

# Pope John Taking Colonial Flavor Out Of The Church

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VATICAN CITY (UPI) — Pope John XXIII, with an eye on nationalist surges in Africa and elsewhere, is quietly taking the "colonial flavor" out of part of Catholic Church administration abroad.

The idea is to have the Roman Catholic Church in each country run locally by natives of that country — in Africa by the Africans and not by Italians, Americans, French or other nationalities.

The Vatican is hastening a program which has been in progress for centuries. The late Pope Pius XII alone appointed more than a score of African bishops.

DREW PEARSON SAYS:

## Socialized Medicine Worry Is Behind Polio Epidemics

WASHINGTON—The American public isn't being told the whole story about the shocking rise of polio which caught the nation with a Salk vaccine shortage in many areas.

Officially the U. S. public health service explains the situation by saying that "community" inoculation drives, spurred by the rising incidence of polio, have drained off vaccine supplies.

However, what the people aren't being told is that the alarming increase of the crippling disease, plus the vaccine shortage, might have been avoided, or at least lessened, if many local medical societies had not blocked mass Salk vaccine immunization.

One of the worst outbreaks of polio this year occurred in Des Moines, Iowa, where two years ago the Iowa State Medical Society went on record against "mass immunization . . . without (doctor) fees for administration."

In other words, the Iowa Medical Society wanted Iowans to go to the office of each individual doctor and pay a \$4 or \$5 fee for each Salk vaccine shot, rather than have the shots administered on a mass, cut-rate basis by nurses under the supervision of a doctor.

Randolph quietly went from senator to senator making sure he had the margin to win. He knew it would be close. Almost every Republican was lined up against the bill, which provided for a revival of Roosevelt's Civilian Conservation Corps to get youngsters off the city streets and at the same time preserve natural resources. But Republicans claimed it increased the budget.

It is a well known fact that many people, especially lower bracket families, will not go to a doctor's office to be inoculated against polio or any other disease.

Dirksen, the Republican leader, told Randolph: "Your bill is a dead duck. We've got the votes to beat it."

A similar situation occurred in Washington, D. C., in 1957, when the District of Columbia Medical Society balked at supplying medical supervision for the anti-polio inoculation of 1,600 Capitol employees. They claimed it was "socialized medicine." The Navy department finally had to provide an attending physician.

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Dr. LeRoy Burney, director of the U.S. Public Health Service, when interviewed last week on NBC, did not reveal that the opposition of medical groups to mass Salk vaccine immunization—so-called socialized medicine—was the chief reason for the current polio epidemic. And NBC did not press him. In fact, commentator Morgan Beatty stated that Salk vaccine shots have been free — which was anything but the case in most cities until the present emergency.

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YESTERDAY—Here's how ponderous Ponderosa pine logs moved from Pacific Northwest forests in the 80s. Oxen pulled wagons fitted with steel-banded discs sliced from huge trees.

## MOUSE EATER

Mrs. Florence Hill, 67, of Denver, Colorado, who swallowed a live mouse, clowns by preparing to swallow a mousetrap to go along with the mouse. Mrs. Hill, awakened by her pet dog Boots' growl, had opened her mouth to scream. The mouse jumped in. She has been deluged with telephone calls and mail from people wanting to know if the story was true.



## ITALIAN BEAUTY SEXIER THAN LOAD OF LINGERIE

By VERNON SCOTT  
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HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Shades of pizza and pasta fazzol, wait'll you televisioners clamp your weary eyes on Movietown's newest Italian import—a lollapalooza named Luciana Paluzzi.

Luciana is genuinely dedicated to uphold the tradition of such other Italian lovelies as Gina Lollobrigida and Sophia Loren, whom she greatly admires.

The first European beauty brought to Hollywood expressly for a TV series, Luciana is sexier than a trainload of lingerie. Her black, snapping eyes, titian hair and eye-woggling curves are scheduled to unhorse viewers' two biggest westerns, "Gunsmoke" and "Have Gun, Will Travel." Her new hour-long show, "Five Fingers" will be pitted against the oaters come Oct. 5.

They are the two top shows, no? She asked in a guileless Pisan accent. "Then if we beat them, we will be number one. That's good."

## QUOTES FROM THE NEWS

United Press International  
WASHINGTON — President Eisenhower, on proclaiming Hawaii the 50th state: "We know she is ready to do her part and make this union a stronger nation than it was before."

Not Nickname Type  
Luciana — she's not the kind of girl you'd call Lucy—originally was to play a one-shot role of slinky European spy in the series, but 20th Century-Fox producers took one look at the pilot film and changed plans.

INDEPENDENCE, Mo. — Former President Harry Truman, on Vice President Richard Nixon's visit to Russia: "If he did handle himself well, it will be the first time."

Increased the series to an hour in length and gave her co-star billing along with David Hedison who portrays a U.S. counter intelligence agent.

PINE BLUFF, Ark. — Associate Justice Jim Johnson of the Arkansas Supreme Court, calling on a state-wide segregationist rally to prevent integration of the Dollarway School District: "I'm not going to stand here and tell you what needs to be done. We are depending on you. You know what needs to be done, and we know you will see the heritage that needs to be passed on to your children will be."

Has Found Fiance  
"Or do people in America discuss such things?" Only six months in these palm tree climes, Luciana already has nailed herself a fiance. He's actor Brett Halsey.

HOLLYWOOD — Jimmy Durante, on learning that the Smithsonian Institute in Washington, D.C., won't accept a plaster cast of his nose: "My nose ain't never been snubbed before."

Why that particular date? "Because Brett's divorce doesn't become final until the 24th. If we have enough time after that we will go to Rome to visit my parents. But we are going to make our home here in Hollywood."

RADIO TELEPHONE BILL  
WASHINGTON (UPI)—The Senate has adopted and sent to the House a measure that would impose \$100 fines for improper use of radio telephones. The bill, requested by the Interstate Commerce Commission, is aimed chiefly against small boat radio broadcasts. The commission reported 371 rule violations including misuse of distress frequencies by small boats last year.

Luciana, who's not yet 21, was a movie star in England, France, Germany and Italy before coming to tinsel town for her TV series. She's anxious to return to movie-making.

Italian Girls Sexier  
"This show is sold for 26 weeks," she smiled. "If it is a big hit they will make another 13. But I hope not. If they decide to make more I will go out and have a baby. After I'm married, of course."

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## Grandma Sees Oregon Coast

COOS BAY (UPI)—seventy-one-year-old Mrs. Emma Gatewood, the walking grandmother from Gallipolis, Ohio, was greeted Friday by the Coos Bay Pirates.

## 20-Month-Old Child Drowns At Ashland

ASHLAND (UPI)—A 20-month-old youngster toppled into an open irrigation ditch near here Friday and drowned.

Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gail S. Brewer Jr., of 1400 Ashland Mine Road, Ashland. Police said the boy apparently slipped and fell into the ditch about a quarter of a mile from his home. Efforts to revive him failed.

She was about to board a plane at the North Bend airport when she was surprised by the colorfully dressed pirates. The pirates presented her with a scarf, a headdress and the sword of one of the pirates.

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Grandma flew to Medford where she was the guest of Mayor John Snyder, his wife, and his mother, who hails from Mrs. Gatewood's home town of Gallipolis.

Union barbers, who had trimmed the price of a haircut to \$1 in a move to force six other shops to raise prices from \$1.50 to \$1.75, ended the price war.

The next stops on her busy agenda were here and Gold Beach. While at Gold Beach she fished for salmon and took the mail boat ride to Agness.

The jaunt to the coast thus fulfilled her initial request when she arrived in Oregon after walking 2200 miles from Missouri to Portland for the Centennial.

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TODAY—Up to 50 tons of Ponderosa logs are carried on a huge, 10-foot-wide logging trailer over private logging roads near Bend, Ore., in an example of today's logging operations.