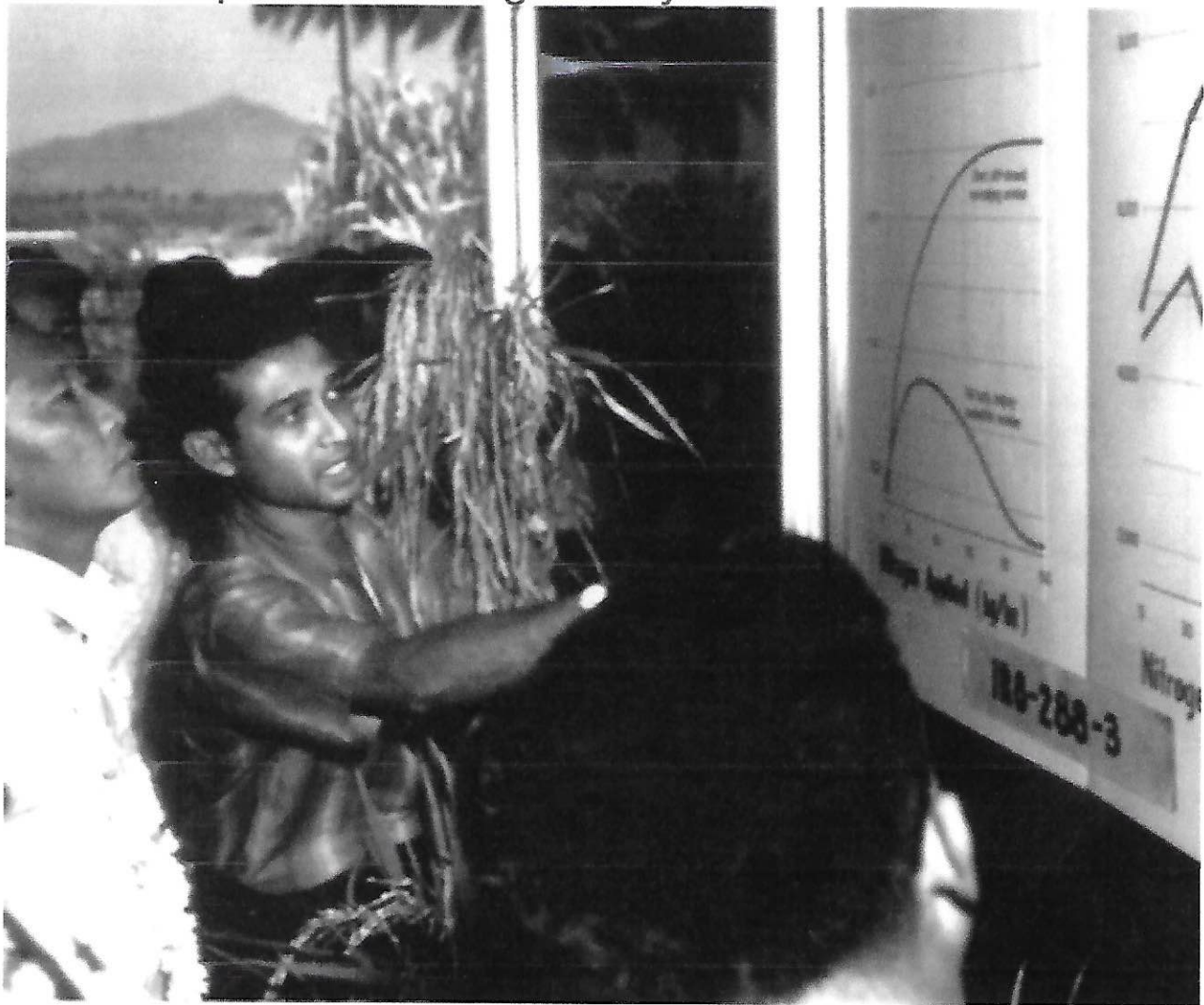


conditions to determine maximum yields under the best management possible. He was amazed with the results – the IR8 rice produced around 5 tons per hectare with no fertilizer and rose to almost 10 tons with 120 kg of nitrogen per hectare. That was 10 times the traditional rice yield. The results from S K De Datta's historic experiment in 1966 was published in *Agronomy Journal* in 1968.



S K De Datta explaining his research data on IR-8-288-3 to President Marcos in 1966

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