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WANTED-A BABY. Dear Santa: Please bring me a nice little baby and a carriage and some candy and nuts. I am a little girl 8

Your little friend, ANNIE WALLACE,

A PAIR OF SHOES. Dear Old Santa Claus: I thought I would rote you a leter and ask you if you would bring me a pair off shoys. I would be sow glad if you will I would

all ways thank you for your kind ness. Your little friend. HARRY DERMAR I live on So Long St. 201.

A FIRE COMPANY. 1302 S. Caldwell near belt factory.

> Yours truly, SOCAR MOORE,

and raisins.

WILL PUT OUT THE FIRE. 225 North Pogram St., Belmont, Dear Mister Candy Claus: I am a stove and I will put out the first so send me an overcoat, express wagon you wont get burnt. Good by Sandy.

OLA M. BENFIELD.

DON'T FAIL TO SEE ME. Dilworth, N. C., Dec. 15, 1903. Dear Old Santa Claus: I am ten years old and my father is dead and mother has to work in the mill and do please Old Santa Claus come to see me. I want a good book, some toys and candy and nuts, I am a smart little girl and love van Dear Santa Claus, I live in Dilworth on Estus St. back of Dilworth Drug Store, My name is May Verdge,

Yours very polite, MAY VERDGE,

GOOD BYE TILL I SEE YOU. 225 North Pigram St., Belmont. Dear Mr. Sandy Claus: I am a little stay at home and wait on you. By By till I see you IDA M. BENFIELD.

PAPA TAKES THE NEWS. Papa takes your paper and likes it so

Dear Santy Clause: I write to you. I am a little boy 3 3years old. I love my papa and mama and dear Old Santy Clase. I want you to bring me a little waggon and a horse hitch to it and a horn to so I can bloy it. Papas and mamas and Santy Clase little boy. WILLIE BENFIELD Pigram St. No. 225 Belmont.

ONLY A FEW LINES. Dear Santa Claus: I will rite you a few lines. Please bring me a hort and s sheap and candy and nuts. Good by.

ROBERT YOOS.

CHADWICK MILLS. Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a letter to tell you I am a little boy 3 years old. I want you to bring me a little jacket and some play things

what ever you want to bring me. LEVIE MULLISS is my name, I live next to Church. Chadwick Mill.

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Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a litter to ask you to bring me a overtoat, I am a little boy 10 years old. I will thank you very much. Yours truly, ARTHUR MULLISS to

ANOTHER FRIEND.

Dear Santa: Please bring me a tea set and carriage for my baby and little stand of beareau. I am a little girl 8 Your little friend,

CARRIE DULIN,

A PAIR OF MITTENS. Dear Sandy: I thout I wold rite and ell you what I want for Crismas please send me a gray fur and pair off mitens

end candy and all kinds of fruit and nuts and please dont forget the fur I am ten years old. I live on West Palmer St. Mo. 14. My name in ELRIE CATON.

SET OF DISHES. Dear Sanda Claus: Will you send me a little overcoat. I am 6 years of age and send me set of dishes and a doll and goat cart, aples oranges candy

Your little friend. BESSIE MAY CLAY. 210 W Temp. Ave.

THINK OF SISTER. Dear aSnta Clause: Please bring me a pair of mits and a cap and a pair mits for my little sister. I am 10 years old and my little sister is 3 years old. NELL PETERSON.

LOTS OF NICE THINGS. and nuts and a set of vasis.

Your little friends, EMMA WALLACE, No. 1609 N. D. St.

LOTS OF GOOD THINGS. Dear Santa Clause: Christmas is most here and I want you to come and bring me a cloak and lots of good things to 203 E 11 Street. I am a little girl only six. RUTH COBIN.

A WHEEL-BAR. boy 2 years old and I want you to bring name is little me a wheel bar and a few confectionary be sure and bring to 202 E. Vance. West Second street.

My name is FLEET KIRKPATRICK.

> RED SPRINGS, N. C. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me 2 300 W. 2nd. pair of stockings, one pair of nice shoes and bring my little boy baby a

SIDNEY F. CALIGAN, R. F. D. No. 1, Red Spring, N. C. (Age 5 years.)

ONLY A FEW. Dear Old Santa Claus: I am a little boy 8 years old and I would like to have a drum and a wagon and a few confectionary. Be sur eto bring them to 202 E. Vance St. My name is FRANK KIRKPATRICK.

SWEET REMEMBRANCE. Dear Santa Claus: I will tell you bring me a work box and a big ste of for it. My name is what I want a hook and ladder, a fire dishes and a big baby doll and a pair reel, air rifle and some nuts and candy of kid gloves and a pair of vases and apples, candy, nuts and oranges and 302 North Smith St. bring all other little girls semething good bye Santa Claus.

ETTA JONES, 1011 South Tryon St.

WANTS AN OVERCOAT. Dear Santa Claus: I am a little little girl 9 years old and Oh I want boy 8 years old. My papa is dead, my you to please come see me Christmas mama works hard but she can't give and bring me a baby carriage, doll and me all that I need. Will you please

> and drum. Mr. little brother Harry wants a pair of shoes No. 11, a cap and drum. Please send them and a little candy and I will be a good boy and love published, I was afraid you dident get you very much.

HARRY LOVE. 603 N. Davidson street.

SANTA IN S.C. Fort Mill, S. C., Dec. 16, 1903. Dear Old Santa Claus: I want you to bring me a football rubber ball, nuts raisins, oranges, candy and apples. Good bye.

GEORGE CULP.

CHADWICK MILL.

Chadwick Mill, Dec. 10, 15... Dear Santa Claus: I will write you and a sure nuf muff and a cradle and a letter to tell you what I want you to Dear Mr. Sandy Claus: I am a little bring me a jacket and a doll. I am a little doll house with five rooms, and a new dress, and some candy and little girl 12 years old and my name is Rosa Mullis. I live in house next to church. so I will close hope to see you soon yours truly

ROSA MULLIS To Santa Claus,

SO GOOD AND KIND. Dear Old Santa: You have been so good and kind to me. I wold like to have a baby doll and a gocart. WILLENE IRWIN ALEXANDER.

Dear Old Santa don't forget your little friend, Willene.

SANTA CAN UNDERSTAND. Dear Old Santa: I am a very little girl and I can't talk good but my mamma and papa can understand me. Old Santa Claus, I wish you would bring me a baby doll. Good by,

Yours truly, LOUISE ALEXANDER. be sure to come round and see me. 200 East Oak street.

DEAD THE ADS.

Mr. Dear Santa: I saw in The News that were going to supply the want, especially orphan. Will you please bring me a nice black beaver trimmed in black and a nice black

> Respectfully yours, BEULAH KING. In care of No. 10 W. Bland st.

A FULL DRESS SUIT. Dear Santa Claus: I saw in the paper that you were going to give the children some of your Christmas. Please bring me nice beaver hat trimmed in light blue satin ribbon and a

pair of un-dressed kid gloves (red). Respectfully yours, GOLDIE WALKER, No. 10 W. Bland street.

CAP NO. 6 7-8.

Dear Santa: I want a pair of shoe and a cap, my shoes is number 1, my and some candy and oranges. I am 7 cap is number 6 7-8. I am aged 11 years old and live at 907 N. Brevard Yours truly,

HOLLAND LAWINGS, 901 North .C. St.

CANDY, NUTS AND APPLES. Dear Santa Claus: Plets send me some candy, nuts apples and toys. Yourlittle friend, EDGAR STONE,

I am a little boy. 11 S. Allen street.

SANTA WILL REMEMBER. poor orphan children something for Christmas. We will ask for something to wear, our papa in dead. Our ages Ralph 11 years, my sister Nellie is 7 years, my age is 9 years, please don't forget us we will be thankful of anything you bring us. Your dear little orphan children, Ralph and Nellie and Gracie Morrison.

610 North Graham, extension. FURNITURE FOR TWO. Dear Santa: Please bring a toy piano soon be here i would like for you to wear to the nursery. and a work basket and a carriage for bring me a little suit of furniture an my baby and some candy and oranges some candy. My. little sister is 3 sake. years old she wants you to bring her a little suit of furniture an some canfly and nuts, so god by, my name is Clark Penshrdulemfwypfw

> 801 West Fourth st. IN CHARLOTTE AGAIN. My Dear Friend Santa Claus: am glad to hear that you are in Charlotte again. And I will tell what I want, I want a big doll and carriage, please send me a goat an a wagon, a

CLARK PENDLETON.

candy nuts. I will close for this time. TERESA CLARE O'DONOHUE.

HIS FIRST LETTER. December 16, 1903. My Dear Old Santa Claus: Please

bring me a little drum and horn. I am a little boy six years old. I will close for this time. My name is MOSES O'DONOHUE.

A LITTLE MAN. My Dear Santa Claus: I will wirte and tell you that I want, I want a drum, hron, I am a little boy nine years old. I will close for this time. My name is

JOSEPH O'DONOHUE. A DOLL AND CARRIAGE.

Dear Santa: I thought I would write you a letter and let you know what I would like for you to bring me for Christmas, a doll and carriage and as I will thank you for it. I am 7 years old. My name is

SALLIE BAKER. 302 North Smith st.

A LITTLE PRESENT.

Dear Santa: I thought I would you a letter to let you know what would like for you to bring me for Dear Santa Claws: Will you please Christmas a doll as I will thank you

NELLIE BAKER,

I am 7 years old.

THOUGHTFUL. My Dear Santa: I thought I would write you a letter to let you know what I would like you to bring for Christmas, a little doll bed as I will thank you for it. I am 5 years old

and my name is MARY BAKER. 302 North Smith Street.

FIVE YEARS OLD TODAY. DearSanta: wrote you a letter last Friday night and it hasnt bin it. So today is my birthday and I am 5 years old and I want you to pleas bring a doll baby and a little carriage and a teasen and a little trunk for my doll and a little table and I want you to bring me some good things to eat. Now I will close. My name is

MARY LINDER. No. 9 North Cedar St.

LOTS FROM SANTA.

Dear Santa Claus: I will write you a few lines today. I want a carriage and a sleeping doll and a gold ring, for too much.

BESSIE GILBERT 401 N Pegram street.

A COAT FOR SCHOOL. Dear Santa Claus: I am a little girl 6 years old. I want you to bring me some candy, nuts, oranges and a baby doll an please bring me a coat to wear to school. So good by Santa Claus

Your litte friend, CORA OSBORN, Highland Park Mill, 16 st.

JUST A FEW TMINGS. Dear Santa Claus: I thought would drop you a few lines to let you know I am well and hope this will find you the same. I would like to have a pair of shoes and a baby doll Old Santa Claus, don't forget me and some candy and nuts and oranges I am ten years old and have no fath-

And Oblige, ANNIE BELL WATTS, Highland Park Mfg. Co., 16 st

A DOLL AND GO-CART. Dear Santa Claus: I will kindly ask you pleas to send me a doll and a gocart. I am a little girl 2 years old and my name is

GIRTIE HILL, Pleas send to Bellmont, South Har-

rell street, No 10 GROVETON TON. Dear Santa Claus: Please bring me little wagon and a picture book, some oranges, candy and nuts.. I

am eight years old. HOSMER RUST, 9 Groveton Ave.

A TRICYCLE. Dear Santa Claus: As I see all the other boys writin to you, thought I would rite too. I want you to bring me a tricycle and some nuts Street. So good by Santa.

TOMMIE HUGHES. CANDY NUTS AND ORANGES. Dear Santa Claus: Pleas send me drum and horn and some candy and nuts and oranges. So good by Dear Old Santa. I live at 907 N. Brevard street, I am 5 years old ROBERT HUGHES.

A GREAT BANK. Dear Old Santa Clause: Would you be so kind as to send me a great big Dear Santa Claus: Please bring bank to put pennies in till next Xmas. Yours truly ELLIOTT SYLVESTER HELMS.

No. 1414 East 5th street ext.

CHARLOTTE DAY NURSERY. Dear Old Santa Clause: I will write you a little letter an tell you about the too little babys that stay at the Charlotte Day Nursery. Lessie Gaddy, five months old girl, William Rogers Rones, seven months old, boy. Will you be so kind as to send both Dear Santa Claus: Christmas will of them a nice cloak and hoods to Please dont forget the babys for my

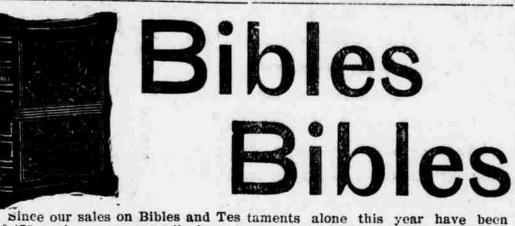
North E. Street, 1100.

A DOLL AND STOVE. Dear old Santa Claus: Please send me a baby doll that will go to sleep and a little carriage and stove if you to any one. With kind regards, I am, have any to spare. Your little girl, MATTIE JONES.

A GOAT AND WAGON. drum, a horn, if you please some can-Dear Old Santa Claus: I am a little I am a little four year old girl. My dy. Your litte boy. I love you Santa. am three years old.

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A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present on this occa-The regular Sunday school exercises

will take place at 2:30 o'clock. MURDERER ASSASSINATED. Luling, Texas, Dec. 19 .- Dr. W. H.

Brayon, of Prairie Les, a physician, was shot yesterday and killed while driving into town. There is no clue to the assassin. Dr. Branyon was under indictment for murder and had made many threats against witnesses.

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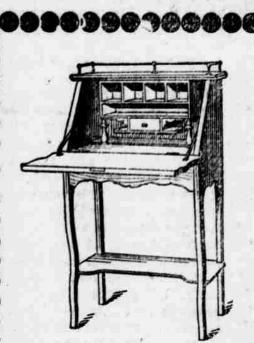
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