

JAPAN GRAND MASTER IN THE PHILIPPINES

MW George K. Togasaki, PGM, Grand Lodge of Japan, and newly elected President of Rotary International, arrived in Manila on December 6, 1967 to visit some of the Rotary Clubs in the Philippines. He is the second oriental to head the international organization with Rotary Clubs all over the world.

In the evening of his arrival, he was guest of the Grand Lodge officers headed by MW Mariano Q. Tinio, Grand Master, at the Manila Polo Club. At the weekly luncheon on Thursday, Dec. 6, of the Manila Rotary Club, MW Togasaki was speaker and in the evening of the same day he was the guest speaker of the Davao Rotary Club. In Manila, the following day, he was guest at a party tendered by Past District Governors of Rotary in the Philippines.

MW Togasaki was Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Japan* in 1960-61 and presently is Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of the Philippines near the Grand Lodge of Japan. In business, he is president of Fuji Tours International, one of the bigger tour operators in Japan, with branches and agencies in many parts of the world.

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sa "masoneria" lilimuting lahat ang anomang "vicio at labag sa "moralidad." Bawat Mason dapat magkaroon ng katangian sa pagiging mabuting halimbawa ng isang Ama ng tahanan at ligtas sa mga gawain makakasagabal o makakapusiao na tulad ng pagiging masunurin sapagka (underson o under de saya) na siyang nagiging sanhi sa di pagtupad sa tungkuling pinanumpaang.

FROM CATBALOGAN, SAMAR:

An important distinction given to a member of Mount Huraw Lodge is the appointment of Bro. Gonzalo Villarín, Jr. as comptroller of Hilton Hotel in Manila. He has just returned from a three-month tour of Hilton hotels in the Far East for observation and familiarization purposes.

In a limited pre-dawn fire last Nov. 14 that destroyed some six buildings in the commercial district of this provincial capital of Catbalogan, three members of Mount Huraw fell disconsolate victims when their buildings and businesses were eaten up by the merciless fire.

Bro. German T. Candari and all the members of the household went down their residence in night clothes, unable to save anything, even their valuables that were charred to ashes. Big stocks of IH machineries and spare parts displayed on the ground floor of their beautiful building also went up in smoke.

Bro. Florentino Uy Pitchin, one of the oldest in age and membership in this Lodge, also lost all his worldly belongings and a large amount of merchandise for shipment received a few hours before for the different consignees in town. Bro. Uy Pitchin is a shipping agent in Catbalogan.

Bro. Ricardo Lim is the third member of this Lodge who also suffered heavily when his bodega full of merchandise was burned.

Teodorico Noble, PM, Secretary

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shall always hold in cherished remembrance the wonderful sacrifices he made for them.

"To live in the hearts of those you leave behind is not to die!"