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WESTERN WARRIOR

"B" TEAM

KEEP

ON

WINNING

For a kid who has never played football before in his life, his first outing and all during practice he has always managed to cross the goal line.

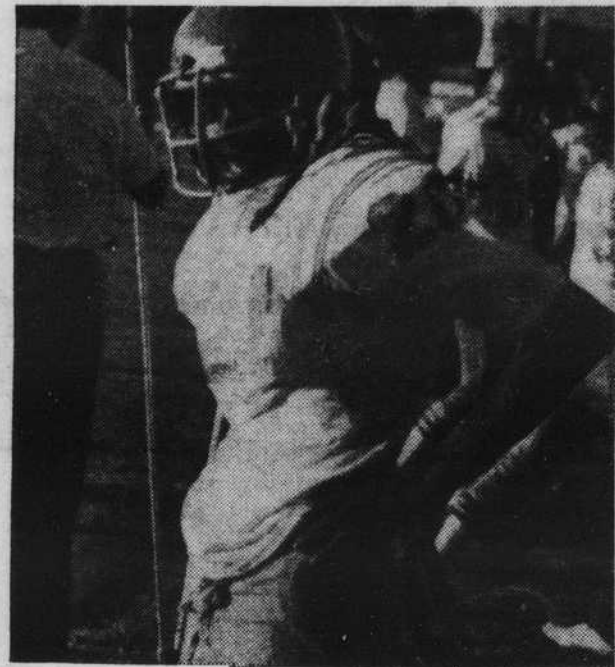
Since football season has been open and he made the team, he has made a touchdown and an extra point in each and every game and has rushed for more than 170 yards a game. He carries the football anywhere from 20 to 25 times.

Number 34, the fullback who runs with Marvin is also a fantastic back, but they realize that it is because they have good coaches and a good offensive team that blocks well for them.

Because of a history of illness, Marvin's mother felt that he shouldn't go out for football. He has proven to his family that he can and will play.

I believe that the coaches should look at him as a Varsity prospect because this is his first year of ever playing football in his whole life but that comes from pure self determination and strong will power.

The Las Vegas VOICE newspaper would like to thank the coaches for helping him to get this far, for he has a lot of good football years ahead of him.



MARVIN BELL, JR., son of Sandra L. Albert

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If anyone wants flyers of real estate news or any other brochures, we will do the same as we did the real estate news for Toler Realty.

Warden Poque for New Facility at Jean

This reporter interviewed Edward Poque, Warden of the new Prison facility at Jean, which is due to open January 3, 1978.

The feelings are that the opening of the facility at Jean will relieve some of the pressure at Carson City by taking 1/3 of the inmates from Carson City and transferring them to Jean. The transfer will take approximately 4-5 months.

The first group to be transferred to Jean will be 25 inmates from the Clark County Jail, and 25 from Carson City, who are from the Las Vegas area. These men will do the final clean-up of the area, plant grass, clean cottages, etc. and generally get the area ready for the rest of the men. Then every 3-4 weeks another 50 will be transferred until a total of 450 men are housed at Jean.

Jean is a facility for Young Adult Male Felony Offenders between the ages of 18-27, with an average of 2-3 years to serve.

The Work Release Center on Highland Ave. will be phased out, and the Work Release program will be operated from the facility at Jean. At the present time there are approximately 15 men on Work Release out of the Highland Ave. office. After Jean is in full operation, they expect to have 25-30 on work release.

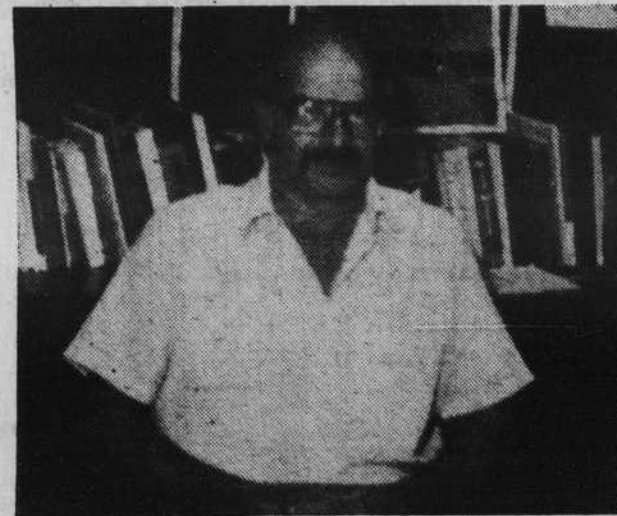
The rest of the men will work full shifts at jobs available to them. Some of the possibilities are a detergent plant; a horticulture department; a light weight assembly for electronics or other plants; or a recycling plant for waste food and other material. Some of the men would work for the Forestry Service, or on Highway Construction.

Long time prison terms, men considered dangerous to other people, and hard core men would be placed in Carson City, with the possibility of serving the last 2 years of their sentence at Jean.

Hobby Shops would be open only during leisure hours, and not be a full time operation as it is now, or rather as it was, in Carson City, due to the lack of work for the overcrowded facility.

Mr. Poque stated that he was contemplating hiring ex-offenders as Guards at Jean. He stated that the man would be hired on his ability to relate to the inmates, the length of time he/she had been out, and their work history. Just the fact that he/she was an ex-offender was not recommendation enough, but would be one of the considerations.

The men at Jean will be living 25 to a cottage, each living in a private room. Maybe this will alleviate some of the agonistic feelings among the inmates.



Edward Poque

ORIGINAL DEFECTIVE