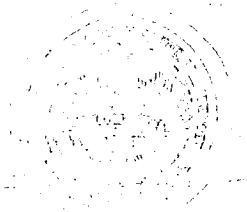


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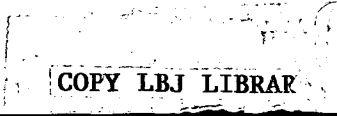
100 MICRONESIANS TRAVEL TO HAWAII AND FLORIDA

Saipan, Mariana Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, July 25 . . . During the past few weeks, Micronesians from every district were passing through Guam and Kwajalein en route to Hawaii and Florida where for the next three months they will be assisting in a training program for hundreds of Peace Corps Volunteers. These Micronesians have been selected to act as language teachers and informants about Micronesian culture. After approximately three months of concentrated training the Corpsmen will return with their Micronesian teachers to the Trust Territory where they will serve as teachers, public health workers, community development workers, surveyors, engineers and architects, construction specialists, lawyers, secretaries, and business advisers.

In Hawaii the training camps, which are under the direction of the University of Hawaii, are being set up on the island of Molokai; in Florida, the training camps, which are under the direction of Westinghouse Electric Corporation, will be established at Key West. Both the University of Hawaii and Westinghouse are under contract with the Peace Corps to conduct these training programs.

The project director for the Molokai center is Ray Kramer who

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was active in the previous training center at Hilo. The project director for the Key West center is John A. McColgan who has been with Westinghouse since 1962. Drs. Topping and Bender of the University of Hawaii and Messrs. Ham and Olmask of Westinghouse have been working closely with Trust Territory officials during the last few weeks in making final selections for Micronesian language teachers and informants.

500 PEACE CORPSMEN NOW IN TRAINING

From August to the middle of November approximately 300 Peace Volunteers Corps/will be in training at Key West and an additional 250 will be in training at Molokai. From these trainees a total of 450 will be selected as follows: 196 teachers (for both public and private schools), 111 public health workers and 117 specialists in the following fields of work:

1. Community Development

Development Advisors	18
Youth Workers	12
Architects-Planners	6
Grat-in-Aid Enginners	6

2. Land Management

Surveyors	19
Law Compilers	11

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3. Construction and Public Works Training	
Civil Engineers	6
Construction Specialists	19
4. Legal	
Legal Advisors	6
5. Economic Development	
Small Business Advisors	6
6. Clerical	
Secretaries	7

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