

PROBABLE CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION QUESTIONS FOR POLICEMAN

(Note: In the Civil Service Examinations for Patrolman given by the Bureau of Civil Service on November 13 and December 4, 1948, the competitors were examined in "General Tests" and "Physical condition" with relative weights of 60 and 40, respectively. "General Tests" cover the subjects of Philippine civics, history and government, and police matters in general. Questions and answers on any of the aforementioned subjects in "General Tests" will be published in this Review.)

PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT

Write/Say TRUE if the statement is correct and FALSE if the statement is wrong and write/say the word or words that make the statement correct. DON'T GUESS! (Check your answers elsewhere in this issue).

1. The highest official in the Philippine Government is the President of the Senate.
2. The President of the Philippines is elected for a term of four years by direct vote of the people.
3. Sotero Baluyut is the Secretary of Public Works and Communications.
4. The Bureau of Civil Service is directly under the Office of the President of the Philippines.
5. The Justice of the Peace is appointed by the Judge of First Instance.
6. A provincial government can sue and be sued.
7. The appointive provincial officials hold office for a term of four years.
8. The Provincial Governor, being the presiding officer of the Provincial Board, cannot vote on measures considered by that body.
9. The Provincial Board can organize a provincial police force.
10. The Provincial Auditor is the chief collector of revenues in the province.
11. The mayor, the vice-mayor, and the councilors of a municipal district are elected by the voters at large.

12. A municipal government can expropriate a private property for school site.
13. A soldier in active service is eligible to election to a municipal office.
14. The Provincial Governor can dismiss a municipal chief of police at pleasure.
15. A policeman is subordinate to the Municipal Council.
16. The establishment of an efficient police force is discretionary to the Municipal Council.
17. Taxation must be uniform.
18. The Philippine Government is characterized as oligarchic.
19. Until the late nineteenth century, the highest town official in this country was the *cabeza de barangay*.
20. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court is the Chairman or presiding officer of the Council of State.

Explanatory note . . . . .

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also, a municipality just raised in class may in the following year be again further placed in a higher category if the average of its revenues for the last preceding three consecutive years so warrant. One clear salutary purpose of the proviso in section two of the bill is to urge the local government officials to tap more sources of income and spur a continuous, vigorous campaign to collect all revenues authorized by laws and ordinances, with a view to raising the category of their own province or municipality every year."

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