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TRUST TERRITORY REPRESENTATIVES TO ATTEND  
EDUCATIONAL PLANNING CONFERENCE

Saipan, Mariana Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, Sept. 2 . . . Four Trust Territory participants in an Educational Planning Conference for a Pacific regional educational laboratory are scheduled to leave on September 11 for Hawaii. They are James Hawkins, Assistant Commissioner for Community Services; Carl Daeufer, Coordinator for Secondary Education; Howard Kerstetter, Marianas District Educational Administrator; and, James LaForest, Radio Broadcast Officer. They will be joined one week later by Thomas Hale, elementary teacher, Palau; Gerald Craddock, Adult Education Supervisor, Palau; and Petrus Tun, high school teacher, Yap.

The conference has been called by the U.S. Office of Education to explore the feasibility of establishing a Pacific regional educational laboratory. This laboratory would attack educational problems common to the Pacific peoples.

Participants have been invited to attend from the Trust Territory, Guam, American Samoa, the Armed Forces Dependents Schools in the Pacific, and various educational institutions in Hawaii.

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PEACE CORPS DIRECTOR SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE

Saipan, Mariana Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, Sept. 2 . . . John Pincetich, Peace Corps Director for the Trust Territory is scheduled to arrive in Saipan Monday, September 12, according to Peace Corps officials here.

Mr. Pincetich joined the Peace Corps in 1965 and went to Nigeria as District Director. Prior to that he had worked 12 years with ~~Watson~~ Navigation Company. He is a former reporter for the Portland Oregonian and the Honolulu Star-Bulletin.

Mr. Pincetich will be accompanied by his wife, the former Marjorie Dale Chessman of Portland, Oregon. They have 19-year-old twin sons, Michael and Daniel.

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