

Relics Are Discovered In Museum

WASHINGTON (AP)—Rare articles, rich in the history of worship and church, have been brought to light in the National museum.

They repose there through the efforts of the late Dr. Emmanuel Casanovic, who pursued a lonely way among the mysteries of strange creeds, gods and devils.

For 35 years he was assistant curator of old world archeology. Two strange wooden statues of Christ are among the treasures culled from the Philippine islands.

Another article held in high value is a print of the supposed miraculous image of the Holy Child of Cebu, reputed to have been found on the shore of the island of Cebu in 1565.

Records tell of the honors of field marshal being accorded the image upon its exposure to the populace's view.

The collection includes rosaries from all parts of the earth. There is a lesser Dominican rosary of five decades, strung on a cross of olive wood from Mount Olivet.

Medieval manuscripts carry a certificate of indulgence written in vellum which was granted by Pope Alexander VII on March 20, 1690, to the Church of the Fraternity of Holy Intercession in Siena, Italy.

Eight manuscript copies of the Koran are contained in the Mohammedan group which includes a number of rosaries. There are manuscripts, also, of the sacred books of the Hindus, the Vedas, the Brahmanas, Upanishads and the Puranas.

ITALIANS SEEK LOST MADONNA, REPORT

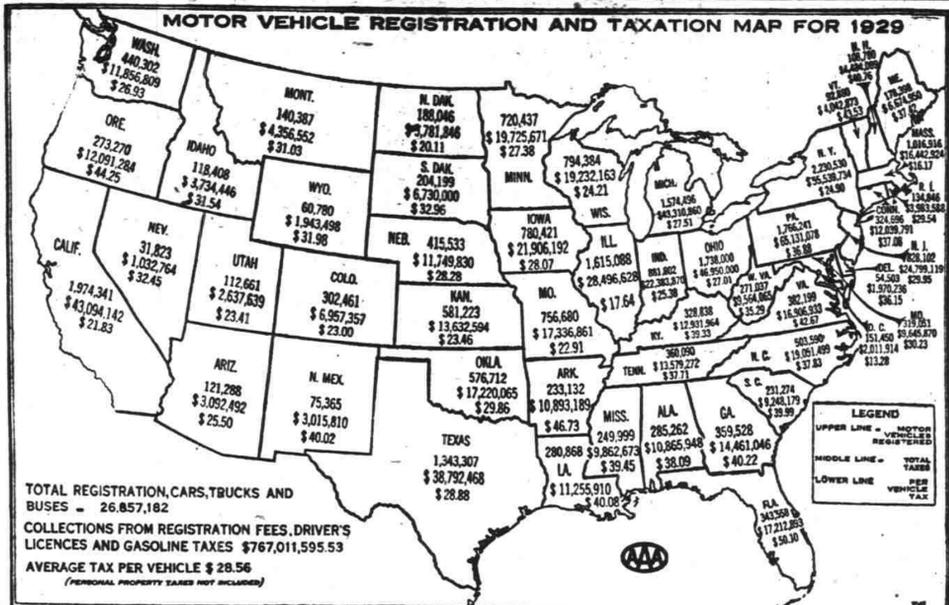
NAPLES (AP)—Italian art detectives galleries and students are hunting for a missing Madonna by Raphael.

Their search is complicated by the fact that the painting has been missing since the 16th century, and the knowledge of its existence was communicated only a few weeks ago by Professor Genaro Monti, of the Royal university of Bari.

Professor Monti came upon records of the work in the archives of the noble Piccolomini family.

In 1542 Pier Francis Piccolomini, a Sienese noble, gave his daughter Silvia in marriage to Inico Piccolomini. The records show that among the treasures in the bride's dowry was "a round painting of the Madonna, the infant Jesus sleeping and St. John, the work of Raphael of Urbino, which is valued at more than 200 shields."

The archives yield the fact that the painting reached Naples. What happened to it is the present day puzzle. A Raphael Madonna is worth a fortune, so the search is worth while.



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AGED PEASANT GETS HONOR LEGION GIFT

MIGNEVILLE, Meurthe-et-Moselle Province, France (AP)—That the French Legion of Honor is distributed not merely to the great and the near-great is proved by the case of Joseph Zaleski, descendant of a servant of former King Leckinski of Poland, who at the mellow age of 103, has just

received the red ribbon. This venerable peasant has been decorated by the French government because of his professional capacities as a peasant and as a reward for his long life of toil. It is also given as a sign of France's desire to keep people working on the soil.

The Zaleskis have been French subjects for several generations, and the patriarch of the family still practices his humble occupation. His son, who is an octogenarian, was wounded in the Franco-Prussian war of 1870.

Zaleski, senior, talks glibly of the revolution of 1848. He gives a vivid picture of the reign of Napoleon III and recalls the visit which the Empress Eugenie paid to Luneville.

He had two close escapes in the great war. While being shaved in his home a German shell demolished his abode but left him with-

out a scratch. Two years later another and bigger shell made ruins of his new house while he was standing, smoking, on his doorstep.

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Control of Grapes Is Endorsed

By FRANK I. WELLER (Associated Press Farm Editor) WASHINGTON (AP) For the grape growers of California the federal farm board has endorsed a surplus control program.

Under its provisions "the commodity served pays for its own surplus"—the essence of the equalization fee principle of the old McNary-Haugen bill.

As outlined by C. C. Teague, board member representing fruits and vegetables, a fee of \$1.50 a ton would be collected on grapes as they pass through the "bottle necks" of trade.

This sum would be used to buy surplus grapes and hold them off the market until it will absorb them at a profitable price.

PONTIAC ROCKET GIVES MANY RIDES

More than 300 local residents already have ridden many miles in the new series Pontiac Big Sixes which were placed at the service of the public here on April 17 for the duration of the Red Rocket demonstration campaign.

HUSKY SHELL MADE OF ALASKA CEDAR

SEATTLE (AP)—When the University of Washington crew races down the Hudson River at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., next June in the annual collegiate rowing regatta, the spectators will have little trouble spotting the Huskies in their new cream-color "sport model" shell.

Something new in racing boats has been manufactured for the Washington eight by George Pocock, internationally known shell builder. It was made out of Alaska cedar, the same material Pocock used for racing cars. It is the first shell of its kind, and probably the last as the wood grows too small to use commercially for boat building.

The Alaska product which was given Pocock as a present is said to be stronger than the conventional red cedar used in shells. The boat was built a little higher than the average craft, making it more seaworthy.

In its beautiful natural cream-color finish the new Husky boat stands out like a diamond among the older shells of the Washington fleet and it will be conspicuous on the Hudson whether the crew comes in first or not.

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