

### Presidential Contest Too Close For Polls; Three of Four Give FR Edge but Best Bet Is Guess

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Four nation-wide polls were agreed as of today that the race between President Roosevelt and Gov. Thomas E. Dewey was too close to warrant trying to pick the winner. Three of the four opinion-samplings gave the president a slight lead. The fourth, the Gallup poll, indicated that his republican opponent had the edge in the electoral vote, although the poll listed the popular vote as 51 per cent for Roosevelt as against 49 per cent for Dewey. All four were careful to point out that the margins were not conclusive.

**Roosevelt Favored**  
Final results of the Crossley poll give Roosevelt 52 per cent of the major party vote on the basis of late October polling in 23 pivotal states, adjusted by estimates of the armed services vote. (Actual sampling of the service vote is prohibited by law—a factor, all four polls noted, adding to the difficulty of trying to estimate which way the total vote would go.)  
An analysis accompanying the Crossley poll adds that the president's plurality "in several important states is so narrow that it is quite possible for Dewey to capture a majority of the electoral votes merely by minor changes, or increased republican voting these states."

**Fortune Casts**  
A semi-final poll conducted for Fortune magazine by the Elmo Roper firm gives Roosevelt 53.5 per cent of the civilian vote. The magazine's survey of public opinion emphasizes several possibilities of an offset. Gallup American Institute of Public Opinion reports Dewey states with 255 electoral votes and Roosevelt ahead in 21 states with 206 electoral votes. (It takes 266 to win). The remaining five states, with 79 electoral votes, are listed as "on the line."  
**Newsweek Score Close**  
In the fourth poll, a Newsweek magazine survey representing state-by-state estimates of 118 political writers, Roosevelt is found leading in 27 states with 249 electoral votes and Dewey in 20 states with 247 electoral votes. Newsweek regards Pennsylvania (35 electoral votes) as the state of decision.

Fortune does not break down its poll by states. Here is what the other three find (TED denoting Dewey, FDR Roosevelt) in what they consider "pivotal" states (electoral votes in parentheses):  
**The Polls Show**

	Gallup	Newsweek	Crossley
New York (47)	TED 51 PC	TED Slightly	50-50
Pennsylvania (35)	50-50	50-50	FDR 51 PC
Massachusetts (16)	50-50	FDR Slightly	50-50
New Jersey (16)	50-50	TED Probably	50-50
Minnesota (11)	TED 53 PC	FDR Probably	50-50
Oklahoma (10)	50-50	FDR Probably	TED 51 PC
Illinois (28)	TED 52 PC	TED Probably	TED 51 PC
Missouri (15)	TED 51 PC	TED Probably	FDR 51 PC
Oregon (6)	50-50	TED Probably	50-50
West Virginia (8)	TED 51 PC	TED	50-50

**How Polls Differ**

	Gallup	Newsweek	Crossley
Delaware (3)	50-50	FDR Probably	FDR 52 PC
Idaho (4)	TED 52 PC	FDR Probably	TED 52 PC
Maryland (8)	FDR 51 PC	TED Probably	FDR 51 PC
New Hampshire (4)	TED 51 PC	TED Probably	FDR 51 PC
New Mexico (4)	TED 51 PC	FDR Probably	FDR
Wyoming (3)	TED 53 PC	FDR Probably	TED 52 PC

All three polls wind Roosevelt leading in these 20 states, which have a total of 198 electoral votes: Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Montana, Nevada, North Carolina, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Virginia and Washington.  
Dewey is given the edge in these 12 states, whose combined electoral vote is 115: Colorado, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Michigan, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Vermont and Wisconsin.

### Union Hill YGA to Meet on Friday

UNION HILL — The YGA (Young Grangers association) will meet at the grange hall Friday night instead of Saturday night as had been scheduled. Table games will be played. Committee for the games is Rollin Heister, Ruth Kostenborder and Ann Louise Heister. The supper committee is Floyd Fox and Guy Scott.

### ODT Urges Civilians To Postpone Meetings

PORTLAND, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Office of defense transportation officials were advised here today that civilian conventions should be postponed or restricted in attendance for at least the next six months. Hotels should discourage unsentimental meetings and warn delegates that those serving the war effort have first chance at rooms, the ODT said.

### British Strike Nazis Leaving Balkans Area

ROME, Nov. 2.—(AP)—British patrols harassing withdrawing German forces north of Salonika in Greece have ambushed one enemy column and inflicted 25 casualties in a sharp fight, allied headquarters announced today.

Allied headquarters announced capture of Salonika, 190 miles northwest of Athens and the most important port in the southern Balkans, which was entered by British troops yesterday.

There was no immediate report of the extent of damage in Salonika, whose prewar population was 240,000. The nazis announced

Wednesday they had evacuated Salonika.

The enemy's retreat corridor from the lower Balkans became further constricted, today's German high command communique disclosed, by withdrawal of Nazi forces from a 100-mile stretch of the Yugoslav Dalmatian coast, including the harbors of Split, Metkovic and Dubrovnik (Ragusa). Berlin reported fighting between German and Bulgarian forces in the Vardar valley of Yugoslavia and said the Bulgars, their former allies, were "smashed with heavy losses."

### Valley Births

LINCOLN — Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Walling have received word of the arrival of a daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walling (Virginia Scharn) at Vancouver.

### Georgian Seeks Word of Oregon Dairy Auction

SILVERTON—Buyers from as far distant as Georgia, with others from Utah and California are showing interest in the Jersey sale to be held at the Gresham farm of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Laws, Jr., M. G. Gunderson, Silverton, salesman, reports.

Mr. Gunderson said it was remarkable how much interest has been shown in Oregon cattle this autumn.

Mr. Laws, former Oregon state Jersey cattle club president, and Mrs. Laws are selling their 37 head of registered Jerseys because of inability to get help. The sale starts at 12:30 and a benefit lunch will be served before the sale.

### Hallow'en Party Given at Jefferson

JEFFERSON — The business men and others sponsored a free picture show in the Masonic hall on Halloween. Later a bonfire was built on the Masonic hall lot and wienies were roasted.

A few did get away, in spite of the additional police. For some outbuildings were overturned; and the windows on main street were decorated, some in white and others were smeared with black paint.

### State to Lend Hand in Securing Foreign Books

CORVALLIS, Nov. 2 — Libraries of the state system of higher education will cooperate in a national program for obtaining scientific and educational periodicals

and books from foreign countries as soon as the war ends. A fund recommended by Lucy M. Lewis, director of libraries, was set aside by the state board of higher education at its latest meeting to insure the participation of the Oregon institutions in this plan for an equitable distribution of valuable foreign materials that have not been available since the outbreak of the war.

### Oregon Sure for GOP Says State Chairman

GRANT PASS, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Oregon will go 100 per cent republican on the national ticket this fall, endorsing Dewey and Bricker and all republican congressional candidates, Niel R. Allen, state central committee chairman, predicted today. The state's agricultural areas

are almost airtight for Dewey, he said after visiting most counties in Oregon. Labor ranks, he asserted are less solid for Roosevelt than in 1940.



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**Canterbury Tea** 1/4-lb. **22¢** 1/2-lb. **43¢**

**Grapefruit Juice** Town House No. 2 can **13¢**

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**Sirloin Steak** 13 Points 'A' Grade, lb. **40¢** 'B' Grade, lb. **33¢**

**Sirloin Steak** 'C' Grade, No Points **Lb. 28¢**

**T-Bone Steak** 'A' Grade (14 Points) lb. **48¢** 'B' Grade, lb. **41¢**

**T-Bone Steak** 'C' Grade, No Points **Lb. 35¢**

**Sliced Luncheon Meats** Veal Loaf, Head Cheese, Pickle-Pin. lb. **34¢**

**Spiced Lunch Meat** Sliced, lb. **53¢**

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**Cucumber Pickles** Libby No. 2 1/2 jar **30¢**

**Kraft Cheese** Relish, Pimiento, Olive-Pin. (3 pts.) 5-oz. glass **17¢**

**Van Camp Tenderoni** 6-oz. pkg. 2 for **15¢**

**B-V Beef Extract** 3 1/2-oz. jar **24¢**

**Libby Potted Meat** No. 1/2 can **9¢**

**Cudahy Deviled Ham** 3-oz. can **13¢**

**Duchess SALAD DRESSING** Quart Jar **35¢**

**Marmalade** Tibbetts Brook Grapefruit 2-lb. Jar **25¢**

**Tea Garden Jelly** Mixed fruit 20-oz. glass **25¢**

**Peanut Butter, Real Roast** 2-lb. jar **39¢**

**Margarine** Sunny Bank (2 points) Lb. pkg. **18¢**

**Troco Margarine** (3 pts.) Pound pkg. **24¢**

**Cider Vinegar** Old Mill 1-gal. jug **52¢**

**Granulated Sugar** 10-lb. sack **62¢**

**Gingerbread Mix** Dromedary 14-oz. pkg. **18¢**

**Kitchen Craft Flour** 50-lb. sack **\$1.99**

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**Kadota Figs** Sundown (40 points) No. 300 can **14¢**

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**Ball Vacu-Seal Closures** 1 dozen **21¢**

**Jar Rubbers** Regular or Ball Presto Dozen **4¢**

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**White Magic Bleach** 1/2-gallon jug **17¢**

**Scotch Cleanser** 14-oz. pkg. **9¢**

**Old Dutch Cleanser** 2-1/2-oz. cans **15¢**

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