- if there be a newspaper so published, and if there be no newspaper published in said town, then said notice shall be published in a newspaper published in Prince George's County of the time and place at which said election shall be held; and the said judges shall keep the polls open from 3:00 o'clock P. M., until 7.00 o'clock P. M.
- (13) Said Board shall prepare ballots containing the names of the candidates who shall have complied with the provisions of Paragraph 15 of this section.
- (14) Any person who shall have attained the age of twenty-five (25) years, who shall not have been convicted of a felony or a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude, and who shall be a registered voter, and a resident of said town and shall have been qualified to vote in a Town Election in said town for at least one year next preceding his election, shall be eligible for the office of Commissioner.
- (15) A person shall be deemed a candidate for the office of Commissioner, and his name, as such candidate, shall be placed on the ballots prepared by the Board of Election Supervisors, provided such person shall, at least ten (10) days (including Sundays and holidays), prior to the date of such election, file with said Board a petition, signed by at least five (5) registered voters of the Town of Bowie, which petition shall state (a) the name and address of the candidate, (b) the fact that such person is eligible for the office of Commissioner, and (c) that such person wishes his name placed on the ballot as a candidate. Such petition shall be sworn to, by the person so filing same, before the President Commissioner, or before a Justice of the Peace or other officer or person (including a Notary Public), having authority to administer oaths in Prince George's County, both as to the fact of his eligibility and as to the genuineness of the signature of such petition. No person shall be deemed a candidate, nor shall his name be placed upon the ballots, unless the provisions of this paragraph shall have been complied with.
- (16) After the polls are closed on the night of the first election after May 31, 1951 the Board of Election Supervisors shall count the votes, and the three candidates who shall have receive the greatest number of votes shall be deemed to be elected Commissioners, and thereafter, the one person receiving the highest number of votes shall be deemed elected Commissioner. In the case of a tie vote a run-off election shall be held to choose between the tied candidates, such election to be called by the Election Supervisors at the earliest date such election can legally be held.