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also  
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# President F. Marcos Guest of Lions Meet

## Explanation of the Negative Vote of Rep. Felipe on the National Budget Fiscal Year 1970 - 1971

(APRIL 15, 1970 - 7:00 P.M.)



REP. FELIPE, JR.

THE PRESIDING OFFICER  
(MR. SAN JUAN). Gentlemen  
from Camarines Sur.

MR. FELIPE: Mr. Speaker,  
may I explain my vote.

THE PRESIDING OFFICER

(Mr. San Juan). The gentlemen  
has three minutes.

MR. FELIPE. Thank you,  
Mr. Speaker.

In his Bataan Day message  
last April 9th, our warrior-Pres-  
ident stated that our people are  
clamoring for "drastic" changes  
in government and in the private  
sector, and he assured us that  
the government is ready to make  
the necessary "drastic" changes.  
In his budget message to us, he  
also stated, as one of the guide-  
lines in the preparation of the  
budget, to enact a budget with  
fiscal restraint. I was very  
happy, Mr. Speaker, upon learn-  
ing this because I know that  
people are becoming restless and  
our students have grown very  
vocal against the extravagance  
and the graft and corruption in  
our government. But I was very  
much disillusioned, Mr. Speaker,  
when we passed a budget on

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## Workshop - Seminar on Mushroom & Vegetable Culture April 27 to May 11 at CSNAS, Pili

LEGAZPI CITY—In a con-  
certed move to tap Bicol Region's  
potentials in mushroom and  
vegetable production, the Bicol  
Development Planning Board  
(BDPB), Bureau of Plant Indus-  
try (BPI) and Camarines Sur  
National Agricultural School  
(CSNAS) will launch a two-week  
seminar-workshop on this particu-  
lar aspect.

This workshop-seminar on  
Mushroom and Vegetable Cul-  
ture will be held on April 27 to  
May 11 at the CSNAS in Pili,  
Camarines Sur.

Participants to the said semi-  
nar will come from various  
government agencies (municipal  
and city levels) and private sec-  
tors interested along this line.

This training program is being  
initiated by the BDPB in our  
effort to train competent men in  
the Bicol area in the production  
of mushroom spawn to supply  
the need of our prospective

mushroom growers and to train  
in participants as future trainers  
in their respective provinces and  
cities in the field of Mushroom-  
Vegetable production geared to-  
wards market-oriented approach.

The subject matter will cover  
the economic importance, market-  
ing, laboratory technique, har-  
vesting, packing, preservation of  
mushroom. Subject matter on  
vegetable will cover: Seed pro-  
duction and treatment, cultural  
practices such as seed bed pre-  
paration, sowing, pest and diseases  
control, fertilization, multiple  
cropping scheme, grading and  
marketing.

Meanwhile, the BDPB has  
acquired recently the services of  
Mr. Dan Berdin of APC. He  
will serve as BDPB Agricultural  
Development Officer. Mr. Berdin  
is a graduate of Araneta Univer-  
sity and has undergone specialized  
training on rice at the IRRI.—  
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## Tour guiding Seminar Sked May 19-23 here

On May 19 to 23 this year,  
the City Mayor's Office of the  
City of Naga and Regional Office  
of the Board of Travel and  
Tourist Industry (BTTI) will be  
holding a Seminar on Tour  
Guiding. Graduates of this semi-  
nar will be licensed as tourist  
guides by the BTTI.

The following are the qualifi-  
cations:

- a. male or female, 18 to 25  
years of age;
- b. a college graduate or at  
least a second year college;
- c. pleasing personality;
- d. good command of English  
and other languages.

Application forms can now be  
obtained from the Research and  
Statistics Office, City Hall. The  
deadline for the submission of  
application forms will be April  
30th. The applicants will be  
interviewed and screened by a  
panel of top personnel from the  
BTTI Manila Office on May 17  
and 18 at the City Mayor's  
Office. There will be a seminar  
fee of P30 for each participant.

Tour guiding graduates will  
have the opportunity of meeting  
different people and learn a lot  
of them. They will undergo a  
thorough instruction on the tech-  
niques of tour guiding, back-  
ground on Philippine culture  
and history, detailed descriptions  
of tourist spots and other rele-  
vant subjects.

The site of the seminar will  
be the air-conditioned CPA Re-  
view Room of the University of  
Nueva Caceres. Other information  
and details of the tour guiding  
seminar can be obtained from  
the Research & Statistics Office,  
City Hall, City of Naga.

## Rev. Fr. Romeo P. Zantua Newly ordained priest says Thanksgiving Mass

Rev. Fr. Remeo Prado Zantua  
who was recently ordained as  
Catholic priest celebrated his  
Thanksgiving Mass last Thursday  
afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the  
Carmelite Chapel in barrio Con-  
cepcion, City of Naga. Rev. Zan-  
tua is from this city.

Dr. Amando H. Zantua and  
Mrs. Carmen Prado-Zantua, the  
parents of the celebrant, enter-  
tained their friends and relatives  
at a reception party held at the  
lawn of the Carmelite Monastery  
after the Mass.

## PFM tops Guests of Lions 21st State Convention in Naga City on April 30 - May 3, 1970



PRES. MARCOS

The City of Naga will be the  
site of the 21st Lion State Con-  
vention in the Philippines from

## SPOT NEWS!!! Local Soroptimists await Mrs. Batten's Arrival

Mrs. Pluma Batten, Soropti-  
mists Directress of Extension  
Asian-Pacific Areas is expected  
to arrive here in Naga City on  
Monday, April 27, as guest of the  
local soroptimists club headed by  
its president, Mrs. Virginia F.  
Perez, the Vice-Mayor of Naga  
City.

A welcome dinner party will  
be given in her honor at seven  
o'clock in the evening at the  
Hotel Lindez Deck House Res-  
taurant . . . s. martinez.

## PNR Southern Terminal for Passengers: Ligao; for Freight: Naga; Temporarily

The Philippine National Rail-  
ways announced yesterday that  
its southern terminal for passen-  
ger trains will be temporarily  
transferred to Ligao, Albay and  
its freight terminal to Naga  
effective Monday, April 27, 1970.

General Manager Nicanor T.  
Jimenez said that this move has  
become necessary because of its  
dwindling motive power which  
has come down to only 15 heavy  
locomotives.

Jimenez said that at present  
there is one locomotive in Leg-  
aspi which does nothing but to  
push all trains coming from that  
end on account of the steep  
grade between the present Leg-  
aspi and Camalig terminal. He

April 30 to May 3, 1970. The  
meeting will be held at the  
University of Nueva Caceres  
Sports Palace. Delegates of the  
different Lions Clubs in the  
Philippines and some guests from  
other countries are attending the  
convention. Registration will be  
next Wednesday, April 29 from  
8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Opening cere-  
monies of the convention will be  
on April 30 at 1:30 p.m. Pres. F.  
E. Marcos will be the main speak-  
er of the convention on May 2.  
Umekichi Yasuda from Japan  
will be the keynote speaker during  
the opening program. Nicanor T.  
Jimenez, the general manager of  
the PNR will be the luncheon  
speaker on April 30 at the UNC  
students pavilion. Sen. D. Aytona,  
president of the Bicol Bloc and  
Director Juan F. Trivino of the  
PNB are the other guest speak-  
ers of the convention.

Hosts of the luncheons are  
PNR, Filipinas Life Assurance  
Co., Inc., Coco Chemicals Philip-  
pines, GSIS, and Banco Filipino.  
The Air Manila will host the  
dinner-dance on May 1. Other  
donors to the convention are PCI  
Bank, Coca Cola and Pepsi Cola  
firms.

## 35 Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Domingo M.  
Guevarra are celebrating their  
35th wedding anniversary next  
Monday morning, April 27 with  
a solemn Thanksgiving Mass to  
be held at the Penafraancia Shrine.  
The celebrants with their family  
from Manila will entertain their  
relatives and friends with break-  
fast at the Cursillo House, ad-  
joining the Penafraancia Shrine.

explained that with Ligao as  
terminal the company could utilize  
the pusher engine to pull one  
train.

The PNR head said that the  
move is only temporary and  
Legaspi will be restored as the  
southern terminal just as soon as  
spare parts ordered will arrive.  
But more permanent solution  
would be the construction of the  
diversion line from Guinobatan  
to Daraga, he added.

Freight trains Nos. 535 and  
536 running between Naga and  
Legaspi will likewise be cancelled  
effective April 27, and henceforth  
no freight shipments will be  
accepted for points south of Naga.  
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