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Brown Whips Nixon

Lead From Start Gives Democrat Another Term

Telegram Carries Congratulatory Note

San Francisco—(UPI)—Gov. Edmund G. Brown, who led from the start, surged to victory today in his battle with Richard M. Nixon for governor of California.

Long after the jubilant 57-year-old Democratic incumbent had claimed victory, Nixon conceded Brown's reelection in a formal statement issued from his Beverly Hills Hotel headquarters.

It was the second staggering political defeat in two years for the 49-year-old former Vice President. First, he lost the presidency to John F. Kennedy in 1960 by the narrowest of margins. Then today, he found himself on the short end of the votes by an even wider margin against Brown.

Nixon's concession took the form of a congratulatory telegram to Brown which was read to a news conference by Herbert G. Klein, Nixon's press secretary.

Asked by a reporter to explain Nixon's defeat, Klein blamed the Cuban crisis.

Brown told a cheering group of supporters in the Hollywood Palladium: "I now want to tell you that I've been reelected governor of California."

"Mr. Nixon was a vigorous opponent," he added as the partisan crowd of Democrats boomed lustily. "In this state, which within 30 short days will be the largest state in the nation in population, I regard this as a victory for President John F. Kennedy, too."

Returns from 17,587 of 31,820 precincts gave Brown a margin of more than 200,000 votes. The vote totals: Brown 1,304,515; Nixon 1,085,423.

Talent Election May Be Invalid

Talent—The municipal election in the city of Talent may have to be held over, because 45 of the ballots carried incorrect printing.

The name of one city council candidate appeared twice on the 45 ballots, while the name of one of the candidates for mayor did not appear at all, it was learned.

Because of the error, the 45 ballots involved were not counted.

Tabulation of these 45 additional ballots probably would not change the outcome of the Talent mayor election, in which incumbent Wayne Reichstein polled 110 votes to 66 for Lee Boyd and 31 for Edward Switzer, the man whose name was left off of the erroneous ballots.

But the outcome of the city council election could definitely be affected, for only seven votes separated three of the four candidates running for three seats.

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Uniform Daylight Saving Time OK'd; Legislative Apportionment Rejected

Portland—(UPI)—Fed up with patchwork time, Oregon voters reversed themselves Tuesday and decided to adopt uniform daylight saving time in the summer, but they left legislative apportionment as it is.

The voters also refused to throw out school district reorganization laws. They passed six other statewide ballot measures.

The daylight time measure won more than three to two.

The fast time will start next summer, the first time since 1951 when Gov. Douglas Mc-



ROBERT DUNCAN
Now Closer Friends

Duncan Racks Up 10,000 Vote Edge Over Carl Fisher

Portland—(UPI)—Oregon's four-member Congressional delegation regained a Democratic complexion Tuesday as Democrat Robert Duncan won the fourth district seat being vacated by a Republican.

Three incumbents two Democrats and one Republican easily won reelection.

Duncan racked up a 10,000 vote margin over his GOP opponent, State Rep. Carlton Fisher, a Eugene radio executive.

With 720 of 736 precincts reporting, Duncan led 66,333 to 56,061.

A 41-year-old Medford attorney, Duncan has been speaker of the Oregon House for an unprecedented two terms.

Reelection came without difficulty for GOP Rep. Walter Norblad and Democratic Reps. Al Ullman and Edith Green.

Norblad won a ninth term by defeating former Democratic State executive secretary Blaine Whipple by about 40,000 votes, giving Norblad a healthy 62 per cent of the total.

In the second district of Eastern Oregon, Ullman led Bend publisher Robert Chandler by a five to three margin. Ullman won a fourth term.

In the third district of Multnomah county, with all precincts reporting, Mrs. Green won a fifth term, 131,225 to 67,766 for Portland pharmacist Stanley Hartman.

Duncan's victory recaptured for Democrats the seat they lost when Dr. Edwin Durno of Medford unseated Charles Porter in 1960. Durno gave up the seat this year in an unsuccessful bid for the U.S. Senate nomination.

Duncan, a father of six, ran strong throughout the district, even keeping close in Fisher's home territory of Lane county. Duncan's campaign favored most Kennedy administration programs.

Duncan called it a "hard, clean fight" and added "I'm sure Carl and I are closer friends than ever before."

He said he would make plans for winning up pending law cases and moving most of his family to Washington.

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Jackson Could Swing Control Of Oregon House

Close Race Hinges On Absentee Votes

Portland—(UPI)—Democrats retained Oregon House control in Tuesday's elections, but by their present razor thin edge of 31-29. The bizarre situation could be reversed by absentee ballots in Jackson county, but this was unlikely.

The Democrats improved on their 20-10 margin in the Oregon Senate by one seat, winning the new Senate 21-9. It takes 16 to control.

It takes 31 seats to control the 60 member House.

The deciding votes were in Jackson county, and in the new Benton-Lane district created by the 1961 reapportionment. Until the results of these two races materialized, the Republicans and Democrats locked in a 29-29 tie.

As it is, the Democrats probably will be able to elect the 1963 House Speaker—unless a few of them defect—but they will have the same trouble as in the 1961 Legislature: When the chips are down, some Democrats side with the GOP, especially the conservative ones.

The 29-29 deadlock was resolved this way:

Two of Jackson county's three House seats were taken with clear margins by Republicans John Dellenback and Edward Branchfield, both of Medford. Final returns for the third seat showed a close three-way race among Democrats James A. Redden and Alva N. Bradford, and Republican Alexander A. Dumas, all of Medford.

It was 11,911 for Redden, 11,574 for Bradford and 11,516 for Dumas. Some 1,004 absentee ballots will clinch the seat, and Redden is expected to keep a winning margin.

Then the cliffhanger came in the Benton-Lane district where Democrat Eugene Hulet, Eugene, barely nipped out Verne Hawn, Eugene Republican, for the 31-29 lineup.

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Phoenix—Southwest Phoenix area residents voted down a zoning and land use ordinance in Tuesday's election by more than two to one. The vote was 74 yes, 136 no.

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WAYNE MORSE
'Tiger' Hasn't Slipped

Morse Turns Back Sig Unander in Senate Election

Portland—(UPI)—Democratic Sen. Wayne Morse, veteran of political battles under three party flags, proved Tuesday the prestige of "the tiger of the Senate" hasn't slipped.

Despite charges he was weak on Cuba, Morse defeated Republican Sig Unander by virtually the same margin that he held when he won six years ago.

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WEATHER

FORECAST: Increasing cloudiness tonight. Occasional showers Thursday. Low tonight 35-40. High Thursday 50-55.

Highest Yesterday 55
Lowest This Morning 35

Our Skies Tonight
Sunset today 4:58 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 6:34 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow 2:29 a.m.
Full Moon Nov. 11
Prominent Star
Sirius, rises 11:10 p.m.
Visible Planets
Jupiter, due south 7:25 p.m.
Saturn, low in south-west 8:42 p.m.
Mars, rises 11:20 p.m.

Redden Has Lead Of 337 Votes in State House Race

Lynn Newbury, Ashland Republican, candidate for reelection for state senator, received the highest number of votes of any Jackson county candidate yesterday.

Going with him to the state legislature will be John R. Dellenback, Medford Republican; Edward Branchfield, Medford Republican; and James A. Redden, Medford Democrat. All three state representatives are lawyers.

The race for the third state representative post was close between Redden, Alva N. Bradford, Democrat, and A. A. Dumas, Republican. Redden increased his lead over Bradford to 337 votes with the final unofficial tabulation by the Mail Tribune. There are 1,004 absentee votes to be counted.

Trailing in the field of six candidates for the state house was Charles W. Crary.

Here was the totals in these races with all precincts of Jackson county reporting: Newbury, 16,930; Henry F. Padgham Jr., 8,970.

Dellenback, 16,126; Branchfield, 13,779; Redden, 11,911; Bradford, 11,574; Dumas, 11,516; Crary, 8,897.

In other races, two Democratic incumbents office holders, County Assessor Thad Hatten and County Clerk Marvin Madden, won easily over their Republican challengers.

Hatten defeated Herb Hunter, Medford, 15,073 to 9,978; and Madden defeated Bereth P. Hopkins, Medford, 16,038 to 9,367.

County Judge Earl M. Miller, Republican, was reelected to that post over former County Commissioner Ralph A. James. The vote was 14,214 to 11,032. A Republican candidate for county commissioner, Donald A. Faber, Central Point, will fill the position now occupied by Chester Wendt, who did not seek reelection. Faber beat his opponent, Larry Sheehan, Rogue River, 13,617 to 11,639.

In the other countywide race, DeArmond Leigh, Ashland, a Republican, beat Berle E. Stephens for county sheriff. The vote was 13,636 to 11,545.

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CLAIMS VICTORY—A weary confetti-draped Gov. Mark O. Hatfield of Oregon talks on the telephone at his campaign headquarters in Portland after he had claimed victory over Democratic Atty. Gen. Robert Y. Thornton, who ran against him in his bid for reelection. (UPI)

Josephine County Voters Favored More Republicans

Grants Pass—Despite a Democratic edge in registration, Josephine county voters favored more Republican candidates overwhelmingly in yesterday's election here.

Sidney Barett, Republican representative in the 18th district, appeared to have won reelection by about a three to one margin. His opponent was Carol W. Dewey.

Incumbent Republican county commissioners Louis D. Ringette and Donald G. McGregor were far ahead of their Democratic opponents, James F. Harris and Edward W. Hare, respectively in incomplete returns.

Grants Pass city election featured a cliffhanger in which incumbent Mayor Charles B. Gill Jr. was ahead of D. W. Gillespie 2,002 to 1,918, in unofficial returns.

In the city council races, incomplete returns showed the following:

Ward I: Roland Stearns, 616; Larry Greene, 331.

Ward II: William V. Wrightson, unopposed, 875.

Ward III: E. Bobby Pruitt, 334; Hugh Gould, 292.

Ward IV: Chester L. Wilde, 404; H. L. Rollins, 363.

Proposed tax levies for drainage system improvement and parks and recreation improvements were winning.

F. W. Mason Wins In Central Point

Central Point—Mayor Freeman W. Mason of Central Point won reelection yesterday by a 23-vote margin over Councilman Leslie J. Bigham 302 to 279. Bowers was third with 202.

Bigham relinquished his city council seat to run for mayor.

Lyle Paul was reelected city recorder over three other candidates. It was Paul 391, Robert H. Padgett 223, Larry H. South 85, and Donald J. Braund 83.

Edward W. Jones was reelected city treasurer by a 499 to 247 count over Juanita Williams.

The lone incumbent councilman running for reelection, Don M. Patterson, was reelected in Ward III. He had 125 votes to 63 for Robert V. Walker and 13 for Earl Thomas Fox.

In Ward I, Bert O. Adams beat Frank Armstrong 79 to 66 for that city council seat.

In Ward II, Dale L. Bartley edged through to win with 85 votes to 72 for Earl W. Obenshain and 52 for Keith E. Williams.

Democrats in Firm Grip on Congress; Big Names Tumble

Washington—(UPI)—Democrats won firm control of Congress again today in a checkered election in which the party of the president in power did better than in any off-year election since 1934 under Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The outpouring of votes in Tuesday's balloting, unexpectedly large for a midterm contest, established a crazy quilt pattern from the beginning. Voters clearly were in no mood to abide by traditional balloting patterns.

While the Democrats were scoring their congressional triumphs, Republicans knocked off Democratic governors in the pivotal states of Pennsylvania, Ohio and Michigan. All are powerful bases for strengthening the party's 1964 presidential bid.

The Republicans also enlarged their beachhead in the once Solid South, reaching a post-reconstruction high in party members from that area.

Democratic candidates in turn won major races in such traditional GOP strongholds as New Hampshire, Vermont, Wisconsin and Iowa.

Possible GOP Prospects

Three prospects for the 1964 Republican presidential nomination coasted into governorships—Nelson A. Rockefeller who won reelection in New York; George Romney, who ended 14 years of Democratic rule in Michigan; and William W. Scrantom, who won impressively in Pennsylvania.

In Massachusetts, Edward

Man, Wife Killed In Car-Truck Crash

Estacada—(UPI)—An Eagle Creek couple died when their car collided head-on with a logging truck seven miles north of here Tuesday.

The victims were Roy O. Dail, 79, and his wife, Stella May, 72.

Voters Turn Down PUD Issue by 4 to 1

Grants Pass—Seventy-two per cent of Josephine county's registered voters turned out yesterday and voted down a proposed People's Utility district by a margin of more than four to one.

The highly controversial proposal would have authorized a creation of a PUD throughout most of Josephine county with a board of directors of five. The issue sparked a heated campaign on the question of "public power" versus "private power."

Complete but unofficial returns from all of Josephine county's 32 precincts showed 8,592 votes against the PUD and only 2,034 for it.

DUNLEVY ELECTED

Jimmy Dunlevy, present Medford city councilman, was elected mayor of Medford over two opponents. City councilmen elected were Robert J. Cunningham, Ward 1; Joseph R. Honick, Ward 2; Robert Baccus, Ward 3; and Richard H. Travis, Ward 4.

Rafferty, a controversial figure frequently linked with the far right in California, was winning despite the fact that Gov. Edmund G. Brown, nine of the 10 members of the

Edith Green, Norblad, Ullman Score Victories

Voter Turn-Out About 70 Per Cent

Portland—(UPI)—Gov. Mark Hatfield outpolled Sen. Wayne Morse as the two powerful incumbents swept to victory in Tuesday's general election which also saw Democrats gain a seat from Republicans in Congress.

Democratic Reps. Edith Green and Al Ullman and Republican Rep. Walter Norblad scored easy victories to make Nov. 8 an incumbent's field day in Oregon.

Biggest Margin

Hatfield, often talked of as a possible 1964 Republican vice presidential nominee, rolled up the biggest margin of his career in defeating Democratic Atty. Gen. Robert Y. Thornton and independent Robert Wampler.

Morse, elected for the fourth time and the second time as a Democrat, pulled away from GOP candidate Sig Unander but his margin wasn't as great as Hatfield's.

Returns from 3179 of Oregon's 3,244 precincts showed Hatfield with 324,200 to 244,393 for Thornton and 25,052 for Wampler. Morse had 320,913 to 270,332 for Unander.

About 70 per cent of the state's 883,890 voters turned out.

Democratic Majority

Hatfield piled up his victory in the face of a 78,000 Democratic majority. He pledged to "work vigorously for progress in Oregon."

Morse pledged "to all the people of Oregon that I shall continue to serve them in the Senate by following where the facts lead thereby always placing principle above partisanship." His victory came in the face of accusations by Unander that he had been soft on Cuba.

Mrs. Green won a fifth straight term in defeating Portland druggist Stanley Hartman, Republican. Ullman, who lost his lower left leg in an auto accident last year, handily defeated Bend publisher Robert Chandler to win for the fourth straight time.

Norblad's victory over Democrat Blaine Whipple gave the Stayton Republican his ninth term in Congress.

Jackson county final returns gave:

U.S. senator: Morse, 13,423; Unander, 12,678.

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