The American Historical Collection (AHC) which established in 1950, consists of about 13,000 books, 18,000 photographs, and other materials related to the American experience in the Philippines and to the relationship of the two countries. With the possible exception of the holdings of the Library of Congress, the AHC is the largest, most diverse and most complete in the world.

Ambassador *Myron Cowen (1949-1951)*, who saw the devastation wrought by the war on many things including the memory of the times preceding it, encouraged the American community to donate books and other materials pertaining to the first half of the 20th century. His initiative was responsible for the early phase of the collection.

The AHC was housed first at the *U.S. Embassy*, then at the *Thomas Jefferson Center* at Makati. It is now kept at the *Rizal Library of the Ateneo de Manila University*. The *Rizal Library* is committed to preserve the collection following the high standards it uses when conserving its own holdings. Furthermore, it is committed to facilitate the research of scholars.

The *American Historical Collection Foundation, Inc.* aids and supports the AHC.

Ownership of the AHC is in trust with the *American Association of the Philippines*.

Filipinos and Americans are encouraged to donate appropriate books toward the development of this great collection.



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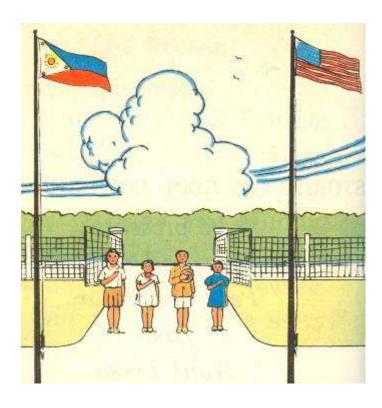


American Historical Collection

presents

An Exhibit of Book Illustrations

from June to October 2010





The Family Works

Father works for his family. Father goes to his farm. He has rice on the farm. He has corn on the farm. The family eats the rice and corn. Corpenser Jose
began in build
the reof strong
with pieces
of hambon,
Two other men
began to huild
the floor streeg
With stripe of bomboo, i
Soon the floor was ready,
of

The flug is red and white and ldue. It says "Be strong, be clean, he true!"

THE PLAN

Court the striper in the flag-How many red stripes are there in the flag? How many white 4 I have 4 large flags and I small flags. I have ... flags. s At 6 comaves such, when will 2 small a I have 18 centions. If I pay 10 centions A flow many stars are there in I week and A a la I not and I not there are ... inches- Manual has 13 chaos. If he gives away a dozen choos, he will have ... left. as Count by 2's from 1 to 13. at Count by Wa from I to 14. sa 10+ Xm 5+8a te The fire 6 + i = 154++=18 # 4+ -= 15 3+ -= 15 444or 2+11= 12+ =18 9+4= # 7+ -= 18 9+3= 10 p v = 13



Today is Monday.
Yesterday was Sunday.
Tomorrow will be Tuesday.
On Tuesday we shall go to school.
On Weshall go to school on Thursday.
I shall read to the teacher.
I like to go to school.
Do you like to read to your teacher?
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday.

The exhibit showcase illustrations from books published during the American Era. The pictures from the different artists display creative interpretations depicting life, culture, and things during the time. This event presents works by Fernando C. Amorsolo, Carlos V. Francisco, and others.





builting he may nighte at Washington.

I love the name of Washington,
Initing he six mean may shire fundaming high.
I love may constitutely loo,
builting he may fundam any mobal no benong bendilla.
I love the flag, the dear old flag.
So a maning puls at put at ithin second of red and white and bline.







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