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OF THEIR FAMILIES," TOZAWA SAID. DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSIONER PETER T. COLEMAN AND MARIANAS DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR FRANCISCO C. ADA ALSO DELIVERED BRIEF

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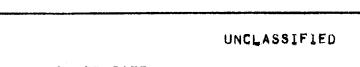
IN A MESSAGE READ BY VICE-MINISTER TOZAWA TRANSLATED BY JAMES M. SHINTAKU, KUNIKICHI SAITO, JAPANESE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND WELFARE SAID: "AS WE STAND HERE, WE RECALL WITH SORROW THE PAIN AND SUFFERINGS OF MORE THAN 200,000 OF OUR COMPATRIOTS AND A GREAT NUMBER OF MICRONESIAN PEOPLE WHO SACRIFICED THEIR LIVES IN THE ISLANDS AND THE SEA OF THE MID-PACIFIC IN THE COURSE OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR." HE THEN EXPRESSED THE APPRECIATION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN "TO THE THOUGHTFUL COOPERATION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE GOVERNMENT OF THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS AND THE MARIANAS DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION."

PAGE 03 RUHGSAA7430 UNCLAS SPEAKER OF THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA ENDY DDISJ SENATOR ULYMPIO T. BORJAJ MARIANAS DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR FRANCISCO C. ADAJ THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SOCIAL AND LABOR COMMITTEE, DIET OF JAPAN, COUNCILLORS, THE HONORABLE SHOJI SUHARA, CHAIRMAN OF THE SOCIAL AND LABOR COMMITTEE, DIET OF JAPANJ PROFESSOR YOSHIRO TANIGUCHI, MONUMENT DESIGNERJ TRUST TERRITORY CHIEF JUSTICE HAROLD BURNETT AND OTHER DIGNITARIES FROM JAPAN AND SAIPAN.

AMONG THE DIGNITARIES WHO ATTENDED THE THREE-HOUR DEDICATION CEREMONIES: WERE THE VICE-MINISTER OF HEALTH AND WELFARE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN, MASAKATA TOZAWAJ THE HONORABLE JAHES M. SHINTAKU, HONORARY CONSUL FOR JAPAN ON GUAMJ DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSIONER PETER T. COLEMANJ MRS. EDWARD E. JOHNSTONJ VICE

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THEIR LIVES IN THE MID-PACIFIC DURING THE SECOND WORLD WAR. The memorial is at the last command post in the marpi area of satpan.



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THE LARGELY CEREMONIAL SERVICE INCLUDED THE LAYING OF WREATHS DONATED BY JAPANESE PRIME MINISTER KAKUEI TANAKA, FOLLOWED BY MEMBERS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BEREAVED FAMILIES ASSOCIATION, A REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN TOKYO AND THE OFFERING OF FLOWERS BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE BEREAVED FAMILIES ASSOCIATION, WHICH REPRESENTS 47 PREFECTURES IN JAPAN

RELIGIONS RITES WERE OFFERED BY CATHOLIC AND PROTESTANT CLERIES FROM SAIPAN AND SEVERAL PRIESTS FROM JAPAN.

THE JAPANESE CONTINGENT ARRIVED ON SAIPAN SUNDAY (MAROH 24) Aboard Air Micronesia flight from Guam, They Chartered A 747 Jumbo Jet From Japan to Guam, Vice-Minister Tozawa was Expected to Leave for Guam Monday Afternoon, Others Will Leave Saipan Tuesday (March 26).

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THE PEACE MEMORIAL AT THE MARPI LAST COMMAND POST WAS CONSTRUCTED BY SABLAN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, A LOCAL CONTRACTOR The Memorial was sponsored jointly by the government of Japán, The Trust Territory and the United States.

(LOTTE REITH LEAVES)

SAIPAN, MARCH 25 (MNS) ===THE GERMAN FREIGHTER M/V LOTTE REITH FINALLY RESOLVED HER THAN TWO WEEKS IN THE MARIANAS. THE SHIP SAILED OUT OF SAIPAN HARBOR AT FOUR SATURDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 23, AFTER THE LAST OF FOUR ARREST WARRANTS ON THE SHIP WAS LIFTED BY THE TRUST TERRITORY HIGH COURT.

THE LOTTE REITH IS THE LAST OF THE VESSELSTHAT WERE CMARTERED BY TRANSPACIFIC LINES, INC., THE TRUST TERRITORY TRANCHISED SHIPPING COMPANY THAT IS NOW IS RECEIVERSHIP. SHE RETURNED TO SAIPAN FRUM A TRIP TO THE EASTERN DISTRICTS EARLY IN MARCH, BUT REFUSED TO ENTER THE HARBOR WHEN IT BECAME CLEAR TO THE CAPTAIN THAT THE SHIP FACED ARREST FOR DEBTS THAT TRANSPACIFIC LINES HAD FAILED TO PAY. FINALLY, AFTER SOME LONG-DISTANCE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN SAIPAN AND THE CITY OF HAMBURG, GERMANY, WHERE THE COMPANY THAT OWNS THE SHIP IS LOCATED, THE LOTTE REITH ENTERED THE HARBOR ON MARCH 14.

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SHE WAS IMMEDIATELY PACED UNDER ARREST. THE FOUR ATTACHMENTS WHICH EVENTUALLY WERE ENTERED AGAINST HER WERE FILED BY MARINE TERMINAL OF SAN FRANCISCO, MOBIL PETROLEUM COMPANY, SAIPAN SHTPPING COMPANY AND SAIPAN STEVEDORING COMPANY. ALL FOUR WERE FOR CLAIMS AGAINST TRANSPAC, BUT UNDER MARITIME LAW IIT IS POSSIBLE TO ATTACH A SHIP UNDER CHARTER TO SUCH A COMPANY EVEN THOUGH THE OWNERS OF THE VESSEL HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH INCURRING THE DEBTS. THE MARINE TERMINALS AND MOBIL ATTACHMENTS WERE LIFTED LAST WEEK; AND THE TWO SAIPAN CLAIMS WERE LIFTED SATURDAY, AFTER NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE SHIP'S OWNERS TO INSURE PAYMENT OF THE CLAIMS WERE CONCLUDED.

THE LOTTE'S NEXT DESTINATION IS NOT KNOWN, ALTHOUGH IT WAS UNDERSTOOD SHE WAS HEADED TOWARD INDONESIA. SHE IS NO LONGER UNDER CHARTER TO TRANSPAC, WHICH DISCONTINUED THAT ARRANGEMENT ON MARCH 18.

(FIVE MORE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO HICOM)

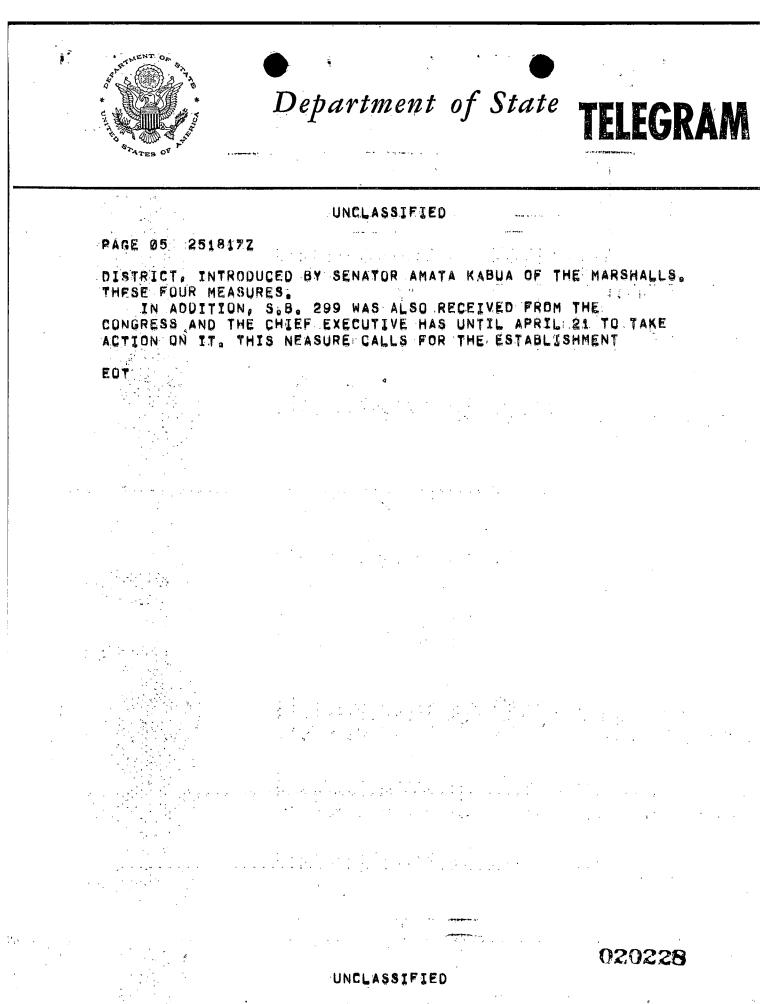
SAIPAN, MARCH 25 (MNS)---FIVE ADDITIONAL BILLS HAVE REACHED THE DESK OF TRUST TERRITORY HIGH COMMISSIONER EDWARD E. JOHNSTON FROM THOSE PASSED BY THE LAST SESSION OF THE CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA.

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THIRTY SIX OF THE 46BILLS HAVE NOW BEEN OFFICIALLY TRANSMITTED TO THE HICOM, ACCORDING TO N.NEIMAN GRALEY, JR. The Hicom's special assistant for legislative affairs.

BILLS RECEIVED INCLUDE S.B. 189, CALLING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DUTY FREE RETAIL CONCESSIONS IN OFFICIAL PORTS OF ENTRY OF THE TRUST TERRITORY AND SIMULTANEOUSLY ENCOURAGING THE DEVELOPMENT OF TOURISM AND OTHER BUSINESSES IN THE TT, SPONSORED BY SENATOR EDWARD DLG. PANGELINAN OF THE MARIANAS; S.B. 289, RELATING TO AMENDING HOMESTEAD CERTIFICATES OF COMPLIANCE, INTRODUCED BY SENATOR ANDON AMARAICH OF TRUK; S.B. 289, RELATING TO AMENDING PL.5+51 TO PROVIDE AN OVERSEAS EMPLOYMENT ALLOWANCE FOR MICRONESIAN GOVERNMENT EMPLYEES ABROAD, INTRODUCED BY REQUEST BY SENATOR AMBILOS IEHSI OF PONAPE; AND S.B. 298, DESIGNATING KUSAIE IN THE PONAPE DISTRICT AS AN ADMINISTRATIVE

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THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT, HARRY K, UYEHARA, DIED Sundenly un saipan monday afternoon (march20), afters becoming ILL during the night, he was 56 years dive

UYEHARA WAS THE TRUST TERRITORY SCHOLARSHIP OFFICER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, A PUSITION HE HAD HELD SINCE 1967, BURN IN HAMAKUA, HAWAII, HE HAD SPENT MUSI OF HIS PROFESSIONAL LIFE IN MICRONESIA, BEGINNING WITH POST-WORLD WAR TWO SEVICE IN PALAU AND YAP AS A TRANSLATOR

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AFTER A SHORT STAY IN HAWAII, UYEHARA RETURNED TO PALAY IN 1948 TO WORK FOR THE PALAU NATIVE GOVERNMENT AS AN ANTHROPOLOGICAL RESEARCHER AND TRANSLATOR, AND IN 1950 HE JOINED THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT, FIRST AS A STAFF ANTHROPOLOGIST BUT LATER THAT YEAR AS AN EDUCATION SPECIALIST. HE REMAINED IN PALAU DISTRICT UNTIL 1959, WHEN HE WAS TRANSFERRED TO THE YAPION DISTRICT EDUCATION DEPARTMENT, HE SERVED IN YAP UNTIL COMING TO SAIPAN IN 1967 TO BECOME THE SCHOLARSHIP OFFICER.

UYEHARA WAS WELL-KNOWN TO MANY MICRONESIAN YOUNG PEUPLE THROUGH HIS WORK IN ADMINISTERING THE VARIOUS TRUST TORRITORY AND CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS, UPON LEARNING OF HIS SUDDEN DEATH, DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION DAVID RAMARUL SAID OF UYEHARA; "WE ARE SHOCKED AND SADDENED AT THE DEATH OF THIS VETERAN IN THE EDUCATIONAL ENDEAVORS OF THE TRUST TERRITORY, HE HAD DEDICATED HIS LIFE TO THE EDHCATION OF MICRONESIANS, AND HIS PASSING IS A GREAT LOSS FOR ALL OF US."

DEPUTY HIGH COMMISSIONER PETER T. COLEMAN ALSO

PAGE 04 RUHGSAA7431 UNCLAS EXPRESSED ON BEHALF OF THE HIGH CUMMISSIONER AND THE TRUST TERRITORY GOVERNMENT CONDULENCES ON THE PASSING OF HARRY UYEHARA: "THE SUDDEN AND UNTIMELY PASSING OF HARRY UYEHARA BRINGS SHOCK AND DEEP SUDROW TO ALL OF US WHO KNEW HIM WELL," HE STATED. "HE WAS A GENTLY PERSON AND IN HIS

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SECTION 02 OF 03 OF A MICRONESIAN SPORTS COUNCIL AND APPROPRIATES MONEY FOR ITS OPERATION, INTRODUCED BY SENATOR AMARAICH, THE BILL, IF APPROVED BY THE HICOM, WOULD ENABLE THE TRUST TERRITORY TO PARTICIRATE IN THE SOUTH PACIEIC GAMES SCHEDULED TO BE HELD ON GUAM IN 1975.

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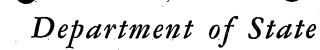
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QUITENESS WAS ONE OFTEN SOUGHT AFTER FOR HIS WISDOM, HE WAS AN OUTSTANDING FATHER TO HIS FAMILY AND A MOST RESPECTED PERSON IN OUR COMMUNITY, THE HIGH COMMISSIONER AND STAFF AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE TRUST TERRITORY MOURN THE LOSS OF SUCH A DEDICATED EMPLOYEE WITH MANY YEARS OF DEVOTED SERVICE, OUT PRAYERS ARE WITH HIS FAMILY IN THIS TIME OF SORROW,"

UYEHARA IS SURVIVED BY HIS WIFE, MARIANNE, AND FOUR Children, Grace, Linda, Kenneth and Josph, Funeral Arrangements are pending, but burial is expected to be in Hawaii (all users: please credit congress of micronesia)

#### (RONGELAP-UTIRIK EXAMS SET)

SAIPAN, MARCH 25. (CONGRESS:RELEASE) --- THE ANNUAL MEDICAL Examinations for the people of rongelap and utirik who were affected by radioactive fallout on nearby bikini during an

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HEBOMB TEST IN 1954 WILL BE CONDUCTED THIS MONTH BY A MEDICAL SURVEY TEAM FROM THE BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORY, THE TEAM IS UNDER THE SPONSORSHIP OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION; AND BEGAN ITS EXAMINATIONS ON MAJURO, IN THE MARSHALL ISLANDS DISTRICT THIS PAST WEEKEND.

THE EXAMINATIONS ARE BEING CONDUCTED TO CHECK AND POSSIBLY TREAT ADVERSE EFAFECTS OF HARMEUL RADIOACTIVE FALLOUT, SO FAR ABOUT TWENTY RONGELAPESE HAVE UNDERGONE OPERATIONS DUE TO RADIATION INDUCED THYROID DIEASES AND ONE IS KNOW TO HAVE DIED OF A SICKNESS PROBABLY GAUSED BY THE FALLOUT.

THE SURVEY TEAM IS HEADED BY DR. ROBERT A. CONARD, HIS TO CONTINUE ITS EXAMINATIONS ON EBEYE. FROM KWAJALEIN, THE TEAM WILL TAKE AN LOU TO THE OUTER-ISLANDS OF RONGELAP AND UTTRIK. THE SURVEY TEAM IS ACCOMPANIED BY CONGRESS OF MICRONESIA STAFF MEMBER JOHN DEL RROSARIO.

ASIDE FROM THE ROUTINE PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS OF EXROSED AND UNEXPOSED REOPLE FROM RONGELAP AND UTIRIK, THE SURVEY WILL INCLUDE OTHER SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS, THEY ARE: A STUDY OF THYROID RESERVE IN THE EXPOSED PEOPLE WHO HAVE NOT HAD SURGERY; A DIABETICSURVEY; A GENETIC STUDY OF CHILDREN OF EXPOSED AND

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FINAL SECTION OF 03:

EACH DISTRICT HAS A GED CHIEF EXAMINER WHO ADMINISTERS THESE GED TESTS, THEY CAN BELLOCATED IN THE DISTRICT DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION, FOR MORE INFORMATION GONTAGT MRS: SUSANNA MAFNAS, CHIEF EXAMINER FOR THE MARIANASI RUGELL BURKE, YAP; WILLIAM TABELUAL, RALAU; MISAUD PETRUS, THUR CATALING CANTERO, PONAPE; AND BIRASH JOASH, MARSHALLS,

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