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New Dial Telephone System Now In Operation In Carbon Area

Johnson Smith Asks Support In Formal Statement



JOHNSON SMITH

Johnson Smith has issued a formal statement in connection with his campaign for re-election as County Clerk, as follows:

"In seeking re-election to the office of County Clerk, it has been my purpose to personally see every citizen in Eastland County. It has been most gratifying and encouraging to see the enthusiastic interest shown in behalf of my candidacy.

"I am a veteran of World War II, am married and have two daughters whom most of you have met or have seen helping my wife and me during this campaign.

"I have no campaign promise other than the one I made you when elected County Clerk, and that was to devote my full time to keeping the records of this very important office up to date at all times.

"I wish to personally thank all the enthusiastic supporters and the many people who avail themselves of the services of the office of County Clerk, for the many complimentary remarks concerning the efficient manner in which the affairs of this office are run.

"When you go to the polls on July 26th I would sincerely appreciate the same vote of confidence that you have given me in the past."

Mrs. O. Stone, who has been ill in the Eastland Hospital for some time, has been moved home and her daughter, Mrs. Tom Ireland, and daughter, Janice, of Lubbock are visiting in the home.

You are now on dial telephone. The dial system installation has been completed and was put into operation Tuesday, July 22, for Carbon and surrounding community.

Mr. Stephens, owner of the system, stated in his ad this week certain things for you to do, and a supplement directory has been mailed to each subscriber. Read the full instructions carefully as it will explain how the Dial system will work. Dial 'O' for long distance or trouble in telephone.

All telephone lines are made of metallic which is the latest in telephonic.

Mr. Stephens stated that the system is the latest equipment and has already proven successful in three other towns, Olden, Deidemona and De Leon where the same system has been in operation for the past four years.

He also stated that the entire network will be connected with the Bell Telephone System. Remember if your telephone does not work satisfactorily, dial 'O' and report it to the operator who will notify Mr. Stephens and the trouble will be quickly acknowledged.

Large Crowd Attends Barbecue

A large crowd attended the annual barbecue held by the Sabana Valley Game Preserve Association Tuesday night.

Pete Tyrone, who was master of ceremonies for the entertainment, had the Al Anderson Melody boys of Cisco present who furnished the music.

He then introduced Pop Garrett who was chairman of the candidate speaking. Each candidate was introduced and given five minutes to state their platform.

There were people from all parts of the county present and the food, prepared by the ladies whose husbands are members of the Game Preserve and the barbecue, prepared by Slick Walker, was enjoyed by everyone present.

R. P. Browder was in Austin on business last Friday.

Continued Work For Economy Is Brashear Pledge

State Representative Paul Brashear promised to continue his efforts to obtain for the 76th Legislative District and the State of Texas the maximum in good government for a minimum outlay of tax dollars in a formal statement this week in connection with his bid for re-election.

Mr. Brashear announced last January that he would run again, promising to issue a formal statement later. He is now completing his second term as a member of the Legislature.

During the 54th Legislature, his first term, Mr. Brashear served on a number of important committees, including the Military and Veterans Affairs, Agriculture, and Penitentiaries committees. In the 55th Legislature, Mr. Brashear served as chairman of the Military and Veterans Affairs committee. He was also a member of the State Hospitals and Special Schools, Liquor Regulations, Oil, Gas and Mining committees.

Mr. Brashear is a native of the 76th District, having been born at Atwell in Callahan County in 1917. He is married to the former Helen Ray of the Stanton community. They have two daughters — Ann Etta, who is married and lives in Abilene, and Sarah, who attends the Cisco Schools. They have one grand daughter.

A veteran of U. S. Army duty in World War II, Mr. Brashear is an active member of the American Legion. He was recently appointed to serve a 6-year term of the American Legion's Legislative Committee, a statewide body. He is currently chairman of this committee.

Mr. Brashear's education includes graduation from high school, Ranger Junior College, Junior College and a business college in Austin.

In private life, Mr. Brashear is an insurance man and a farmer. He began farming as a boy and has owned and operated farms in Eastland and Callahan counties all of his life. He currently owns a farm in Callahan county. His extensive knowledge of farm and soil conservation resulted from several years as an employee of the U. S. Department of Agriculture soil conservation service units in Eastland and adjoining counties.

Prior to his election as a state representative, Mr. Brashear served as secretary in the House of Representatives and as assistant sergeant-at-arms of the Texas Senate, gaining valuable experience in Legislative procedure. He spent three years as manager of the Chamber of Commerce in Cisco, a post he resigned in order to devote more time to his legislative duties and to enter the insurance business.

"During my two terms of office I will continue to work for the betterment of the state and the people of the district."

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Richard Cox Gives Platform In Clerk's Race



RICHARD COX ... seeking promotion

Richard Cox, candidate for district clerk, today issued the following statement:

Some weeks ago I made formal announcement for the office of district clerk. I am presently your county treasurer. I am seeking promotion solely on my merits. If you will elect me to this office for one term, and I come up to your expectation as a public official I will seek a Second-Term and No More. There are many capable and worthy young men and women who would like to seek this office and therefore I say to you that I have no desire whatsoever to violate this principle of Democracy, by staying in this office longer than Two Terms.

I am a veteran of World War II and Korean Conflict having served more than Four Years with the Navy Air Force. Three years of this time was spent overseas at the Ranger Junior College, and now a graduate student at Abilene, completing work on a bachelor of business administration degree.

I point to you with pride the manner in which I have conducted the Office of County Treasurer, and I assure you as your District Clerk, I will make you an efficient and trusted official, and I positively assure you if you give me this one chance to serve you as District Clerk I will refuse an assistant and should there be need of any part time work to keep up with the duties of this office, it will not cost the Tax-Payers one penny. By handling the duties of this office by myself there would be a saving to the tax-payers of Eastland County \$11,200 for the four year term. The Court could use this money to pay underpaid clerical help in other departments.

May I point out to you that the duties of the District Clerk are administrative. The statutes directs this official what he can and can not do. So to come up to your expectation I would comply with the

Primary Election Saturday, July 26

The July Primary election will be held Saturday, July 26. There will be six contests in county and precinct level.

In the Representatives race, three candidates, Paul Brashear, Omar Burkett and C. H. Dawson will be on the ballot and in the Commissioners race will be B. M. Bennett, A. M. Thurman and M. E. "Buck" Foster for precinct 2.

In the county races you will find for County Judge John S. Hart and Clyde Garrett. For District Clerk Roy L. Lane and Richard C. Cox, For County Clerk Johnson Smith and Arlton E. Smith.

Buck Foster Makes Statement In Com. Race

To the voters of precinct 2

I wish to make this statement:

If elected as your commissioner, I pledge to do the best for the voters of this precinct that is in my ability to do so. To consider the precinct as a whole and to give each locality my time and precinct equipment of their service. To consider each phase of road repair and to do the job as fast and efficient as possible. It is my belief that each locality is entitled to the best roads that is possible under the conditions in that locality and I pledge that I will do my best to see that it is accomplished.

My promise to you is service.

Your vote and your influence is appreciated.

M. E. (Buck) Foster

Mrs. W. R. Richards of San Angelo and O. C. Richards of Abilene visited Stoker Richards and wife Sunday.

law in detail.

I say to each voter of Eastland County that the basic qualification of any Public Office is Honesty and Integrity, and I will assure you that I have always carried out that principle. It is my ambition to be District Clerk for all the people. I am dedicated to that end.

Your vote and support will be deeply appreciated on Saturday July 26.

A General Store

Make Our Store Your Shopping Center

Our efforts are to have what you want when you want it, Competitive prices, in each department
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Notions, Hardware, Electrical,
Paints, Glass, Etc

Carbon Trading Company

Dixie Drive-In

Hi-way 80—2 mi. east of Eastland
Box office opens 7:30
First showing 8:00
Box Office closes 10:00
Admission 50c
Children under 12 Free

Fri. Sat.

"Quantrell's Raiders"
Steve Cochran

Sun. Mon.

"The Sheepman"
Glenn Ford
Shirley MacLaine

Tues.

"Blood Arrow"
Scott Brady
Phyllis Coates

Wed. Thurs.

"Swamp Women"
Marie Windsor
Carole Matthews
Beverly Garland

Specials

Friday and Saturday

Kimbell Ole) 19c

Mrs Tuckers 3 lb 79c

Mellorine 1-2 gallon 59c

Frozen Strawberries 10 oz 19c

Tide, Giant Size 75c

Carbon Trading Company

Telephone PATRONS

This week we place your New Dial Telephone system into operation. If you are somewhat mechanically-minded, cut the old wires going to your old telephone. Just cut one wire at a time. Be sure it is the wire going from the block to your old telephone. Your new dial telephone won't work too good until the old telephone is removed.

All telephones will be fully selective, that is your telephone will ring only when they want you though you be on a party line. Suppose you want to dial someone on your line-just dial the number and hang up until the party called telephone rings then remove your receiver and start conversation. After you dial party on same line with you hang up for about 3-4 minute. This is done only when you want someone on your own line.

Read carefully the directions how to dial. If your dial telephone does not work, report it, as we of course will have some difficulties. Remember to dial number "O" for Long Distance. Also report any trouble to number "O".

Pay your bill to Mrs. Hays or mail to our office in De Leon, Texas. Always pay your bill by the 10th of each month as there will be a penalty after that time. We will pick up old telephones as soon as possible.

Respectfully
E. F. Stephens, Mgr.

Lighting the way of men to betterment is the finest profession known.

A U. S. Bureau of Labor was Slaughtering and meat packing is the most important industry

Benjamin Franklin was the first Postmaster of the United States.

Sitting Bull is buried at Standing Rock Agency, Fort Yates, North Dakota.

The Isle of Wight is in the English Channel.

A ranaculturist is a person who raises frogs for market use.

California is 770 miles long.

Gaucha is the name applied to the Argentine cowboy.

Lightening damages or destroys an average of about \$18,000,000 worth of property each year.

Dr. C. M. Cleveland
OPTOMETRIST

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(Pd. Pol Adv.)

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Methodist Church

Rev. John Wylie, pastor
Services each 2nd and 4th Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Youth meeting 6:30
Evening Services 7:30 p. m.
W.S. C.S. 2:30 p. m. Mon

Church Of Christ

Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Preaching 11:00 a. m.
Lord's Supper 11:40 a. m.
Preaching 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Bible Class 7:00 p. m.
You are invited to be with us at any time
Mitchell L. Embry, Minister.

A millennium is a period of a thousand years.

... Re Elect ...
JOHN C. WHITE
TEXAS
COMMISSIONER
of AGRICULTURE

EXPERIENCED
QUALIFIED
DEMOCRAT

He made Texas
"FIRST IN THE SOUTH"
In Modern Farm Laws
and Services!

Pol. Adv. Paid for by John C. White

Araname College at Goliad, Texas, closed its doors when the entire student body enlisted in the

The name, Minnesota, is derived from the two Sioux Indian words meaning "sky colored water."

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Needs
Expert and Courteous
Service At All Times

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Eastland, Texas

BILL BLAKLEY



Texans like a public official who is independent in his thinking and doesn't have to account for his actions to anyone except the voters themselves. William A. Blakley is such a man. Of his race for U. S. Senate, the Fort Arthur News says: "He entered this race by his own decision. He is beholden to nobody. He doesn't have to promise special interest groups anything and he wants to represent all of Texas, not any political splinter or fragment or faction above the rest..." A vote for Bill Blakley on July 26 is a vote for returning to Washington a man who will truly represent Texas.

BILL BLAKLEY for U.S. SENATE

Pol. Adv. Paid for by Jim Blundell

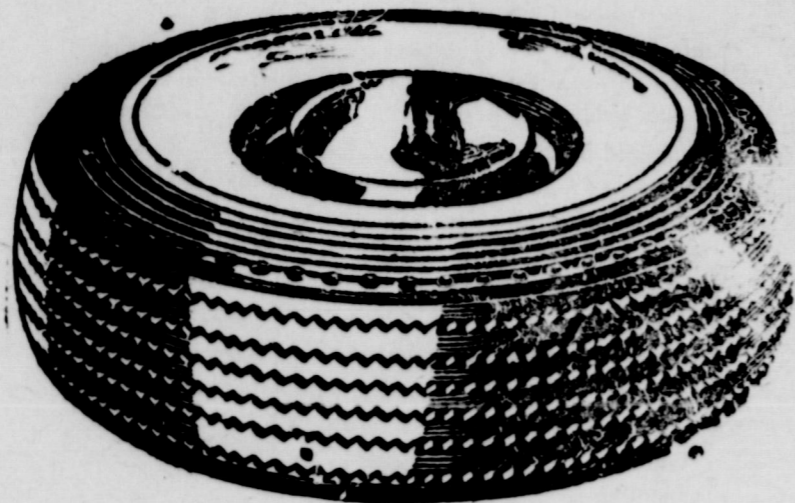
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We have on hand 6 slightly used
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3.95 Values Now 2.95
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Large selection of Dress Materials Prints, Sheers, Linens and many other kinds of Materials At Greatly Reduced Prices

Dacron Material 100 per cent 1.39 value 89c yd

Drip Dri Dots reg. 59c, sale 39c	Drip Dri Solids reg. 39c
Chicken Check Prints reg. 49c, sale 39c	Skirt Border Prints reg. 69c, sale, 49c
Drip Dri Sheers reg 59c, sale 39c	

Costume Jewelry Reduced To 1-2 Price

Higginbotham

Gorman, Texas

CITATION by PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas, Greeting: Love Shults, Guardian of the Estate of Ashel T. Shults, an incompetent having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the estate of said Ashel T. Shults, an incompetent numbered 1751 on the probate docket of Eastland County, together with an application to be discharged from said trust.

You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this Writ one time and said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof, same being August 4th 1958 in a newspaper printed in the County of Eastland you give due notice to all persons interested in the account for final settlement of said estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday the 4th day of August A. D. 1958 at the court house of said county, in Eastland Texas, when said

HALF HOUR Laundry Service
Automatic coin operated washers and dryers open 24 hours every day
WASHERS 20c per load
DRYERS 25c for 2 washer loads

LAUNDROMAT

In Old Top Cafe Bldg. Eastland, Texas

account and application will be acted upon by said court.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in the courthouse of Eastland, Texas this 18th day of July A. D. 1958

(Seal) Johnson Smith
Clark County Court Eastland County.

By Gail Parsons Deputy
I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original writ now in my hands.

J. B. Williams
Sheriff Eastland County.
By Guy Brogdon Deputy

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The Carbon Messenger Dated Thursday At Carbon Eastland County, Texas

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First Baptist Church

Rev. Roger Butler, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
J. E. Jackson, Superintendent
Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Evening worship 8:00 p. m.
W. M. U. Monday 2:00 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wed. 8:00 p. m.

Note: The Brotherhood will be glad to take the elderly people home from church morning and night.

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Complete Modern Funeral Home

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Gorman, Texas

On Tuesday, July 22, the section gang on the MK&F Railroad at De Leon and Cisco was cut off and a section established at Carbon. E. L. Laird of Cisco, being the oldest bidder in seniority, is serving as Foreman and J. C. Brownlee, who has been working at Rotan, is also stationed here, the gang consisting of only 2 men

Public Invited To Brush Summer-Long Revival

An "old-time brush arbor" revival is in progress on Highway 36 three miles east of Cross Plains. It is being conducted by Evangelist Leroy Richardson of Sacramento, Calif. The meetings are nondenominational and the public is welcome. Services begin each evening at 7:45. The meetings are expected to last during the summer.

Political Announcement

The Carbon Messenger has been authorized to announce candidates for public office in the Democratic First Primary election in July as follows:

- State Representative
PAUL BRASHEAR
OMAR BURKETT
- Eastland County Judge
JOHN HART (re-election)
CLYDE L. GARRETT
- Commissioner Precinct 2
B. M. BENNETT (re-election)
A. M. (Judge) THURMAN
M. E. "Buck" FOSTER
- County Clerk
JOHNSON SMITH (re-election)
ARLION E. SMITH
- District Clerk
ROY L. LANE (re-election)
RICHARD C. COX
- County School Superintendent
H. R. (POP) GARRETT
re-election

Notice

See me for satisfactory barber work. Your business is appreciated.

Floyd Jay, Gorman, Texas

The first settlers in Maryland landed at St. Marys in 1634.

Card Of Thanks

We, the immediate family wish to thank each and every one for the cards, letters and beautiful flowers that were sent in thought of our mother, Mrs. C. V. Ables, during her recent illness and recovery.

Mrs. C. V. Ables & Family

Mrs. Vance Stalleup and son, David, of Citta spent some time last week with J. L. James and wife.

Kincaid Installs New Feed-mobile

Don and Aubrey Kincaid and Robert Ables returned this week from Lancaster, Pa., where they attended a factory training school on the operation of their new mobile feed processing plant.

They drove their Feed mobile to Eastland where it is in operation by Kincaid Feed & Turkey Hatchery.

The three men flew to Daffin Manufacturing Company in Lancaster for three days of intensive instructions in bringing a complete feed processing service to local farmers and feeders. Their new mobile mill will enable them to take the feed plant to the farm instead of asking farmers to bring their grains to the mill.

A Change Is In Order Vote For Omar Burkett For State Representative

He is a friend of each county of the District.

He is for R. E. A.

He works at the job around the clock.

And he has time to represent you in Austin, too.

Be sure and VOTE Saturday, July 26th.

(Paid Pol. Adv.)

Mrs. Hallie Seastrunk has returned from a visit with her son, Sam Seastrunk, and family of Odessa.

Jack Stubblefield and family of Bartlesville Okla. are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Stubblefield, and her mother, Mrs. Arbelles Underwood.

Mrs. Alta Mae Walker and son of Houston and Mrs. Flona Hertz of San Angelo visited their mother and sister, Mrs. C. V. Ables, this week.

Paul Brashear—

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"I have been able to learn the things necessary for a Representative to do the best job in serving his District," Brashear said. "I have endeavored at all times to work for an honest, efficient state government. It has been my purpose to support legislation in the best interest of our district first and the state of Texas as a whole.

"Each of my votes were cast after due consideration of good business principles. I have supported measures for better state employee salaries, decent benefits for the aged, improved water programs, along with legislation for better education and teacher pay and equitable treatment for veterans and farm groups.

"I purpose to do everything possible to assure our state's continued progress and prosperity without additional tax burdens. You can be sure that I will continue devoting as much time as necessary to the duties of my office.

"I have done the best I could like I said I would. Any mistakes that I have made have been in the mind rather than in the heart. My record of service is recorded in the journals of the Legislature. Any constituent has a most cordial invitation to discuss any part of my Legislative record with me at any time. I will be very grateful to each of you for your consideration in the July 26th election, and I sincerely appreciate the confidence placed in me by your votes in the past two elections."

Clyde L. Garrett Will Appreciate Your Vote For County Judge

Dear Voter:

I have earnestly endeavored to see and personally solicit the vote of every voter. That, of course, was impossible. Therefore, if I have not seen you, please take this as my earnest solicitation of your vote on Saturday, July 26th. I will greatly appreciate it and promise you to render courteous and efficient service when elected.

Yours very Sincerely,
Clyde L. Garrett, Candidate For County Judge

Paid Pol. Adv.

CITATION by PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas, Greeting: D. R. Harper, Mrs. Effie Mayhew and Mrs. Minnie L. Hill, Executors of the Estate of Miss Myrtle Eddleman, deceased having filed in our County Court his final account of the condition of the estate of said Miss Myrtle Eddleman, deceased numbered 5928 on the probate docket of Eastland County, together with an application to be discharged from said trust.

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Clerk County Court Eastland County.

By Gail Parsons Deputy
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J. B. Williams
Sheriff Eastland County.
By Guy Brogdon Deputy

Let's Re-Elect John Hart



He Has Done A Good Job Handling Our County Affairs

Let's Keep This Able Servant On The Job!

(Paid for by Friends who appreciate John Hart's work)

RICHARD C. COX Seeking Promotion To DISTRICT CLERK

- Born in Ranger, Eastland County, Texas.
- Graduate of Ranger High School, Ranger Junior College, and Now a Graduate Student at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, completing work on a bachelor of business administration degree.
- VETERAN
A veteran with the NAVY Air Force in WORLD WAR II, and KOREAN CONFLICT. 49 months of Service and 36 spent overseas. A member of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and Disabled American Veterans, and have been active in all their programs.
- Believing in individuals responsibilities to his community, has been a willing worker in all community efforts.
- PLATFORM
If elected to the OFFICE OF DISTRICT CLERK, I will use the full power of this office to:
1. Pay all child support money the day it is received in your office.
2. Politics and Special Interest will be removed from this office, and I will let the LEGAL Profession of this County give all the advice on legal matters and file their cases as required by LAW.
- I will do all the work in your office, and I will need no assistant, and this will save the Tax Payers of this County over \$2,800.00 per year.
- Long tenure in public office tends to breed powerful political machines which become dictatorial and arrogant and thwart the will of the people. I believe two terms is long enough in any District Office. Fresh leadership will restore this office to the people where it belongs.
- It is my ambition to be District Clerk for all the people . . . I am dedicated to that end.
- Previous Political Office:
County Treasurer for TWO TERMS.
- Your vote and support will be deeply appreciated.

YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE APPRECIATED

(Paid Political Advertising)

A. M. (Judge) Thurman Will Appreciate Your Vote For Commissioner Precinct 2
Reliable Experienced
Your Vote Will Be Appreciated

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

Your Vote Appreciated Roy L. Lane District Clerk



He has stayed on the Job His Record Speaks For It's Self
Let's Give Him a Majority
Saturday July 26

Paid Political Advertisement