



# TO HONOR

**ROBERT E. CRON, JR.  
COLONEL, U. S. ARMY (RET)**

**COLONEL CRON WAS A 1930 GRADUATE OF THE USMA AND A CIVIL ENGINEER. DURING WW II HIS GROUP BUILT A NEW GUINEA AIRBASE TO DEFEAT THE ENEMY THERE AND HE SERVED AS THE BASE ENGINEER AT LEYTE IN THE CAPTURE OF LUZON. HE LATER WAS VICE DEPUTY COMMANDER OF MATS. HE RETIRED IN 1957 TO SERVE ON UNIVERSITY FACULTIES AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS. HE WAS AWARDED THE U. S. LEGION OF MERIT AND THE BRAZILIAN ORDER OF MILITARY MERIT.**

*HE ANTICIPATED REVEILLE AFTER HIS FINAL TAPS.*

**By: Mrs. Elnora H. Cron**