

P. O. Box 86,  
August 3, 1926,  
Legaspi, Albay.

The Director,  
Weather Bureau,  
Manila.

Sir:-

I have the honor to inform you that there occurred earthquakes here yesterday, August 2, 1926. It begun at 1:30 p. m. From this time up to 2:45 nine shocks were felt but six of which were very strong which made whole <sup>people</sup> afraid. At seven in the evening of the same day two shocks were felt one of which was also strong. At five oclock in the morning to-day again one strong shake was felt and while the undersigned is writing this letter another three shocks were felt.

It is believed that the shocks will continue this whole day in view of the fact that slight shocks are constantly felt in the community.

According to the information of the old people in in this place that such constant and continuous earthquakes had never been happened on their age.

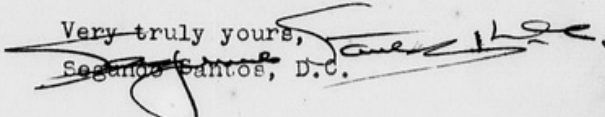
According to your publication regarding smoke coming out from the crater of the Mayon, I wish to state that Dr. Pobre of the Municipality of Tiwi, Albay, the owner of the HOT SPRING in the same town, just near the foot of the Mayon Volcano, informed the undersigned in a verbal conversation that he realy always see smokes coming out from the Crater of the Mayon Volcano, especially in the early part of the morning.

In view of this danger, will you please publish your scientific opinion regarding the cause of this continuous earthquakes in this place? Thru your scientific explanation people will be able to avoid the terrible danger that may occur the same as that had happened one hundred years ago when the Mayon Volcano errupted.

We are very anxious to read your scientific explanation regarding this danger thru THE TRIBUNE as this the paper coming in this place.

Hoping that the above informations will be of some service to you, I am

Very truly yours,

  
Segundo Santos, D.C.