

CAR BACKS UP, WOMAN HURT

Mother of Three Injured on Way To Egg-Rolling—Pastor's Wife Held.

While hurrying across Pennsylvania avenue at Seventh street north-west, with her three children bent on a day of pleasure rolling eggs at the White House, Mrs. Susie Miller, forty-three years old, of 1444 E street southeast, was struck and knocked down by an automobile.

TWO RIBS BROKEN. She suffered a laceration of the left hip and two broken ribs on the right side. She was taken to Emergency Hospital where physicians said her condition is not critical.

Mrs. Miller accompanied by her children, Mildred, six; Dorothy, seven, and Frank, eight, was crossing in back of an automobile operated by Mrs. Clutcha R. McAllister, of Hyattsville.

Mrs. McAllister had overrun the building line at Seventh street, it is said, and O. L. Curtis, the crossing policeman had waved her back. She reversed and the machine struck Mrs. Miller, knocking her to the ground. Mildred, the youngest child, was holding her mother's hand. She, too, was knocked to the ground, but was not injured.

WIFE OF MINISTER. Policeman P. J. Lynch, of the Sixth precinct station, was passing at the time and commandeered the automobile of A. Shumacher, 2205 Fourteenth street northwest, to take the three children and their mother to the hospital.

Mrs. McAllister, who is the wife of the Rev. Charles E. McAllister, pastor of Pinkney Memorial Episcopal Church, at Hyattsville, was held by the police to determine the outcome of the woman's injuries. She was charged with failing to have an operator's permit.

NEW TAXICAB LINE STARTS ON APRIL 1

Fleet of Thirty Yellow Machines Backed by Washington Money and Directors.

Washington will have a brand-new taxicab service beginning April 1. With the idea of furnishing first-class taxi service to the people of the Capital at a low rate, the stockholders of the Terminal Taxicab Company have organized and incorporated the Yellow Cab Company.

The concern will conduct on the same plan as the Yellow Cab companies of Chicago, St. Louis, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Cleveland, Kansas City, Milwaukee, Newark, and other cities.

Thirty new taxicabs of the latest design and model have been purchased by the company. The rates of fare for one to five passengers will be 50 cents for the first half mile, 10 cents for each additional half mile, and 10 cents for each six minutes' waiting time.

The service will be conducted on a cash basis and no credit cards will be issued. No commissions or other payments will be made for concessions. Under this plan it is hoped the low rates of fare will be made possible.

The capital invested in the concern comes from Washington. Its stockholders, officers, directors, and employees are all Washingtonians.

EASTER BUYING HEAVY, MERCHANTS REPORT

Business in Washington boomed during the pre-Easter buying period, according to Charles J. Columbus, secretary of the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association, in a statement issued today.

If the first three months of 1921 are any criterion, Columbus said, business in the city will have a record spring business.

Little Misses Helen and Marie Bell, sisters, one a pianist, the other a violinist, carried off the honors of the afternoon, if the applause they received is any criterion, and delighted the audience with naive charm of rendition.

FIVE LOCAL MUSICIANS. Five Washington musicians, all well known in musical circles, were on the program. There was one musician only who was not a Washingtonian, the famous Beverwijk, jolland pianist. He played several jolland numbers, giving variety to the program of otherwise good old-fashioned American music. He was first on the program.

Mrs. Marie Beal, well-known local soprano soloist, sang three songs. She was accompanied by Miss Marie Bell, Delphine Desio, a Washington woman, who has appeared in sixty concerts in Philadelphia, played the cello, rendering two numbers. She gave a humorous touch to the program by reciting in dialect Dorothy

ALL dolled up in their best bibs-and-tuckers, and with their baskets filled with brilliantly-dyed eggs, these youngsters were "snapped" by Carl T. Thoner, The Times' staff photographer, just before they entered the historic egg-rolling contest on the White House lawn this morning. All juvenile Washington was represented at the egg-rolling.



Easter Egg Rollers Swarm Over Lawns at White House and Zoo

Little Ones Enjoy Return of Historic Festival Halted By War.

Some 300,000 eggs of every color were rolled, broken and eaten today by the 60,000 youngsters who invaded the White House grounds and Zoological Park, in accordance with an annual Easter custom of the Nation's Capital.

Children of almost every nationality and thousands of parents, in addition to the President of the United States and his wife, all joined in celebrating Easter Monday, one of the most important days of the year for the children of Washington.

For the first time since 1917 the great iron gates of the south grounds of the White House were thrown open and children swarmed in for Easter egg-rolling.

Hundreds of youngsters were waiting in line, bearing little Easter baskets, when the gates were swung open. With one wild swoop they tramped through.

Adults were barred, unless accompanied by children. Some entering boys and girls made capital of this and charged Easter tourists, who desired to enter the grounds, a small fee for posing as their wards.

TAKE POT SHOTS. The smaller children and those of quiet dispositions excited in rolling their eggs about the White House lawns, but some of the more boisterous found greater sport in taking pot shots at their comrades with dyed, hard-boiled eggs.

That great game of chance the kiddies play on Easter Monday—picking eggs—was indulged in by most of them. In this game several children, usually boys, take part. Each with an egg begins "picking" or knocking the eggs of the others. The egg that does not break is the winner and the owner acquires the other eggs, or the "busted" ones.

"Laddie Boy" the President's pet Airedale, was the main attraction at the White House this morning. Escorted by Wilson Jackson, a colored messenger, the dog was taken about the grounds time and again and hundreds of children followed the trail of the White House mascot.

Mrs. Harding spent several minutes Dix's sketch of Southern life, "Down in Dixie," or "The Higher Culture."

SENATOR GORE PRESIDES. Miss Helen Bell, violinist, and one of the youngest on the program, delighted the newspapermen with several violin numbers, and H. R. W. Miles, ended the program with two piano solos.

Former Senator Thomas P. Gore, of Oklahoma, presided. He spoke briefly on the "Freedom of the Press and the Right to Free Speech." He lauded the high character of the press in the United States, declaring that "the newspapermen with several general violin numbers, and H. R. W. Miles, ended the program with two piano solos."

Everybody had a good time, leaving the clubrooms humming strains of melody, and saying for an "enjoyable" day after a long and tiring day after the Press Club there is nothing like a musical program.

Harding Kisses One Egg Roller

Pays New Dollar Bill as Tribute to Miss at White House.

Quite the prettiest incident of the egg-rolling celebration at the White House today occurred long before the children had fared together on the south grounds.

White President Harding was on his way to the Executive offices before 9 o'clock his attention was attracted to Winifred S. Hiser, six-year-old daughter of John Hiser, who was playing near the boiler room, where her father works. He stopped and picked the little girl up in his arms and kissed her several times. After he put her down he patted her on the head and gave her a brand-new \$1 bill.

The child went scampering into the boiler room, to show her father her gift, and as he looked out to see the donor, received a friendly salute from the Chief Executive.

on the south balcony of the White House, watching the children. It is expected the President and Mrs. Harding will walk about the grounds this afternoon.

BOY SCOUT BAND PLAYS. At the Zoo Park, the Boy Scout Band gave a concert from 10 a. m. until 1 p. m. The grounds will be cleared at 5 o'clock.

The Marine Band plays at the White House at 3:30 this afternoon. The grounds will be closed at 5 o'clock. It is estimated close to 15,000 men, women and children visited the President's home this morning.

ALL-STATES SOCIETY INVITES PRESIDENT

President Harding today received an invitation from Miss Leonore M. Legrange and Miss Cecil Norton, representing the community center activities in the District, to attend the celebration of the All-State society at the Central High School tomorrow night.

State organizations of the District of Columbia will participate in the celebration, which will be featured by addresses and music.

The president told the women that he would give them a decided answer tomorrow as to whether or not he will attend the celebration.

Foster Addition Is Dedicated. With appropriate ceremonies the new wing of the Foster Home, at 2212 Q street northwest, was dedicated yesterday afternoon. Some 300 prominent Jews attended. Rabbi Abram Simon delivered the dedicatory address. The wing was dedicated to the late Clara Marx, who was prominent in the work of the home.

R. R. Employees See Harding. Representatives of eleven independent organizations of railroad employees and subordinate officials called upon President Harding at the White House today and urged the appointment of a man from their organizations as a member of the United States Railroad Labor Board.

The Helpers From the Hills Suggest Today: Joy and not sorrow is the dominant note of Christianity. The Life of Service is the life of gladness.

DO SOME kind act for which you can hope for no return TODAY.

Kallipolis Grotto TO HAVE BIG NIGHT

"Surprise" Ceremonial Tuesday Promises Feature Evening By Largest Class.

Kallipolis Grotto, No. 15, M. O. V. P. E. R., will give its first ceremonial of the year with the 1921 officials presiding, at Old Masonic Temple tomorrow night. The event has been termed a "surprise" ceremonial, which name is self explanatory.

Secretary Edward Libbey has sent out the tip that this is to be the best and largest class initiated by the Grotto in many years and every prophet who witnesses the work will be requested to show his 1921 card to Sentinel Alex Schmid.

Mammoth entertainment features will be staged by the Grotto: Glee Club, Drill Corps, Orchestra and the Invincible and under the direction of Prof. Julius Kampher.

The officers include: Monarch, Castleman F. Bous; chief Justice, Marshall W. Pickering; master of ceremonies, Henry J. Gompers, 1247 Eighth street northwest; telephone, North 6300; secretary, E. W. Libbey, P. M.; treasurer, Joseph H. Curran; chaplains, the Rev. Hugh T. Stevenson, and the Rev. J. Henning Nelms; marshals, Arthur C. Shaw and Nathan Weil; captain of the guard, O. L. Ballard; orator, Mark Stegman; electrician, D. A. Yeabower, and sentinel, Alex. Schmid.

Lawyers Meet on Vacancy. The Bar Association of the District is holding a special meeting this afternoon at the court house to unite on a candidate to succeed Michael M. Doyle for judge of the Municipal Court. Judge Doyle recently resigned.

The name of Miss Mary A. O'Toole has recently been mentioned around the court house in connection with the place, but there has developed certain opposition among the legal fraternity against the appointment of another woman lawyer to a judicial place.

Stockyard Case Delayed. Justice Stafford, of the District Supreme Court, the Department of Justice consenting, today permitted a delay of two weeks within which to make arrangements for the taking of testimony as to the value of the stockyards in which Armour & Co. and Swift & Co. own interests.

Counsel for both sides will meet in court April 11 to agree on time limitations for the taking of the testimony.

THE McPHERSON CAFETERIA 916 Fifteenth Street One Block Above Rusk Bldg. Breakfast and Luncheon a la Carte SPECIALIZING IN DINNERS 55 Cents and 75 Cents 8 o'clock until 7 o'clock SOUPS, SALADS, DESSERTS, HOT BREADS HOME MADE PASTRIES Meats Carefully Selected Meals Carefully Prepared

ADVENTISTS TO AID CANNIBALS

Convention Meeting Tuesday Will Learn Facts of South Pacific Work.

Medical missionaries are the greatest need among the cannibal tribes of the South Pacific Islands, according to the statement made today by Eld. C. H. Watson, who has made a long journey to Washington to attend the annual spring council of the Seventh Day Adventists. The council begins its sessions tomorrow at the administration building of the Adventists at Takoma Park, and will continue until April 7.

GIVE CHILDREN DISEASE. Elder C. K. Meyers, who also has traveled among the human flesh-eating tribes of the South Seas is another member who has arrived for the council. Both tell of remarkable transformations that have come to the savage tribes after accepting Christianity.

Elder Watson says that the wierdest superstitions exist among the heathen of the South Pacific Islands and that a great work can be accomplished if medical missionaries are sent among them.

"One superstition that all mothers follow," he said, "is that of deliberately inoculating their children with the germs of a most painful disease that breaks out all over the body like measles. A mother does not consider that her boy grows up to be a healthy manhood, unless he has this disease. While going through the Solomon Islands, I saw a boy infected with the disease, and I was told that a child has to suffer unutterable agony for six long years before he is finally cured of its ravages. If medical missionaries would go in among these people and teach them differently, this one effort would be worth a fortune."

LIST OF DELEGATES. Questions affecting the entire denomination in the medical, educational, evangelistic and publishing departments will be considered by the council, and every State in the Union and many foreign countries will be represented.

Not only the Zoo and the White House, but on other hills about Washington children are rolling their eggs today. They have taken charge of about every green lawn in the city. Mary Cummings, fourteen years old, as "Alice," and Donald Foley, ten, as the "White Rabbit," from "Wonderland," which is being shown at the Masonic Auditorium, attracted much attention among the little egg rollers, in their striking costumes.

CONNECTICUT AVENUE AND SIXTEENTH STREET, the usual habitats of the Society—with a big "S"—Easter parade, were vacant looking. The former Easter paraders, after church services, rode home on softly upholstered seats.

But F street—ah, that was something else again. Even here there was no parade. It was an exhibition, a show, a pageant. Workmen and other social strata were conspicuously on hand. All males above the age of three years who got within eyeshot of F street yesterday are still bearing around a slightly stunned expression. And many of the girls still feel slightly chilled. But what of that? They had a good time—while it lasted. The jazz dresses exposed to the Easter sunshine made a lace curtain look like sole leather. One of them

rolled into a pill and administered to an English sparrow would have left him hungry.

RAINBOW LACES GLORY. So variegated were the colors that a rainbow could have crashed into the street without being noticed. Some of the apparel could have been used to flag a train, provided you could collect enough of it—or to dilate the eyes of the chief mourner at a Mexican bull fight.

In spite of this the number of traffic accidents was miraculously small. The reason was that most of the automobiles were stalled against the curb until it got too dark for the occupants to roll their wearied eyes any longer.

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Dance by Kann Employees. The third annual entertainment and dance by the employees of S. Kann Sons Company will be given at 8 o'clock tomorrow night in Elks Hall, H street between Ninth and Tenth streets northwest. The auspices of the Mutual Benefit Association.

What's Doing; When; Where TODAY. Campaign—American Committee for Relief in Ireland. Concert—United States Marine Band, White House Grounds, 3:30 p. m. Meeting—Zionists, Y. M. H. A., Eleventh street and Pennsylvania avenue, northwest. Convention—Association of Collegiate Alumnae and the Southern Association of Teachers, Washington Hotel. Boys' Hobby Show—Y. M. C. A., 10 a. m. Lobby Concert—Y. M. C. A., 8 p. m. Board Meeting—District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs, 23 Jackson Place, 7:30 p. m. Reception—College Women's Club, 1822 I street northwest, 8 p. m. Meeting—West End Citizens' Association, Concordia Lutheran Church, Twentieth and G streets northwest, 8 p. m. Meeting—Mid-City Citizens' Association, Thomas School, Twelfth and L streets northwest, 8 p. m. Meeting—Pastors' Federation, New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, 11 a. m. Egg Rolling Contest—White House grounds, 9 a. m. Moving Pictures—"Alice in Wonderland," benefit of Medical Society of the District of Columbia, Masonic Auditorium, Thirtieth street and New York avenue, 7 to 9 p. m. TOMORROW. Convention—Association of Collegiate Alumnae and the Southern Association of Teachers, Washington Hotel. Address—"How to Make the Most of Life," Dr. Charles E. Barker, Keith's Central High School auditorium, to District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs, other women's organizations and clubs, 8:30 p. m. Address—"A Father's Responsibility to His Son," Dr. Charles E. Barker, Rotary Hotel, to Rotary Club and Washington Kiwanis Club, 8 p. m. Dance—Entertainment—Seventh-Day Adventists, Takoma Park, D. C. Dance—Entertainment—Benefit Association of S. Kann Sons Company, Elks hall, 819 H street northwest, 8 p. m. Musical—"For him residents of Washington, Library of Congress, 8 p. m. Surprise Ceremonial—Kallipolis Grotto, No. 15, Old Masonic Temple, Ninth and P streets northwest, 9 p. m. Dance—Saratoga Club, Dyer's Hall, 8:30 p. m. Meeting—Terence McGweeney Council, American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, 8 p. m.

Harding's Doctor Cures White House Gates

By KIRK MILLER. The White House gates are ajar. For the first time since Hector was the only.

One saved out of a large and luxurious litter—as they say. Out in Bethesda and way stations.

Tax payers and dodgers can ramble in and out of those grounds with no more restraint than a shad in the Potomac river. Which.

Taking it on the whole, is a good deal of liberty for even a fish.

Anyway, the door is swinging on the finest set of ball bearing hinges ever made outside of Krupps or any.

Other toy factory. The White House squirrels, Poolemen, Pedestrians and office hunters can pop in and out of 1500 Pennsylvania with as much abandon as a.

Two-hour old calf asking for an encore. One form of stage fright which, by the way, Crafts has not yet asked to be censored.

The Democratic demonstration ironed out all of that sort of stuff.

During the war and forgot the combination to those big portiers which have been closed so long that two of 'em had lockjaw when the dentist opened 'em on March fourth.

Last. They not only. Had lockjaw, but dry rot, eczema, jaundice, aphasia, and epilepsy. But Gen.

C. E. Foster, of Marion, Ohio. Has cured all that and pronounced the. Gates as wide open as a mule collar during the taxicab.

Season. All of which has nothing to do. With the nimble information that the children of Washington today.

Are enjoying their first belly-whoop on the Southern knoll.

Of the Executive Mansion backyard since the Kaiser threw a fit.

And decided Paris was the logical Capital of the world.

For three Easterns the Washington kids have been saving. Up. All the.

Eggs the cold storage dukes didn't grab. Just for today.

So, if you're fond of flowers and other pleasant odors.

And love the fragrance of Spring, new shops and gasoline exhaust.

Don't linger too long around the back lot of the Harding home, as.

Some of the eggs to be rolled today were dyed and boiled. Or vice.

Versa. Way back in 1918 and ensuing Easterns. And have been held over by the local juveniles for such a time as a President should park.

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"Open Sesame!" We think. You know what we mean. About the eggs.

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COPS TAKE POT AND 4 FAKERS

Find Crippled Street Venders Playing Poker—One Has Money Orders for \$200.

Four cripples were arrested yesterday by headquarters detectives, while playing poker with the money they had collected from a gullible public.

Inspector Grant, chief of detectives, heading the squad of raiders, swooped down on the home of Thomas Boyd, 469 Missouri avenue northwest, and corralled the quartet and the owner of the premises.

SOME PEDDLED LAVENDER. The cripples, who said they peddled anything from pencils to packages of sweet-smelling lavender, gave their names as Thomas P. Martin, forty-one, Norton, Va.; Edward Conklin, forty-nine, Philadelphia; George L. Hassanian, forty, Jefferson, Mich., and Maurice Kline, fifty, Tampa, Fla.

Boyd was charged with permitting gambling on his premises, and the rest with vagrancy.

Inspector Grant said today the vagrancy laws will be tested in the arrest of these peddlers. If he succeeds in prosecuting the men, he believes he will have power to deal with the bootleggers who ply their trade in this city.

DRESSED HANDSOMELY. One of the "migratory birds," as the detectives dub the peddlers who prey on the sympathies of the public, was dressed handsomely. He was the man who gave the name of Kline. He said his business was to sell cards in aid of the deaf and dumb. The police also specialized in selling lavender and novelties. He is dead.

Martin, who wears an iron brace on his leg; Conklin, whose hand is powerless, and Hassanian, who hobbles around on crutches, also gave their occupations as peddlers. They sell pencils, the police say.

Expensive suitcases were found in the possession of the men, each containing pencils, lavender and novelties. One man had receipts for money orders amounting to \$200. Each was drawn for \$100 and was mailed during the past week.

Inspector Grant is anxious that the public be protected from peddlers, who every year must easy-going people out of thousands of dollars. Many of these peddlers own their own homes and live on the fat of the land.

D. C. Music Week Planned. All Washingtonians who are interested in a "music week" are asked to attend a meeting at the Thomson Community Center, Twelfth and L street northwest, at 4:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

This meeting is called by Charles S. Wenger, chairman of the temporary committee in charge of arrangements, to arrange for a larger meeting on April 8, when Robert Lawrence, of the National Bureau for the Advancement of Music, will explain the project.

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