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UNOFFICIAL RETURNS GIVE BACON 21 VOTE MAJORITY OVER WILKINS

The unofficial returns of Polk County's Democratic run-off primary held on Saturday, July 4th give former Senator F. P. Bacon of Tryon a majority of 21 votes over former sheriff W. Y. Wilkins in their race for the nomination to the office of State senator in the 27th district composed of Henderson, Polk, Cleveland, McDowell and Rutherford counties.

Bacon carried all the precincts in the county except Tryon and Saluda. The total votes in all the precincts gave Bacon 1,307 and Wilkins 1,286. The official result will not be known until the County Board meets this week and certifies to the official count.

The vote by precincts is given

below. Saturday's primary is given in black face figures. The first primary is given in light figures in order for interested readers to make comparisons. The vote of Mr. Burgess in the first primary is also given for it was from his supporters that both candidates hoped to win. The forces of both candidates worked hard for over 300 more votes were cast in the second primary than were cast in the first. The total vote cast for Bacon, Burgess and Wilkins in the first primary was 2,217; but for Bacon and Wilkins in the second primary a total of 2,593 votes were cast. BLACK figures are for second primary, and Light for first primary.

	Columbus	Cooper Gap	Green Creek	Saluda	Tryon	White Oak	TOTAL
W. Y. Wilkins	195	26	193	304	461	107	1286
W. Y. Wilkins	96	18	112	163	403	81	973
F. P. Bacon	335	73	313	42	399	145	1307
F. P. Bacon	125	32	232	33	274	63	759
John R. Burgess	227	21	100	13	63	61	485

In the state primary Clyde Hoey of Shelby was apparently nominated over Dr. McDonald for governor by approximately 50,000 majority. The total vote from 1733 of the 1858 precincts give

Hoey 259,902 votes and McDonald 207,567 votes. Horton is leading Grady for Lieutenant - governor and Eure is nominated over Wade for secretary of state.