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ROY COBB APPOINTED DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

Governor H. Rex Lee has announced from Washington that Roy Cobb, supervisor of teacher training, is appointed deputy director of education. The appointment was effective January 30.

Cobb will retain his teacher training position until a successor is named in the near future, according to Dr. John Harold, director of education. When that successor is named, Cobb will move to a new office near the television studio building.

In connection with his new position, Cobb has been made a federal Civil Service employee. Governor Lee's purpose in switching Cobb from a Government of American Samoa contract employee status to a federal Civil Service status is to bring continuity to American Samoa's education system. -- specifically, to encourage staff personnel to consider the local education effort in a long-range view rather than in terms of two-year employment contracts.

Cobb and his wife, Mildred, who is assistant director for elementary education, are natives of Louisville, Kentucky. They came in early February 1964 -- the first stateside educators to arrive here in connection with the educational television project. Cobb's first assignment was principal of Nua Consolidated School.

Cobb, a graduate of Western Kentucky State University, has done graduate work at Duke University, the University of Chicago, and the University of Louisville. He has 31 years of experience teaching at all levels. Before coming to Samoa, he was a "starter principal" at several new elementary schools that were using instructional television.

He was a Navy officer during World War II, participating in most of the major invasions in the Pacific.

SAMOAN MARINE FROM VATIA KILLED IN VIET NAM

Word was received from the U.S. Marine Corps yesterday that Marine Sergeant Unifareti Saleaumua, formerly of Vatia, has been killed in Viet Nam. General Wallace M. Greene, Jr., commandant of the Marine Corps, said Sergeant Saleaumua died February 16 in the vicinity of Quang Ngam after suffering a gunshot wound in his chest.

Sergeant Saleaumua, about 32 years old, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tevi Saleaumua; his father is the pulenu'u of Vatia. He attended the High School of American Samoa and moved to San Diego, California, in about 1954. He is survived by his wife, Falepouliuli, formerly of Masausi village, and four children.

Sergeant Saleaumua is unofficially the fourth Samoan to die in Viet Nam. At least 14 other Samoans have recovered after being wounded in combat.

TV FOR TONIGHT: CHANNEL 2: (7:00) Friendly Giant (7:15) News (Samoan) (7:30) Lucy Show: "The Bank" (7:56) What's New (8:25) Bonanza: "Honor of Cochise"

CHANNEL 4: (7:00) News (English) (7:15) Friendly Giant (7:30) Hennessey: "Hennessey Meets Honey Boy" (7:56) People: Audrey Meadows (8:10) N.E.T. Victoria Regina - Summer (10:09) News (English)

TV FOR SATURDAY: (7:00) Bugs Bunny (7:22) Alakazam: "Conky Comes To Alakazam" (7:44) Great Adventure: "Siege of Boonesborough" (8:41) Disney Feature: "Tonka" (10:18) America: "Washington State".

LEGISLATIVE GROUP IN MANU'A ISLANDS TO DISCUSS WELFARE PROBLEMS

Legislative discussions concerning welfare problems of the people of Manu'a were scheduled to begin today in Manu'a.

A legislative observation party arrived in Manu'a yesterday, according to a joint announcement made by Senate President A. P. Lauvao-Lolo and House Speaker Muagututi'a F. Tuia.

The observation party will work from Fitiuta toward Olosega and Ofu, and will discuss with the chiefs and people of Manu'a the welfare problems they may have. The observers are scheduled to return to Tutuila later this week.

Meanwhile, the legislative leaders announced their offices are prepared to assist members of the American Samoa Senate and House on proposed measures they may have for the coming session.

FINAL TRYOUTS MONDAY NIGHT FOR PLAY

If you would like to try your hand at dramatics, why not turn out at the final audition night for the Island Community Theater's next production, "Teahouse of the August Moon?" The final auditions will be held starting at 8 p.m. Monday.

Keith Gordon, director of the production, said this play will not require as busy a rehearsal schedule as has been demanded by previous productions. Players will not be required to rehearse five nights a week.

"Teahouse of the August Moon" is a comedy involving many roles. The production will be presented in Lee Auditorium April 14 and 15.

THREE POLICEMEN LEAVE FOR TRAINING IN HAWAII

Three officers of the American Samoa Police Department have left for Honolulu, where they will participate in a six-week officers' training course at the Honolulu Police Academy.

The three officers are Sergeant John F. Togiola, Patrolman Michael Salā, and Patrolman Talalelei Tulafono.

This is the second group of American Samoan police officers to participate in training with the Honolulu Police Department. The first group, consisting also of three officers, went three years ago.

LICENSE APPLICATION RECEIPT IS NOT SAME AS DRIVER'S LICENSE

Commissioner of Public Safety Dewey Allen noted today that the "driver's license authorization" received after applying for a driver's license is not what it might imply -- an authorization to drive. He reminds the public that no one may drive a motor vehicle unless he has an actual driver's license -- not the application receipt -- in his possession.

Those who have applied for a new three-year driver's license but haven't stopped in at the Revenue Office to pay the \$6, must do so by next Tuesday or be faced with having to apply for a license all over again.

FISHERIES OFFICERS TO BUY FISHING BOAT FOR AMERICAN SAMOA

American Samoa has taken the first step toward exploring the possibilities of developing a local fishing industry.

James R. Holloway, fisheries division supervisor of the Department of Agriculture, has left for a two-week business visit in Honolulu and Hilo, Hawaii.

Holloway will be joined by Shinichi Yamamoto, newly-appointed captain-fisherman of the fisheries division. Together, they will purchase a fishing boat suitable for use in Samoa, and arrange for its shipment to Pago Pago. They will also purchase fishing gear.