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Roosevelt Leads In 33 of 48 States

Democrats Have Majorities in All But One State Contest; Frost and Brumbaugh Win As County Gains Margin to All Republican Candidates



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

Endorsed By the Nation for a Fourth Presidential Term

According to figures available last night President Roosevelt was leading Governor Thomas E. Dewey in 33 States, having a total electoral vote of 391, leaving Dewey with a majority in 15 States with a combined electoral vote of 140.

County Results

In Centre county, Republicans gave Dewey a 1972 majority over Roosevelt, and turned in substantial majorities for all other Republican candidates. D. Emmert Brumbaugh, Republican candidate for re-election to Congress, received majorities in all three counties of the district over his Democratic opponent, Bernard J. Clark. Preston A. Frost, of State College, Republican, became Centre county's new representative in the General Assembly by defeating Charles S. Kniss, of Spring Mills, Democrat.

Myers Leads Davis

Francis J. Myers, Democratic nominee for U. S. Senator, had 1,701,612 votes to 1,650,203 for Senator James J. Davis, Republican candidate running for re-election.

Baird Trails Black

Ramsey S. Black, Democrat, had 1,674,217 votes for State Treasurer to 1,666,170 registered for Edgar W. Baird, Jr., his Republican opponent.

Wagner Shows Strength

G. Harold Wagner, Democratic candidate for Auditor General was leading G. Harold Watkins, Republican, by a considerable majority, the respective totals last night being 1,696,438 for Wagner and 1,623,260 for Watkins.

Ross, Rhodes Ahead

The two Democratic candidates for Judge of the Superior Court were up the lead last night over the Republican nominees. F. Clair Ross had 1,698,715 and his running mate, Chester H. Rhodes had 1,662,841. The Republican candidates, Arthur H. James and J. Frank Grant were credited with 1,643,001 and 1,626,286, respectively.

Capt. Parker Is Decorated For Leadership In Sea Battle

Capt. Edward Nelson Parker, of Bellefonte, was awarded the Silver Star recently for putting his destroyer division on the attack in the battle of the Java Sea, delivering a successful torpedo attack against two Japanese heavy cruisers and seven light cruisers—forcing the enemy off.

The 40-year-old Naval officer, husband of the former Elizabeth Hunter of this place, has been decorated, also, with the Navy Cross and two gold stars in lieu of a second and third Navy Cross. He is now officer in charge of the planning and engineering section, research and development division, Bureau of Ordnance of the Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

At the time of the action for which he was given the Silver Star, Captain Parker held the rank of lieutenant commander and was commander of Destroyer Division 59. The battle of the Java Sea took place February 27, 1942.

Accompanying the decoration, which was authorized by Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal, is the following citation:

"For conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity as Commander Destroyer Division Fifty-Nine and in Commander, Second Section Destroyer



Capt. Edward Nelson Parker

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EXPLOSION IN BUILDING KILLS QUARRYMAN

Lewis Lucas, 44, of Milesburg, Dies Instantly Near Jacksonville

CAUSE OF BLAST IS UNEXPLAINED

Truck Driver Escapes as Fragments Shatter Windshield

Fire, followed by a heavy explosion in a combined tool shed and garage at the Martin Miller quarry near Jacksonville early Sunday morning cost the life of Lewis Lucas, 44, of Milesburg, and resulted in the complete destruction of the building.

Lucas was instantly killed by the explosion, which hurled fragments of the building over a considerable area, and which felled the man just as he was about to re-enter the structure presumably to fight the fire.

Melvin Hockenberry, who was in the garage section of the structure preparing to drive a large Mack truck out of the building, escaped injury, although the blast hurled a fragment through the windshield narrowly missing his head, and another fragment was thrown through the glass of the open truck door on the driver's side. The truck was destroyed in the blaze.

A group of employees had arrived at the quarry about 7 a. m., and Lucas remained behind to build a fire in the tool shed store while the

COUNTY VETERANS GET LEGION POSTS

Department Names Aides to Carry on Work in State

A number of prominent Centre county veterans have been named to positions on State committees of the American Legion, it was announced this week by Legion officials.

Charles Eckenroth, of Bellefonte, is vice chairman of the Sons of the American Legion in districts 16, 17, and 23. District 23 alone comprises Centre, Clearfield, Cameron and McKean counties.

Earl K. Stock, of Bellefonte, supervising principal of the Bellefonte schools, is a vice chairman of the Pennsylvania School Teachers' Committee of the Legion.

John R. Doty, of State College, has been named a vice chairman of the Grave Registration Committee.

William K. Ulerich, of State College, is vice chairman of the Publicity Committee.

In addition, those named to committee memberships include Charles Eckenroth, Bellefonte, Traffic Safety; Mary Siegel, Spring Mills, Auxiliary; and Kenneth Kellogg, Bellefonte, Athletics.

Daniel Krumrine, of State College, has been named district deputy and commander for Centre county, and

DECEMBER COURT JURORS DRAWN

Grand Jury to Meet Here November 27; Criminal Court Opens Dec. 11

Jurors for the regular December Court were drawn this week by County Jury Commissioners J. W. Condo, of Spring Mills, and Mary C. Heverly, of Bellefonte, with the assistance of Sheriff Jerry Galanda and with Mrs. Marie C. Johnston of Bellefonte serving as clerk.

The Grand Jurors will meet here Monday, November 27. Jurors for Criminal Court duty will convene two weeks later, on Monday, December 11. Those called for service in Civil Court are scheduled to report Monday, December 18.

GRAND JURORS

(Meet Monday, November 27)

Ammerman, John S., Bellefonte.
Arber, Joseph, Philipsburg, R. D.
Boloupe, Harry, Liberty Twp.
Benner, G. O., Centre Hall.
Bathurst, Thomas Allen, Liberty Twp.
Bock, Llewellyn, Philipsburg.
Breen, Clara, Ferguson Twp.
Crain, John H., Fort Matilda.
Clifford, H. H., Philipsburg.
Dawson, Florence, State College.
Dreibelbis, Miss Mary, Ferguson Twp.
Garis, Herbert, Potter Twp.
Kelman, Leo, Snow Shoe.
Korman, Franklin D., Haines Twp.
Kopler, J. W., Ferguson Twp.
McMullin, Mary J., Millheim.
Roush, Harry F., Haines Twp.
Rackowski, Mrs. Frank, Bellefonte.
Rishel, Harry, Miles Twp.

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Unofficial Vote Cast In Centre County

| VOTING PRECINCTS | President Roosevelt-Dewey | U. S. Senator Myers-Davis | Supr. Court Hughes-Ross | Superior Court James-Ross | Auditor Gen. Watkins-Ross | State Treas. Black-Dem. | Rep. In Cong. Clark-Dem. | Gen. Assn. Kniss-Dem. | Franklin D. Roosevelt | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Bellefonte Boro—N. W. | 359 | 633 | 323 | 641 | 330 | 645 | 346 | 329 | 626 | 332 | 643 | 334 | 637 | 325 | 649 | 320 | 655 | |
| Bellefonte Boro—S. W. | 305 | 424 | 294 | 413 | 291 | 413 | 301 | 292 | 403 | 401 | 296 | 408 | 293 | 412 | 284 | 417 | 290 | 419 |
| Bellefonte Boro—W. W. | 183 | 160 | 135 | 162 | 137 | 158 | 146 | 135 | 157 | 149 | 137 | 152 | 136 | 151 | 134 | 161 | 135 | 162 |
| Centre Hall Boro | 176 | 154 | 174 | 153 | 171 | 155 | 166 | 170 | 147 | 151 | 179 | 149 | 175 | 153 | 177 | 157 | 168 | 163 |
| Howard Boro | 93 | 233 | 61 | 232 | 61 | 231 | 92 | 85 | 230 | 225 | 90 | 227 | 86 | 228 | 83 | 232 | 87 | 235 |
| Milesburg Boro | 106 | 142 | 94 | 148 | 95 | 145 | 99 | 94 | 140 | 138 | 91 | 147 | 94 | 145 | 95 | 146 | 93 | 144 |
| Millheim Boro | 190 | 132 | 104 | 147 | 147 | 143 | 188 | 185 | 146 | 136 | 189 | 140 | 187 | 142 | 185 | 148 | 179 | 153 |
| Port Matilda Boro | 80 | 139 | 79 | 132 | 76 | 138 | 86 | 74 | 133 | 129 | 76 | 135 | 76 | 136 | 77 | 133 | 80 | 134 |
| Philipsburg—1st Ward | 116 | 280 | 116 | 274 | 115 | 278 | 114 | 113 | 275 | 276 | 112 | 277 | 113 | 274 | 113 | 276 | 115 | 272 |
| Philipsburg—2nd Ward | 235 | 303 | 204 | 296 | 233 | 298 | 235 | 233 | 296 | 297 | 234 | 296 | 234 | 294 | 232 | 298 | 235 | 295 |
| Philipsburg—3rd Ward | 249 | 266 | 205 | 273 | 241 | 270 | 241 | 240 | 270 | 270 | 240 | 271 | 238 | 271 | 235 | 277 | 240 | 273 |
| South Philipsburg Boro | 67 | 43 | 67 | 46 | 63 | 45 | 64 | 62 | 43 | 43 | 63 | 44 | 63 | 43 | 61 | 43 | 64 | 45 |
| Snow Shoe Borough | 109 | 92 | 83 | 99 | 60 | 109 | 84 | 82 | 93 | 83 | 93 | 83 | 98 | 83 | 98 | 84 | 101 | 80 |
| State College—East Div. | 347 | 741 | 329 | 733 | 312 | 751 | 330 | 283 | 705 | 300 | 727 | 302 | 749 | 294 | 772 | 294 | 874 | 874 |
| State College—West Div. | 375 | 638 | 359 | 699 | 339 | 697 | 355 | 325 | 678 | 651 | 350 | 679 | 343 | 669 | 307 | 219 | 874 | 874 |
| State College—North Div. | 172 | 333 | 170 | 344 | 151 | 369 | 165 | 150 | 329 | 332 | 155 | 351 | 161 | 357 | 152 | 368 | 95 | 431 |
| Unionville Boro | 44 | 116 | 43 | 110 | 43 | 108 | 48 | 41 | 106 | 106 | 45 | 105 | 43 | 108 | 43 | 112 | 42 | 113 |
| Benner Twp.—N. P. | 51 | 92 | 45 | 92 | 44 | 92 | 45 | 92 | 88 | 47 | 87 | 45 | 91 | 45 | 91 | 45 | 90 | 90 |
| Benner Twp.—S. P. | 23 | 43 | 23 | 43 | 23 | 42 | 26 | 23 | 42 | 38 | 24 | 41 | 23 | 42 | 24 | 42 | 23 | 42 |
| Boggs Twp.—N. P. | 38 | 40 | 23 | 40 | 23 | 42 | 30 | 26 | 42 | 37 | 39 | 40 | 31 | 39 | 30 | 40 | 29 | 42 |
| Boggs Twp.—E. P. | 38 | 32 | 21 | 34 | 30 | 34 | 32 | 30 | 32 | 31 | 31 | 34 | 31 | 33 | 33 | 32 | 31 | 33 |
| Boggs Twp.—W. P. | 154 | 159 | 144 | 153 | 140 | 156 | 147 | 145 | 153 | 150 | 146 | 152 | 144 | 153 | 143 | 161 | 162 | 162 |
| Burnside Twp. | 41 | 25 | 40 | 28 | 41 | 24 | 41 | 42 | 25 | 44 | 24 | 42 | 24 | 41 | 24 | 41 | 25 | 41 |
| College Twp. | 132 | 306 | 124 | 305 | 124 | 303 | 127 | 123 | 303 | 285 | 133 | 298 | 126 | 303 | 121 | 311 | 113 | 321 |
| Curtin Twp.—N. P. | 51 | 21 | 50 | 20 | 49 | 21 | 49 | 48 | 20 | 49 | 20 | 49 | 21 | 50 | 21 | 50 | 21 | 50 |
| Curtin Twp.—S. P. | 34 | 32 | 32 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 32 |
| Ferguson Twp.—N. P. | 111 | 135 | 113 | 126 | 113 | 125 | 111 | 109 | 129 | 129 | 109 | 129 | 112 | 125 | 108 | 132 | 92 | 150 |
| Ferguson Twp.—E. P. | 113 | 146 | 109 | 145 | 110 | 159 | 112 | 109 | 141 | 136 | 111 | 140 | 112 | 139 | 108 | 141 | 106 | 145 |
| Ferguson Twp.—W. P. | 29 | 113 | 43 | 102 | 44 | 100 | 43 | 23 | 104 | 96 | 43 | 102 | 42 | 103 | 41 | 103 | 41 | 104 |
| Gregg Twp.—N. P. | 37 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 29 | 29 | 30 | 29 | 31 | 28 | 40 | 28 | 30 | 30 | 29 | 30 | 29 | 30 |
| Gregg Twp.—E. P. | 72 | 38 | 71 | 34 | 72 | 34 | 72 | 69 | 35 | 72 | 69 | 35 | 70 | 36 | 70 | 36 | 70 | 37 |
| Gregg Twp.—W. P. | 188 | 98 | 173 | 101 | 173 | 96 | 172 | 173 | 93 | 84 | 174 | 95 | 175 | 95 | 172 | 97 | 179 | 94 |
| Haines Twp.—E. P. | 76 | 59 | 74 | 52 | 74 | 52 | 74 | 54 | 52 | 74 | 54 | 52 | 73 | 53 | 73 | 53 | 74 | 55 |
| Haines Twp.—W. P. | 128 | 147 | 122 | 140 | 123 | 140 | 125 | 120 | 139 | 136 | 122 | 140 | 122 | 141 | 121 | 141 | 120 | 143 |
| Halfmoon Twp. | 37 | 99 | 26 | 98 | 26 | 98 | 26 | 99 | 95 | 25 | 97 | 26 | 97 | 26 | 96 | 25 | 96 | 26 |
| Harris Twp.—E. P. | 39 | 49 | 24 | 42 | 26 | 40 | 30 | 26 | 39 | 35 | 29 | 38 | 29 | 37 | 27 | 36 | 21 | 46 |
| Harris Twp.—W. P. | 100 | 129 | 84 | 122 | 81 | 123 | 99 | 83 | 124 | 115 | 84 | 123 | 99 | 130 | 92 | 130 | 74 | 149 |
| Howard Twp. | 89 | 89 | 85 | 85 | 85 | 82 | 87 | 82 | 81 | 82 | 83 | 85 | 83 | 85 | 83 | 85 | 82 | 88 |
| Huston Twp. | 67 | 107 | 62 | 105 | 59 | 107 | 61 | 57 | 105 | 102 | 62 | 104 | 60 | 106 | 58 | 108 | 63 | 104 |
| Liberty Twp.—E. P. | 120 | 155 | 114 | 149 | 116 | 149 | 112 | 106 | 150 | 147 | 114 | 147 | 113 | 149 | 113 | 150 | 112 | 149 |
| Liberty Twp.—W. P. | 50 | 22 | 43 | 24 | 43 | 24 | 46 | 46 | 19 | 20 | 47 | 20 | 44 | 21 | 47 | 20 | 45 | 22 |
| Marion Twp. | 57 | 67 | 53 | 67 | 53 | 64 | 54 | 52 | 65 | 63 | 59 | 64 | 54 | 65 | 52 | 62 | 53 | 65 |
| Miles Twp.—E. P. | 28 | 15 | 26 | 16 | 27 | 15 | 25 | 25 | 17 | 15 | 28 | 15 | 28 | 15 | 27 | 15 | 28 | 14 |
| Miles Twp.—M. P. | 153 | 92 | 150 | 89 | 147 | 89 | 149 | 141 | 88 | 76 | 150 | 87 | 147 | 94 | 149 | 91 | 152 | 91 |
| Miles Twp.—W. P. | 62 | 31 | 61 | 27 | 62 | 26 | 62 | 74 | 26 | 25 | 82 | 27 | 82 | 26 | 80 | 26 | 80 | 29 |
| Penn Twp. | 58 | 116 | 53 | 109 | 52 | 111 | 54 | 51 | 105 | 107 | 54 | 106 | 53 | 108 | 53 | 108 | 51 | 112 |
| Penn Twp.—N. P. | 143 | 74 | 138 | 71 | 135 | 73 | 139 | 131 | 75 | 67 | 139 | 71 | 137 | 71 | 140 | 69 | 134 | 78 |
| Penn Twp.—S. P. | 98 | 70 | 98 | 63 | 99 | 67 | 104 | 98 | 63 | 60 | 62 | 64 | 101 | 65 | 102 | 66 | 100 | 67 |
| Penn Twp.—E. P. | 65 | 79 | 65 | 77 | 65 | 77 | 65 | 74 | 65 | 72 | 64 | 66 | 77 | 65 | 78 | 66 | 76 | 70 |
| Penn Twp.—W. P. | 57 | 33 | 57 | 33 | 57 | 33 | 57 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 57 | 33 | 57 | 33 | 57 | 33 | 56 | 34 |
| Rush Twp.—N. P. | 289 | 213 | 273 | 215 | 274 | 213 | 276 | 260 | 210 | 209 | 279 | 209 | 270 | 216 | 270 | 215 | 273 | 215 |
| Rush Twp.—E. P. | 29 | 40 | 26 | 39 | 26 | 38 | 29 | 29 | 37 | 36 | 27 | 38 | 26 | 38 | 26 | 38 | 26 | 38 |
| Rush Twp.—S. P. | 107 | 68 | 118 | 63 | 107 | 67 | 107 | 68 | 103 | 102 | 66 | 109 | 63 | 107 | 66 | 109 | 60 | 109 |
| Rush Twp.—W. P. | 91 | 166 | 94 | 171 | 89 | 170 | 165 | 85 | 172 | 89 | 170 | 90 | 172 | 87 | 172 | 87 | 176 | 88 |
| Snow Shoe Twp.—E. P. | 257 | 87 | 244 | 88 | 244 | 88 | 243 | 86 | 243 | 86 | 243 | 89 | 245 | 87 | 244 | 87 | 244 | 87 |
| Snow Shoe Twp.—W. P. | 66 | 66 | 59 | 65 | 60 | 66 | 60 | 59 | 64 | 61 | 60 | 63 | 59 | 62 | 59 | 65 | 59 | 66 |
| Spring Twp.—N. P. | 141 | 231 | 137 | 224 | 137 | 224 | 147 | 136 | 217 | 208 | 141 | 218 | 138 | 222 | 132 | 225 | 135 | 226 |
| Spring Twp.—S. P. | 166 | 74 | 166 | 362 | 156 | 361 | 158 | 148 | 366 | 347 | 163 | 354 | 155 | 359 | 153 | 368 | 152 | 369 |
| Spring Twp.—W. P. | 126 | 91 | 126 | 91 | 119 | 92 | 123 | 119 | 89 | 89 | 120 | 92 | 117 | 92 | 117 | 95 | 119 | 94 |
| Taylor Twp. | 38 | 70 | 33 | 69 | 33 | 69 | 32 | 67 | 69 | 32 | 70 | 32 | 70 | 31 | 70 | 32 | 70 | 32 |
| Union Twp. | 92 | 119 | 83 | 115 | 82 | 115 | 32 | 113 | 111 | 86 | 113 | 82 | 117 | 78 | 124 | 84 | 120 | 84 |
| Walker Twp.—N. P. | 59 | 49 | 46 | 48 | 47 | 47 | 49 | 44 | 43 | 42 | 47 | | | | | | | |