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Jefferson Caffery

CAIRO, Aug. 8 (Reuters)—Jefferson Caffery, United States Ambassador to Egypt and the oldest United States career diplomat, will retire from the Foreign Service next January, an Embassy spokesman said here today.

Mr. Caffery, who is 68, has had forty-three years' diplomatic service, the last five in Cairo. He was Ambassador in Paris from 1944 to 1949.

He will be replaced here by Henry Byroade, Assistant Secretary of State for Middle East Affairs.

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