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Washington — A five year old boy on Sunday accomplished what few have done—he crashed the White House.

Hebert Jefferson, yielded to one of his periodic urges for adventure and selected the home of President Her-

bert Hoover. He made his way through the grounds and finding everything to his liking, he decided to try the executive mansion.

He entered through the main portals and was minutely inspecting the interior when the White House police found him.

**LISTS BLACK FACE
CRIMES FALSELY**

New York, March — The Norfolk Journal and Guide, commenting upon the acquittal of William Harper, falsely charged by a white woman with assault and robbery, lists 18 such "black face" crimes in which Negroes have been falsely accused since 1928.

Among the crimes listed is the perjured testimony of a white woman which sent Ben Boss to prison for a long term of which he served 13 years before being released through the efforts of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. Other cases listed by the Journal and Guide under the heading "Padding Our Crime Statistics" include the case of Isaac Pugh, bellboy, falsely accused by a white woman in Houston, Texas; Oliver Lambert, framed in Mississippi on a charge of causing train wrecks because a white detective wanted to collect reward; a white farmer in Wallace, N.C., indicted for having murdered his wife after having falsely accused two Negroes who had narrowly escaped lynching.

**PORTLAND BARS
"BIRTH OF NATION"**

Portland, Oregon, March — The Portland branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People has succeeded in preventing the showing in this city of the anti-Negro "Birth of a Nation" film which represents the post-Civil War Negro as a degraded brute.

Mrs. Carrie L. Ingersall, branch secretary, reports that when a local film company official applied to the City Council for permission to show the film rescinding the prohibition against it several years ago, the branch immediately became active.

Clarence E. Ivey, branch president took his committee before the City Council and Rev. J. L. Gaston of the local N.A.A.C.P. executive committee set forth the reasons why the N.A.A.C.P. executive committee set forth the reasons why the N.A.A.C.P. was opposing the film's being shown. The City Council thereupon voted unanimously to prohibit the showing in Portland.

New York, March — Cross section of the men of the family reveals striking and significant facts regarding the consumer-responsiveness of Negroes.

Of the first two hundred families reporting 98 or 49 per cent own automobiles, 145, or 72.5 per cent have telephones; 24 or 12 per cent have electric refrigerators; 34 or 17 per cent have electric washing machines; 127 or 63 per cent have radios; 85 or 42.5 per cent have vacuum cleaners; 149 or 74.5 per cent prefer advertised brands of merchandise; 193 or 96.5 per cent are regular readers of Negro newspapers.

When the report is completed it will represent a consumer study of more than 5,000 Negro families.

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