





**Help M. A. Ferguson  
Win Election  
Saturday**

**B. H. Freeland  
Will Appreciate Your  
Vote for Callahan  
County Judge**

**J. W. FARMER**  
CANDIDATE FOR  
*Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1*  
CALLAHAN COUNTY

TO THE PEOPLE OF JUSTICE PRECINCT ONE  
CALLAHAN COUNTY  
May I say first, that I appreciate and thank you for electing me your Justice Of The Peace Two Years Ago.  
I have tried to conduct the office in a manner that would make me worthy of a second term.  
I appreciate the many people telling me I am entitled to a second term, therefore I must Continue to Conduct the office in a manner that will bring honor to me and credit to my county.  
I have tried to be on the job, so when needed, was available.  
The Highway Patrol Officers and Auditors have commended me on the records of my office.  
I feel I have become familiar with the office and can render better service in the future.  
The Office being the only means of my support, I will greatly appreciate your due consideration for a SECOND TERM.

Respectfully,  
**J. W. FARMER.**

**To The Voters  
of Callahan Co.**

I wish to say to the people and my many friends of Callahan County that I have been financially unable to make a county wide campaign for the office of County Treasurer. I have gone to most of the Political Rallies and have enjoyed meeting the people on these occasions. I wish it had been possible to have met each one personally, but owing to the fact that I have seven children to provide for, and have had no regular work since April 28th of this year, it has been impossible for me to see all the people.

If the Voters of Callahan County see fit to support me in the coming Primary, I shall always be grateful to them in helping me to support my children. I would like to give my boys and girl a high school education—and the office I seek will give me the means by which I can better support my children as well as give them school advantages.

I feel that I am qualified to perform the duties of the office of County Treasurer and pledge faithful attention to the duties of the office should I be the choice of the People—and will be happy to serve you.

I have no means of support of my children, except by own earnings. I have lived in Callahan County the greater part of 35 years—coming to Oplin in 1905.  
I wish to thank the Home Demonstration Club Ladies and Parent-Teachers Association for sponsoring the Rallies which has given me an opportunity to meet so many of the Citizens of the County.

I EARNESTLY SOLICIT YOUR VOTE In Saturday's Primary Election and should I be favored with the office—I trust that none will ever have cause to regret that they made it possible for me to better provide for my children.

THANKING EVERY ONE OF YOU, I am,

Sincerely Yours,

**Mrs. Viola Mayfield.**

**BAIRD COYOTES  
PLAY ABILENE  
BLACK EAGLES  
HERE SUNDAY**

Next Sunday, July 28, those of you who enjoy a good Baseball game, had better be at the Old Ball Orchard, for the Black Eagles of Abilene are coming back after revenge, and Pappy Strickland is priming himself to hand them another dose of write wash, so be out there and watch the fun.

And Listen To This, the Eagles feeling that they were at a disadvantage on their last visit to Baird, since they were all alone, well, just listen to this, it will be different this time—the Black Eagles are going to Bring their Cheering Section with them and when you stop to think just how important and necessary is a Pep Squad to a Football Team, then you'll realize what this Cheering section means to the Black Eagles.

Better be out early and get an advantageous spot to watch the hostilities and everything, for this promises to be a real afternoon of merriment and rip-roaring good fun.

Both teams will have blood in their eyes, looking for an opportunity to hand a defeat on the other aggregation, it's been a long time since a bigger attraction has been in "Whiskers."

The Coyotes are rearing to go, and if Old Father Time will permit Pappy Strickland to uncork a sufficient number of those Famous Round-house-outs, it just means plenty of trouble for those Black Eagles.

Remember the time and the place. The Grammar School in Baird at 3 p. m. Sunday, July 28, 1940 and bring along your Quarters we sure need them.

**Class Party**

Mrs. Olaf G. South entertained her pupils of the Vocational Bible School with a supper on the church lawn Tuesday evening at six o'clock. The average daily attendance of this class, ages 6 to 9 during the entire two weeks was ten pupils.

Supper was served to the following members and guests: Jack Yarbrough, Bill Jones, Jackie Gilliland, Martha, Brame, Bobby Ruth Swenson, Ronal Alexander Virginia and Lola Fae Soutir, of Clyde, George Jones, Brabara Royd, Marilyn Gilliland, Robbie June Vought, Ramona Wright, Vergie Mae and Virginia Stevenson Curtis Chatham, Donal Yarbrough and Charles Eddie South.  
Mrs. Clyde Yarbrough assisted Mrs. South in entertaining the children.

**Pal**

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**Radio Stars Coming  
To Bayou**

On Friday night August 2 the Sunshine Boys with Bob and Joe Shelton will make a personal appearance at the Bayou Gymnasium. They play daily oved KG KO at Fort Worth and have many listeners in this and surrounding communities.

The Sunshine Boys have made personal appearance at Oplin, Cross Plains and Abilene in the past few months.

Those from here attending reported such excellent entertainment that we are very glad to have them come here and we are anxious for everyone to hear them.

Don't forget the date Friday night, August 2 and make arrangements to come to the Bayou Gymnasium and enjoy the fun.

Earlene Bibb  
Bayou Reporter.

**4-H CLUB GRILS ATTEND  
SCHOOL COURSE**

Jo Ann Baker of the Bayou community, Betty Jo Jones of Midway, Maxine Johnson of Oplin, John Ila Clark of Putnam, and Sue Allen of Denton with their sponsor, Mrs. Herbert Johnson of Oplin attended the Short Course at A & M College from Sunday to Wednesday of last week. They reported seeing many interesting and educational things such as the Museum Cushing Library, Kyle Field, Guion Hall and the huge mess hall kitchen.

Monday afternoon a demonstration on flowers was enjoyed, Tuesday morning a clothing program and group picture and Tuesday afternoon a demonstration and moving picture on Land and Food. A program was given each night on Kyle Field.

**Notice To Baird  
Precinct Voters**

Many questions have been asked recently as to whether or not a Citizen of Baird would have to have paid the City Poll Tax as well as the County Poll Tax before being allowed to vote in the coming primaries.

The ruling has been made by the Attorney General that a City Poll Tax must be paid where it has been assessed before the voter is entitled to vote in any election; but, due to the long established custom of the Democratic Party of not requiring a City Poll Tax as a qualification of voting, the County Chairman has obtained waivers from all of the Candidates affected by the Baird Box. All of the Candidates with opposition have signed a waiver waiving their right to contest the Baird Box on the basis that the voters were not required to have paid their City Poll Tax before being allowed to vote.

Therefore, on Saturday, July 27th, 1940, as well as for the run-off primary on August 24th, 1940, the residents of the City of Baird will not be required to have paid their City Poll Tax before being allowed to vote.

J. Rupert Jackson, Jr.  
Chairman of Callahan County  
Democratic Executive Committee

**Junior Golf  
Tournament**

Third Annual West Texas Junior Golf Tournament will be held at Big Spring Municipal Golf Course, Big Spring, Texas, August 7-8-9.

Open to all boys of West Texas under 21 years of age upon payment of \$1 entrance fee.

Prizes will be awarded to medalist, and to winner, runner-up, and consolation winner in all flights.

There will be free dormitory facilities for all entries, provided they furnish their own cots and blankets.

Harold Akey, Box, 612, Big Spring, Texas and H. F. Malone Box 1051, Big Spring, Texas will be in charge of registration.

**BAYOU NEWS**

Several from Bayou went to the Cross Plains Picnic everyone seemed to enjoy it.

Little Patsy Jean Finley spent from Friday until Wednesday in Clairette with her grandmother and aunt.

Miss Bertha Walker spent the week end with Mrs. W. B. Bright well.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Fenley were guests of Lee Aguirre of Strawn at Mingus Lake Sunday, they went motor boat riding and fishing.

Miss Hope McDonald spent Monday nite with Earlene Bibb. The Baptist Meeting is in progress at Rowden, several from here are attending. Good crowds are reported.

The Jodie Baker family are at Santa Anna for a few days. He is supervising the building of the corrals for the Santa Rodeo. August 20, 21, 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Harris Mrs. Dorse Harris and son Billy Dorse attended the Harris Family Reunion at Spur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonny Goodfellow went to Lamesa Saturday. Mrs. Mrs. Goodfellow was formerly Miss Juanita Swafford of Bayou.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hill, Walter O'Dell Mrs. Jim Taylor and daughter Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. H. W. Walker and Bertha attended the Belle Plain cemetery working Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Walker visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bibb Sunday.

Mr. John Alexander of Clairette spent four days last week with Mrs. Truman Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. Aliza Price and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Homer Price and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Price.

Mr. Doc Leal, contractor for Highway 193 is in the Baylor hospital at Dallas with an eye injury.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burks and family of Baird spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bibb. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gainsspent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arlander Byrd.

**PRESBYTERIAN LADIES**

The Presbyterian Ladies met in the home of Mrs. H. N. Ebert with her mother, Mrs. Andrew Jackson as co-hostess. The meeting opened with singing "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" Prayer by Mrs. V. F. Jones. Mrs. Lee Ivey, leader reviewed the 4th chapter of Mission Study Book.

A social hour was enjoyed in which the hostesses served refreshments.

**SINGING CONVENTION**

The Callahan County Singing Convention will meet at the Baird High School Auditorium Aug 4 at 2 p. m. Everybody come and enjoy the ringing.

W. P. Stephenson, Secy.

**DEMOCRATIC PRECINCT  
CONVENTION, JULY 27**

The Democratic Precinct Convention will be held Saturday, July 27, at 2 P. M. in the Callahan County Court Room.

B. L. Russell, Jr.,  
Precinct Chairman, Precinct No. 1.

**First Baptist Church**

Regular service at the Baptist church Sunday morning, 11 A. M. The Pastor will Preach and all are invited to attend the service. Sunday School 10 A. M., we appreciate the splendid crowds that come to the services last Sunday.

HAY—I will give 2 bales for 1, for hauling Johnson grass hay. More than 80 acres of good hay. See W. P. Brightwell.

FOR THE DALLAS MORNING NEWS delivered behind your screen door every morning (including Sunday) See JAMES N. WALLS, Baird, Texas.

**LIBRARY NOTICE**  
The County Library is open now 12:30 to 5:30 each week day.

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BAIRD, TEXAS.



**GEORGE A. DAVISSON, JR.**

—FOR—  
**STATE SENATOR**  
24th District

WAS AUTHOR OF: 1. Constitutional Amendment submitted to the voters of Texas making Old Age Pensions possible in Texas. 2. The original liberal Old Age Pension Bill, before amended and deliberated by the Senate. 3. Welfare Legislation, including aid to the blind, aid to crippled children and destitute mothers. FAVORS: 1. Immediate payment of Old Age Pensions. 2. Abolishing all useless Boards, Bureaus and Commissions. 3. Economy in Government. 4. Increase in the load limit for trucks. 5. Abolishing lobbies before the Texas Legislature. 6. Increased appropriations for National Guard.

