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TYPEWRITER REPAIR TRAINING FOR TWO MICRONESIANS EXTENDED

(Press Release, TTPI, Nov. 2)...The training of Lukas Retik of Ponape and Michuo Kansou of Truk in typewriter repair has been extended for one month due to their excellent performance in accordance with a request from Dr. Y. Baron Goto, Vice Chancellor of the East-West Center.

Dr. Goto said, "the two young men have done so well at the Remington Rand Company that the Remington people are honoring them with a special luncheon as well as presenting them with certificates from the national headquarters of the Company. In addition, the Underwood Typewriter people have volunteered to have the men work with them on Underwood machines for a month."

The two trainees left the Territory in April to attend the 6-month East-West Center Typewriter Repair Techniques Training Program scheduled to end on October 31, but extended to November 30 by the Trust Territory at the East West Center's request.

Prior to leaving for Honolulu, Mr. Retik had been an apprentice in typewriter repairs at Ponape High School. Mr. Kansou, a long-time employee of the Truk District Administration, completed a typewriter training program in Guam several years ago.

TMAN PROMOTED TO P.I.O.

(Press Release, Nov 10)...Luke M. Tman of Yap has been promoted to Public Information Officer effective November 8, upon the retirement of Chief Public Information Officer Seth Thompson, according to Assistant Commissioner for Public Affairs John E. de Young.

Mr. Tman who was born in 1933 in Ngeremlengui, Palau, was raised in Yap and is a member of the Rak clan by adoption. He received his education at PICS and the College of Guam, working as a senior observer for the Weather Bureau while at PICS. He began his information career in 1961 as a part time employee of the former Reports Office while attending the College of Guam. In 1962, he became a full time editorial clerk and in 1962 was promoted to Editorial Assistant. He currently also serves as editor of the Micronesian Reporter.

Mr. Tman is a member of the House of Representatives of the Congress of Micronesia from Yap and is Chairman of the House Committee on Judiciary and Government Relations. He was unopposed in the recent election for Congress of Micronesia.

SURVEY OF FEASIBILITY OF EDUCATIONAL TV FOR TERRITORY TO BE MADE

(Press Release, TTPI, Nov 7)...A team of four from the National Association of Educational Broadcasters arrived today to begin a four-week tour throughout the Territory to determine the feasibility of educational television for the Trust Territory. Members of the team who will provide advice on educational administration, curriculum development, TV programming and engineering are: James A. Fellows, Assistant to the President of NAEB; Roy Cobb, American Samoa; Bill Odell, Stanford University; and Bill Kessler, University of Florida.

Under the terms of a contract between the Territory and the National Association of Educational Broadcasters, the team will study the Territory's educational system and will try to determine engineering problems involved in using educational television. Results of the survey will be submitted to the Territory in mid-January with cost estimates provided where educational television is considered feasible.

HIGH COMMISSIONER TO ATTEND BUDGET HEARINGS

(Press Release, TTPI, Oct 31)...High Commissioner W.R. Norwood will leave Saipan November 4 for Washington, D.C., to attend Bureau of Budget hearings on the Trust Territory budget for fiscal year 1968. The hearings have been scheduled to begin November 10.

The High Commissioner will be accompanied by Joseph F. Screen, Assistant Commissioner for Administration, and Gerald M. Phillips, Headquarters Budget Analyst.

PEACE CORPS NEWS

VOLUNTEERS MOVE OUT

Last week the Peace Corps arrived amidst singing and flowers, speeches, and confusion. They were generously housed by people who have now become good friends. Although some Volunteers are still here waiting for the Pacific Islander to move east, and the Kaselehlia to move south, many already have left Kolonia to start their work in outlying areas of Ponape Island.

The Volunteers, through their director, are hereby expressing their heartfelt THANKS for the beautiful, memorable welcome, the hospitality, friendliness, and help. Many have come to consider their host-family an adopted family. It is hoped that the host families and the Volunteers see each other many times during the two-year stay.

VOLUNTEERS MOVE IN

Next week Tuesday (November 22) or thereabouts, the next group of Volunteers will arrive in Kolonia from Molokai Training Center. How (air or sea) is not known as yet. The group consists mainly of health workers, but includes also a surveyor, x-ray technician, business advisor, nurse, teachers, sanitation engineer, etc. Radio/Supply Volunteer, Ned Quistoref, who arrived two weeks ago, also trained with this group.

The list of names and assignments will again be at the Mayor's office. Those who wish to and have not yet had a chance to invite a Volunteer should be given first choice.

MICRONESIAN PEACE CORPS INFORMANTS RECEIVE KEY TO THE CITY

(Press Release, TTPI, Nov. 9)...The Key to the City and a Plaque from the Chamber of Commerce were recently presented to the Micronesian informants at the Westinghouse-Peace Corps Training Center in Key West, Florida, as a token of the city's friendship and hospitality to the Micronesians there.

The Mayor of Key West, the Honorable Kermit Lewin, and a representative of the Key West Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Merville Rosam III, made the formal presentation to the Micronesian language and culture informants.

In a joint letter from the Micronesian informants to the Congress of Micronesia, signed by Johnny Silk (Special Advisor); William Allen (Special Advisor); Joseph deBrum (Marshall's); Alexius Luzama (Ponape); Nori Oneitam (Truk); Felipe Ruak (Marianas), Seraphim Kuguy (Yap) and Ichiro Moros (Palau), the Micronesian informants describe as "remarkable indeed" the friendship and hospitality the people of Key West have thus far extended to them.

Among the special acts of hospitality extended to the visitors from Micronesia were discounts at certain shopping centers, social gatherings sponsored by various civic groups and organizations, invitations to attend church services by religious groups, and a special observation program in the city schools to allow Micronesian teachers to observe classes and "practice" teaching methods. (continued)

MICRONESIAN PEACE CORPS INFORMANTS RECEIVE KEY TO THE CITY (cont'd from P. 3)

The Key and the Plaque from the City and the Chamber of Commerce have been presented by the Micronesian informants to the Congress of Micronesia and will be on display in the Congress Building in Saipan according to Kaleb Udui, Legislative Counsel for the Congress.

PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEERS ARRIVE IN PALAU

(Press Release, TTPI, Nov. 6)...Thirty energetic young Americans arrived in Koror, Palau, today, the first increment of Peace Corps Volunteers assigned to the district.

The group trained in Key West, Florida, with emphasis on learning the Palauan language. Six Palauans traveled to Key West as language informants for the three-month course.

The 30 Volunteers will serve as teachers. Nine will be assigned to schools in the district center, and 21 in outlying areas.

The Volunteers will be housed in Bai-ra-Ek (gathering house of the Koror middle aged women's club) until Thursday. Four days of orientation have been scheduled by local community leaders, District Administrator Boyd Mackenzie, Peace Corps Area Director Dirk A. Ballendorf and Staff Physician Thomas R. Blackburn.

On Thursday morning the Volunteers will depart with their hamlet chiefs to their assigned communities.

Assistant District Administrator Thomas O. Remengesau is the Trust Territory Government Peace Corps Coordinator for Palau and has worked with Mr. Ballendorf on advance arrangements for the arrival of the Volunteers.

Mr. Ballendorf arrived in Koror in August. Dr. Blackburn joined him in October and assisted in establishing a Peace Corps office in the district center.

FOUR MICRONESIANS AWARDED UNITED NATIONS FELLOWSHIPS

(Press Release, Nov. 3)...Hruo I. Remeliik, Palau, Mitaro Danis, Truk, and Mark Loochaz, Yap, have been awarded 6-month United Nations Fellowships for study and observation abroad, while Anthony Y. Nichig of Yap has been awarded a 3-month fellowship. Mr. Remeliik is scheduled to study public records management in Canada; Mr. Danis and Mr. Loochaz, to study land administration in Australia; and Mr. Nichig, to observe local administration and rural development in the Philippines, New Zealand, and Western Samoa.

United Nations Technical Assistance Fellowships are awarded to inhabitants of less developed countries to enable them through study and observation, to learn ways to make better use of their resources, and to provide training in

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various techniques such as administration. To date, 45 Micronesians have received U. N. and World Health Organization Fellowships.

Mr. Remeliik was born in Peleliu, Palau in 1933. He studied under a Trust Territory scholarship at the University of Hawaii from 1957 to 1959. He has been Clerk of Courts of Palau District since 1955, except for the period spent at school. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the Western Carolines Trading Company, the Palau Bar Association, the Land Advisory Board, Liquor Control Board and Board of Education.

Mr. Loochaz, presently Acting Land Title Officer and Acting Land Surveyor of Yap District, was born in Luwech, Rull, Yap, in 1929. He received his education in Yap and has attended land surveyor's schools in Yap from 1937 to 1942 and in Palau in 1956-57.

Mr. Nichig was born in Ngariy, Rull, Yap, in 1934. He received his education at the Pacific Islands Central School in Truk and has been employed by the Yap District Administration since 1956. He has been Political Affairs Officer since 1963 and served as Clerk at the first session of the Congress of Micronesia in 1965.

Mr. Danis, Land Title Officer of Truk District, was born in Moen in 1935. He graduated from the Pacific Islands Central School in 1955. From 1955-1961, he served as District Prosecutor and was appointed Land Title Officer in 1961. He is a member of the Congress of Micronesia.

COPRA MARKETING CONTRACT SIGNED

(Press Release, TTPI, Oct. 28)...A two-year contract for the collection, purchase and marketing of copra for the Trust Territory was signed today between the Copra Stabilization Board of the Trust Territory Government and the United Micronesian Development Association (UMDA). The contract will become effective November 10, 1966.

This is the first all-island contract awarded by the Government to a company controlled by Micronesians. The corporation is owned by citizens of the Trust Territory. However, the company has been authorized to issue a maximum of 40 per cent of its stock to non-citizens of the Trust Territory. Stockholders reside throughout the Trust Territory and each of the six districts is represented on the Board of Directors.

Jose C. Tenorio of Saipan, President of UMDA, signed on behalf of the Association and Eusebio Rechuchan, Deputy Assistant Commissioner for Resources and Development and Chairman of the Copra Stabilization Board, signed on behalf of the Trust Territory Government.

Also present at the signing were High Commissioner W.R. Norwood, Acting Deputy High Commissioner Robert K. Shoecraft, Management Improvement Officer Laurence K. Anderson, and UMDA manager Russell Curtis. (continued)

COPRA MARKETING CONTRACT SIGNED (cont'd from P. 5)

The copra crop, which UMDA has exclusive contractual rights to market, is estimated at 14,000 tons annually and is currently valued at approximately \$2½ million. UMDA received its corporate charter in May of this year.

T.T. GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT INTERN EXIMINATION

Young Micronesians of outstanding potential for top administrative positions may apply for the Management Intern Examination. The Management Intern Program is designed to identify, select and systematically train applicants considered for training in Personnel, Budget and Finance, Supply, Land Management, Public Affairs, Economic Development, District Administration and possibly other fields in Government. The training is carried out mainly at Headquarters and is for a period of 24 months.

Applicants must have completed a minimum of four years progressively responsible administrative experience (including one year at the Grade B-9 or equivalent) or have completed all requirements for the Bachelor's Degree from an accredited college or university, or any combination of education and experience totaling four years. Applicants who pass the initial screening will be scheduled to take a written test. Successful applicants will be hired at the grade level for which they fully qualify in the C-Schedule. Government housing currently is not available on Saipan or in most of the districts. The persons selected may have to make their own arrangements. District differentials will be given where applicable.

To apply submit a complete SF-57 and a letter of application to the Personnel Officer, Office of the High Commissioner, Saipan, Mariana Islands, 96950. This form may be obtained from the District Personnel Office. For further details check the notice posted on the Administration Bulletin Board.

GIRL SCOUT COMMITTEE MEETING

The Girl Scout Committee will have its first general meeting Saturday afternoon, November 19, 1966, at the Kolonia Town Office at 2:00 p.m. We ask all the members to please attend this meeting so our purpose may be accomplished. Also, all American personnel (teachers, housewives, Peace Corps), who are interested in helping the Girl Scout program, are heartily welcome to attend this meeting ---Saturday, November 19, at the Kolonia Town Office at 2 o'clock.

SAFETY SLOGAN

Slow down at sundown.
A child may dare,
so drive with care.

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tory of the Pacific Islands, 96941

CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA ELECTION RESULTS FOR TRUK DISTRICT

According to Election Commissioner Alan M. MacQuarrie, the official results for Congress of Micronesia election in the Truk District are as follows:

For Senate, Andon Amaraich was reelected with 3008 votes, Nick Bossy received 1898 votes and Sasauo Haruo with 1868 votes.

For the House of Representatives, 15th Representative District: Raymond Setik was elected by 740 votes, Nakao Sonis-469 votes, Ernes Siales-354 votes, Naosy Pitioi-225 votes and Fermin Likiche-202 votes. 16th Representative District: Chief Petrus Mailo was uncontested and reelected by 904 votes. 17th Representative District: Soukichy Fritz was reelected with 678 votes and Enis Nedlic received 559 votes. 18th Representative District: Mitaro Danis was reelected with 507 votes, Masao Nakayama-284 votes, and John Sandy-152 votes. 19th Representative District: Chutomu Nimues was reelected with 1330 votes; Nachsa Siren received 325 votes.

VACANCY NOTICES

1. Administrative Assistant, IGS-11, \$9221 per annum plus 20% PD in Public Works, Headquarters.
2. Head Nurse, IGS-6 or 7, will be supplemented by a 20% PD if applicable, for Marianas, Ponape and Yap Districts.

For details see the notices posted on the Administration Bulletin Board.

CLUB KOLONIA ANNOUNCEMENTS

NOVEMBER PARTY FOR CLUB KOLONIA MEMBERS

The November Party Committee are having a LAVA LAVA PARTY for club members on November 26, 1966 at 8:00 pm at the club.

The men are requested to wear "lava lavas" and the women "muumuus" or a "sarong"

A "Ponapean style dinner" (pig cooked in an underground oven, yam, taro, etc.), will be served at a charge of \$1 per person. Tickets will be sold at the club bar or you can get it from the following party committee members: Martin Christen, Bethwel Henry, Erle Shippey, Mike Hughes and Tadashi Soma.

MOVIE TONIGHT AT THE CLUB

"ONE EYED JACKS" starring Marlon Brando and Karl Malden in technicolor will be shown at Club Kolonia tonight, November 19 at 7:30 pm. The admission for adults will be \$1.00 and \$.50 for children.

CLASSIFIED:

FOR SALE: Gulbranson studio type piano in excellent condition for \$450.00
Dinette set with 6 chairs. Table opens to a length of 96 inches--
for \$100.00. Contact the Education Office.

FOR SALE: 1966 Datsun Pick-up. Two old maid school teachers desire to
relieve themselves of a 3-month old Datsun in excellent condition.
The Pick-up has never been driven over 15 mph nor more than 7 miles
at one time. It has been driven from home to school and to the store
and never on Freeways.

The Pick-up is in such good condition that present owners are reluc-
reluctant to drive it to Saladak and Kinicep. The Datsun can be
seen at Kolonia Elementary during school hours or at TT-50 after
school hours.

Also For Sale: New 12 inch electric fan for \$12.00
Used Throw Rugs (1-orange and 1-green)
Used 1-yellow bathroom set

FOR SALE: 4-dr Datsun sedan, 2 scooters (Honda-90 and Suzuki), 16' Mokilese
boat and chicken coop with chickens. Call Mr. Marvin Walsh for
more details at the Weather Bureau or TT-24. (Mob Hill).

PEACE CORPS - POMAPE

Schedule of Volunteer Placements
Phase I, Group 2

<u>Location</u>	<u>Site</u>	<u>Volunteer</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Sex</u>
Kolonia		Martin Heede	Sanitation Engineer	Male
Kolonia		Mike Ezzell Margaret Ezzell	Youth Guidance Elem. Teacher	Couple
Kolonia	PICS	Art Yavelberg	Teacher & Counsellor	Male
Kolonia		Robert Adams	Surveyor	Male
Kolonia		Jim Reichert	Business Advisor	Male
Kolonia	PICS Kolonia Hospital	Wayne Judd Nanette Judd	Teacher Nurse	Couple
Kolonia	Kolonia Hospital	Jack Stevens	X-Ray Technician	Male
Kolonia		Bob Randolph	Health Educator	Male
Kolonia		Ned Quistorff	Radio/Supply	Male
Metalanim	Temen Dispensary	Doug Nilsen	Health Worker	Male
Kiti	Wone Dispensary	Ann Maxwell	Health Worker	Female
Pingelap	Dispensary	Roger Murphy Donna Murphy	Health Worker Health Worker	Couple
Ngatik	Dispensary	Edward Murphy	Health Worker	Male
Mokil	Dispensary	Ed Pope	Health Worker & Health Teacher	Male
Kapingamarangi	Dispensary	Cal Onaga	Health Worker	Male
Kusaie	Utwe Dispensary	Larry Miller	Health Worker	Male
Kusaie	Malem Dispensary	Ethel Lau	Health Worker	Female
Kusaie	Lele	Bob Doan	Community Development	Male