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Tacoma Community College's campus -- just 150 acres of scotch broom four years ago -- will be dedicated Feb. 15-17. Students, faculty, staff and board of trustees have helped plan the dedication events.... Campus dedication will be held at 2 p.m. Feb. 16 in the Physical Education Building. Dr. Richard Gray, Madison Wis., will speak on the dedication theme, "Education in an Urban Society." Dean of Students Richard C. Falk will preside at the ceremony honoring many of the people who have contributed to the development and growth of TCC.... Special dedication ceremonies for the Fine Arts Building are scheduled for 8 p.m. Feb. 15. The ceremony will start in the adjacent 335-seat Little Theater Building. TCC concert band and choir will perform, and Joe Lassoie, deputy superintendent of Tacoma Public Schools, will preside. Then the audience will move to the Fine Arts Building (which houses music and art classes) for a reception, exhibit of student art and an unveiling of the dedicatory plaque.... The TCC faculty and representatives of many other colleges in the state will appear in academic regalia at the formal installation of Thornton M. Ford s TCC president at 11 a.m. Feb. 16 in the Little Theater Building. Governor Daniel J. Evans will take part in the program honoring Dr. Ford, who was named president of TCC in 1964. Dr. Paul E. Jacobson, dean of instruction at TCC, will preside... A special program about TCC's 19-building campus will be aired over KTPS-TV, Channel 62, at 12:20 and 8:30 p.m. Feb. 14. The Tacoma News Tribune will carry a supplement about the campus Feb. 13.

Two more courses have been added to TCC's roster of community service offerings. A five-week course in the ideas of controversial communications theorist Marshall McLuhan will be taught from 7 to 9 Monday nights, beginning Feb. 12, by Dale Wirsing, TCC communications instructor. The fee: \$5.... Jack Rosenow, Tacoma attorney, will be panel chairman for a 10-week lecture series on "You and the Law" that will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays and begins Feb. 13. The fee: \$10. Application forms are available from H. J. Schafer, director of community services at TCC. Response to the first four no-credit, no-grades, no red-tape community service courses has been encouraging. 98 persons enrolled.

NEWS ABOUT PEOPLE: Mrs. Ann Sundgren has been appointed instructor in Sociology. She has taught for four years at the University of Washington, where she received a master of arts in sociology in 1965... Bob Thaden, admissions and financial aids officer, is one of 18 community college officials in the nation chosen to attend a three-week institute on "The Urban Community College" Feb. 5-23 at Calif. State College at Los Angeles. The institute is financed under terms of the National Defense Education Act... President Thornton M. Ford and Board of Trustees Chairman Charles L. Edmunds will attend the 48th annual convention of the American Assoc. of Junior Colleges Feb. 26-March 1 in Boston.

TCC's McNeil Island Inmates Program is looking for an angel. The program provides courses the prison and is designed to aid in rehabilitation of inmates. Estimated deficit for this year is \$2,000. Contributions will be welcome.

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