

1:15 AM May 22nd

2041
May 21, 1942
Sunday

MALACAÑAN PALACE

On board the 777
to start at 15-

Water skiing the whole morning at
Talaga Bay. Knocked off at 12:00 AM. Back
to the boat for lunch after showers. Then
cruise up to Bagac Bay.

Passed through or by the famous
battle areas of the points, Quinsuan Pt. and
Saysayin Pt. and saw some logs stacked
at the latter just south of Bagac.

Turned around at 3:00 PM. Docked at
6:00 PM. Mass and dinner. Read The
Japanese Dilemma of Jon K. Emerson with
foreword by Edwin O. Reischauer. Too sanguine
and a little naive for a scholar. It believes
the Japanese will not be proud to learn
so as to threaten other countries. Her to
develop nuclear weapons. She probably is doing
both now.

Granted a 30-day reprieve for the man
doomed to die at the electric chair Tuesday
because: 1. The rape committed was not premeditated
It arose as an incident of the robbery. 2. Their
good conduct in prison. 3. It was their first
crime.

2072
May 21st (Cont)

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MANILA

Ordered the police and military authorities to report to me tomorrow on the violence in the demonstration yesterday.

At about 10:00 AM I issued instructions to Larry Cruz on the Duterte case. Later after lunch I verified the media reports and further directed from the press office should handle the libel committed by Taliba and Purson. I still think a libel case should be filed but we will try the Code of Ethics through the Philippine Press Council first.