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DIMASALANG CHAPTER. U.D.

RW Manuel M. Crudo, Deputy Grand Master and Active Member in the Philippines and Okinawa of the Supreme Council, Order of DeMolay, accompanied by brothren from different Lodges and Eastern Star chapter, motored to Guimba, Nueva Eciia, to institute the Dimasalang Chanter. U D., of the Order of DeMolay in that town. The new chapter is sponsored by the General Manuel Tinio Lodge No. 167 of Guimba.

The ceremonies of institution were held at the Masonic Temple of the Lodge on August 18, 1968 at 1:00 PM and after the institution, the officers of the newest DeMolay chapter were installed. The young men installed are: lose Mariano, Master Councilor: Andrew Santiago, Senior Councilor; Renato Dizon, Junior Councilor: Raul Tabing, Treasurer: Ambrocio Cabantog, Scribe: Wilson Alcantara, Senior Deacon: Atanacio Mercado, Junior Deacon; Jaime Marcelo, Senior Steward; Juanito Mata. Iunior Steward: Melegrito Galimba. Chaplain: Eduardo Gragasin, Jr., Almoner: Charley Valdez, Marshall: Feliciano Sarmiento, Standard Bearer: Wilson Bitara, Orator; Aurelio de Leon, Sentinel; Dindo Faigal, Organist: Honorato Balandang, Rodolfo Palomo, Felix Mariano, Manuel Luis Mendoza Ricardo Evala Lazaro Lim and Ernesto Vinuya, Preceptors.

Members of the Advisory Council. all of whom are members of General Manuel Tinio Lodge No. 167, are: Bro. Jose de Ocampo, Chairman; Bro. Eulogio R. Dizon, Vice-Chairman: Bro. Claro Dar. Scribe: Bros. Apolinario Tabing, Godofredo Leyva, Alejandro de Leon, Eduardo Gragasin, Sr., Benedicto Menguito, Sofronio Barawid and Amado Cruz, members, Bro. Jose R. Dizon is Chap ter Advisor.

Visiting brethren from other Lodges who attended the ceremonies are: WB Ramos, Reigning Master, Bro. James Mathis, JW, and Bro. Donald Stromberg all of Leonard Wood Lodge No. 105: Bros. Isaias Angeles and Tomas Claudio, Bagumbayan Lodge No. 4; Bro. Jaime Reves of Araw Lodge No. 18: and Sis. Visitacion Crudo, Past Matron of Sampaguita Chapter No. 3, OES.

Young people who joined the group are: Edith Grimares, Worthy Advisor and Olive S. Crudo, both of Perla Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls. DeMolays from other chapters who took part are: Lysander Canlas, Chev., Jimmie Marzo, Jess Poticar, Eddie Gonda, Victor Apostol, PMC, Rheio Venzon, Eddie Es-Turn to next page

Guzman, PMC, and Francis Pascual.
Chosen to give inspiration to the
officers and members of the chapter
are: Flordelis Mendoza, Chapter
Sweetheart; Vicky Trinidad, Sponsor of the East; Amelia Tabing,
Sponsor of the West and Zeny Trojillo. Sponsor of the South.

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Maritess Calderon did well for herself and her family, especially her parents, WB & Sis, Jose Calderon, In Chicago, Illinois, at Northwestern University, where she is a student, 15-year-old Maritess, became a celebrity overnight. Under the tutorship of her professor, Dr. Florence Schale, she read 52,000 words per minute with a comprehension of 100% as compared to the 300-word speed and 60% comprehension average for college students.

Maritess is a sister of Dr. Lydia Calderon. PWA. Perla Assembly. ORG.

GRAVEL AND SAND . . . From page 15 Mayon Chapter No. 1, OES, held its annual Friendship Night on September 23, 1968 at the Scottish Rite Temple, 1828 Taft Ave., at 6:30 PM. Members of the Order from Cavite. Olongapo, Clark Field, San Juan and the two other chapters in Manila were invited and attended the affair. They had fun singing secular songs and taking part in parlor games after a sumptuous meal. The stated meeting which preceded the social hour was one of the biggest-attended in vears, with so many standing up when the names of the various chapters were called. Every member of the Order who attended the meeting went home with a lovely and useful souvenir of the meeting they will long remember. Δ

CAVITE LODGE NO. 2 SPONSORS ORATORICAL CONTEST

Hand in hand with its project of improving and beautifying the Rizal monument and its immediate surroundings on the public plaza, Cavite Lodge No. 2, F & AM. also launched an oratorical context among the students of the public and private high schools in the province of Cavite, with prizes totalling \$P1,000.00 at stake. Both projects were conceived by the young able and energetic Worshipful Master of the Lodge.

WB Dominador Herrera, Master of the Lodge, announced the topic of the Contest as: "WHAT OUR YOUTH OUGHT TO DO TO IMPLEMENT AND PERPETUATE RIZAL'S IDEALS". The rules governing the contest are:

- The pieces should embody the positive aspects of the life and labors of Dr. Jose Rizal;
- Contestants should refrain from embodying in their orations matters and issues controversial in nature.
- Contestants shall limit their orations to not more than 30 minutes in delivery;
- A copy of the pieces shall be submitted to the Committee on Education and Public Service of this Lodge on a date to be set by the Committee.

The following prizes will be awarded to the winners of the contest:
First Prize — P500.00; Second Prize

P300.000 and Third Prize —
P200.00. Appropriate medals will also be awarded to the winners.

Judges for this Contest will be composed of competent persons to be announced later.