The Curbstone Diplomat



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Christmas rolls around once more and it is time to talk the situation over with Old Kris.

Old Kris, about that blue eaigle you brought us. You just had to wind it up and it solved all troubles. Well Old Kris, it isn't working right. You know that he was supposed to lift his left wing and help the little business man by the code fixing price: well it is broken and that wing is hanging limp. As for the right wing it still works some kind of way. You remember how it worked. It shortened the working man's hoars to forty hours a week and he could receive no cut n pay. This was suvposed to absolutely satisfy labor, make them more willing and cooperative. Well this wing is still working some kind of way but not just rght. The forty hours a week part, except seasonal rush periods is working even better than it was intended. Labor still expects a summer vacation wth pay and other work days off with pay. The part that is supposed to make them more cooperative is smashed. Some of the big business boys have played with that regulator in the machine which you told us not to touch and their toy birds are working a little better for them. But Old Kris, in speaking for the little boys, please do not bring us little business boys any more toys like the blue eagle. If you have anything like this in mnd, 'Santa Please Stay away From My Chimney.'

Old Kris there are some good people in Chestertown that would like to see you bring them the proposed new post office, but there are a lot of us that are very well satisfied.

It all reminds me of new shoes. A new location might pinch here and there and the old shoes are so comfortable. There are some other things we would like to have though that is if you can afford them.

One thing would be a nice building with a waiting room, etc., etc., etc., for the country people when they come to Chestertown. This would be very nice and maybe you cannot afford it but just keep it in mind.

Another thing we would like would be much brighter street lights for the Chestertown business section.

As usual we want the State appropriation for Washington College. It 'Ain't' as much as it used to be and we feel sure you will not bring any less than last year.

If the waterman want the 2 1-2 inch cull law, please give it to them.

The Cupid on my Christmas Card above, looks pretty thin, encourae the old maids and bachelors to follow the old custom.

Expect another letter from me about the time I order my two dollar automobile tags. Oh, and that reminds me. Last week I told what Mr. Marion Smith said about that State not being allowed to turn the Kent County Million Dollar Road Bond Issue back on the county. From what the daily papers say it looks like he was right. Now, he also said something else very important. The incoming Governor intends to jump in both feet on getting Federal road funds. One provision in getting these funds is that the State asking for them must in no way reduce their taxes for road or automobile funds. In other words they cannot cut down themselves and expect Federal funds to make it up. These funds can only be had to do extra work. Work that otherwise would not be done. So, how can Mr. Nice reduce the auto tags and expect federal funds. I wonder if Mr. Smith is right this time. We are supposed to get an Eastern Shore boulvevard too. Old Kris, one Magic-Lamp for Governor-elect Nice.

The young brides and grooms of which there are quite a few among us, please bring the brides a cook look and strengthen the grooms' gizzards for the bride biscuits.

Old Kris you have cut the interest rate on saving deposts to 2 1-2 per cent. We will expect auto salesman etc., use this line, 'You are only getting 2 1-2 per cent. on your money in bank, you had better spend and enjoy, let me bring you around a new car. Old Kris just what do you intend to do for us 6 per center boys.

Old Kris be good to 'Red Smiths' two proteges, Gozales and Seala at Centreville when they enter the ring next Friday night.

I do not know whether this is a prayer or a letter to Old Kris.

About the Disposal Plant; do you think you let us have it by Christmas 1935?

You might also use your influence in getting us three good men to play on the Washington College line next year.

Be good to our litle town sixteen miles away. Give them good attendance at their fights so they can continue to entertain the upper Eastern Shore. Be good to Sparky, the old faithful.

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Gibb's Beans . . 6 reg. cans 25c
Whole Grain Rice . . . . lb. 5c
Heinz Cream of Mushroom Soup . . . 2 cans 27c
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Scot Tissue . . . . . 2 rolls 15c
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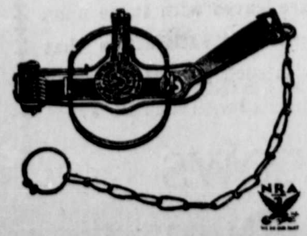
MEAT MARKET SPECIALS
LEAN SMOKED PICNICS 12½c
TENDER Pork Loin Roast lb. 17c
LEAN Fresh Shoulders lb. 12½c
R&P ADAMS SCRAPPLE lb 12½c
JUICY TENDER BEEF CHUCK ROAST lb 13½c
Fresh GROUND BEEF lb 12½c
Tender ROUND STEAK lb 19c
Fancy 3-CORNER ROAST lb 15c
PLATE BOILING BEEF lb 10c

• DON'T FORGET ITEMS •
Don't Forget To Include These Items In The Christmas Grocery Order—You're Sure To Need Them
Rajah Spices—Most Varieties . . can 7c
Cream Cheese—Philadelphia or Borden's pkg. 9c
Ann Page Preserves . . 16-oz. jar 19c
Ann Page Jelly . . . . 8-oz. jar 13c
Rajah Salad Dressing economy qt. jar 33c
Sparkle—Gelatin Dessert . . . pkg. 5c
Sparkle—Chocolate Pudding . . pkg. 5c
Cookies--Priscilla—John Alden Miles Standish . . pkg. 19c
8 O'Clock Coffee . . . . lb. 19c
Golden Dates—Hallowi . 2-lb. pkg. 23c
Duffs Cake Mixes . . . . . can 25c
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