

# Want Ads.

WHEN IT COMES TO untried sellers, finders and traders, an Observer Want Ad can't be beat. It works overtime on straight-time pay. Rates, one cent per word per issue —no ad less than 25 cents.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern cottage for rent, 1310 Pennsylvania avenue. Inquire of Dr. Richardson.

FOR RENT—A new four-room modern cottage. Red 921. 1-15tf

### FOR RENT FURNISHED

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms heated, with or without board. Only one block from postoffice. Mrs. E. C. Tuckey, 906 Washington. 12-30-tf

FOR RENT—3 room furnished house; modern. Phone Black 1371. 1-15-3tpd

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms, 1307 Pennsylvania avenue. Mollie Noyes. 1-15tf

FOR RENT—Furnished apartments, modern and close-in, finest in city. Inquire Darland Apartments, Apt. 5, Depot Street, or phone Red 1452. 1-16-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, opposite Library, on Fourth street. 1-16-2tpd

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ten acres, all kinds of fruit. Address Observer. 1-2-31pd

### LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Purse containing checks and money, today about 12 o'clock, down town. Return to Mrs. Zuber and receive reward. 1-16tf

### DRESSMAKING

RELIABLE DRESSMAKING—Will call, plan, design and fit work in your home. Phone Black 3512. 1-6tf

### FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Chain wood. Phone Black 1642.—Adv. 11-28-tf

### TO EXCHANGE—Real Estate

TO EXCHANGE—A good modern six-room cottage, two lots, lights, city water, bath, etc.; well located for ten acres improved, not over two miles out. Will pay difference. Price must be reasonable. Address W., care Observer. 1-16-5tpd

### FOR SALE—Old Papers.

OLD PAPERS—For sale at The Observer office, 25 cents a bundle.

### FOR SALE—Printing.

FARM SALE BILLS—Get prices on farm sale bills at The Observer office.

**RETAIL APPLES**  
GOOD COOKING 60c  
EATING APPLES 90c  
Fancy Roman Beauties, solid pack, per box \$1.50  
We still have a few fat Chickens for sale.

**SMITH PRODUCE AND STORAGE**  
Phone Main 734

## "Arizona Charley" Has Quit His Job

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 17.—(United Press)—They have taken "Arizona Charley" away. No more will the light-hearted transcontinental tourist catch a glimpse of the bent, grizzled old man trudging along the lonely tracks on the desert as they flash by. He was one of the best known characters of the southwest.

Twenty years ago "Arizona Charley" was an engineer on the Southern Pacific. One day at the end of his run he got word that he bride of a few months had been killed in a train wreck. A broken rail had caused the wreck. He resigned and began walking the tracks over the five hundred mile stretch of desert between Yuma and El Paso, looking for broken rails. With a blanket and a frying pan slung over his shoulder he has tramped his beat winter and summer for twenty years, reporting defects in the track to the nearest section house. He has never ridden on a train since his wife was killed.

Nearly every tourist over the southwestern route has seen "Arizona Charley." Conductors and Pullman porters always pointed him out as the train sped past leaving him a speck in the desert.

Of late years the old man has become feeble and now the Cochise county court has adjudged him insane and committed him to the state asylum.

## Farm and Garden

### PEACH BUDS WINTER KILLED.

Those on Young Trees More Apt to Be Injured.

[Prepared by Paul Thayer, Ohio station.]

The fact that the peach is not perfectly hardy in this climate makes the question of winter killing a perennial one in the mind of the orchardist. Hardiness of bud, as we term it, is dependent upon several factors. The one receiving greatest consideration is varietal difference. It is that which we consider in the selection of varieties for the orchard. The susceptibility of a variety to winter killing of the buds varies somewhat, however, according to the age of the tree. As a general rule it will be found that the buds on young trees are more apt to be injured than those on more mature trees.

In Ohio winter hardiness does not mean so much resistance to low temperatures as it does resistance to the



YOUNG PEACH TREE.

effects of the "January thaw," which starts the buds into life only to leave them at the mercy of the next moderately cold snap. That the varieties behave differently under various conditions we have reason to feel confident.

The Fitzgerald is a case in point. This peach originated in Canada and bears a reputation there for extreme hardiness. Here while hardy it is not conspicuously so. The difference is that the Canadian winter is one of continued steady cold, varied by warmer weather, but without the high temperatures produced by the winter sun in Ohio. Here it is not unusual for us to have a week in late January or early February in which the temperature for several consecutive days reaches 50 or 60 degrees F. during midday.

Thus it would seem that the relative hardiness of varieties for a winter continuously cold might be extremely different from that for a variable winter.

### Storing Sweet Potatoes.

When first placed in the storage house sweet potatoes should be cured by being kept by the use of a fire in a temperature of from 80 to 100 degrees F. This curing temperature should be maintained for from ten days to two weeks and should then be gradually reduced to about 55 degrees and kept at as near this point as possible.

After this the ventilators should be left open during the day in clear, warm weather and kept closed during the nights and in damp or rainy weather. When the temperature in the house goes below 50 degrees F. the house should be opened if the outside temperature is higher or a fire should be started to raise the temperature to the desired point since once the potatoes have become thoroughly chilled their quality is impaired and they are more susceptible to decay. In order to maintain the proper temperatures farmers should install accurate thermometers in their storage houses.

### Destroying Grasshoppers.

By the use of hoppers dozers as many as 300 bushels of grasshoppers have been collected on 100 acres of alfalfa.

### ON SHEEP FEEDING.

C. G. Starr, an authority on sheep feeding and who buys and feeds several thousand lambs each year, gives the following advice as a result of his long experience:

To be a successful feeder requires more use of brains than any other line of agriculture.

The successful feeder must be on the watch for things to happen in the pens. Care in being punctual with breakfast for lambs will do wonders.

No one ever made sheep fat by stinting them.

Lambs really do best in dry lots when the feeding begins too late to use green blades of corn and grass. They have a disposition to wander and will not stay with the feed unless more or less closely confined.

Enough troughs should be provided for grain feeding so that all can get all the grain they desire.

The water should always be fresh and clean. Have plenty of it in enough troughs so that sheep can easily drink.

Plenty of corn is always needed. Cottonseed meal is very useful, especially when silage is used. A pound of silage per head per day is about enough.

# ANYBODY can tell you what a tobacco costs. But only yo' old pipe can tell you what a tobacco is worth.

## Velvet Joe

### THERE can't be any better pipe tobacco than VELVET because it is the best of good Burley cured in Nature's way.

No one has been able to equal Nature's method of curing tobacco—two years' ageing in wooden hogsheads. It is slow—it is expensive, but if you will try a tin of VELVET today you will know that it is right.

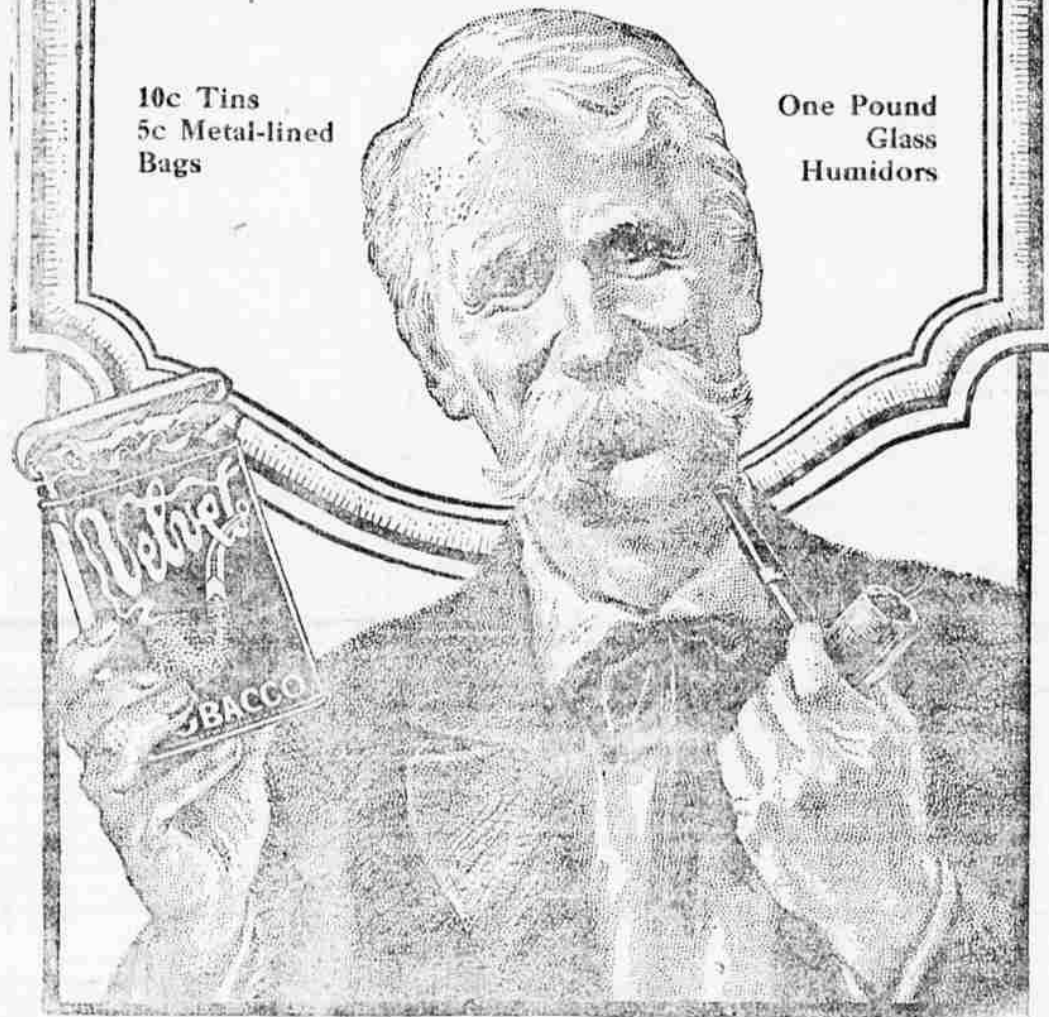
Get clearly in your own mind just what qualities you want your pipe tobacco to have. Then give your old pipe a chance to prove to you that VELVET fills every one of your requirements.

Make any test you like; compare VELVET with any tobacco you choose—and the sooner the better!

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

10c Tins  
5c Metal-lined  
Bags

One Pound  
Glass  
Humidors



## Mysterious Negro Maintains Silence

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 17.—(United Press)—The mysterious negro, John Nelson, who appeared from nowhere on Halloween night, 1915, rushed up to J. M. Siekler, a farmer, and stabbed him to death for no apparent reason.

will get one more chance to talk to the pardon board about his death sentence.

Nelson is a well-educated, intelligent, cultured negro, about 50. Some of his features are not African. He is a true "man of mystery." He appeared suddenly out of the dark, without provocation attacked three men standing in front of a door and Siekler died from knife wounds.

Until two days before he had never been seen in the community. He de-

clines to talk about himself or where he has been. He has manifested no interest in efforts to save him from the electric chair.

Wedding invitations, announcements and calling cards printed at the Observer Job Printing Department. 10-28-tf.

Complaints, affidavits and legal blanks of every description for sale at The Observer, 1710 Sixth street.

RICHEY PIANO HOUSE  
PLAYER PIANOS  
\$350.00 WITH \$25.00

HOME INSTITUTION  
HIGH GRADE PIANOS  
A SPECIALTY

HERE TO STAY  
\$187.00 BUYS A PLAIN  
PIANO

Knabe  
Ivers & Pond  
Emerson  
Sterling  
Bush & Gerts



SCHULZ  
POOLE  
BENNETT  
SEVERAL OTHERS

IN MUSIC ROLLS  
We have a piano upon exhibition, one of those so-called tried-out pianos, sold by a kite concern, endorsed by another, for a \$350.00 instrument, taken in upon exchange the same day by THE RICHEY PIANO HOUSE.

This piano sold by one of those piano APOSTLES who shout from the house tops about honesty, and the long standing of the house. Some of these birds of Paradise (Wallowa Co.) have flown, leaving behind the new Foley Building decorated with signs, an attachment for advertising, and several others holding the sack.

PIANO RECITAL

## MODART CORSETS

Front Laced



SOLID COMFORT  
Standing, Sitting or Lying Down

When you stop to think that you spend between five and six thousand hours every year in your corset, you must realize how important it is that you have a perfectly comfortable one. A poorly fitting corset frequently leads to severe nervous and organic troubles which cause years of suffering. In the MODART Corset we have a garment that always gives genuine comfort, sitting, standing or lying down.

PAULINE LEDERLE, Sommer Hotel Bldg.