

## Master Earl Pal to Tallowbox Squirrels

Official duties on top of Tallowbox peak must be of considerable import because Master Earl Saltmarsh came down from the mountain Monday to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Dora Saltmarsh, and said he could be gone only a week.

The chance to properly observe the Fourth at the far away look-out was pretty small, so Earl both began and concluded the day's events in firing the shotgun early in the morning. In telling about his unusual habitude on the peak Earl said he cannot roam far from the house to play on account of snakes. However, he has two squirrels tied up for companions, and often times they come in the house and eat. At the present he is busy helping his uncle with farm work, catching moles as a side line.

Earl's little sister, Hazel, also came down from the family post and is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Manke, east of Jacksonville.

## AUCTION SALES WILL FEATURE GATHERINGS

Public auction sales each Saturday evening from 7 to 8 o'clock, according to Franklin Sparrow, Solid Rock mission organizer, will be held in the mission hall, formerly the Table Rock saloon. Proceeds are to be used to pay for equipment, books, seats and the installation of electricity, he explained.

There will be no more street meetings, it was announced, but both Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon services will be held. Text for the night session this week will be "Touch Not Mine Anointed; Do My Prophets No Harm." Sunday afternoon text to be delivered at 2:30 will be "Vengeance Belongs to Me; I Will Repay, Sayeth the Lord." Sparrow asks that all who can donate articles to the auction will please drop them off Saturday, as there will be someone at the mission hall all day.

● Rev. D. D. Randall, Sunday school missionary from Medford, held services at the Watkins school house Sunday, following the Sunday school period.

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## ORIGIN OF PHRASES



"Getting on your high horse" is the expression explained in the above illustration, posed by Rumble Seat and a local damsel and snapped by Verne Shangle, staff photographer. It will now be plain why people are so willing to "go on a high horse," you bet. This is but one of The Miner's extension courses in higher mathematics, or is it figures.

## EDUCATION COMPULSORY UNEMPLOYED GERMANS

In Germany they have the sensible rule that all unemployed boys under 18 must attend classes in manual training, typing, stenography, domestic science, general educational subjects, gymnastics and hygiene. Unemployed girls are given instruction in kindergarten work, nursing and sewing.

## ROAD DEATHS IN BRITAIN

Britain is disturbed because there have been 45,000 road deaths in the country within the past 10 years, and the matter has been brought up in the house of commons to see if something cannot be done to reduce the loss. In America we are now sacrificing 30,000 persons a year to the speed demon.

## LIBERTY BOND SALESMEN

The salesmen of liberty bonds who bullyragged the American people into parting with hundreds of millions of dollars (more than 10 billions, all together) to help Europe wage her World war, will now read with interest that Britain proposes to pay no more of her solemnly covenanted debt, but has left her American debt out of her budget.

## BREAK MONTE CARLO

"The man that broke the bank at Monte Carlo" turned out to be Mr. Hard Times, nobody else. For the first time in history the famous international gambling joint, where so many people have been ruined, and where suicides are everyday matters, has failed to pay a dividend. In normal times its profits run to several million dollars a year.

● George Little, museum curator and mineral enthusiast, has been slowly and steadily recovering from a partial stroke suffered a few days ago. Although Little is still abed, he is recovering his faculties and is able to sit up and receive company, which information will cheer his many friends throughout this section. George, who is 71 and has been suffering of late, is blessed with a disposition that refuses to let go and which promises to bring him safely through his present crisis.

to buy needed equipment to further safeguard Jacksonville property during the coming dry months.

New additions included one two and one-half gallon soda and acid portable extinguisher, one two and one-half gallon foamite type extinguisher designed especially for oil and gasoline fires, and one five-gallon grass fire extinguisher. Arrival of ordered equipment is expected within a few days.

The past few weeks the company has been busy burning grass and removing fire hazards about the city.

## RADIUM POISONING FROM DRINKING JUST WATER

It now appears that water containing radio-active materials, instead of being good to drink, and leading to restoration of health, leads to death and the grave. After the death of a prominent steel man of Pittsburgh attributed to radium poisoning resulting from the drinking of water containing radium in solution, the Columbia university expert on radium poisoning has expressed that many, many, are sure to die from the same cause. Radium-charged water has been widely sold as a cure-all.

## LARGEST SPRING IN WORLD

Wakulla spring, Florida, 186 feet deep and so crystal clear that a penny can be seen on its bottom, is said to be the largest single fresh water spring in the world. It is believed to be fed by an underground river which periodically drains Lake Jackson, Ga. This lake, 10 miles long, has an uncanny habit of disappearing and reappearing, but Wakulla spring goes on forever. The Wakulla river is a broad stream flowing from Wakulla spring to the Gulf of Mexico.

## REFRIGERATO SALES GROW

In 1925 there were sales of less than 100,000 electrical refrigerators; in 1926 there were 260,000; in 1927 there were 390,000; in 1928 there were 560,000; in 1929 there were 650,000; in 1930 there were 850,000; and in the year 1931 there were 965,000 sales. It is estimated that there are now 3,965,000 elec-

tric refrigerators in use, with an aggregate value of over a billion dollars.

## JAPAN'S SUGAR SCANDAL

Big business in Japan is no more honest than it is elsewhere; hence the discovery that the biggest sugar company in the country has been caught defrauding the government out of \$5,000,000 in taxes need cause no surprise. The worst of it is that other prominent politicians and one newspaper got hold of the facts and milked the company to the tune of about \$800,000 in blackmail before the government finally took cognizance of the situation.

Capital, in its broadest sense, is brains, energy, character; land, machinery, buildings; in a word, whatever contributes to the production of things and the creation of conditions necessary to the happiness and higher development of humanity.

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## Beekmans Gives \$100 to Firemen

Ben B. Beekman, son of Jacksonville's famous C. C. Beekman and now a resident of Portland, together with his sister, Carrie Beekman of this city, this week presented Ray Wilson, chief of the Jacksonville fire company, a check for \$100, to be spent at the discretion of the volunteers.

The sum was offered not only as an appreciation for prompt safeguard when the old home was endangered by a burning flue, but also as a small part of their ever-present interest and help for the community. The donation is not the first ever received by local organizations.

Ben B. Beekman returned north early this week and several days visit here attending to affairs of the old bank and visiting with his sister and many friends.

At the regular monthly meeting of the volunteer firemen Wednesday evening of this week a vote of thanks was taken and a resolution passed to direct a letter of appreciation to the Beekman family. A large share of the \$100 was used

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