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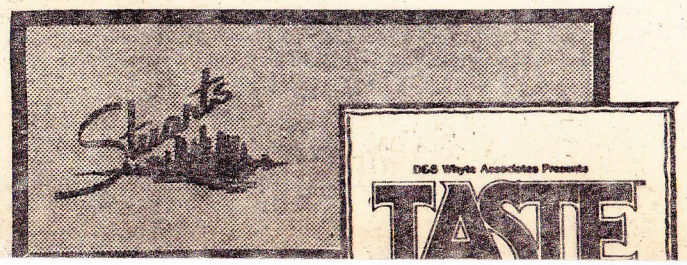
thern Virginia's and Washington D.C.'s Entertaining Restaurant Newspaper

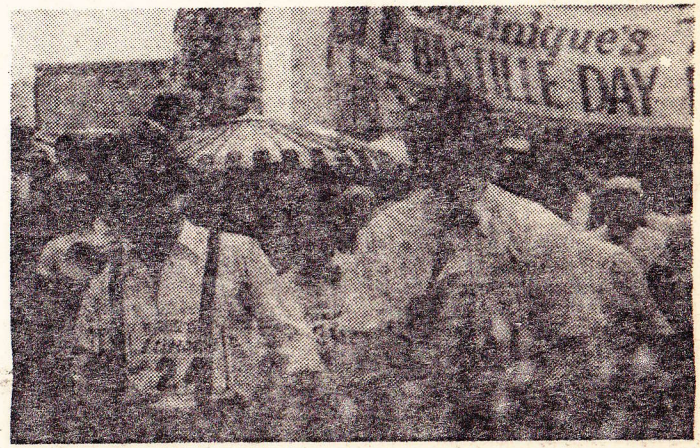
The Bear Was Back!!

Presidential Aid James Brady and the Celtic Folk (L to R) Noel Nash, Dan O'Flaherty, Pat O'Flaherty, ham it up at the Rose of Tralee Contest. Page 6.



WAITERS TAKE TO THE STREET JULY 14

at Dominique's Bastille Day Festival



Washington D.C. What has two hundred legs, is mostly black and white, smells like champagne and goes crash? The answer... Dominique's 9th Annual Bastille Day Waiter Race. On Thursday, July 14, at approximately 2:00, one hundred waiters and waitresses dressed in their restaurant garbs and balancing trays with splits of champagne and glasses will be racing down Pennsylvania Ave. bumping and ducking to see who will be sent on a round trip to France on a Concord SST by Air France.

With entrants coming from as far away as France and England, Dominique's Bastille Day festivities have become as international as those held in owner Dominique's home country of France.

Last year's winner, Keith Wilhelm everything intact. The race is begun with the proprietor popping the cork off a 810 centiliter (7.6 quart) bottle of Sa Monzar Lanson Champagne and spraying the runners with foam.

contest. Last year was a reenactment of the beheading of Marie Antoinette. This year will be the return of the Customers Race where a hand full of patrons will be racing for 2 blocks, balancing cans of Coor's beer on trays.