



★ "The Star Witness" ★

★ By ELIX ABEJERO ★

Thank You Mr. President

I had been a real witness to the tough drive undertaken by the members of the Camarines Sur Provincial Board headed by Gov. Armando B. Cledera after they have resolved to bid for the holding of the Interscholastic games here this year. Tough, in the sense that before they actually tangled with the other interested parties at Zamboanga City, they have already encountered local resistance he reabouts by way of press and allied criticisms when they started for the south - towards their objectives.

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Having won the first round of the "battle" at Zamboanga, ABC and his team braced for the next encounter; the toughest of them all - the procurement of the necessary funds. Little did they realized, it seemed, that their envisioned project was to cost over a million pesos, and by that time the province of Camarines Sur was only capable of putting-up one third of it. In fact, they have only appropriated 300 thousand pesos, purportedly for ground preparations and other incidental requirements. Malacanang has only released a counterpart of another 300 thousand and hinted that their participations ends with it.

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After Pres. Marcos laid the cornerstone of the would-be Interscholastic-village in Pili, on Oct. 6, last year, and after he himself said that athletic complexes doesn't fall within the priorities of his infrastructure program, all expectations about the realization of Gov. Cledera's and his people's dreams started to fade towards frustrations. Like a swimmer who has just realized to be alone by himself at mid-stream, ABC and his team resolved to mobilize all resources at their command to complete the project by all means as planned. Some bright boys however, who have an access to the Presidential ears seemed to have whispered something, possibly mentioning among others - the so called hard-line attitude of the Camarines Sur Governor towards Malacanang. Such supposed "attitude" having been played-up by the Governor's critic intentionally or otherwise.

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As if a real blessing in disguise, FM suddenly made a second look at the press reports of the Governor's manifestations; and then decided to take active participation in the Governor's pet project by way of providing the funds badly needed for the purpose. The rest is history as they appear now of course. And so, as the people of Camarines Sur jointly congratulate Gov. Cledera and his team (the provincial Board), for their untiring efforts and dedication in causing the attainment of such a magnificent objective, the Interscholastic Village of Camarines Sur. We, on the opening of this year's PSIAA games here, also say in unison - **THANK YOU MR. PRESIDENT !!!** More power to you, and May the Lord be always with you.

To Publish in Book Form Works of Filipino Writers, Journalists

National Library officials, Director Serafin D. Quison and Assistant Director Andres Cristobal Cruz recently discussed plans for the publication in book form selected works of Filipino writers, journalists, columnists, editorialists, feature writers and prize-winning pictures of Filipino photographers. Philippine National Bank Director Renato Tayag, journalist and author of the well-known *Sinners of Angeles* book, said the PNB plans to assist in the project through the creation of revolving fund.

Assistant Director Cristobal Cruz said the project will also include publishing the works of Filipino writers and scholars who have not yet been published in

book form. Director Quison said the National Library-PNB publishing project will also consider translations of vernacular literature into English and vice-versa as well as reprinting of now out-of-print Tagalog literary works from the 1900s.

Director Tayag said the project is not only in recognition of the significant contributions of Filipino writers to Philippine literature, journalism and scholarship, but is also designed to meet the need for more Filipino written books published and printed in the Philippines.

Executive Editor of the National Library-PNB project, Andres Cristobal Cruz, was the publisher of the Filipino Signatures, Managing editor of the Alemar-Phoenix Publishing House, and a writer in both English and Filipino. His works have earned the TOYM award, Palanca prizes and the Republic Cultural Heri-

Pursuant to Section 1, Rule 74, of the Rules of Court, notice is hereby given that the intestate estate left by the late EDUVEGIS BRUJAN (spouse of Simon Atienza) who died in the year 1967 at Ocampo, Cam. Sur, consisting of a six parcels of land, to wit: I. located in Bunglaw, Moriones, Ocampo, Cam. Sur, under Tax No. 1368 with an area of 80,017 sq. m., more or less, ass'd. at P5,990; II. located in Kilantao, Sagnay, Cam. Sur under Tax No. 220 ass'd. at P2,310 with an area of 40,000 sq. m., more or less; III. located in Kilantao, Sagnay, Cam. Sur, under Tax No. 1329 with an area of 84,455 sq. m., more or less, valued at P5,990; IV. located in San Isidro, Sagnay, Cam. Sur, under Tax No. 695 with an area of 68,002 sq. m., more or less, valued at P1,150; V. located in Kilantao, Sagnay, Cam. Sur, under Tax No. 212 with an area of 38,886 sq. m., more or less, valued at P1,840; VI. located in Moriones, Ocampo, Cam. Sur under Tax No. 1784 with an area of 12,686 sq. m., covered by OCT No. 2334 ass'd. at P4,010, have been the subject of an Extrajudicial Settlement of estate acknowledged before Notary Public Hilario Espano at Canaman, Cam. Sur on March 13, 1969 per Doc. No. 282; Page 57; Bk. 24; S. 1969.

SIMON ATIENZA, et al.

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NOTICE

Republic of the Philippines)
CITY OF NAGA) s.s.

AFFIDAVIT OF LOSS

I, MACARIO A. MARIANO, of legal age, married and a resident of Mayon Avenue, Naga City, after being duly sworn in accordance with law, depose and say:

That I am the owner of twenty (20) shares of stocks of the Sta. Clara Construction Co., Inc.;

That said shares of stocks were evidenced by Stock Certificate No. 5 issued in my favor on October 12, 1949 by the Sta. Clara Construction Co., Inc. which has its main office at the City of Manila;

That despite diligent efforts, said stock certificates could no longer be located in my file and possession, hence, I believe the same to have been lost;

That this affidavit therefore is executed to declare the loss of said stock certificates and to manifest before the Sta. Clara Construction Co., Inc. for the issuance of a new certificate in lieu thereof and after due compliance with all the legal requisites required therefor.

Further, I sayeth not.
(Sgd.) MACARIO A. MARIANO
Affiant

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN
TO before me, in the City of Naga, this 10th day of March 1969, affiant exhibited to me his Res. Cert. No.-A 3035242 issued in Naga City on Jan. 20, 1969.

(Sgd.) BENIGNO TOLOSA
Notary Public

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Stage Award.

Director Quison added that the National Library-PNB publishing project fits into the National Library's program to acquire and distribute to the national library's extension libraries in the provinces, cities, municipalities and barrios more Filipino authored and Philippine printed books.



The Bicol Music Circle Inc. will give a repeat performance of Gilbert-Sullivan's TRIAL BY JURY Operetta on Thursday March 20, 1969 at the Colegio de Santa Isabel Auditorium at 8:00 P.M. Gala Night. This is in

Miss Juliet B. Fulo Among Six UNC Nurses Who Passed CSC Examinations



Miss Juliet B. Fulo

Miss Juliet B. Fulo, youngest daughter of former Vice-Mayor and Mrs. Querubin B. Fulo of Bulusan, Sorsogon recently passed the Nurses Examination given by the Civil Service Commission held in Manila last December 10, 1968 at the Manuel L. Quezon

answer to public clamor and acclaim and will also serve as a cultural presentation for the entertainment of our guests and delegates to the Interscholastic Meet.

Meanwhile, in Iriga City last Sunday March 9th the Bicol Music Circle gave a successful performance of this TRIAL BY JURY Operetta as a fund-raising drive to help raise money for the construction of a church for the new parish of Santiago in Iriga City under Rev. Fr. Ben Clemen. The elite of Iriga City and neighboring towns came to see the Operetta which was held at the La Consolacion College Auditorium.

The crowd present acclaimed and praised the beautiful performance of the players.

The actors are Miss Marilou

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University.

Juliet is presently a staff nurse of the St. Jude Hospital at Iriga City. She started working last June 14 after graduating from the UNC School of Nursing which prevented her from taking up the same examination last June, 1968.

Of the 753 who took the examination, 500 passed, 250 failed and three were given conditional grades. The names of 10 candidates, however, were not released due to administrative case and for failure to comply with certain requirements.

The new nurses and all those who passed the previous nurse examinations who have not as yet taken their professional oath, will take their oath at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, March 25, at the Philippine Christian Colleges social hall on Taft Ave., Manila.

Among those who successfully passed the examination who are also from the UNC School of Nursing are: Juliet B. Fulo, Corazon Bodilla, Emilia Efono, Cielo V. Marcellana, Ariadne T. Padillo and Shirley G. Rabulan. —ghf

NOTICE

Puasuant to Section 1, Rule 74 of the Rules of Court, notice is hereby given that the Heirs of the late HONESTO T. MEDROSO who died intestate on June 6, 1938 in Calabanga, Cam. Sur, namely, Maria Maristaza, widow of the decedent; Rosalia, and Leticia, both surnamed Medroso, children of decedent, executed an Extrajudicial Settlement of Estate over three parcels of land under OCT No. 1790 (RP-654) under Tax No. 1550 valued at P430 with an area of 6,023 Sq. M.; Tax No. 1573 valued at P640, with an area of 9,977, located in Sto. Domingo, Calabanga, C.S.; Tax No. 2023, valued at P3,450 with an area of 9,977 Sq. M. located in San Lucas, Calabanga, C.S., dividing and adjudicating unto themselves said estate pro-diviso in equal shares.

The document was acknowledged before Notary Public Hilario Espano at Canaman, C.S. on March 14, 1969 per Doc. No. 290; Page 56; Bk. 24; S. 1969.

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NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 1, Rule 74 of the Rules of Court, notice is hereby given that the legal heirs of the late CATALINA M. REILLES VDA. DE RANADA, who died intestate in the year 1956 in Buhí, Cam. Sur, executed an Extrajudicial Settlement of Estate with Waiver of Rights over a parcel of residential land located in Sta. Elena, Buhí, Cam. Sur, declared under Tax No. 11851 with an area of 171 Sq. M., more or less and valued at P520 and subsequently sold it to Benito Dasmariñas 2/3 of the whole estate for P3,000 and the remaining 1/3 was adjudicated to Roque and Nena RANADA share and share alike as their shares thereof.

The instrument was acknowledged before Notary Public Hilario Espano at Buhí, Cam. Sur on March 10, 1969 per Doc. No. 261; Page 53; Bk. 24; S. 1969.

BENITO DASMARIÑAS

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Republic of the Philippines
House of Representatives
Manila

I extend my heartfelt greetings to the public schools officials, teachers and delegates participating in the current Public Schools Interscholastic Athletic Association Meet being held this year in Pili, Camarines Sur.

The PSIAA sportfest, I trust, will provide a fine occasion for everyone to revive the spirit of sportsmanship so greatly needed in the various arena of life. We know that the good sport is always hailed like an idol even in defeat. But we must always strive for a clean victory to which there is no substitute.

The sports festival, I hope, will serve to instill among the youth the need for developing not only their mental faculties but also their physical capabilities. A sound mind in a sound body remains as the valid goal of our educational system. The PSIAA sports events undoubtedly will contribute much to that ideal.

Again, my best wishes and congratulations.
Manila, March 16, 1969.

(Sgd.) JOSE B. LAUREL, JR.
Speaker

Republic of the Philippines
House of Representatives
Manila

The Province of Camarines Sur is fortunate indeed for having been chosen as the site of the 1969 Public Schools Interscholastic Association



Rep. R. H. FELIPE, Jr.

Congress of the Philippines
House of Representatives
Manila

On the occasion of the 1969 Public Schools Interscholastic Athletic Association Meet, which is scheduled at Pili, Camarines Sur from March 16 to 22, I gladly join my fellow Bicolanos in extending my warm and hearty welcome to the visitors, guests and the representatives of the various competing athletic regions which would participate in this annual national sportsfest. It is indeed a pride and a token for the Bicolanos particularly in my district to host such a wonderful affair. It is worthwhile to note that the recognition of President Ferdinand E. Marcos to the Bicol affairs with the release of P900,000.00 in making this event a success attest, his sincerity and full dedication in the development of this region.

This event is but a sheer manifestation of the true significance of sports as a token and as a way of life in our daily activities. Above all these, the P.S.I.A.A. is an event whose primary aim is to inculcate and at the same time instill in the minds of the youth a deep sense and regard



Speaker LAUREL

(PSIAA) Meet. It is a great opportunity for us to host the biggest and most popular amateur sportsfest in the country today.

The importance of athletics in the education of our youth can never be emphasized enough, for true education is the full and harmonious development of the mental, moral and PHYSICAL power of man.

On this historic and memorable occasion, it is, therefore a distinct honor for me to welcome all officials, guests and athletes to our province, which is one of the biggest in the entire country. At the same time, I wish the PSIAA all success in this annual national sports carnival, which has produced many of our entries in international athletic meets.

(Sgd.) R. H. FELIPE, Jr.
Congressman
First District of Cam. Sur



Rep. FUENTEBELLA

of sportsmanship so that they may become a true leader and therefore a perfect gentleman.

However, it is my earnest hope that this year's event will prove very successful for being reflective of the unified cooperation and sports-mindedness of the various committees and entities responsible for the success of this national affair.

(Sgd.) F. A. FUENTEBELLA
Representative
2nd District, Camarines Sur
Congress, Manila
January 29, 1969

Messages

Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
Manila

Spirit, speed, strength, stamina, style and sportsmanship. All good athletes must develop these qualities. All good citizens must appreciate them. No nation can be great without them.

The 1969 Public Schools Interscholastic Athletic Association Meet in Pili, Camarines Sur is the climax of the schools' athletic and physical fitness program this year. I congratulate the officials of the province and the region for hosting the Meets.

The laurel of victory beckons to all the delegations, and may fortune smile upon them all!

(Sgd.) ONOFRE D. CORPUZ
Secretary
15 January 1969

As Co-President of Board of Directors of the 1969 PSIAA meet and the oldest member of the BAA Board of Directors, I gladly extend my cordial greetings to all athletes, officials, and guests to this year's biggest sports festivals.

To host this national sportfest in my new Division at Pili, this Province, is not only a rare opportunity for the oldest regional athletic association to assume this gigantic job but also a big challenge to our leadership. We, too, are proud that our climate for regional athletic competition has been responsible for the Bicol Athletic Association to become an enduring institution for generations. Past generations had produced such brave men as Nepomuceno, Saavedra, Tadoran, White, Espiritu, Amante, and a host of other Bicolano athletes that made our country great. Though greater is the challenge to forge ahead in spite of difficulties, our people have constantly proven that like the "molave" in Isarog, Mavon, Bulusan and Virac they have defied the strongest typhoons.

We, of the Bicol Athletic Association have consistently demonstrated that even as we are the smallest of the regional athletic Associations, we cannot settle for something less, trophy or medal-less, we shall stick to play it fair than win. In every national meet we have participated our athletes and coaches have done their best and determination to do better next time have greatly edified and ennobled our spirit.

With our best wishes, may God bless us all!

(Sgd.) JAIME T. MALANYAON
Division Superintendent
Co-President PSIAA

Message

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your best but courteously to your contenders to win the game.

But to my provincemates I say, may you succeed to win back the honor to our province lavishly conferred upon the late Genaro Saavedra as the Philippine King of sprinters and the late Juan Tadoran, the only athlete awarded Chiang Kai Shek trophy for being the best of all athletes during his time.

(Sgd.) ARMANDO B. CLEDERA
Governor



Sen. Pres. PUYAT

in sportsmanship, and for general discipline. A population of excellent composition always makes for a progressive nation.

Good wishes and carry on!

(Sgd.) Gil J. PUYAT

Republic of the Philippines
Senate
Manila

The holding of the 1969 BPIAA meet in the Municipality of Pili Pili, Camarines Sur, is a prideful and welcome event for us all Bicolanos. For we feel no greater happiness than to manifest our traditional hospitality on friends and visitors.

In behalf, therefore, of the people of Bicolandia, particularly the residents of Pili, I would like to extend to all the athletes, school officials, teachers and other visitors our warmest welcome and best wishes.

In any competition, there are bound to be victors as well as losers. And in this 1969 BPSIAA meet, I have no doubt that the victors will be magnanimous, while the losers will be resolute to do better next time. But another equally important thing in an athletic contest such as in this BPSIAA sportsfest is the spirited participation of the athletes within the framework of sportsmanship and fair play.

To our visitors, and friends: Welcome and may all of you enjoy your stay in Camarines Sur -- the venue of the 1969 BPSIAA meet.

(Sgd.) D. AYTONA

For the second time in seven-teen years the Bicol region will play host to the Public Schools Intercholastic Athletic Association Meet which will be held in the capital town of Pili, Camarines Sur from March 16-22, 1969. The first was in 1952 when Legazpi City, then the capital town of the province of Albay, was the seat of this national sport-fest.

It needed the joint efforts of all Bicolanos in the government and in the private sector to convince all and sundry to give the nod to the bid of Camarines Sur to host the 1969 "little olympics" of the Philippines. It remains for the officials of Camarines Sur, Naga City, and Iriga City with support of the people especially of the teaching force of the public schools to exert their level best and undergo all sorts of sacrifices in time, effort, and money to make possible all the preparations, the construction of the infrastructure needed in an eight-hectare athletic site. True to the traditional hospitality of the Bicolanos, no stones is left unturned to make possible the holding of the 1969 PSIAA Meet, one proof of the unity of all Bicolanos when the occasion and the time call for such unity.

I am extending to all visiting athletic delegations, officials, and visitors from all over the Philippines a most cordial and warm welcome. I hope that this meet will not only develop the health and stamina of our youth, which is the primordial objective of the athletic program of the present administration, but also promote unity and sportsmanship among our people.

(Sgd.) Toribio S. JOVELLANOS
Division Superintendent of Schools
Camarines Sur

Trial By Jury

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Leonardo, Mrs. Alejandra O. Papi, Mrs. Carmen B. Peña, Mrs. Ausberta Federis, Miss Flavia Reyes, Mrs. Milagros I. Peralta, Mrs. Nieves Gullman, Mrs. Consuelo J. Timario, Miss Rechilda del Rio, Enil Quiros, Jesus Grageda, Jose Arena, Mrs. Maria Acacia Escalante, Mrs. Nena Pasilaban, Engineer Rodolfo Fortunato, Atty. Rolando Alberto, Dr. Juan Hidalgo, Luis Aguirre, Manuel Torres, Miss Pura Jacobo, Mrs. Carmen F. Cervantes, Mrs. Pilar Milla Ragrajo, Mrs. Victoria Enojado, Matias Oliva, Sr. Domingo Vite, Matias Oliva, Jr., Jacinto Enriquez, and others.