

## Two mayoras inaugurate new farm-to-market roads



Fifth District of Pangasinan Congressman Mark Cojuangco and Mayor Emma Chan are of one mind in their requirement for the release of congressional or municipal funds in the construction of farm-to-market roads, as was former Mayor Art Chan during his three terms: it must be sturdily concrete and it must be of 6-8meter width. The reasons for the *pre-req* are obvious to the farseeing: the road must last beyond one lifetime; it must comfortably accommodate two-way traffic.



The whole afternoon of February 17, with temperature so hot as to make *ihaw-ihaw* of creatures caught loitering between heaven and earth,



Mayor Kimi Cojuangco of Sison, in behalf of the congressman, and Mayor Emma Chan of Pozorrubio bravely and gamely (as can be seen from the accompanying pictures) went around the barangays of Banding, Bonapal (Bobonan, Nama and Palacpalac) and Rosario snipping red ribbons, officially declaring recently constructed farm-to-market roads open to public use. Also present throughout was Punong-Barangay Fely Ann Maligsa of Imbalbalatong. After the ribbons were cut, the two mayors

shared juicy talks and drinks, sandwiches, pancit and cheesecakes with local welcoming officials and residents who dared the midday sun as bravely and as gamely.

***The model farm-to-market road (topmost);  
Rosario (above center); Bonapal (above) and Banding (top right)***