

At Our House

# A Day's Outing

By MARY TINLEY DALY

A summer highlight at our house, and the houses of our children, is the FAMILY PROLOG put on by the Press Club. Attended by 5,000 frolicking families of newsgen, even to the third generation, it is an annual "must" for anybody who ever has attended.

Papa or Grandpa Newman would be in the doghouse permanently if he failed to get tickets for this, the all-out good time for everybody from toddlers to the cane set.

Torrid temperatures, blistering sun, four hours on your feet, upset tummies, sticky hands and faces, lost children — why, these aren't drawbacks, they are part and parcel of THE DAY.

HONESTLY, during the 10 years the Club has put on this performance, the Family Prolog grows in popularity — now in its second generation at our house — and every year brings the same familiar — ride on a fire engine, merry-go-round, special ride on a miniature train, pony and horse rides, with additions every year.

Contingent going from our house today included the Head of the House and the families (all but the babies) of Pat, Johnny and Eleanor's grown adults and nine children, (Ginny and I babysat the twins, "Baby" Brennan and Little John).

Plots and plans have been widely discussed for days by "small fry" who had previously attended.

"We'll get in the hot dog line first — let's take two, that'll hold us while we're lining up for the fire engine. And, Kate, don't get scared when the siren blows."

"Yeah, then for the popcorn and cotton candy and peanuts — you can put the peanuts in your pocket — and we'll go for the pony ride."

"No, the train!"

"The airplane ride, that's for me," said Sean.

The day, quite evidently, went off with its usual flair and exhilaration that arrived at our house to pick up the babies.

"Grandma, I ate four hot dogs, and I would've got another but Daddy took it away from me."

Ed: 10,000 hot dogs, complete with mustard and relish were on the menu, a veritable Niagara Falls of coke, plus peanuts, cotton candy, potato chips and popcorn — "All you can eat" and nobody went home hungry, (a bit squeamish, perhaps, but not hungry).

"And, Grandma, they had airplanes for big kids and airplanes for little kids and . . ."

"There was a milk wagon, with a horse pulling it just like they had when you were young, Grandma, long time ago."

"I liked the train," from husky-voiced, brown-eyed Kate.

"I got lost," giggled six-year-old Mary. "And the man said — real loud over the thing — 'Here is a little girl who isn't lost, but her mother is!' Then Mommy came to get me. See, she was lost!"

Some of the variety of features included in this well-worked-out performance included: a baryard full of live farm animals — cows, chickens, rabbits, guinea pigs, all sorts of children seldom see; also a mobile display of animals, of the forest, "a zoo on wheels"; a solid propellant rocket ("From NASA with love") as the program plus lightning corps and mounted patrol; and for music, the Navy Band and a Hotelnanny.

INCLUDED also were: an exhibition of jiu-jitsu and karate; sports demonstrations from fly casting to tennis; races for children horseshoe pitching, and a ladies parking contest (We have entered this over and over, never won).

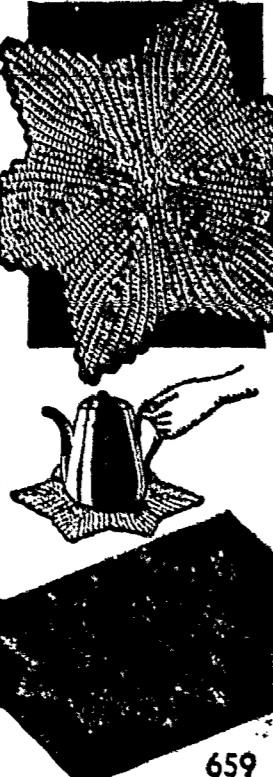
Also among the non-wins this year, as usual, were our 16 for the assortment of prizes, 664 listed, and other valuable prizes.

"This matters not at all. Everybody had a good time — an excellent get-together for any organization, providing a camaraderie established on the family plan."

"We'll go again next year, won't we, Grandpa?" were parting words of three carloads of families drove off.

For once, their parents tell us, there was no response to the jingle of the Good Humor man.

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## luppa-Blum Wedding Held

Miss Virginia M. Blum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Blum of Oakland Rd., and Nicholas V. Luppa, son of Dr. and Mrs. Nicholas V. Luppa of Dewey Ave., were married June 27 at St. Cecilia's Church. The Rev. P. David Finks officiated, assisted by Monsignor Robert Keleher and Rev. Bernard C. Newcomb.

Miss Alyson Capuano was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Miss Patricia McHarg, Miss Ann Marie McLish and Miss Michele Luppa.

Raymond Mewshaw was best man and ushers were Richard Snooks, A. Peter Blum, James Cumskey and David Luppa.

The bride attended Marywood College and the groom is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame.

## Dear Loretta Young

### Our Turn

By MISS LORETTA YOUNG

Dear Miss Young: My husband is a convert at 40 years and is on the CCD Executive Board. He believes we must help to save souls. A man he works with was on the verge of a divorce and my husband was instrumental in bringing the family of four back together. They belong to another parish but to be sure that they keep up their religious practice my husband goes after them every Sunday morning for Mass at our church. After Mass, they always stop at our house for dinner and supper.

Our family consists of five children and two adults with one paycheck. This has been going on for two years and lately it has been getting worse. When I ask him when it will be our turn to be fed, he tells me that they cannot accommodate such a large family and that I am actually getting the better of the whole situation.

I'd like to know just how far charity goes when you deprive your own of the necessities they need.

"Just Fed Up"

Dear "Just Fed Up": It used to be a habit of mine, when giving something away, to say "You can have it, I don't want it." I was dumbfounded when a good friend of mine told me that I was not giving anything away because it wasn't costing me anything. From what you tell me, you and your husband are practicing charity in its fullest form — actually giving until it hurts. God will bless you and yours one hundred fold for this. Remember He promised that.

However, as one woman to another, why not suggest to your husband that when he feels your friends are able to do it, you wouldn't it be kind, even wise to allow them to practice a little charity too and invite you and family to their home once in awhile. After all, no one likes to be on the receiving end all the time.

Shave or Not

Dear Loretta: I am twelve years old and considered "old fashioned." My friends think I'm wrong not to shave my legs. They say I look funny with knee length dresses, flats, and no nylon. Am I right in the way I dress myself? Or am I really too "old fashioned?"

No Nylons

Dear "No Nylons": You're not old fashioned honey, you're just a normal, healthy twelve year old girl with good taste in dress. A little girl who dresses too old is just as unattractive as an older woman who dresses too young. Both are ridiculous because they are not acting their age. As to shaving your legs: If you have any more than a light fuzz on your legs and you would feel cleaner if you shave it off, by all means do so. There is, to my knowledge, nothing right or wrong about hair on one's legs. For instance, the French (using real charity because it wasn't costing me anything) consider it a mark of beauty.

Miss Young welcomes your letters, questions and problems. Write to her care of A.M. Publications Service, Grand Central Station, P.O. Box 4434, New York, New York.

## Vatican Pavilion Offers Souvenir Stamp Sheets

In connection with the Vatican Pavilion at the New York World's Fair, three special souvenir stamp sheets are being issued. Each sheet, 3 1/2 x 7 inches, reproduces in their original colors postage stamps of the Vatican, including stamps dating from the Vatican's first issues in 1929. These official souvenir sheets were printed by Thos. De La Rue, Inc., of the world.

Sheet A reproduces, against a background showing the Vatican Pavilion, Vatican stamps depicting the Pope who has reigned since the Vatican first became a sovereign state in 1929: Pope Pius XII, Pope John XXIII, Pope Paul VI, Coat of Arms of Pope Paul VI, and Vatican Coat of Arms.

Sheet B reproduces, against a background illustrating Michelangelo's Pietà, stamps showing the cathedrals of the Vatican: Aerial View of the Vatican, St. Peter's Square, Dome of St. Peter's, Cathedral of St. Peter, St. Paul, St. John Lateran, St. Mary Major, and Obelisks of Roman churches.

Sheet C reproduces, against a background of the Vatican Pavilion, stamps illustrating famous paintings as well as other subjects: "Archangel Raphael and Young Tobias" by Raphael (cataloguing over \$200 and one of the rarest Vatican stamps), "Archangel Gabriel" by Da Vinci, Swiss Papal Guard, St. John of Capestrano, Apostle of Europe, and the 800th anniversary of Canon Law.

These sheets will be available at the Vatican Pavilion, at the New York World's Fair, as well as by mail.

For further information write to: Fair Philatelic Agency, Box 64, World's Fair Station, Flushing, New York 11380.

## Couple Wed in Greece

Miss Martha Lou Gosling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gosling of Nantucket, Mass., was married July 4 to John Sempowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sempowski, of Birmingham, Mich., at St. John the Evangelist Church, Greece. The Rev. Daniel P. Torney officiated.

Miss Margaret A. Gosling was maid of honor for her sister. Bridesmaids were Miss Jane Sempowski, Miss Judith Walker and Mrs. Milan Bogach.

Edward Johnston was best man and ushers were David E. Gosling, Maximilian Sempowski and Anthony Bailey.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of Assumption University.

## Vows Join Area Couple

Miss Donna Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Harris of St. Paul Blvd., and Ronald Keir Tomaselli, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Tomaselli of Meadowcroft Rd., were married at St. Margaret Mary Church, June 27. Father Robert J. Miller officiated.

Miss Maureen Tomaselli, sister of the groom, was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Misses Bonnie Everett, Ellen Lynch, Corine Campbell, Janice Whiteside and Mary Jo Littlefield.

Terrence Enright was best man and ushers were Joseph Pliskula, Donald Martin, Craig Campbell and Richard Tomaselli.

The bride attended the University of Rochester and the groom is a graduate of John Carroll University.

## Prelate Plans Mission Tour

Boston — (NC) — Cardinal Cushing of Boston announced he will visit three South American countries during August, Peru, Ecuador and Bolivia.

THE CARDINAL said he will visit with the 125 missionaries of the Society of St. James which he founded to aid the Latin American missions in 1958. The missionaries are stationed in the three countries.

"I cannot speak the language of the people," the Cardinal said, "but I know from experience that the greatest language anyone can speak is the language of the heart. People learn very quickly to understand among the South American people."

The Cardinal said he also is donating a 40-seat motor bus to be used by Spanish-speaking people of Boston so they can take their children on outings.

## Young Adults Field Day

The St. Thomas More Club will honor its patron saint on July 12 during a field day at Hamlin Beach State Park. All young adults are invited to join festivities. Further information and reservations are available from Pete Ciavatti at NO 3-9793.

Going along for the ride, not for academic credit, will be Mrs. Arnett and six of the eight Arnett children.

The class carries its own chapel, Father Joseph Piscitelli, O.S.F. of Allentown, Pa., a student.

## Class Ready To Roll

Washington — (NC) — Catholic University's first rolling classroom opened for public inspection (June 26) before it took off on its 8,000 mile, two-month trek to the southwest. Dr. Roy E. Arnett, Jr., head of the department of biology, is in charge of the special summer field course to study first-hand arid regions' ecology, or the mutual relations between organisms and their environment.

Those taking the course are supplied with a five-ton truck and trailer, truck-station wagon, three tents and laboratory equipment. The mobile unit, the Institute for the Study of Natural Species will serve as classroom, home, church and laboratory for six students and their director, Dr. Arnett, authority on beetles.

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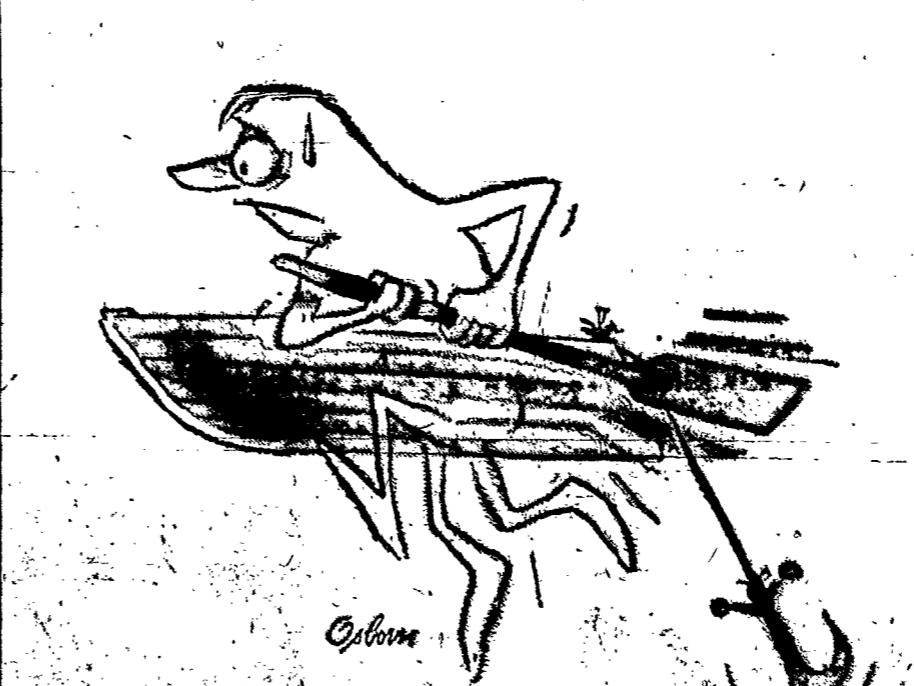
Miss Margaret Mary Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Moore of DeWitt Rd., Webster, was married June 27 to Pvt. John R. Vaeth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Vaeth of Highland Ave. The Rev. Roy E. Morphy officiated at St. Rita's Church, and bestowed the Papal Blessing.

Miss JoAnne Moore was maid of honor for her sister and bridesmaids were the Misses Barbara Ackerman, Joan Andre, Bonnie Taskett and Virginia Yeoman.

James Vaeth was best man and ushers were Thomas, Richard and Joseph Vaeth, brothers of the groom, and Robert Murray.

## STORY OF MEDICINE

The complete series of "A History of Medicine in Pictures" is being shown for the first time at Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences. This magnificent collection of oil paintings telling the story of medicine from 1500 B.C. to present day will be on display on the first floor of the museum until July 27.



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