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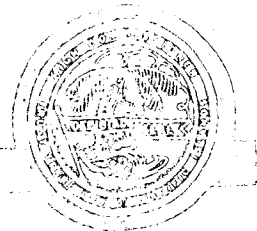
SAIPAN, M. I. (NOV 12). . . The total of whooping cough cases in the outer islands of Yap District is 130, according to a radio message to Trust Territory Headquarters Public Health Department from Dr. Luke A. Howe, Acting Director of Public Health, who is in Yap with a team from the World Health Organization.

The 130 mild to moderate cases were limited to Falalop, Asor, Ifalik and Fais. No cases were found in Woleai. This official report was made by Dr. Perry E. Rowe, M. D., Yap District Clinical Supervisor, who returned to the District Center on November 8 from a field trip survey.

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## CHANGE IN MEMBERSHIP OF VISITING CONGRESSIONAL GROUP

SAIPAN, M. I. (NOV 12)...There has been one change in the membership of the House Interior and Insular Affairs Subcommittee which will arrive in Saipan, Monday, November 13 at 11:00 a. m. on the first leg of its three week visit to the Trust Territory, according to John E. deYoung, Assistant Commissioner for Public Affairs.

Rep. Roy A. Taylor (D-N.C.) is replacing Rep. Lawrence J. Burton (R-Utah). Congressman Taylor was born in Vader, Washington, in 1910. He received his education in Asheville-Biltmore College, Maryville College and Asheville University Law School. He was admitted to the bar in 1936. He was a representative in the North Carolina General Assembly in 1947, 1949, 1951 and 1953. He was elected to the 86th Congress June 25, 1960, and reelected to the 87th, 88th, and 89th Congresses.

Congressman Taylor will be the senior member of the Congressional party.

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TT FLIGHT SCHEDULE CHANGED

SAIPAN, M. I. (NOV 10)...A new Trust Territory schedule for Saturday flights between Guam and Saipan has been announced by Frank H. Moulton, Acting Assistant Commissioner for Administration, as follows: The Guam-to-Saipan flight will leave Guam at 10:00 a. m., arriving at Saipan at approximately 11:00 a. m. The return flight will depart Saipan at 12:00 noon, arriving at Guam at approximately 12:55 p. m.

Moulton said there will be an exception to this schedule as follows: The flight of Saturday, November 13 will leave Guam at 1:00 p. m. to bring the WHO team to Saipan from Koror and Guam, and will leave Saipan at 3:00 p. m. for the return to Guam. Also, the flight of Monday, November 15 will leave Guam at 10:00 a. m. instead of 1:00 p. m. to bring the U. S. Congressional party to Saipan.

The regular Monday and Thursday flights to Saipan continue on regular schedule to depart Guam at 1:00 p. m.

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YAP REPORTS MODERATE OUTBREAK OF EPIDEMIC

SAIPAN, M. I. (NOV 5)...An outbreak of whooping cough has been reported in the outer-islands of Ulithi Atoll, Yap District, according to a recent dispatch report from District Administrator Maynard Neas. Also, nearly a hundred cases of gastroenteritis and upper respiratory infection have been reported in the Yap Islands proper.

Acting Director of Public Health Luke A. Howe confirmed the report, but said the outbreak of whooping cough was reported as moderate in nature by Dr. Perry E. Rowe, Yap District Clinical Supervisor, who is presently on a field trip in the outer-islands where 130 cases of whooping cough were reported.

The outbreak of gastroenteritis and the upper respirator infection in the main islands of Yap is limited to pre-school age children.

At the request of the Yap District medical staff Dr. Antonio Polloi was sent from Palau to Yap on today's flight to render assistance to the medical staff there in what is considered a moderate epidemic.

*Yap District Medical Department*