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Dear Dr. Hester,

My husband and I spent the week-end
in Lando and were delighted to read the
enclosed news story. Congratulations - ~~very~~
mercado! Would like very much to be there
at the presentation, so will try my best to make it.

I have just returned from a short,
month-long, tour of China. Their problem
seem unsurmountable, however, if they don't
succeed in over-coming them it will not
be for lack of trying. Les rencontres tantôt
simpáticas - muy pocas a nuestra gente,
los niños - amables, en sus modos.

Best regards,

Virginia L

'Senores Internacional' announced

The composer of the song "Guadalajara" and the founder of the American G.I. Forum have been named the 1980 recipients of the coveted "Senor Internacional" awards.

The awards are annually presented by LULAC Council No. 12 to individuals from both sides of the border who have distinguished themselves not only in their own country but have also attained international fame.

This year's recipients are famed Mexican composer Pepe Guizar and Dr. Hector P. Garcia of Corpus Christi.

The honorees will receive plaques at a gala presentation Thursday, Feb. 21, in the civic center ballroom.

The reception and dance has been hosted by Council No. 12 for the past several years as part of the Washington's Birthday Celebration.

Past recipients include Mexican comedian Mario Moreno "Cantinflas," U.S. Representative Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio, Don Francisco Javier Sauza of Guadalajara, Jose Silva of Laredo, Mexican television host Raul Velasco and former New Mexico Gov. Jerry Apodaca.

Council 12 president Carlos Villarreal said he is pleased Guizar and Dr. Garcia have accepted the honor.

"Don Pepe Guizar is known throughout Latin America and the United States for the tremendous musical contributions he has made," Villarreal said.

"Likewise," Villarreal added, "Dr. Garcia is esteemed by Hispanics for his invaluable contributions not only to the people of this state but the entire country."

Tickets to the "Senor Internacional" presentation are \$12.50 per person, or \$25 per couple, or \$75 per table and can be obtained from any Council 12 member or at Joe De Anda's Distinctive Clothes, 1305 Hidalgo.

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Tecos await spring

Nuevo Laredo's Tecolotes are eyeing a Mexican League Pennant in 1980 and you'll find an in depth look at their prospects on Page 2B in today's News.

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Weather

Mostly cloudy and cool with a 20 percent chance of showers tonight. High today the upper 50s. Northerly winds 10-15 mph. Sunrise: 7:27. Sunset: 6:15.

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