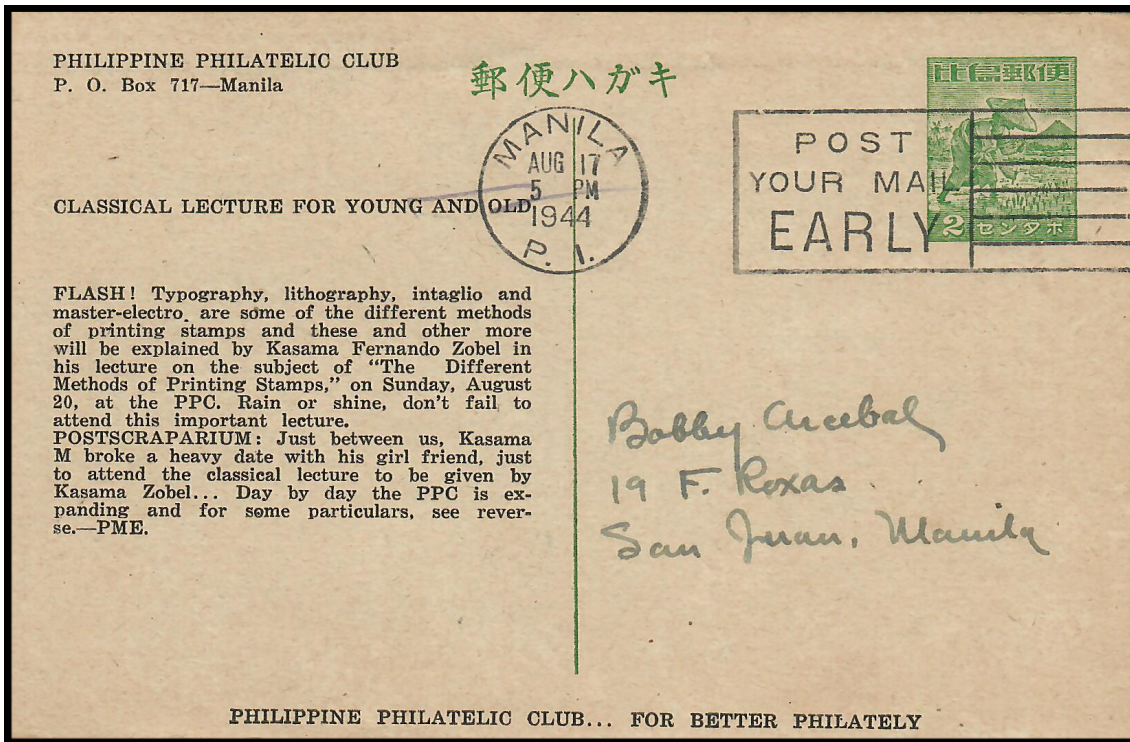


PHILIPPINE PHILATELIC CLUB

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Greetings! Kasama—

Indeed the PPC is expanding and some of its expansions are worth flashing, as for instance JUNIOR CHAPTER BORN: August 8 was a red-letter day for Junior members of the PPC as our young Kasamas organized the PPC Junior Unit on that day. Too, on the same day it was "hinged" to the PPC as Chapter No. 1. Elected as officers of the PPCJU were: Victor Ferrillos, president; Manuel Zaragoza, vice-president; Fidel Ramos, secretary; Carmen Ferraz, treasurer; Jesus Razon, chairman membership committee; and Pablo Ferraz, chairman, auction committee. Leon Goldenberg, vice-president of the PPC and Tony Calero, an enterprising Kasama, were elected Executive Adviser and Technical Adviser, respectively, by the Junior Executive Council, to guide the young Kasamas to better philately. After the organization meeting the Juniors were treated by our Club with churros and thick chocolate a la Special Delivery with ice-cream as the Postscript, with Kasama Federico Calero attending as the gay grand-daddy, and Kasama Severino Luna, the "Father of the PPC-Junior-Unit idea," playing the role of a married-bachelor Papa.

CALLING ALL PHILATELIC RIZALISTS: Little did we know that within the PPC frat there's a bunch of Kasamas who are now collecting Philatelic Rizaliana. Interest evinced on this kind of topical collection provided the nucleus of a bright idea which was born over a cup of coffee! Parenthetically, "coffee brings happy ideas." Rizal says, and so over a cup of coffee down at the Cafe Casino, the idea of organizing a Society of Philatelic Rizalists was born. Organization meeting of the proposed SPR will be held on August 26, which, incidentally will be the 48th anniversary of the outbreak of the Philippine Revolution better known in the pages of Philippine history as the "Cry of Balintawak." Main aim and purpose of the proposed society embody the propagation and dissemination of the life labors, writings and ideals of Jose Rizal, thru philately. The proposed society will be incorporated as PPC Chapter No. 2. Organization meeting will be held at the PPC quarters, Goldenberg Bldg., on August 26, at 2 p. m. If you're collecting Philatelic Rizaliana, you're invited RIZALIANATICALLY.

PEEPESICALLY SANDWICHED: Because of the expansion of our Club auctions, it was decided by our Executive Council to sandwich the Committee on Auctions into two, viz., Committee on Auctions and Committee of Auctioneers, with Kasama Emilio Carceller as chairman of the former and Kasama Severino Luna, as chairman of the latter.

EXPANSION & EVACUATION: It's worth squeezing in this PPC FLASHES that on August 9, our Club funds have been "evacuated" from our Mazuma Department to the Philippine National Bank by making an initial deposit of P5,540.45 on a current account with the PNB.

TRIVIA: Kasama Fernando Zobel doesn't get tired of donating more philatelic literature to the PPC Library and among his good *habla sobre la filatelia*... "Phefty" is another mention of local wartime philatelic lingo introduced by Kasama Luis Meneses and is now popular among the PPC boys... Kasama Henry West is throwing an "auction party" on September 10, with plenty of lots that would put many talking turkeys to shame... That's all and more PPC Flashes next time.—Peepesically, PABLO M. ES-
PERIDON Secretary