

ROOSEVELT IS STILL LEADING

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have recently pointed out that indications for a tight and close presidential race next year were already being manifest . . . and that the battle ground would most likely be in key eastern and mid-western states.

The returns in this nation-wide poll, which is being conducted by this and some 2,000 other newspapers, bear out those predictions, even at this early stage of the balloting.

By eliminating the total "solid south" votes for all choices, the closeness of the race may be judged. The "solid south" states are: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Texas and Virginia.

The total votes for the respective choices in those 10 states and from which returns have been received, are as follows: Roosevelt, 17,962; Other Democratic choices, 2,817; All Republican choices, 7,532. . . . By deducting the above totals from the total votes cast in 38 states, these results in the other 28 states are shown: Roosevelt, 24,217; Other Democratic choices, 2,694; All Republican choices, 27,568.

Conceding that the "Other Democratic Choices" votes would go to Roosevelt in official balloting, we get these figures for the 28 states outside the solid south:

Roosevelt 26,911

Republican Choices 27,568

In popular vote percentages for the entire 38 states, to date, as strictly between Roosevelt and Republican choices, they stand:

Roosevelt 56 x %

Republican Choices 43 x %

Roosevelt shows a gain of 1.81% over one week ago, when on 36,477 ballots he had 54% to Republican Choices' 45%.

The state by state tabulation of the national vote and the breakdown of the first, second and third choice vote for the respective favorites, furnish some interesting figures for the voters' perusal. They are printed herewith.

You Can Still Vote

There is still time to vote in this nation-wide poll, if you will hurry. The "Next President" ballot will be found on this page. Clip, vote and mail the ballot to this newspaper today. We will rush it along to the Publishers Autocaster Service in New York, the newspaper service company which agreed to tabulate the national vote and give us weekly reports.

Breakdown of the REPUBLICAN VOTE

	First Choice	Second Choice	Third Choice
Borah	10,971	3550	1989
Landon	5474	2823	1326
Knox	3862	3539	2108
Hoover	2556	964	976
Col. Roosevelt	1063	935	571
Vandenberg	1691	977	647
Capper	429	171	51
Hughes	338	287	209
Lowden	235	252	318
Nye	202	62	60
Wadsworth	247	83	96
Lindbergh	117	79	...
Dickinson	93	231	126
Fish	49	145	139
Mills	65	117	65

There was a shift in the balloting this week in Republican ranks, Senator Arthur Capper piling up a Missouri Valley Vote in Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma to pass Hughes and Lowden.

Among the favorite sons to receive scattered votes, mostly in their own states were: McNary, Meses, Bridges, Simmons, Watson, McGroarty, McKelvie, McNeider, Robinson, Curtis, Allen, Hurley, Lippman, Winant, Brewster, Thomas, Snell, Glen Frank, Norris, Henry Ford, Smedley Butler, Upshaw, Frazier, Kohler, Hoffman and McCarl.

Breakdown of the DEMOCRATIC VOTE

	First Choice	Second Choice	Third Choice
Roosevelt	42,119
Glass	795	258	132
Talmadge	783	262	168
Smith	731	285	207
Byrd	536	260	234
Owen Young	221	21	...
Ritchie	142	458	190
Jim Reed	89	54	55
Murray	104	...	15

Each week brings forward new names for sparse and scattered votes as loyal followers cast ballots for favorite sons and governors in the respective states. Included in the balloting this week were: Garner, Gore, Wallace, Davey, Douglas, Clark, Tidings, Workman, Cox, Davis, Harry Moore, McAdoo, Baker, Hull, Tugwell, Henry Ford, Robinson, Ickes and Sheppard.

Breakdown of the THIRD PARTY VOTE

	First Choice	Second Choice	Third Choice
Townsend	463	83	45
N. Thomas	221	79	28
Borah	221	143	22
Olson	129	53	41
La Follette	125	43	19
Fr. Coughlin	89	11	9
Up. Sinclair	67	15	21

Other Third Party choices with scant and widely scattered votes included: O. K. Allen, Upshaw, Orr, Landon, Smedley Butler, McGroarty, Patman, Frazier, Bridges, Norris, Langer, Talmadge, Murray, Reed, Snell, King and Douglas.

Highlands Highlights

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WORLD TRAVELERS

VISITING MISS ELLIOTT

HIGHLANDS, Oct. 30. — Miss Charlotte B. Elliott has as her guests at her home here for a few days, Miss Lilla Nourse, of Wilmington, Del., and Miss Mary Hankel of Charleston, S. C. Both Miss Nourse and Miss Hankel are artists, who for the past four years have been living in Rome, Italy. They have spent the last ten years traveling around the world and visiting many beautiful and romantic places not in the general itinerary of the average tourist. They lived for eight months in the Vale of Kashmir, and have spent much of their time in India, China and Japan.

Miss Nourse and Miss Hankel expect to remain in Highlands for the winter. They have rented George Maret's house and will move into it after their visit with Miss Elliott.

MISS ELINOR CLEVELAND BRIDE OF HENRY D. WEST

A wedding of unusual interest took place in Highlands Sunday, October 27, when Miss Elinor Christene Cleveland became the bride of Mr. Henry David West. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. E. Brown in the local Baptist church, and was solemnized immediately after the morning sermon. The marriage service was very simple, with no attendants, although several members of the bride's and groom's families, as well as a large congregation were present.

The bride was beautifully dressed in dark brown crepe with accessories to correspond, and wore a corsage of bronze chrysanthemums and fern. At the beginning of the ceremony Guy Paul, Jr., sang "Oh, Promise Me." Lohengrin's Wedding March, Listz' "Love Dream," played softly while the marriage vows were being taken, and Mendelssohn's Recessional, were rendered by Mrs. O. F. Summer, pianist.

A beautiful background for the wedding was made by an arrangement of white and yellow chrysanthemums, ferns and autumn leaves. White ribbons were used to designate seats reserved for members of the families of the bride and groom.

The bride is a member of one of Highlands' old and prominent families, being the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William B. Cleveland, who came to Highlands 52 years ago from Bridgeport, Conn. Mrs. West formerly taught in North Carolina schools, and for a number of years was postmistress at Highlands. Mr. West is a well known business man of Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. West will occupy Mr. West's house near Franklin, and will be at home the latter part of this week, after a few days wedding trip.

Mrs. Will Cleveland, sister-in-law of Mrs. West, entertained in honor of the bride and groom with a luncheon at her home immediately after the marriage. The dining room was decorated with lavender and white chrysanthemums, and the wedding cake was white with lavender and pink flowers. About forty guests were present at the luncheon, which was served in buffet style.

BRIDE-ELECT HONORED AT SHOWER

About 65 guests were present at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Elinor Cleveland at the home of Mrs. H. P. P. Thompson on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 24. Miss Cleveland became the bride of Mr. Henry West on the following Sunday. Mrs. W. A. Hays and Mrs. Will Cleveland assisted Mrs. Thompson as hostess.

The bride received a large number of beautiful and useful gifts, which were displayed at the shower. Delicious refreshments, including tea, sandwiches and cake, were served by the hostesses.

MRS. W. H. COBB GIVES SHOWER FOR MRS. RANDALL

Mrs. Whitton H. Cobb entertained with a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. James Randall, of Washington, D. C., formerly Miss Peggy Smith, of Highlands, on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Randall, who was married in Washington

during the summer, has been in Highlands on a visit for the past two weeks. She received many lovely and attractive gifts from friends who attended the shower.

Among those present were Miss Caroline Hall, Mrs. Joe Reese, Mrs. Deadwyler, Miss Dorothea Harbison, Mrs. T. C. Harbison, Mrs. Ralph Rucker, Mrs. Jack Hall, Mrs. Tudor Hall, Mrs. E. R. Gilbert, Mrs. Jessie Lamb, Mrs. J. A. Hines, Mrs. A. R. Nall, Mrs. A. C. Holt, Mrs. W. A. Bryson, Miss Estelle Edwards, Mrs. Carl Zoellner, Mrs. Harve Beal, Mrs. S. L. Calloway, Miss Ethel Calloway, Miss Eva Potts, Mrs. Don Watson, Mrs. Helen Potts, Mrs. W. W. Edwards, and others.

Mrs. Cobb served a dainty tea consisting of various sandwiches, nuts and mints.

McKINNEY-NORTON MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

The marriage of Miss Grace McKinney, popular young member of last year's Highlands high school graduating class, on Sunday, October 20, to Mr. Paul Norton, of Cullowhee, N. C., was announced this week. Mrs. Norton is the daughter of Mrs. Florence McKinney, of Highlands, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McKinney. Mr. Norton is the son of Mr. Frank Norton, of Cullowhee. The marriage took place in Clayton, Ga. The young couple will make their home in Cullowhee. A shower for the bride is planned to take place at the home of Mr. H. P. P. Thompson on Thursday of this week.

PLAN FOR DISTRICT AUXILIARY MEETING

A business meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Highlands Presbyterian church was held at the church Monday afternoon of this week for the purpose of planning the program for the meeting of the Auxiliary of the fifth district, scheduled to take place here on Saturday, Nov. 2. About forty guests are expected, and it is understood that they will be entertained at Hotel Edwards. These guests include representatives of the Auxiliaries of the Presbyterian churches from Franklin, Bryson City, Andrews, Murphy, Hayesville and Highlands.

Mrs. Bertha Jones returned to her home in Spartanburg, S. C., Sunday after spending a few days in Highlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keenan and Mrs. Frances Keenan, of Asheville, attended the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Henry West here Sunday.

Mrs. Keenan is the daughter of Mr. West by a former marriage. Mr. West's son, Lee, was also present at the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hopper have returned to Highlands after spending several months in Andrews, where Mr. Hopper was employed by the U. S. government.

Miss Nancy Hines, who is attending school in Franklin, was at her home here last week-end.

Miss Rachel Davis, of Franklin, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Davis here Sunday.

C. F. Redden has returned to Highlands after being away for some time.

Miss Sara Gilder, James C. Mell, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilton H. Cabb attended the Georgia-Alabama football game in Athens, Ga., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Culbertson are at home here after a two weeks' wedding trip through the southwest. Mr. and Mrs. Culbertson visited Mr. and Mrs. Durand Wiley in Fort Worth, Texas, while they were away.

Mrs. Mae Bassenet, formerly of Highlands, and Bill Bichler, both of Asheville, were visiting friends here Sunday.

Mrs. George Maret and daughter, Miss Stella Maret, left Highlands last Friday for Sarasota, Fla., where they expect to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Watkins and family, of Westminster, S. C., relatives of W. H. Cobb, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cobb here Sunday.

Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. E. R. Gilbert, and Miss Charlotte B. Elliott spent last Saturday in Asheville.

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OUR NEXT PRESIDENT - POLL

This newspaper is cooperating with 2,000 other newspapers in making this nation-wide poll.

VOTE IN ONE BLOCK ONLY

Do you favor the re-election of President Roosevelt?

(yes)

(no)

Or, do you favor the nomination, by the Democratic party, of some Democrat other than President Roosevelt?

(FIRST CHOICE)

(SECOND CHOICE)

(THIRD CHOICE)

Do you favor the election of a Republican?

(yes)

(no)

If you are in favor of a Republican, whom do you wish nominated?

(FIRST CHOICE)

(SECOND CHOICE)

(THIRD CHOICE)

Or, if you favor the organization of a third party, whom would you want this new party to nominate?

(FIRST CHOICE)

(SECOND CHOICE)

(THIRD CHOICE)

Every reader of this newspaper may vote. No reader is required to sign his name. Vote now and mail the ballot to this newspaper.

Highlands School Theatre

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, NOV. 1-2

Geo. O'Brien in "HARD ROCK HARRIGAN"

MONDAY-TUESDAY, NOV. 4-5

Charlotte Henry and Norman Foster in "THE HOOSIER SCHOOLMASTER"

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, NOV. 8-9

Gene Stratton Porter's "FRECKLES"

MONDAY-TUESDAY, NOV. 11-12

James Dunn and Arline Judge in "WELCOME HOME"

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, NOV. 15-16

Shirley Temple in "CURLY TOP"

MONDAY-TUESDAY, NOV. 18-19

Will Rogers in "STEAMBOAT ROUND THE BEND"

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, NOV. 22-23

John Wayne in "RANDY RIDES ALONE"

MONDAY-TUESDAY, NOV. 25-26

Ralph Bellamy and Karen Morley in "THE HEALER"

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, NOV. 29-30

Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire in "TOP HAT"

First Show Begins at 7:30

Admission 10c — 25c

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE SCHOOL