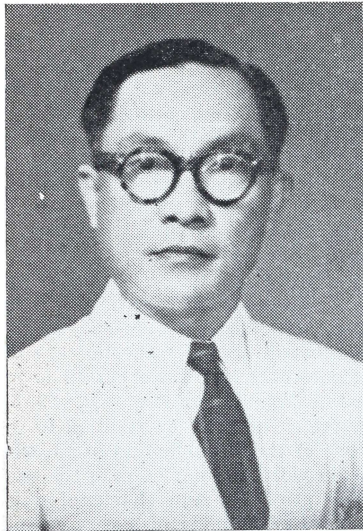


## OUR LOCAL OFFICIALS



Hon. GUILLERMO DE LOS REYES  
*Provincial Governor of Zambales*

Born on June 25, 1900, in San Narciso, Zambales; completed primary education at Narciso; finished intermediate course at San Antonio; graduated from the Zambales High School in 1920; obtained the LL.B. degree from the Philippine Law School; passed the bar in 1925; practised law before becoming Justice of the Peace in five towns of Zambales and elected to his present position on November 11, 1947.

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JORGE LABAYO  
*Provincial Treasurer of Sorsogon*

*Personal Circumstances:*—Born in Sorsogon, Sorsogon, on April 23, 1903 and married to Gloria Rocha of Gubat with whom he has five children.

*Educational Attainment:*— Completed secondary education and took up special courses by correspondence in different institutions. A first grade and provincial assessor eligible.

*Experience and Activities:*— Formerly Secretary to then Representative Federico Jimenez, deputy assessor, deputy provincial and municipal treasurer, administrative deputy, assistant provincial treasurer, and before his promotion as Provincial Treasurer, several times acting provincial treasurer by designation. Mr. Labayo is a member of the Knights of Columbus.

*Hobbies:*—Poultry raising and reading.

*Motto:*—Let the welfare of the people be the supreme law.

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**RAMON Z. ESTANISLAO**  
*Mayor of Dinalupihan, Bataan*

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Charter, his name will be written in history as one of the world's greatest spokesmen of freedom and human dignity.

The tides of war and destruction have swept over the Philippines since the passage of the Tydings-McDuffie Act. Today a new situation exists there. The years of peace and progress foreseen in the Philippine Independence Act have been scarred by Japanese aggression.

The Pacific war has taught us a lesson—both the United States and the Philippines. President Roosevelt doubtless meant this when he said, while the battle was raging in Bataan: "I give to the people of the Philippines my solemn pledge that their freedom will be redeemed and their independence established and protected. The entire resources in men and material of the United States stand behind that pledge."

I hope that we shall have the full support of both Senator Tydings and Senator Radcliffe in carrying out President Roosevelt's pledge on behalf of the American people.

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**RAMON Z. ESTANISLAO**  
*Mayor of Dinalupihan, Bataan*  
*Personal Circumstances.* — Born on June 22, 1902, in Dinalupihan, Bataan and married to Margarita Malibiran with whom he has six children.

*Educational Attainment.* — Completed the primary, intermediate, and third year, high school courses.

*Experience and Activities.* — Sanitary inspector in Dinalupihan; clerk in Tukop Sugar Central; classroom teacher; chief of police and municipal secretary for six years in Dinalupihan. Initiated the erection of concrete monument to Liberty, Andres Bonifacio, Bataan Heroes and Unknown Heroes in 1946-47.

*Hobbies.* — Reading and poultry raising.

*Motto.* — Patience and Diligence are stepping stones to Success.

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What America did in the Philippines in time of peace has repaid her well in her hour of peril and in terms of the esteem and respect of all mankind. I speak for the people of the Philippines when I express our lasting recognition of America's honorable and high-minded policy. Today, in the midst of war, the whole world looks to you to add even greater lustre to your name and reputation as the champion of human freedom.

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MANUEL H. P. DE LA SERNA  
*Municipal Treasurer of Mainit, Surigao*

**Peanut . . .**  
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Virginia Jumbo Strains 1 and 2 are particularly good.

**PESTS AND DISEASES**

Leaf spot, plant lice, and June beetle are the common enemies of peanuts, but these are easily controlled by the application of calcium arsenate, Bordeaux mixture, and soap with derris powder solution, respectively. Hand picking is employed for the white grub, while for the slug, an application of powdered lime fairly scattered on the ground is most effective.

**ECONOMIC VALUE**

Unlike most agricultural crops the products manufactured out of peanuts in this country are partly produced locally, while a good majority are imported from Japan, China, and the United States. The oil is supplied by France and the United States.

Among the manufactured products processed from peanuts are peanut butter, oil, flour meal, candies, and chocolate. Peanut for human food has been found to be remarkably rich in protein, fat, and carbohydrates. For animal feed, peanut is as valuable as alfalfa, clover, cowpea, and soy bean.

The main problem facing the peanut  
AUGUST, 1949

MANUEL H. P. DE LA SERNA  
*Municipal Treasurer, Mainit, Surigao*  
and *President, Surigao Municipal*  
*Treasurers' League*

*Personal Circumstances.* — Born in Opon, Cebu, on July 3, 1906, and married to Leonore Ancheta Low of Butuan, Agusan with whom he has two children.

*Educational Attainment.* — High school graduate.

*Experience.* — Public school teacher, 1924-1929; principal clerk in different municipalities of Cebu, 1929-'31 deputy assessor of Cebu, 1931-'35; and deputy provincial and municipal treasurer, 1935—.

*Activities.* — Member, Open Jolly Circle; President, Surigao Municipal Treasurers' League, 1946-'47; Chairman, Surigao Municipal Treasurers' Chapter of the PGEA

*Hobbies.* — Reading and movies.

*Motto.* — Live simply and be contented.

industry is inadequate supply and high cost of production. These factors may be remedied by:

(1) Extending the area planted to peanut in the regions where soil and climate conditions lend to its successful cultivation and in marginal lands formerly devoted to sugar cane;

(2) Ameliorating worn-out soils with green manures and commercial fertilizers; and

(3) Mechanizing the cultivation of peanuts and the preparation of products for the market.

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**BEST QUOTATIONS**

*We always love those who admire us and we do not always love those whom we admire.*

—La Rochefoucauld

*God brings men into deep waters, not to drown them, but to cleanse them.*

—Aughey

*When business is good it pays to advertise; when business is bad, you've got to advertise.*—Anonymous

*Never advise anyone to go to war or to marry.*—Spanish Proverb