Lakes Levels Are Highest Since 1930

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For Delivery Phone 230
WOODWARD—NEAR MAPLE

LETTERS TO SANTA

Save Fuel

Whether you are a customer of ours or not it will ay you to come to our office and get a Firing Card, ake it and study it. You will be surprised at the mount of comfort you will have in correct firing, esides the FUEL you will lawe.

POCAHONTAS saved John Smith and made histo "POCAHONTAS" again is saving America and maing history. "POCAHONTAS," the finest of fuel, whired as inature intended it to be fired, will save y and your family from the ravages of winter.

Place your order for a full load 2 or 3 weeks ahead of actual needs. Get a Firing Card, study it, follow directions and you will be pleased as hundreds of Birmingham householders are now.

POCAHONTAS has two characteristics, it will slack and it will mass together under heat. These are both assets when fired according to intentions of nature. The valuable fines, slack or "dust," keeps even heat and the massing makes it long-lasting when POCAHONTAS is fired and not just shoveled into the plant. You don't have to have coupons, just call 2020. Be ready to take a full load. Give us sufficient time and we will keep you warm, too.

In order to save gas, tires and manpower we have to deliver in full loads, so please order full load

Parks Coal Company

YARD: 575 EATON ROAD - OFFICE: 369 E. MAPLE

Phone 2020

Bobby Kline

BLOOMFIELD HILLS

Judith Averill mar nond.
from Cynthia Copeland
A Merry Christmas and a Happy New
Year to you Santa.

Santa: I want a doll. I want oll's dresses and hats. My mother sweater and a file. Jack want and a comb case.

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bands, wing tips, parachute flares, shell protectors, medical kit covers, amuunition chests and blasting powder kegs.

"The success of this all-important campaign depends on the patriotic and immediate cooperation of

lanche of old boxes, corrugated paper, car-tons, bags, newspapers and magazines, that this city has ever seen!

we MUST organize our friends ... our hildren ... everybody who has a loved one the Armed Forces ... everyone who ants this war to end soon ... in victoryl

25 WAR PLANTS CLOSED!







SOME BOY'S LIFE

U.S. Victory WASTE PAPER Campaign



The U. of M. in the War; Ruthven Proved Right

Patty Palmer Grade 1

Dear Santa: I would like a No. 1 hemistry set. I would like a doll for / bubby sister.

Deer Santa: I do not went much this set because of the war. All I want is one boydoil clother and to be self. Sank you for not forgetting the poor hildren last year.

Your Friend,
Mary Chritton

ADAMS SCHOOL

Grade Two

r Santa Claus: Please bring me
gloves, high tops, electric train,
an element and a plaid
model tank. This you very much.
Your friend, Payson Chapman.

Love, Hartley Collins.

Italy Brings Axis Cities Closer GERMANY Numbers Refer to Miles From Foggio

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Three Little Tomatoes Dear Santa Claus I wunt a wond the property of the property of

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Birmingham Store

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A WREATH IN THE WINDOW a star in the sky, and happines

in the heart. That the Christ-

mas season of 1943 may be truly

memorable for you and yours is

the earnest wish of

D.J. Healy SHOPS

We wish to take the time, at this Holiday Season, to thank each and every one of you for your splendid cooperation and good will throughout 1943 . . . At the same time let us offer our sincere hope that 1944 will be an exceptionally happy one for you. . . .

BEATRICE ZWAAN STUDIOS 31 W. MAPLE



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Birmingham Paint & Glass Company

288 E. Maple Phone 3141

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