

EDITOR'S PREFACE

THIS double issue of PSR features a selection of papers from the 1969 National Convention of the Philippine Sociological Society, held December 6 and 7, 1969, at the Ateneo de Manila College of Law, Manila.

Chairing the convention were Dr. Wilfredo F. Arce, the Society's president for 1969, and Mrs. Ofelia R. Angangco, chairman of the Department of Sociology, University of the Philippines. Others who played important roles in the two-day assembly were the following: Mrs. Mary R. Hollnsteiner, program chairman; Mrs. Aurora Silayan-Go, reception chairman; Fr. John T. Keane, S.J., secretariate; Mrs. Sonia Dagondon-de Dios, business manager.

I mentioned earlier that we publish here a *selection* of the papers given at the convention. The reader will have guessed that the missing papers are those which had been committed to other publications before PSR requested them. Thus the papers that grew out of IPC-funded research (those by the Bennetts and myself) were by contract destined for the *IPC Papers*. Mary Hollnsteiner's report was to appear in the published proceedings of a conference held at the University of Hong Kong, while that of Garilao, Alvarez, *et al*, has already been published in a special issue of the PSR on housing (Vol. 17 [1], 1969) which appeared in October 1970. We lost the papers of both Hubert and Harriet Reynolds—the first because it had been promised to another editor, the second because the printer's deadline shot us down in mid-correspondence. Since for reasons of economy—sorely needed at this point in the *Review's* history—we decided not to publish a report of the discussions that took place during the meetings, we are left with the texts of two addresses and seven papers. In notes added to the convention's schedule of activities (below), the reader is informed where the other papers are expected to appear.

Let me remind our subscribers, actual or potential, of two points I made in the Editor's Preface of our last issue (April 1969): (1) from May 30, 1971 forward, those who place orders for the 1969, 1970, or 1971 volumes of the PSR will be charged ₱16 per year if the subscriber's address is in the Philippines or US\$4 if it is abroad; (2) you have my word for it that the *Review* will be up to date by the end of 1971. Stay with us.

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