

WELCOME PILGRIMS AND VISITORS



Rinibong Tao Nagdalao can Traslacion kan Imagen ni Virgen de Peñafrancia, Divino Rostro

Siring sa dati si paghalyo schools asin ibang escuelas (traslacion) casoodmang ha-privadas digdi sa Naga usin pou can mga imagen ni sa ibang banwaan patin mga Virgen de Peñafrancia asin laen-laen na asociaciones re-Divino Rostro, hale sa capilla-lijiosas nacatao nin daculang la nin Peñafrancia pasiring de- diyan sa Catedral digdi sa c- monstracion can solemnidad Naga City, ribb-ribong tao sa fiesta regional nin Peña- an nagdalao asin nagiba sa- jacia, na nacacapagirahao procesion. Minsuh inoran a- parahibo asin nacacapa- procesion, alagad ta ini dai- id sa puso nin mga devo- lamang uacapaluya sa boot- tos asin paradalao. can mga devotos sa pagiba- an novenario can Virgen de sa procesion. An sabi can- peñafrancia sa Catedral asin mga gurang an pagoran na- sagkod sa icawalang aldao sa iyan na dayaday nangyayari, sunod na Sabado, aldao nin toyong traslacion sarong se- pagsakay (procesion fluvial creto daa nin mahal na Dios, sa Naga River) can mga o milagro kan imagen ni Vir- imagenes na ini sa paghatod gen Maria asin Divino Rostro- sainda duman sa capilla sa sa pagprobar kan caigotan na Peñafrancia, na iyo an bilang can boot nin mga devotos. pinacaculang aldao can Si mga estudiantes sa mga- fiesta nin Peñafrancia, sosog colegios, universidad, high (Dagos sa pagina 12)

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Prov. Board To Restore Old H.S. Fee

Objectives of Pres. Marcos U.S. Visit Bared; Working Entourage Limited

Malacañang declared that the Presidential state visit to the United States, scheduled for September 12, will be working visit, as borne out by the spare list of official members of the party, each carefully handpicked for maximum service during the visit.

The official party, including President Marcos, the First Lady Mrs. Imelda R. Marcos, number exactly 8 members.

The unofficial members include six assistants and aides and representatives of various Manila newspapers who were chosen by their respective editors and publishers.

Malacañang further said that the President himself will be busy throughout the visit, which has been closely programmed to deal with the urgent problems which necessitated the trip to Washington.

The President had earlier speci-

fied the reasons for the state visit, topped by discussions on the policy level of matters affecting Philippine-US relations.

Notable among these are the updating of the agreement on the US military bases here, implementation of the military assistance Pact in the light of recent developments, the mutual defense treaty, and other basic policies that only the two heads of state could decide.

The unofficial members were similarly selected for maximum assistance to the President, and consist of aides and special tech-

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Extra Train To Run On P'francia Festa

Nicanor T. Jimenez, general manager of the Philippine National Railways announced yesterday the schedule of special trains on September 16 to 18 from Manila to Naga and other extra trains in the Bicol region effective September 15 to 21 during the feast of Our Lady of Peñafrancia.

On Friday September 16 extra train MA-1 will run from Manila to Naga as first section of the Bicol Night Express train 514, leaving Manila at 5:30 p.m. to arrive Naga at 3:45 a.m. the next morning. On Sunday Sept. 18, extra train NG-4 will run from Naga to Manila as first section of Night Express train 514, leaving Naga at 7:00 p.m. to arrive Manila at 5:30 a.m. the following day.

In the Bicol region, extra trains will observe the following schedule during the festivities of Our Lady of Peñafrancia, from September 15 to 21. Southbound trains: Ex-

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Gov. Maleniza, Board Members Accede to PTA, Students Demands

Provincial Governor Apolonio G. Maleniza and majority of the board members acceded to the demands of the Cam. Sur high school PTA and students to restore the old tuition fee of ₱85 in the high school here.

Last August 10, the C.S. provincial board in its regular session approved Resolution No. 381 raising the tuition fee in the high school from ₱85 to ₱105 or more than 20 per cent raise. Vice Gov. Felimon Odiomar was absent, thus the high school PTA and students protested which culminated to the march of the PTA and students to the capitol with placards demanding from the

Prov. Board to reduce the tuition fee or restore the old rate and also to raise the salaries of the C.S. high school teachers who are receiving less than ₱200 a month.

Gov. Maleniza arrived at the Capitol Annex Bldg. when the big crowd of parents and students were already gathered on the ground in

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Sorsogon Fire Victims Continue To Receive Aids

Sorsogon's ₱5-million fire victims continued to receive more assistance from a sympathetic community than from their government. Yesterday the Legaspi Oil donated 100 sacks of rice.

Yesterday Vic Cruz, district governor of Lions International sent in ₱200 to kick-off a Lions drive to help the fire victims. This was in answer to the appeal by Gov. Juan G. Frivaldo, a Lion himself, for the permanent rehabilitation center.

Among last week's donors were Sorsogon Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Pulan Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Roman Chua,

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Joint Legislative Executive Tax Commission To Make Finance Survey Here Sept 12-28

The local finance survey under the sponsorship and direction of the Joint Legislative-Executive Tax Commission with the cooperation of the provincial and municipal governments of Albay and the city governments of Legaspi and Naga will be held in the cities of Legaspi and Naga starting September 12 and ending on September 28, 1966.

Before the province of Albay and the cities of Legaspi and Naga, the survey was conducted in the province of Ilocos from August 18 to 31, 1966.

The general objective of the survey is to delve into the complicated problems of local finance and decentralization, and the specific ones are 1) to obtain opinions of local officials on the decentralization proposal and to

gather other ideas not embodied in the Senate Bill No. 1; 2) to obtain opinions on the proposed automatic retention scheme and apportionment of internal revenue collection; 3) to determine the effectiveness of present assessment and collection methods in real property taxation, and to get views on possible reforms; 4) to obtain information on the present

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The picture above shows Prov. Governor A. G. Maleniza of Cam. Sur speaking at the porch of the Prov. Capitol Annex II, to the Cam. Sur high school students who made a public rally last Tuesday against the raising of the C.S. high school tuition fee from ₱85 to ₱105. Maleniza and the board members agreed to maintain the old tuition fee of ₱85, by repealing the board's resolution No. 381 which was approved last August 10.

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Appeal to the CSHS Alumni

We Need Camarines Sur Naga City Educational Center

(By the CSHSAA Committee On Solicitation)

The proposed Educational Center will soon be constructed in the City of Naga. This building will stand on the eastern side of the present Division Office at Peña Francia Avenue inside the C.S. High school compound. The present Provincial Board has donated a six-hundred square-meter lot for this building with a frontage of thirty-five meters. As soon as the donation papers are perfected, the construction will begin. The three associations CSHSAA, CASTEA and NACITEA will finance the construction estimated to cost more than one hundred fifty thousand pesos.

Why the Center?

This Educational Center is necessary because it was felt that during the yearly alumni home-coming of the CSHSAA, teachers conventions and other educational societies in Naga City and in this province, the auditoriums of private institutions are used. The present CSHS library is now too small for this affair. Even the grounds are not safe for the present needs. When the center building is constructed, the local chapters of national educational associations may have separate rooms for their permanent headquarters, for example, the Camarines Sur Home Economics Teachers Association, the Future Homemakers of the Philippines, the Science Teachers Association of the Philippines, the Philippine Family Life Workshops, etc.

The important records of many offices needed for educational research are only thrown away and there is no depository for these vital materials at present. School records are being lost every year due to floods, fire, and other calamities. Imagine the compiled records of Bikol folklore submitted after liberation by hundreds of laymen and teachers throughout the Division of Camarines Sur which are nowhere to be found due to the lack of space in the present Division Office building. This compilation of vital educational materials for Bikol culture will find a permanent home in our Center.

Then comes the donation of hundreds of volumes of books, magazines, encyclopedias and other general reading coming from abroad solicited by teachers from educational foundations and from peace corps volunteers who happened to be assigned in this province. These vast materials are good for references and such materials may be used by our students, teachers, parents, and researchers. The big problem is where to house these voluminous reference materials. Again, this Center will answer this need. Donations from private individuals and collections coming from other sources may find their place too in this edifice. While there are public and private libraries in Naga City, the Center may ultimately be used as clearing house in the future.

Also a Rendezvous? Finally, the Center can be a meeting place for alumni who may desire to hold socials or provide rooms for those who during their short visit to the City especially during the regional Peña Francia festivities cannot find adequate accommodation. It can be the meeting place for fellow alumni now scattered in many places in our country and those who are abroad.

These are but a few of the services of the Center. But once constructed we can now look forward with confidence and pride for affording our alumni researchers and teachers a permanent headquarters in the center of Bicolandia.

Our Appeal!

Fellow alumni, we are counting on your generous support! This Center is a big challenge to our capacity to build now for tomorrow. The six thousand who graduated and passed through the portals of the Camarines Sur High School cannot be wrong in supporting this worthy project. The five thousand teachers in this school division have unanimously given their share. How about yours?

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to Section 1, Rule 74, of the Rules of Court, the estate of the late Jose Pancho of Sorsogon, Sorsogon, consisting of three (3) parcels of land, situated at Castilla, Sorsogon, Philippines, under OCT No. 487 of the Registry of Sorsogon, has been the subject of Extrajudicial Settlement by their heirs, CRISTINA DEL-LOSA, BENJAMIN PANCHO, AMPARO PANCHO, ROSITA PANCHO & JOSE PANCHO, Jr., executed on August 8, 1966, before Arhimedes Frivaldo, Notary Public of Sorsogon, and bearing his Not. Reg. No. 8, Page No. 3, Not. Book No. 1 and Series of 1966.

Sorsogon, Sorsogon, August 22, 1966.
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...nicians, including the President's personal physician. The complete list follows:
1. President Ferdinand E. Marcos, 2. Mrs. Imelda R. Marcos, 3. Amb. Benjamin Romualdez, 4. Bac. Narciso Ramos, 5. Sec. Eduardo Z. Romualdez, 6. Sec. Jose D. Asprao, 7. Undersec. Dioscoro Umali, 8. Brig. Gen. Hans Menzi.

4 Filipinos to train in U.S. under NEC-U.S. Aid grants

Two government officials and two faculty members of a Manila medical school departed recently for the United States to undergo specialized training, sponsored jointly by the National Economic Council (NEC) and U.S. Agency for International Development (U.S. AID).

They are Jimmy D. Blas and Francisco L. Liaguano, assigned to the Office of the Executive Secretary, Manila, and Doctors Veronica C. Agatep and Jesus E. Fojas of Manila Central University (MCU).

A senior executive assistant, Blas will spend 6-1/2 months training in public records management at the University of Connecticut. He will also observe modern business management methods and techniques during visits to several federal and state agencies.

Liaguano, a technical assistant for information, will participate in 15 months of schooling and field observations in mass communication, with emphasis on publications, radio and TV media. He will attend a specialized course at Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich.

Both Blas and Liaguano are lawyers and live in Quezon City. Blas is from Laong City, Ilocos Norte; Liaguano is from Davao, Albay.

Dr. Agatep will receive specialized instruction in biochemistry at the Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, Va.; and Dr. Fojas in physiology at the Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Winston-Salem, N.C. Each course of study is for two years.

The two MCU instructors, who have been granted fellowships under the NEC-AID program, will also observe department organization and teaching techniques in medical schools, and attend national meetings and conferences related to their fields.

More Nations ask U Thant To Stay in Office

UNITED NATIONS—Expressions of support for U Thant and requests that he remain as Secretary General of the United Nations continue to pour in.

On August 30, just two days before U Thant has promised to announce whether he will make himself available for another term, 14 nations of the African Malagasy Union expressed the hope that he would stay on. The fourteen nations in the union are Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo (Brazzaville); Democratic Republic of the Congo, Gabon, Ivory Coast, Malagasy Republic, Niger, Rwanda, Senegal, Togo and Upper Volta.

The same day, another communication was received from the foreign minister of Nepal, Mitti Nidhi Bista, expressing similar sentiments and asking U Thant to continue his work.

Representatives of numerous other African and Asian countries as well as the Western European nations and the major powers of France, United Kingdom, Soviet Union and the United States have previously requested that the Secretary General make himself available for another term in office.

Sipocot Holds Echo Seminar On Agricultural Development

After feverish preparations and with the joint cooperation and sponsorship of the Municipal Government, Sipocot District of the Bureau of Public Schools, local office of the Commission on Elections, Agricultural Productivity Commissions, and the Presidential Assistant on Community Development, a five day seminar from September 5 1966, was held at the Sipocot North Central School, attended by delegates coming from all barrios of Sipocot, principal teachers, head teachers, teacher delegates, prominent citizens, businessmen and other private citizens.

The opening ceremonies on the morning of Sept. 5 was highlighted by the speech of Governor Apolonio G. Maleniza. Other members of the program were the short talks and remarks by members of the Municipal Council headed by Mayor Jaime Q. Avengoza, Municipal Judge Rhodie Nides, and other heads of offices of the municipality.

Among those who spoke during the seminar were the following: September 5 - Essentials of Agricultural Development by Atty. Alfredo Tria, Editor, Bicol Mail; Rice and Corn Production by Ricanor Clasio; Regional Director, Rice and Corn Production, APC, Naga City; 10% Barrio Share in Real Estate Taxes by Atty. Quirino Blasco, Municipal Treasurer of Sipocot; September 6 - Agricultural Loans and Cooperatives by Atty. Dan Navarrete, Assistant Branch Credit Manager, ACA, Naga City; Irrigation Service for Rural Areas by Engr. Bienvenido Gutierrez, ISU, Naga City; Banking Institutions by Atty. Clodualdo Z. Reyes DBP Branch, Naga City; Plant Pest and disease control by Andrea Sena, Provincial Officer-In-Charge, Plant Pest and Disease Control BPI, Naga City; Organizing Farmers' Cooperatives by Magno Ledesma, Provincial Coordinator on Cooperatives, Naga City; Highlights of the Land Reform Program by Atty. Salvador Pejo, Regional Director, Land Authority, Naga City; September 7 - Coconut Culture by Arsenio Requiring, Farm Manager, Cagang Cadang Research Foundation, Pili, Camarines Sur; Poultry and Swine Raising by Mr. Jovenio Bacalso, College Department Head, CSNAS; Pili; Fish Culture and Fishing Laws by Manuel de Lima Fisheries Commission, Naga City; Tax Assessment and Real Estate by Atty. Avelino Baylon, Asst. Provincial Assessor Naga City; Adult Education by Mr. Leoncio de la Torre, Division Adult Supervisor, Naga City; September 8 - Overview of the Philippine Com-

munity Development Program, Group Development and Comprehensive Planning by Jacob Torres, Provincial Training and Information Officer, PACD, Naga City.

The workshop phase of the seminar entitled "What Shall We Do After The Seminar" was followed by exhibits, demonstrations; at the closing programs, distribution of Certificates of Attendance and Distribution of Prizes.

The Chairman of the different committees that have worked together to bring about the realization of the seminar were: Program and Invitation; Dr. Wilfredo Pormento, Sipocot PACD Municipal Development Officer; Invitation of Delegates; School Heads of the District, Mayor's Office and Mr. Maximo Curioso; Accommodation; Mr. Teopisto Rano; Publicity and Information; Atty. Severo Dacanay, Jr.; Donations and Prizes; Selected Heads of Barrio Schools and Mr. Maximo Curioso; Registration and Reception Mrs. Nesita Cabaltera; Refreshment and Meals; Miss Catherine Robles; Socials and Sound System; Councillor Raymundo Pantalla; Social Mixer; Principal Marcelino Masas; and Steering Committee: Principal Filemon Regalado.

The moderators during the seminar were Mr. Vicente Noos; Mrs. Maria Castilla, Mrs. Concepcion Navera, Messrs Catalino San Miguel Edwin Sanchez, Salvador Azuela, Juan Porit and Leandro Teorero.—S.D.

N.V. Rejection of Asian Peace Initiative Deplored

WASHINGTON—Rejection of the Asian peace initiative by North Vietnam places the responsibility for continued sufferings of the Vietnamese people directly upon the communist leaders, says New Zealand Prime Minister Keith Holyoake.

Mr Holyoake voiced disappointment that North Vietnam had denounced a recent peace initiative by Thailand, Malaysia and the Philippines. "I had regarded this attempt to get negotiations under way as one of the most promising developments in recent months," he said. He particularly welcomed the initiative coming from a group of Asian countries. The latest move was the last in a long line of peace attempts to be callously rejected or ignored by Hanoi and Peking.

Dance Party

Rio Ayera of Baintawak street this city tendered a party and dance last Sunday evening at their residence on the occasion of his birthday anniversary.

Among those who attended the affair were: Cora Bantungbakal, Franco Rili, Raquel Rodriguez, Riti Galvan, Viba Romero, Flor Peña, Zabel Sorata, Lynn Latumbo, Chit Romero, Roweno Lafanda, and many others.

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