

CATHOLIC WOMEN RESOLVE AGAINST BEAUTY CONTESTS

SALEM, Ore., July 18.—(AP) With the rejection of Willibald Eibner, New Ulm, Minn., as president for another year, and the election of other officers, the 73rd annual convention of the Catholic Women's Society of America, closed its business sessions Wednesday noon not to be reopened until the diamond jubilee convention in Baltimore in 1936.

The National Catholic Women's Union also closed its convention at noon after a three-hour session of final committee and officers' reports. Mrs. Sophia C. Waverling, Quincy, Ill., national president, and other officers of the women's union were elected at the convention at St. Cloud, Minn., last year to serve for a two-year period.

COSTE ABANDONS FLIGHT FOR YEAR

PARIS, July 18.—(AP) Dieudonne Coste probably will not make another attempt during this year to fly across the Atlantic. He has not abandoned his plan, but when asked when it might be carried out he replied laconically "there is no hurry."

JULES VERNE ROCKET EXPLODES TOO SOON

WORCESTER, Mass., July 18.—(AP)—A rocket with which Professor Robert H. Goddard of Clark university was experimenting in his efforts eventually to shoot to the moon, exploded at his experimental station in an isolated portion of Worcester this afternoon with a reverberation heard for miles around. No one was hurt.

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CHICAGO.—(AP)—Only one woman is permitted on the trading floor of the Chicago board of trade, the world's largest commodity market. Her name is "Apple Mary."

COOLIDGE TO WRITE ON INSURANCE VALUE

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 18.—(AP)—Announcement was made today that former President Coolidge would contribute to the August number of the University Placement Review an article concerning the value of life insurance in its relations to the individual citizen.

Red Nose Taboo As Liquor Clue Case Dismissed

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 18.—(AP)—Haling a man on the highway by state troopers on suspicion that he was violating the Volstead act just because his face was rosy, was banned today by Federal Judge John R. Hazel as "a shocking outrage."

KITTENS WITH HANDS BORN IN MARSHFIELD

MARSHFIELD, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—Kittens with forepaws resembling human hands are the latest addition to the world of freaks. Mrs. Roy Cedarstrom of Coos Bay today told of the birth of four kittens, each with their forepaws flattened. Some, she said, have as many as four "fingers" and each has a sort of thumb.

COL. JAMES M'KINLEY ASSISTS ARMY CHIEF

WASHINGTON, July 18.—(AP)—President Hoover has approved the promotion of Colonel James F. McKinley, of Ohio, adjutant general of the Canal Zone, to be assistant adjutant general of the army, with the rank of brigadier general.

DEATH TAKES DRIVER IN PORTLAND STREET

PORTLAND, July 18.—(AP)—D. J. Dondero, 55, Portland manufacturer, died at a street corner here early today after he had brought his automobile to a stop at the intersection, got out and made his way to the curb. Physicians said death was caused by an internal hemorrhage, and that unconsciousness must have come only a minute or two after Dondero was stricken as he was driving home.

REFRIGERATING LEAK CAUSE OF 3 DEATHS

CHICAGO, July 18.—(AP)—Lethal gas escaping from a mechanical refrigerating system was blamed by health authorities for the deaths of three persons found asphyxiated in their apartment. The condition of the bodies and a leak in the building's refrigerating system indicating that methyl chloride gas, used as a refrigerant, was responsible for the deaths, Coroner Herman N. Bundesen said.

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PARIS CEREMONY WEDS MRS. MILES COLONEL ROGERS

PARIS, July 18.—(AP)—The marriage of Mrs. Basil Miles, widow of the late Basil Miles, former American commissioner to the international chamber of commerce, and Colonel H. H. Rogers, New York millionaire, took place at 11:30 this morning in the city hall of the fashionable 16th district.

LLOYD STEAMER HITS ROCKS NEAR TSINGTAO

TSINGTAO, July 18.—(AP)—The North German Lloyd steamer Defflinger, bound from Dairen to Tsingtao, with 42 passengers, ran on the rocks at Chialienao, 40 miles from Tsingtao today. Two holds were flooded. Salvage tugs have proceeded to her assistance.

MRS. STEVENSON HEAD PHARMACISTS' WIVES

ASTORIA, Ore., July 18.—(AP)—Mrs. Stanley Stevenson of Eugene was elected president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Oregon State Pharmaceutical association in its annual convention here yesterday.

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