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SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE HIGH COMMISSIONER ARRIVES

Saipan, Mariana Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, Mar. 21 . . . James C. Flannery of Shenandoah, Pennsylvania, arrived in Saipan on March 18 to assume the post of Special Assistant to the High Commissioner.

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Prior to coming to the Trust Territory, Mr. Flannery served 12 years with the Government of American Samoa, the last five years as Special Assistant to the Governor. In that capacity he conducted liaison with department heads, officials of the Department of the Interior, and other federal agencies, and assisted in the formulation of economic, political, social and educational programs for the islands.

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While with the Government of American Samoa he served as Director of the Department of Administrative Services, Territorial Treasurer, Internal Auditor, and teacher in the Department of Commerce, and financial advisor to the school system.

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Prior to that, Mr. Flannery served with the Quartermaster General's Office in North Africa, and the Corps of Engineers in Greece as Project Auditor on the rehabilitation of roads, ports, airfields and railroads. He is a graduate of Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Mr. Flannery's wife Betsy will join him in Saipan next week.

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