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Roy Howard, Five Others, On Philippines Clipper

(By telegraph to Editor & Publisher)

ALAMEDA, Calif., Oct. 14—Three rewspapermen were aboard the Philippines Clipper that left at 3:18 P.M. today for Manila.

The Pan-American plane will pick up a fourth publisher at Honolulu,

the first stop.

The Hawaiian Clipper, bearing H. R. Ekins, Scripps-Howard representative in the globe-trotting race, is scheduled to pass the Philippines Clipper somewhere out over the Pacific between Hawaii and Midway Islands. Newspapermen aboard the Philippines Clipper as it headed west today were: Roy W. Howard, editor, New York World-Telegram; Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth (Texas) Startelegram, and Paul Patterson, Baltimore Sun.

Among those scheduled to join the party in Honolulu for the rest of the flight were Edward Swasey, American Weekly; James Stahlman, Nashville (Tenn.) Banner, and Thomas Beck, president, Crowell Publishing Company.

Original plans for extension of the Philippines Clipper's trip to include an exploratory trip to China were changed today by decision of J. T. Trippe, Pan-American president, who is host to the publishers and others on preview journey.

Unless this decision is changed fol-

lowing arrival in Manila, the flight will not extend beyond the Philippines. The China Clipper, bearing five reporters on an inaugural flight to Manila, left Guam for the Philippines Thursday, Guam time. The newspapermen met Ekins at Guam and expected to greet Dorothy Kilgallen and Leo Kieran in Manila.