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- Parlor Clocks, Pictures, Dinner Sets, Baby Chairs, Baby Walkers, Go-Carts, Ladies Rockers, Morris Chairs, Fine Center Tables, Lace Curtains, Portieres, Table Covers, Toilet Set, Hall Racks, Kitchen Cabinets, China Closets, Library Tables, and Chairs, Sewing Machines, and Many other useful things for Xmas presentation.

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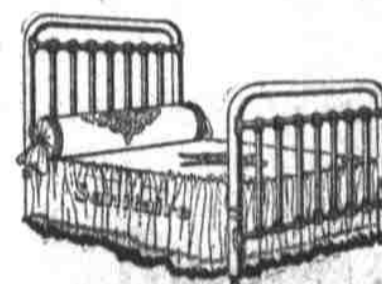
Christmas Furniture at Bargain Prices

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Comfort, elegance, and good taste.

National Springs, Stearns & Fonters Felt Mattress. Try one of these. Money Back if not pleased.



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Santa Claus Mail Bag Full to Overflowing

The Folks Sending in Their Requests by Hundreds For Christmas Gifts.

The Citizen has received instructions from Santa Claus to close his mail box at the The Citizen office Wednesday night. All letters received after that time will be sent by wireless to the North pole, so that there is no danger that Santa will overlook anybody. The Citizen has about 150 letters still on hand, and it will try to get these in with the last batch of mail which will appear in The Citizen Thursday morning. Letters still to be mailed should be made as short as possible.

Dear Santa Claus, I want you to bring me a doll carriage and some nuts and candy. TENNIE CARVER, No. 6 Lyman Street

Dear Santa Claus, Please bring me some candy and nuts and some oranges and some fire crackers. ARLEN CARVER, No. 6 Lyman Street

Dear Santa Claus, Will you write me a letter and tell me what we want for Christmas. Bring us a cap a piece and a wagon, candy, oranges, nuts. We go school and are good little boys. GLENN and FRANK PARTON.

Dear Santa Claus, I am going to write and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a good story book, some hair ribbons, a handkerchief and some nuts, candy, oranges and anything else you want to bring me. MARIN MACFADYEN.

Dear Santa Claus, I want you to bring me a sled and a wagon and a billy goat suit of clothes some nuts oranges I am 10 years old I will close for this time. HERMON WILLIAMS, West Asheville, N. C.

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Waynesville, N. C., Dec. 16, 1909. My dear Old Santa Claus Asheville, N. C.

I see so many letters to you in The Citizen I am led to believe that you have an interest in that valuable paper. Papa takes The Daily Citizen and as I am his six years old boy I venture to hope that you will not forget me this Christmas if I don't ask for too much, so please bring me a rocking horse a doll carriage and a piano. Be sure to have the piano tuned.

Very Truly Yours OPAL SEAL HOWELL

Old Fort N. C. Dec 12th 1909 Dear Santa- Please bring me an automobile, fire works pocket knife, bring Fred a little Auto. Bring Abbin a harp a pocket knife and fire works. Soft rubber Ball Batons for three of us 3 Trombone 1 horn Auto-horn, fruits candy & nuts

Hanks Mene

My dear Santa Claus, I am a little girl 8 years old. I live at 70 Bartlett St., Asheville. Be sure and bring me. A large doll cart from Hestons. A dolly, a set of paper dolls, a set of furs, a bracelet and lots of good things to eat.

MARGHERITE SIMPSON, P. S. Don't forget my good daddy.

Dear Santa, We are two good little children and think we deserve something nice. Annie wants a rag doll, muff and fur, ten set and a pair of kid gloves. Hugh wants a express wagon, drum, rocking horse and don't forget candy, nuts and oranges.

ANNIE AND HUGH MAY.

Dear Santa Claus, I want you to bring me some fire crackers and roman candles and a little repeater cap burster and some candy oranges and I think that is all this time.

YOUR little friend, HOWARD CARTER

Dear Santa Claus, I want you to bring me a drum a gun, a train and a wagon and some candy and nuts.

YOUR little friend, CLAUD LUNSFORD

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 13, 1909. Dear Old Santa Claus, As all the other little girls are writing you a letter I will to and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a doll and story book. Doll carriage, cook toy, set of dishes and I want some candy oranges and nuts, and that is all I want this time.

PEARL HODGE

Dear Santa Claus, I want you to please bring me a knife, an air gun, a wagon, and a drum, a nice story book and an over coal, oranges nuts and candy.

Good Bye. LESTER BUCKNER.

Dear Santa Claus, I am a little girl four years old and I want you to bring me a doll and a doll bed, a pair of red leggings, a muff, oranges, candy, and nuts Don't miss me little Jim Wood will show you where I live.

RUTH SIMPSON, 70 Bartlett Street.

Dear Santa Claus, I am a little girl 10 years old and I will tell you what I want you to bring me a doll a carriage and a doll bed and a Tea set and a little stove and a little table and bring me a large doll and some Nuts and some candy and some oranges and some Banannas and some raisins that is all I will ask you for this time Santa I am ever yours.

ADA RICE

Dear Santa Claus, please bring me a tea set and a doll carriage and some candy and nuts and a little House and a little Stove Bring grand mother a pair of gloves I am a little girl 8 years old good bye.

ROBERT J. SIMPSON, Jr.

Dear Santa, please bring these few things to me for Xmas a bicycle, a coaster wagon, an air gun, a rattle snake, a cowboy suit and lasso, tan colored leggings, a key shooting pistol a train that runs

on a track, a horn, a drum, a magic lantern and a pair of kid gloves, plenty of candy and fruit please don't forget my two little cousins, your little friend,

Clyde Gentry, Asheville, N. C.

Dear Santa Claus, I am a little girl 2 years old and this is my first letter And I want you to please bring me a doll and teaset and a doll carriage and a rocking horse doll close and a doll hat candy and nuts and oranges and some blocks and a game that would be nice for a little girl like me your little girl,

MARGARET BALL, Asheville, N. C., Dec. 15

Dear Santa, please bring me a Fire wagon A Drum Pistol 5 box caps An Indian Sun Sword Candy nuts & oranges A big peanuts & A Collar for our dog your little friend,

CARY LYERLY, 76 Park Ave., Asheville, N. C.

Dear old Santa, please bring me a large doll West stand Bed table teaset & some cooking Vessels & stove and some nuts oranges and candy, your little friend,

PAULINE LYERLY, 76 Park Ave., Asheville, N. C.

Dear Santa, I am five years old I want you to bring me a hatchet hammer saw some candy oranges a harp wagon nails Don't forget little Sam Parker he lives on a farm and did not make much on his farm this year please bring him a pair of socks I will close from little

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shut her eyes, an Express wagon, a pretty story book. some Oranges, candies and nuts. I try to be a good little girl and love every body. Please don't forget my little cousin James, bring him some toys. He is just one year old and a dear little boy. Your little friend,

MARY RUTH GALLOWAY, R. F. D. No. 1, Asheville, N. C., Dec. 18.

Dear Santa please bring me a cap pistol that shoots 50 times and fire crackers sky rockets, Roman candles and a teddy wagon oranges nuts candy that is all this Christmas, your friend,

HARVEY LIVERETT, 76 Park Ave., Asheville, N. C.

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box with scissors and thimble, a story book and teaset also plenty of nuts, oranges candy and grapes. Your little friend,

GLADYS BUCKNER, Asheville, N. C.

Dear Santa Claus I am a little boy 3 years old I want a drum a little rocking horse a horn oranges candy & nuts I am yours little friend,

HARRY MYRICK, Asheville, N. C.

Dear Santa elaus I am a little girl 6 years old & I go to school ever day & I want you to bring me a doll & a doll carriage a little bed a story book some oranges candy & nuts a little stove from your little friend,

MARY MYRICK, Asheville, N. C.

Dear Santa Claus I am a little girl 5 years old & I want a doll a doll carriage a stove a table & a set of dishes a little bed some oranges candy & nuts your little friend,

ALMA MOORE, Asheville, N. C.

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60 Josephine St. Asheville, N. C. My Dear Santa Claus

I am a little boy eight years old, and I want you to bring me a pair of gloves a stocking cap and a football a cap pistol caps nuts oranges candles horn.

JUNIOR HORN, 60 Josephine St., Asheville, N. C.

P. S. don't forget my little brother J. W. Harris.

Asheville, N. C., Dec. 13.

Dear old Santa Claus, As you failed to bring me all I wrote for last Christmas I will write you again and tell you what I want. Please bring me, Train engine and cars, a fire wagon and horses, a little drum, some fire crackers and plenty of nuts, oranges and candy your little friend,

KENT BUCKNER, Asheville, N. C., R. F. D. No. 5.

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