

## LIBRARY DRIVE

#### **VOICES OF FT. CLARK**



The Voices of Fort Clark Choir gave the second half of the Centennial Program covering the years from 1886 to 1975. The narrator is Mrs. Edgar Kent, who researches and writes her narrations. It has been interesting to all to see Fort Clark take their respective place in our history.

#### FIVE AREA ROTARY CLUBS HOLD INTERNATIONAL MEET AT ALAMO VILLAGE



Over 180 Rotarians and their wives attended an Annual "Conclave" at Alamo Village on August 28.

Pictured above are: host, "Happy" Shahan, Dave Smith, Rotary International Director, (also the Voice of the Southwest Conference) five Rotary Club Presidents from Peidras Negras; Del Rio; Eagle Pass; Cd. Acuna; Brackettville and Rotary District Governor, Floyd Harriman.

The Brackettville Club hosted this International Friendship gathering with a Bar-B-Que and entertainment by the Alamo Village Players.

Roatary International Director Dave Smith welcomed Brackettville's newest member, B.E. Sweet, into Rotary.



Mr. Paul O'Rourke, Mrs. Charlotte Golemon, and Mrs. Allen Breaux, presided at a Library meeting Wednesday night, that was attended by approximately forty (40) area residents.

The need for Library Funds was the main topic (You will notice books stacked on the floor in the background caused by the lack of funds for even materials for the book cases --- the labor is donated.) The Library will start it's Annual Fund raising drive, this week.

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Representatives appointed to the
Legislative Council by the Speaker.
In addition, five (5) Senators are
appointed by the Lieutenant Governor.
Each will serve for the next twelve
months.

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#### METHODIST SERVICES

This Sunday, September 7th, the United Methodist Church of Brackett-ville will hold it's Services at 3:00 p.m., instead of 11:00 a.m. Our District Superintendent, Dr. Will-Matthis Dunn, will bring the message, "The Maturing Process of Love," which will be based on pasages from I John: 3 and 4. Holy Communion will be served.

Dr. Dunn is a native Texan, his father having served as a Nethodist pastor for over 40 years in Southwest Texas. He holds a degree from Southwestern University, Candler School of Theology, Drew Theological Seminary, and Union Theological Seminary. He was awarded the Ph.D. degree from Drew in 1951. He served as a Naval Chaplin from 1943-1949 and holds the "Distinguished Unit Citation" for service aboard the USS Coral Sea---CVE-57.

A reception honoring Dr. and Mrs. Dunn will be held immediately following the service.

MOBILES

ANTENNAS

Next Sunday, September 14th, we will return to our usual 11:00 a.m. Service, with Dr. Nicholas Duncan, a Del Rio Lawyer, as our guest speaker.

# COMMENTS from THE SAGEBRU

You thing the prices of apples, peaches and other fresh fruit is so high, you'll grow your own? That's great! It's time to begin thinking about planting trees. It is best to plant them as soon as they go dormant and are ready to dig.

There are a number of things to remember. The main thing is to plant trees that will bear fruit in this area. Don't be fooled by advertising that say "all these trees will produce in this area" and then lists trees with a familiar name or a fruit you like. If you want to grow applesmore to the mountains of New Mexico or North, North, North..... In spite of newpaper advertising apples will not produce in this area. They must have more cold weather. There is in the offeringan apple that will likely bear fruit here...but not yet.

Some brands of peaches do well here Babcock, Chilow and best of all the Leona. If any peaches produce here these will---you'll waste your time with Elberta, Early Elberta, Hale and many others. Varieties of Plums that do well well here are Excelsior Mariposa, and Santa Rosa. For pears try Douglas, Improved Kieffer, Monterrey. In our area if you like apricots try Royal, Moorpark or Blenheim.

It is best to buy balled and burlapped trees. There's less chance of loss of the tree by careless handling. There is less root disturbance, also. If you plant good healthy trees that are balled and burlapped and plant them early----DECEMBER----you should have some peaches, plums, and apricots the first year, pears take longer.

Like anything else, the trees grown, developed and produced in this area and for this area do better.

V.F.W.

The Local V.F.W. Post will hold a meeting September 17th, at 8:00p.m. at Luna's Lounge.

The V.F.W. is persuing possiblies of a Ladies Auxiliary.

Mr. David Luna attended a V.F.W. meeting at the Del Rio Post on August 27th.

At the last meeting on August 20th Disrict Commander Rudy Proctor from Hondo attended to congratulate the local Post on its formation.

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#### BRACKETT **HAPPENINGS**

LILLIE MAE DIMERY

Sunday, August 31, was Annual Women's Day at the St. John Baptist Church. The Theme was "Black Women Meeting Missionary Needs in a Changing World." Scriptures: Hebrews 11:2, James 2:17 Theme Song: "When the Morning Comes" Miss Charles E. Wilson, Chairlady--Guest Speaker, for 11:00 a.m. Services was Sister Thelma McKnight, of Westridge Park Baptist Church, San Antonio. Guest Speaker, for the 3:00p.m. Service, was Sister Jessie Mae Johnson of New Hope Baptist Church San Antonio. Guest Soloist for the Day was our own hometown girl, she now lives in San Antonio, her Pastor is Rev. Cunningham, of that city, ----Sister N.K.Perry\_-- better known as "Kelly".

Guest from Del Rio were: Mrs. Rose Payne; Mrs. Eva Mae Griffins. Mrs. L. Williams, Mrs. Ophelia Benson; Mrs. Maggie, Mrs. Bernice Watson; Mr and Mrs. W.G. Warrior; Tony Warrior; and Mr. Jackson. From San Antonio

were the following: Mr. and Mrs. James Ponditexter; Michell and Scotty. From Sequin, Mrs. Dolores Warrior. From Jersulem Temple, Brackettville,

Mr. L. Vasquas; Mrs. Cerilla Daniels; and Mrs. Charlotte Wright. From Mr. Gleardin Baptist Church, Mrs. Annie Wilso. Rev. Eddie Smith of San Antonio was a guest of the Women's Day Program.

Seen aroung town was Mr. Arthur Goodloe and daughter of California, Also Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Goodloe and daughter of Big Lake. Ronnie Warrior and Terry Perry of Houston, MR. Hardin Payne of Del Rio , Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Warrior and Sons, Howard and Billy, of Sequin.

Mrs. Della Lee of San Antonio is visiting her Sister, Mrs. Edith Perryman. Also a guest of Mrs. Perryman was her Grandson, Olen, Jr. and Arnold Williams.

Mrs. Evelyn Best is home from the hospital in San Antonio.

Mrs. Cerilla Ward is home from the Del Rio Hospital. \*\*\*\*\*

Mr. Paul Revels spent the day, September 2nd, in San Antonio, on business.



Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Young, of Brackettville are proud parents of twin boys, James Floyd and Christopher Robert. James standing 17½ inches tall and weighing 5 lbs. 2oz. and Christropher at 17 inches tall and

weighing 4 lbs. 11 oz.

The twins were born at the Val Verde Memorial Hospital in Del Rio.

The pround grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Young and Mrs Dorothy Nelparker.

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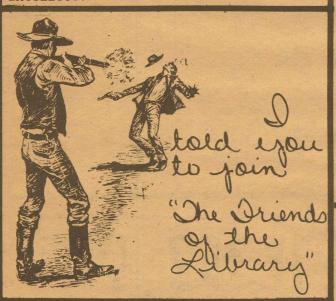
**DEVIL RIDER** 

#### Between Us by: JOE TOWNSEND

As came out of Alamo Village recently I noticed a car stopped in the middle of the road. A man and boy were standing in the ditch by the side of the car. Another car came up from the opposite direction and stopped. Then I noticed the boy throwing rocks at something in the ditch. It dawned upon me they were trying to kill something--proably a snake. I pulled around and asked the newly arrived man what was up. He said "It's a coach whip."

From the license number of the stopped can I knew it was from a big city in Texas. I could imagine the excitment stirred a new over and over as the boy tells his friends of the big snake they killed out on a ranch.

What a pity the father didn't know enough to tell the boy it not only was a harmless snake bur a helpful one. All daddy knew was that it was a snake and so should be killed. I can understand anyone killing a rattlesnake or a coral snake or any poisonous snake but to kill a snake just because it's a snake is tragic The best deterrent to rats, mice and many insects and rodents is the presences of helpful snakes. Every snake should be judged and treated on a basis of what that particular snake is and does. This applies to human beings also. No man deserves special treatment because he is part of a group. He should not be treated better or worse than any other just because he belongs to a particular group, race, political party, or social class. Any person who demands special treatment for himself or his group thus admits to an inferior intellect.



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SEPT. 18	Batesville	Jr. Hi.	There	6:00
SEPT. 18	rocksprings	J.V.	Here	6:00
SEPT. 25	Sabinal	Jr. Hi & J.V.	There	5:30
OCT. 2	Nueces Canyon	JR.Hi.	Here	6:00
OCT. 9	Dilley	Jr. Hi & J.V.	Here	5:30
OCT. 16	Batesville	Jr.Hi.	Here	5:30
OCT 16	Uvalde	J.V.	Here	7:00
OCT 23	Nueces Canyon	Jr. Hi.	There	6:00
OCT 23	Rocksprings	J.V.	There	6:00
OCT 30	Sabinal	Jr. Hi & J.V.	Here	5:30
NOV. 4(Tues,)	Asherton	Jr. Hi & J.V.	Here	5:30

### Soil Conservation by: Howard Ragsdale

#### **NEW TRAINEE ARRIVES HERE**



Ricardo Ruiz, from Eagle Pass, has been assigned to the Soil Conservation Service office in Brackettville. Here he will receive training as a Range Conservationist with the SCS.

Ricardo graduated from Texas A and I University in Kingsville, last month. There he received a B.S. degree in Range Management.

He and his wife, Dora, moved to Brackettville last week.

#### BETA SIGMA PHI

The Brackettville Beta Sigma Phi members have had an active summer and look forward to a busy new club year.

During the summer recess, various committees met to plan chapter activities for the coming year. Luncheons, dinners, and rushee parties highlight the social calendar while several ways and means projects have been planned to raise moneys for the many charitable and service projects of the Chapter.

Many of Brackett's citizens supported Beta's money making projects last year, for the furniture, drapes and lamps for the Clinic.

#### Alpha Epsilon Psi

The Alpha Epsilon Chapter of
Beta Sigma Phi held their annual
"Kick-Off" Luncheon, Tuesday,
August 26 at the Brackettville
Country Club. In honor of the
new Club theme "Let Heritage Ring"
the table was decorated in red, white
and blue, also, the members wore
patriotic colors. The new chapter
handbooks were presented to each
member along with the new program
books. The new club year promises
to be busy, interesting and exciting.

Present at the luncheon were:
Laura Latham, Genelle Hobbs, Darlene
Shahan, Paula Ragsdale, Marty Miears,
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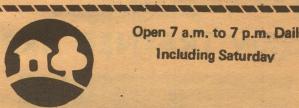
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