



Write-In Vote Canvass Takes 2 1/2 Days, Cost Taxpayers \$75

Compilation of the various write-ins made during the general election consumed half the time required to make the official vote canvass, according to Mrs. Afton Carter, deputy in charge of the county elections department.

Mrs. Carter said Friday the five-day canvass completed Wednesday included 2 1/2 days spent on write-ins by three employees.

Cost to the taxpayer for tabulating the votes on the write-in candidates alone was \$75 figuring \$1.25 an hour for an eight-hour day, County Clerk Bereth P. Hopkins said. Part of the time more than the standard eight hours a day was spent on the canvass, she said.

Both Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Hopkins said the fact write-ins were published following the primary, resulted in more write-ins in the general election. Few write-in votes were cast in the primary election, they said.

However, after seeing the various humorous write-in names, many voters acted on a "monkey-see monkey-do" basis and names of friends, public figures and imaginary characters were written on the ballot. The latter included Walt Disney characters and Lassie of television and movie fame. These were not recorded since they were not names of people, Mrs. Carter explained.

Write-in candidates with the most number of votes cast were Frank Perl, write-in for county coroner, with 311 votes, and Walter D. Nunley, for circuit court, position No. 3, 146 votes.

Various write-in candidates and number of votes received included (only the name is listed when one vote has been cast):

United States representative, Frank B. Hopewell, Robert Y. Thornton, Mrs. Tom Rutter, Harry Truman, Ivan E. Herron, Paul Swanson.

Governor, Sig Unander, Dan Smoot, Jack Caldwell, and Dale Hanson.

Bureau of labor, Dan Smoot.

State senator, Phil Lowry, 4; Eve Nye; John Snider, 2; James Dunlevy, Herbert Hoover, James Redden.

State representative, Phil Lowry, Billy Blackstone, John Jones, John Dellenback, Paul Swanson.

County Officers

County clerk, H. O. Whitman.

County commissioner, Santa Claus.

County judge, Andy Gump, Rodney Keating 4, Bill Jesse and John Keaveny.

County coroner, Frank Perl

311, C. M. Litwiler 14, Darby O'Toole, Arthur Hodgins, Dr. R. Reynolds 11, Tom McKinry 4, Jim Hanaford, Dr. Robert De Lorme, Dr. Edwin Durmo 7, Frank Morgan 8, Herbert E. Sampert, Dr. Bartells, Walter Nunley 15, Charles Ganet, Fred Henry, Bill Drew, Arthur Dankworth, John Perl, Luke Lawener, Harold Snodgrass, Joe Naumes, Dr. E. A. Merkel 3, Jim Dunlevy, Dr. Fred Lorish, William T. Kerr, Frank Pears, Thelma McCurdy, Dan Kidd, Matt Dillon 2, Sam Richardson, Randolph Schmidt 4, Bereth Hopkins, Albert McCabe, Emmet Bullard, Fritz J. Ruch, Ralph Matlack, Alfred Hooker, Dan Toomey, Fred Robinson, Dr. Merle Folland, Garner Covey 2, Paul Ward, John M. Lynch, James Redden, Jake Bleth 2, Charles Freeman, Wayne Morse 2, Paul H. Rutter 2, Lyman Smith, Floyd Wyatt, Kenneth Dunlavy, William Ferris, Ralph Merritt, Keith Hocker-smith, Howard Ferns, Bill Barber, Wesley Clafin, K. C. Wermmark, N. Beer, David E. Johnson, Carlton Bismark, Howard Halgeson, Jim Lick, Stan Sherwood, William Driscoll and Dr. Buck.

County sheriff, Vern Smith 13, Earle Fichtner 15, Harold Otison, M. N. Bliss, Everett Hardrock Kenner, Hoby Gilman 2, Eugene Heim, Dean Coe, Matt Dillon, Raymond Koch 4, Rudolph Schmidt, Carl Fichtner, Jim Silkwood, Mary Jane Day, Don Clark, Homely Houser, Oscar Gysen, Bill Buckingham, C. W. Brooks, Bill Lucas, Simmons, Clyde Fichtner 2, John Twombly, and Phillip H. Todd.

Judiciary Ballot

State supreme court—(District No. 2), Fred Henry, George Duncan, G. W. Kellington, Russell DeForest, Elmer Bashaw, Hugh B. Collins, Earl Accorne, Orlin Hollis, Sam B. Harbison, Joseph Stalin, Harry Schultz, Otto J. Frohnmayer, Edward Kell, and Sam Harbison.

State supreme court (District No. 3), Marion Walters, Vince Lanine, James Redden, John Foster Dulles, Stanley C. Jones, Manville Heisel, Clayton Lewis, William L. White, Sam Harbison 2, Otto Frohnmayer, Verne W. Buseman, Weybern M. Kenyon, George M. Roberts, H. K. Hanna 2, Paul Haviland, O. H. Bengston.

State supreme court (District No. 7), Henry Lanine, Jason Lee 2, June Holf and Stanley C. Jones.

Circuit court judge, position No. 1, Carl Henry, Manville M. Heisel 5, Walter Nunley 19, Harry Skerry, Don Hansen, Robert Stokes, D. B. Whalin, Robert Dames 4, Larl Miller, Steve Blackmore and O. H. Bengston.

Circuit court judge (position No. 3), Dan Smoot, Marjion Walters, Walter D. Nunley 146, Robert Dames 2, Jeannette Marshall 2, William M. Bell, Gene Piazza, Stanley C. Jones, C. W. Kellington 2, L. M. Chamberlain, John Dellenback, Warren Lesseg, Joe Blow, J. J. Patrick Graham, O. H. Bengston, and George Washington.

District court judge, Rodney Keating 4, John Farmer, Walter Nunley 7, Dewey Hill, Dames 7, Robert Dupp, B. L. Blew, Robert Danielson 26, George Flanagan, Stanley Jones 2, O. H. Bengston 8, Sam Levenson, S. L. Johnston, Ernie Hood, Ben Day, Noreen Kelly 4, Bob Hart, William Deatherage, Marilyn Monroe, Hugh B. Collins, Dean Edwards, Gerald Scannell, Andrew J. Florey, Hinsmuck, Edward Kelly, Otto Frohnmayer, John C. Anicker Jr., Sam Harbison, Clem Kiddehooper, Warren Lesseg, Robert Daniels, LeRoy Webb, Phil Lowry, James Redden, John Weisbrod.

Superintendent of schools, Wallace Reeder, John Cameron Swazy, Glen Glymer,

Glen Hale, Barney Google, Dan Smoot, George Johns, Leonard Mayfield, Alf Mekvold, Harold Flynn, Cecil Rosey, Lester D. Harris 2, D. David Darland, Queen Elizabeth, Stanley C. Jones, James Rowan, Earl Couey, G. Barnett.

Ashland

Recorder, Raymond S. Elliott, John Murphy.

Councilman, Arthur Taylor, Clarence Bjork, William Jennings, James Smith.

Park Commissioner, Fred Roberts 2, Frank Davis 3, William Patton, Jim Bush, Jim Burr, Larkin Grubb, Bob Ingle 2, Eldon Scripser, Dick Osborn, Frank Barnhouse, Erle L. Klein, Robert Hansen and Parker Hess.

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Snider Opposed by 67 Write-In Votes In General Election

Mayor John W. Snider of Medford, running for reelection "unopposed," picked up 67 opponents via write-in votes at the polls Nov. 4 according to the official canvass.

But with 7,264 courtesy votes, he was in little danger. Paul Selby, the nearest of the write-in challengers, had but eight votes. Next came Jimmie Dunlevy, Ward IV city councilman, with seven.

Fred Robinson, who polled 1,152 votes to his nearest opponent's 1,041 in regaining his Ward I council seat, picked up a write-in vote for mayor and votes for each of the three other council seats as well.

"Fred Robertson" also received a write-in vote in Ward II.

Council Race Tallies

Ward I: Fred E. Robinson, 1,152; Roy P. Wilkes, 1,041; William Doernbach, 451;

Ward II: Donald Hansen (unopposed), 2,066;

Ward III: Robert L. Baccus (unopposed), 1,100;

Ward IV: Stanley L. Stark, 766; George E. Stacey, 595.

Final score on the defeated charter amendment to permit ordering in sidewalks and assessing abutting properties shows: Yes, 2,657; No, 5,494; Majority opposed, 2,837.

Mayor Votes

Write-in votes for mayor besides those for Selby and Dunlevy include: five votes each for Wm. Ed Davis, Vince Smith, Darrell Huson, Clayton Lewis and Ernest Hood;

Three votes each for Paul Ward and Shady Wakefield;

Two votes each for R. M. Gifford, Fred W. Stevens, Robert Duff, Ray Shamacher, Jay Jorgenson, Robert Hart, Eugene Orr, M. M. Huggins, Earl Miller and Henry Zackarison;

One vote each for John Brown, Ted Christensen, Paul Meyer, O. A. Gustafson, Joe Jones, Matt Dillon, Hoyem Crane, Dell Cline, Steve Nye, Fred Robinson, Joe E. Crawford, Edward Branchfield, Fred Linton, Bill Kerr, Bill Mayer, Russell Gates, Levy Monroe, Al Littrell, Walter Garner, George Imhauser, Dave Doran, Carl Burk, Willis Herman, T. R. Ford, Vincent Lobdell, Shelby Tuttle, Gerald W. Reed, Tony Lucas, Otto Ewaldsen, Roy Edwards, Wilbur Gardener, Dick Walsh, Stanley C. Jones, Edwin Durmo, Clyde Fichtner, Ellis O. Einstein, Ray George, Howard Gault, Anthony Boitano, Phil Holt, Fred Purdin, R. W. Gray, Garner Couey, Ted Tibbs, David S. Griffiths, Robert S. Green and Bill Barker.

Write-in votes for Ward I councilman include one vote each for Harold Sutherland and George Stacey.

Write-in votes for Ward II councilman include three votes for Fred Robinson and one vote each for William Doernbach, William Doern-

back, Roy P. Walker, Stan Stark, Darrell Robinson and William Anert.

Write-in votes for Ward III councilman include five votes for Fred Robinson and one each for Fred Robertson, Roy Hanson, Ed Canoose and Frank Durante.

The lone write-in candidate for Ward IV is Fred Robinson again, with six votes.

PO SPECIFIES DATES

Washington—(UPI)—The Post Office Friday urged that the Christmas packages being air mailed to military post offices abroad be sent no later than Dec. 10. The maximum weight on air parcel post to certain military post offices was raised from two pounds to 50 pounds and to 70 pounds at other offices.

MINISTER SLATES TRIP

London—(UPI)—Labor Minister Iain MacLeod flies to the United States next Saturday to meet with American business and labor union leaders in New York, Chicago, Milwaukee and Washington. He will address the annual St. Andrews Society banquet in New York Dec. 1.

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