, and all the little cousins. I try to be a good boy, but it is hard work, some times. With lots of love to you and yours.

Howard Taylor, Chestertown—I am a little boy just two years old, I am so small I hardly know what I want, I will ask you if you please will you bring me a dollie like sister Martha's, I would like you bring me a somersaulting dog and monkey on a string and anything else you think I would like, and some candy and fruits.

Olin Taylor, Chestertown—I suppose you want to hear from me, as I would like for you to come to see me. I want a drum, a horn, a train of cars, little horse and wagon that I can pull on the floor, and please don't forget my brothers, George and Charles, they both want something. Charles wants a pair gum boots, George wants an automobile, candy, nuts, apples and oranges.

Hazel Ryan, Chestertown—I am a little girl 7 years old and go to school every day. Please bring me a box of paints and a paint book, also a story book, pencils and tablets. Please dress my metal doll in large clothes and don't forget to trim my tree. Bring Aunt Daisy a pretty doll and don't forget my grand-daddy at Rock Hall. Be sure to leave plenty of candy, nuts, oranges and anything you think I would like to have.

Lillian Hoffner, Chestertown—I am a baby girl one year old, am real good. Will you please bring me a teddy bear suit, a doll and bracelet. Don't forget to trim our tree. Don't forget my aunt Lillian and bring her something nice.

Elizabeth Lusby, Chestertown—I am a good little girl three years old. I want you to bring me a sleeping doll, a baby carriage, a sweater, a set of blocks, also candy, nuts, some oranges and bananas and please trim my tree. Don't forget my mother and daddy, also mama and daddy Taylor and my little dog.

Harry Huey, Millington—Bring me all you can.

Sara Hyland, Galena—I want a kitchen cupboard and a set of dishes, and a little piano and a wrist watch, and a gold ring with a set in it. Mary wants a mama doll and a baby carriage and some blocks. Be sure and fill our stockings full and bring a candy cane.

Frank Brice, Betterton—I am a little boy 12 years old and I want you to bring me a sweater, a belt and a cap and oranges, nuts, apples, candy, but don't forget my uncle Al, and my aunt Lucile, and my father.

Franklin Newnam, Galena—Please bring me a little stopper gun, Jenny, the balking mule, a jiggling coon, a ball, a boat, a wheelbarrow, some candy, nuts and oranges. I am a little boy three years old. Don't forget ma and dad, bring them a whip.

Martha Taylor, Chestertown—I am a little girl just six years old, tried to be a good girl all the time, go to school every day and Sunday school too. I am going to ask you, please will you bring me a big kitty cat that will say meow, a dollie that will say ma ma, some trimming for our tree, candy, nuts, apples and oranges.

Mary L. Fligge New Ringgold, Pa.—I am a little girl 4 years old and live up in Pennsylvania and hope my letter will reach Santa Claus, and I would like you to bring me an express wagon, a set of dishes, a piano and a doll and anything else you want. Don't forget my little baby brother Herman Robert.

Margaret C. Huhn, Massey—I am a little girl ten years old, go to school every day and always try to know my lessons, so please don't forget me Christmas, I will not ask very much as I know you have quite a number to share with. I would like to have a fountain pen, and a nice large story book, some candy, nuts, and an orange. Wishing you a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Frances and Marian Newnam, Galena—I am a little girl 5 years old and would like for you to bring me a large doll, a doll carriage, a washing set, Ham and Sam and some nuts, candy, oranges, apples, and bananas. Don't forget my little one-year-old sister Marian, she wants a mama doll and some candy.

Letters To Old Kris From The News' Boys and Girls

We began last week the annual publication of letters to Santa Claus from the boy and girl readers of the Kent News. The faith of these little ones is indeed beautiful.

Wilson Dill, Millington—I am a little boy 7 years old and would like you to bring me a tool chest, pair gloves, arties, bed slippers, a set of tinker toys, candy, nuts and oranges.

Allan Dill, Millington—I am a little boy 5 years old and would like you to bring me a pair of bed room slippers, a brown sweater, pair arties, rubber ball, gloves, a horse and wagon to pull, candy, nuts and oranges. From a good boy.

Grace E. Morris, Chestertown—I am a little girl nine years old and try to go to school every day and I would like to have a new dress, a new sweater, pair rubbers, nuts, candy, oranges and everything good to eat.

Carl M. Dill, Jr., Millington—I am a nice boy 4 years old and want you to leave for me a sweater, bed slippers, rubber ball, pair rubbers and a train, also candy, nuts, oranges.

Miriam Ford, Rock Hall—I want a Mama doll, 25 inches tall, and a carriage, a black board and chalk, a pair of nice warm gloves, and I want some nuts and candy. I want a big fairy tale book.

Elizabeth Ford, Rock Hall—I am just asking you for a few things. I want some good books for little girls. I do not want thin book, I want another large book, a pair of kid gloves and fountain pen, and I want some candy and nuts. Don't forget my little baby sister, she wants a teddy bear and some building blocks.

Pauline Crew, Betterton—I have been a real good girl this year, so please don't forget me, and bring me a desk and chair, blackboard, chalk, and a pair of roller skates. Hazel is going to give me a mamma doll. I have a little brother now, bring him a live Billy goat, you can put him in Pop Boone's stable, he said he would keep him for us.

Ada Shaw, 1624 Webster street, Baltimore—I am a little girl seven years old and would like to have a big doll carriage especially and any small things you may bring and please don't forget my little cousin in Rock Hall. His name is George Coleman.

Walter T. Gale, Galena—I am nearly eight years old and have tried to be good. Please bring me a pair of nice warm bed-room slippers, a fute, some games, a school companion and plenty of candy, nuts and oranges. I would like to have a windmill. Good-bye.

Frank Ford, Rock Hall—I am a little boy just started to school. I would like for you to bring me a drum, a horn, a water pistol, a train of cars, a three-wheel tricycle with pedals, and a Uncle Wiggily game. I want some nuts, candies, apples and oranges. Please don't forget my little baby sister, mother, father, aunts, uncles and cousins. Most people call me Sambo, so I thought I would tell you in case you did not know who this letter was from.

William Arthur Simpler, Millington—I am a little boy four years old. I go to Sunday school every Sunday and know my Sunday school lesson well. I want you to bring me a steam engine, a wheelbarrow and a pair of shoes, and a set of dishes because I like to play tea party. Some candy, nuts, oranges and apples. Do not forget mother, daddy, brother, my two sisters and uncle.

Lewis Hollett, Millington—I am a little boy seven years old. I go to school every day, learn my lessons and I am in the sixth grade and would like for you to bring me a steam engine, a wheelbarrow and a Sandy Ann, and candy, nuts, orange. Please don't forget my teacher, Miss Clara Bryan, also daddy and mother, Grandpa and grandma and Aunt Eva.

Helen Coleman, Chestertown—I am a little girl eight years old and I go to school every day. Please bring me a ring, sweater, story book, middy tie, some candy, nuts and oranges and please bring some new ornaments for our tree. Please don't forget my daddy and mother.

Betty Coleman, Chestertown, I am a little girl seven years old and I go to school every day and am in the third grade. Please bring me a sweater, story book, ring, middy tie, some candy, nuts and oranges, and please don't forget my little brothers, bring them something real nice.

Mildred Coleman, Chestertown—I am a little girl five years old, I try to be good, so please bring me a ring, story book, new black sateen dress and don't forget to put new heads on our dolls.

Mildred and Marjorie Hague, Rock Hall—We are two little sisters and go to school. We would like for you to bring us a doll and carriage, pair rubbers, box of paints and a paint book, tablet and pencils, lunch box and some dresses for school. Please don't forget our brother and the other children.

Maynard Hague, Rock Hall—I am a little boy and want you to please bring me a wagon, wheelbarrow, some candy, nuts, oranges and anything you want to bring me. Don't forget mother and daddy.

Erdman Walls, Chestertown Route 1—I am a little boy five years old, go to school every day. I would like you to bring me a wagon, fire engine, pop gun, story book, nice pair of gloves and anything else you like. Also trim my tree. Don't forget my teacher, Miss Cole.

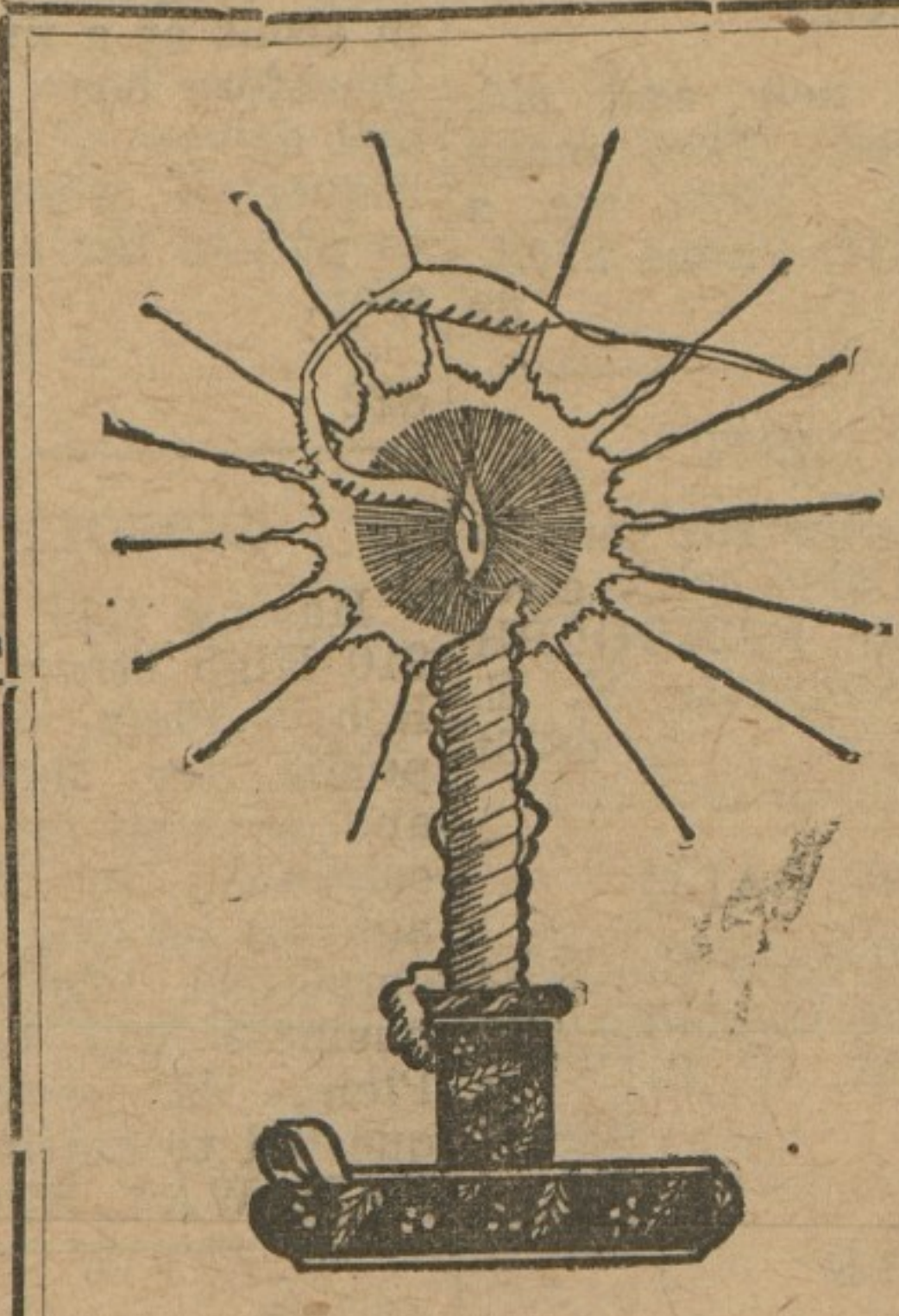
Blanche Woolford, Chestertown—I am a little girl seven years old and I try to be good but its so hard not to have some fun and then mama gets cross. Will you please bring me a doll baby, baby carriage, book and some nuts, candy and oranges. This is all from your little friend.

Opal Perry, Chestertown—I am a little girl five years old. Please bring me a doll carriage and mama doll, candy, nuts and oranges.

Dumont Perry, Chestertown—Please bring a ball, bat, glove, two books, sweaters, boxers, candy, nuts, and oranges.

Catherine Maryland Mench, Worton Route 2—I am a little girl soon be six years old. Will you please bring me a coat and hat, pair of gum boots, teddy bear, broom, ring, and don't forget my little sister Lucy as she wants a doll baby, roller chimes, candy, nuts, oranges.

Frances Woolford, Chestertown—I am a little girl ten years old and a good little girl, so please bring me a doll baby, story book, set of dishes, nuts, candy and oranges.



A Carpenter

The young Carpenter of Nazareth was a worker who loved joyousness and beauty, even as He is heart overflown with sympathy for the weary toilers who passed before His workshop door.

He may have been a man of many sorrows, but it is equally true that He was also a man of many joys. They welcomed Him instinctively; the common people heard His magic words that lightened their burdens, and the wise men listened to Him attentively because He had a secret beside which their knowledge was as dust before wind.

The centuries have rolled by and His commands survive—to love one another. And it was He who taught us that the greatest is he who serves most.

Obeying these commands, let us all open our hearts to the beauty in the world and the loveliness and sensegoodness of the men and women dnt.

May we all learn that those who give most and that those who offer themselves completely in service to their fellows find their hearts flooded with peace which passeth understanding.

On His birthday let each one of us dedicate our lives to carrying forward His message of peace on earth, good will to all men.

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