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1. Coleman calls special session July 19 - Aug. 2
2. Coleman & Canham leaves for Guam
3. Gannett awards study grant
4. Marshalls navigational aids installed
5. Aniol. to attend cancer seminar

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COMTWELVE PASS INFOR FOR AMB WILLIAMS
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AMEMBASSY CANBERRA FOR PAC. ISL. MONTHLY
/ (SPECIAL SESSION PROCLAMATION)

SAIPAN, JUNE 15 (MNS)---TRUST TERRITORY ACTING HIGH
COMMISSIONER PETER T. COLEMAN SIGNED A PROCLAMATION MONDAY

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(JUNE 14) CALLING A SPECIAL SESSION OF THE CONGRESS OF
MICRONESIA (COM) TO COMMENCE ON JULY 19 AND ENDING ON
AUGUST 2 IN KOLONIA, PONAPE DISTRICT.

COLEMAN CALLED THE SPECIAL SESSION AT THE REQUEST
MADE BY THE CONGRESS LEADERSHIP ON MARCH 23.

COLEMAN LISTED 35 AREAS OF LEGISLATION IN HIS
PROCLAMATION, AMONG THEM: THE FIVE YEAR INDICATIVE
DEVELOPMENT PLAN, CAPITAL OF MICRONESIA, APPROPRIATIONS,
REVENUE AND TAXATION, THE POSSIBLE TRANSFER OF THE
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LOAN FUND TO THE MICRONESIA DEVELOPMENT
BANK, A MEASURE WHICH WOULD ESTABLISH A TRUST TERRITORY
STATISTICAL OFFICE, DECENTRALIZATION, POLITICAL STATUS AND
TRANSITION AND THE REFERENDUM ON THE DRAFT CONSTITUTION.

OTHERS INCLUDE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT, ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT/PROCEDURAL LEGISLATION, REORGANIZATION OF THE
EXECUTIVE BRANCH IN CERTAIN AMENDMENTS TO PUBLIC LAW
40-48, POLITICAL EDUCATION, AND OTHER LEGISLATION WHICH
MAY BE SPECIFIED IN A SPECIAL MESSAGE BY THE HIGH
COMMISSIONER TO THE CONGRESS WHILE IN SPECIAL SESSION.

ARRANGEMENTS ARE PRESENTLY BEING MADE AT THE

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HEADQUARTERS LEVEL FOR THE UPCOMING SESSION.

THIS WILL BE THE SECOND TIME THE SPECIAL SESSION WILL
BE HELD IN PONAPE, THE FIRST ONE BEING IN 1972. THE FIRST
SPECIAL SESSION TO BE HELD AWAY FROM THE SEAT OF THE CENTRAL
GOVERNMENT OF MICRONESIA WAS IN TRUK IN 1970.

2 (COLEMAN AND CANHAM LEAVE FOR GUAM)

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SAIPAN, JUNE 15 (MNS)---ACTING HIGH COMMISSIONER PETER T. COLEMAN AND NORTHERN MARIANAS RESIDENT COMMISSIONER ERWIN D. CANHAM LEFT SAIPAN THIS MORNING (JUNE 15) FOR GUAM WHERE THEY PLAN TO MEET WITH TWO HIGH RANKING GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

SOURCES ON SAIPAN SAID COLEMAN AND CANHAM ARE SCHEDULED TO MEET WITH KENT FRIZZELL, UNDER SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR AND FRED M. ZEDER, DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF TERRITORIAL AFFAIRS.

DETAILS OF THE MEETING WERE NOT IMMEDIATELY KNOWN. BOTH CANHAM AND COLEMAN WERE TO HAVE RETURNED TO SAIPAN TUESDAY AFTERNOON. FRIZZELL AND ZEDER ARE EXPECTED TO LEAVE GUAM FOR JAPAN.

3. (GANNETT AWARDS STUDY GRANT)

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HONOLULU, JUNE 15 (MNS)-2-THE FRANK E. GANNETT FOUNDATION HAS AWARDED \$30,000 TO CONTINUE A PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTING MICRONESIAN TEACHERS IN THE USE OF NEWSPAPERS IN THE CLASSROOM TO IMPROVE STUDENT SKILLS, ACCORDING TO THE HONOLULU STAR BULLETIN.

IT IS THE SECOND YEAR THAT THE FOUNDATION HAS FUNDED THE PROGRAM. LAST YEAR \$25,000 WAS PROVIDED.

THE \$30,000 WAS GIVEN TO FREDERICK BRAUN, CHAIRMAN OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF CURRICULUM IN THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION.

ACCORDING TO THE STAR BULLETIN, THE \$30,000 WILL BE USED FOR A TWO-WEEK WORKSHOP IN AUGUST FOR ABOUT 24 TEACHERS FROM THE SIX SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN THE TRUST TERRITORY. THE WORKSHOP WILL INCLUDE TEACHERS WHO ATTENDED LAST YEAR'S WORKSHOP. THEY WILL SERVE AS AIDES THIS YEAR. NEXT YEAR IT IS HOPED THAT MICRONESIAN TEACHERS WILL TEACH THE PROGRAM.

THE PROGRAM---KNOWN AS NEWSPAPERS FOR A NATION IN THE TRUST TERRITORY--IT TO HELP STUDENTS IMPROVE THEIR LANGUAGE ARTS, MATH AND SOCIAL STUDIES SKILLS.

"THE WAY THE PROGRAM IS HANDLED IT IS MUCH MORE REALISTIC

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THAN EDUCATION PROGRAMS BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT BECAUSE THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IS PATERNALISTIC IN ITS APPROACH AND WITH THIS PROGRAM THE WESTERN CONCEPT IS PRESENTED BUT THE TEACHERS TRANSLATE IT INTO THEIR OWN BACKGROUND," BRAUN SAID.

"THE SIGNIFICANCE IS THAT THIS WAS A COMPLETELY NEW APPROACH FOR THE MICRONESIANS, TO GET THEM TO USE A CURRENT TOOL FOR TEACHING IN AN AREA WHERE THERE WERE NO TEACHING TOOLS TO SPEAK OF," EDWARDS SAID.

ONE OF THE CULTURAL HABITS THAT MICRONESIANS HOPE TO IMPROVE THROUGH THE PROGRAM IS THE LACK OF CRITICAL JUDGEMENT BY MICRONESIANS, ESPECIALLY SINCE THEY ARE FORMING THEIR OWN NEW GOVERNMENT, BRAUN SAID. BY USING NEWSPAPERS OUTSIDE THE TRUST TERRITORY THEY FELT THEY WOULD GET A BETTER PERSPECTIVE ON CRITICISM, HE POINTED OUT.

BETTY JENKINS, A TEACHER AT HALEIWA AND BARBARA EDWARDS, WHO IS IN CHARGE OF THE NEWSPAPERS IN THE CLASSROOM PROGRAM ARE COORDINATORS OF THE PROGRAM.

4 (MARSHALLS NAVIGATIONAL AID INSTALLED)

SAIPAN, JUNE 15 (MNS)---NAVIGATIONAL AIDS HAVE BEEN INSTALLED ON TWO ATOLLS IN THE MARSHALLS DISTRICT, ONE ON

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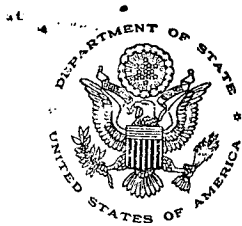
ARNO AND THE OTHER ON MILI. THE LIGHTS WILL BE USED TO ASSIST SHIPS AND BOATS NAVIGATING THE WATERS OF THE MARSHALLS DISTRICT.

THOMAS E. TAVARES, MANAGER OF ROADS AND HARBORS, TRANSPORTATION DIVISION, HEADED THE TEAM OF COAST GUARD, HEADQUARTERS AND DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION PERSONNEL WHICH COMPLETED THE INSTALLATION SUNDAY (JUNE 13). HE SAID THIS IS THE FIRST TWO OF THE PROPOSED 22 NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS THAT WILL BE INSTALLED IN THE MARSHALLS AS SOON AS THE MATERIALS ARE RECEIVED IN MAJURO.

THE CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF THE LIGHTS WERE MADE POSSIBLE UNDER THE CONGRESS OF MICRONEZIA PUBLIC LAW 93-104 WHICH APPROPRIATED \$77,000 FOR THE PROJECT. THE LIGHTS HAVE A RANGE OF SIX TO 13 MILES AND WERE PLACED ATOP 90 FOOT TELEPHONE POLES CLOSE TO THE BEACH.

THE REMAINING 20 LIGHTS ARE EXPECTED TO BE INSTALLED

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IN ABOUT THREE MONTHS IF EVERYTHING GOES ACCORDING TO SCHEDULE, TAVARES TOLD MNS.

TAVARES ADDED THAT THIS IS THE FIRST STEP TOWARD INSTALLING NAVIGATIONAL AIDS IN ALL THE DISTRICTS OF THE

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TRUST TERRITORY. HE SAID IT IS PLANNED TO SOLICIT MORE FUNDS FROM THE CONGRESS TO UNDERTAKE THE PROJECTS.

THE DISTRICTS WILL HAVE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF MAINTAINING THE LIGHTS AFTER THEY HAVE BEEN INSTALLED.

5 (ANIOL TO ATTEND CANCER SEMINAR)

SAIPAN, JUNE 15 (MNS)---DR. KIOSHI ANIOL, ACTING DISTRICT

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DIRECTOR OF HEALTH SERVICES IN TRUK, WILL BE REPRESENTING THE TRUST TERRITORY AT THE SOUTH PACIFIC COMMISSION REGIONAL TRAINING SEMINAR ON CANCER, WHICH WILL BE HELD JUNE 20 TO 25 IN HONOLULU.

THE SEMINAR WILL FEATURE 28 PROMINENT LOCAL PHYSICIANS, A CLERGYMAN, THREE HEALTH CARE OFFICERS AND R. BRIAN E. HENDERSON, ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF THE CANCER CENTER IN LOS ANGELES.

THE OTHER PARTICIPANTS OF THE CANCER SEMINAR ARE FROM AMERICAN SAMOA, COOK ISLANDS, FIJI, FRENCH POLYNESIA, THE GILBERT ISLANDS, NEW CALEDONIA, NEW HEBRIDES, PAPUA NEW GUINEA, AND TONGA.

DR. ANIOL IS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE THE TRUST TERRITORY FOR HONOLULU SATURDAY (JUNE 19).

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