THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1942 (One Day Nearer Victory)

THE WAYNESVILLE MOUNTAINEER of gloves and some candy and ap- teacher and bring her something. folks should ask for much. Sol-Highest Award for Navy Hero ples and oranges and nuts and a May God bless other children. Your friend, bracelet and remember my teach-Letters To Lottie Mae Cagle. er, Miss Brown. how to cook for soldiers. Your friend, Mt. Sterling Hazel Carver. Dear Santa Claus: Santa Claus I have been a good boy all year. Mt. Sterling' Santa, would you please bring me Dear Santa: Dear Santa Claus: one pair of leather gloves, French I am going to write and tell you harp to play some beautiful song and was pleased with what I got. what I want for Christmas. I for Christmas? I would like for I go to the Maggie school. This want a watch, and I want a pair of you to bring me some oranges, year I want a pair of bedroom gloves, a bracelet and I want some nuts and some candy. It has been slippers, bathrobe, dress, oranges, Mt. Sterling Mt. Sterling. candy and nuts and oranges. snowing here. I hope you do not Dear Santa Claus: Dear Santa Claus: Please, dear Santa, remember our don't forget the soldiers. I would like to have a French I am looking for you this year. get snow bound on your way to teacher and bring her something. and some candy, some or- Please bring me some candy and Sincerely yours. Mt. Sterling. That is all that I May God bless the other children. sares and tangerines and a watch some oranges and some nuts. DOROTHY CALDWELL. want this Christmas. Your friend, and some gloves. And some ap-please send me some bananas and a Yours very truly, Gallie Ball. and some bananas and a pair of boots and that pair of gloves and some overalls. Frank White. Dear Santa: will be all for this time. Your friend, Mt. Sterling James Leatherwood, Maggie, N. C. Your friend, Dear Santa: Ralph White. Dear Santa: I want to tell you what I want I go to school. I can read well. I am 9 years and in the fourth Mt. Sterling. for Christmas. I would like to I am six years old. My wants are grade. My teacher is Mrs. Boyd, Mt. Sterling I want you to bring me all the have candy, oranges, nuts. For few, take most of your gifts to grade. I might come up there some things you can think of. That is the present I want a pair of soldiers, who are at war. Please day and let you give some candy. It is Christmas time now and all. anklets, necklace and bracelet that drop me a story book and I will Love, TED. I would like to have candy and Yours truly, matches. So remember my teachbe pleased. Thank you, granges. And a lot of other stuff Charlie Hannah. er. Miss Brown. So I hope you NELLIE LORENE DOCKERY. a joyful Christmas and Merry New Year. bring me a bicycle. for Christmas. It is cold here. They are hauling saw dust from A citation by President Roosevelt is read by Admiral Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the U. S. Fleet, who decorated Comm. Bruce McCandless (left), 31, of Long Beach, Calif., with the Congressional Maggie, N. C. Mt. Sterling. the saw mill. The creek is up Dear Santa Claus: Your friend, Dear Santa: I am a little brown eyed girl. Dear Santa: and it is very cold. I would like to have some or-Ozella Sutton. Medal of Honor on the deck of the battered cruiser San Francisco, on I try to be good. Will you come I am a little girl 6 years old. I anges and tangerines and some Your friend, the West Coast, McCandless is the officer who, when his superiors were killed, took command of the flagship and brought it through victoriously to see me Christmas and bring me am in the first grade. I want you candy. Please send me some ba-Lewis Lackey. Mt. Sterling a doll? I will be asleep when you to bring me a pocket book, iron, nanas for Christmas. I would like Dear Santa Claus: in the naval battle north of Guadalcanal on Nov. 13. The cruiser sank Thank you Santa. Mt. Sterling. come. to have some gloves. a Jap battleship, cruiser and dest.oyer. McCandless was wounded. This is an official S Navy photo. (Central Press) I will tell you what I want for MARY SUTTON. Yours truly, Dear Santa Claus: Christmas. I want some nuts, I am 8 years old and in the tangerines, oranges, lots of candy Paul Sutton Maggie, N. C. third grade. I want a harmonica and apples and a story book. Re-I am a quiet girl. I am six want the same as I do. Don't forand a pair of skates and I would forget the soldier boys and the grade at Rock Hill school. For Mt. Sterling. member my teacher. I have been years old. I walk 3 miles to school get the poor kids. poor girls and boys. like to have a wagon, candy, or-Dear Santa: Christmas I want a racer and two a good girl. Don't forget me. I every day. I don't think little MARY SEUE GRASTY. Helen Mehaffey. I want you to bring me some trucks. Thank you very much. hope you have a Merry Christmas I also have a little brother and candy and oranges and nuts and Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year. some sisters, please don't forget negro toes and some apples and Dear Santa Claus: Neal Teague. With love, some bananas and a pair of gloves I am a little boy. I go to Mag-Ezallia Phillips. I like my teacher and please re- and a harp. gie school. I am in the third Mt. Sterling grade. I want a ball and wagon Dearest Santa: Mt. Sterling and that is all. Please do not I want you to bring me a wag-Lots of love, Dear Santa Claus: Mt. Sterling. Harold Hannah. forget the children. Here is what I want for Christon and French harp and a bicycle Dear Santa: Milburn McGaha. mas. I want a wrist watch and and a truck and a car and some I am a little girl 8 year old. 87878787878783 firecrackers and some candy and some candy and nuts and oranges This is what I want for Christmas. and tangerines and a new dress Allen's Creek. nuts and oranges and apples. A watch, a ring, a pair of snow and that is all. Remember my shoes, a baby doll, oranges, apples, Dear Santa: From your friend, teacher. candy, nuts, set of dishes. Don't I am a little girl six years old Lowel T. Hannah. With love, forget mother and daddy and sis-Please bring me a doll, a tea set, Lucille Leatherwood. ter. And also my teacher, Miss some candy and oranges. Dear Santa Claus: 1 want you to bring me some Your little friend, Brown, and my little school mates. Mt. Sterling candy, oranges, nuts, and a pair Bobby Reagan. From. of gloves. A little piano and some I am a girl in the 7th and Reba Caldwell. go to the Mt. Sterling school. I hair bows and a pair of new slip-P. S. Fountain pin and ink and a Dear Santa: am looking for you there at pers and some new socks and a The little stove I want a doll and a doll bed. Christmas. I want you to bring little blackboard. want some candy too. me some oranges, candy, nuts, Your friend, SEASON'S GREETINGS With love, Mt. Sterling. Wilma Ray. bananas. I would like to have a Betty Jones. Dear Santa Claus: new pocketbook and a dresser set. But even if Christmas P. S. Don't forget my teacher. I want you to bring me some and all good wishes for Dear Santa, please remember our came once a month, we candy and oranges and nuts and Dear Santa: teacher and bring her something. Mt. Sterling negro toes and a French harp I want a doll and a doll bed. would hardly find words THE NEW YEAR! Dear Santa Claus: May God bless the other children. I want some candy, too and a pair of gloves and some with which to thank you I want you to bring me some or-Your friend, apples and some bananas. With love, Mildred Lackey. anges and some candy and nuts. I for your generous sup-Dorothea Jean Kinsland. From. want you to bring me a pair of Arlie Barns. slippers and a pair of anklets and Mt. Sterling Allen's Creek. a watch and a doll this is all. Dear Santa Claus: MARTIN ELECTRIC CO. And now let us wish Mt. Sterling. Dear Santa: I am a girl and I am going to From. Dear Santa: I am a little boy two years old. school at Mt. Sterling. I am you all a very Merry Nora Cagle I want to tell you what I want Please bring me a rubber doll, a P. S. Remember our teacher. looking for you at our school Christmas in 1942. Christmas. I want you to bring

Mt. Sterling me some candy and oranges and

I am going to school. I want new pocketbook and a dresser set.

nuts, and bananas. I want a

Claudette Beauty Shop

Dear Santa:

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for Christmas. I want candy, or- ball and some candy and oranges. anges, nuts. I want a pair of Your little friend, gloves, a box of handkerchiefs. I Carroll Muse. want a little watch, so this is all for this time. Hope you have a Allen's Creek. for Christmas a watch and a pair Dear Santa, please remember our

Merry Christmas and a Happy Dear Santa:

Main Street

dier boys need the most, so am just asking you to bring me a little cook stove. I want to learn Love, SADIE MAE BALL.

Maggie, N. C.

I enjoyed Christmas last year candy, and nuts. Santa, please

I want you to bring me a football and scooter with a seat on it and a brake and big wheels on it.

P. S. If you don't have scooters

Waynesville, N. C

necklace, and bracelet, and candies and fruits, and don't forget my 2 little sisters Dorothy Ann, 4 years old, and Betty Jo, 2 years old. They

Love,



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Dear Santa Claus: