

Demo Vote Total Set Record

DALLAS (AP)—The Texas election bureau reported Saturday that the vote in the Democratic election last Saturday was a record for a Texas primary election.

The bureau said its unofficial 1,531,585 votes exceeded the former record of 1,476,670 in the 1952 Democratic primary.

The bureau said slightly more than half the estimated qualified voters turned out in last Saturday's balloting.

Complete returns showed Gov. John Connally won the sweeping victory over three opponents, carrying all but two counties, Hardin and Trinity, and winning a majority vote in all but five counties.

The final balloting gave Connally 68.9 per cent of the total vote, while runner-up Don Yarborough got 28.9 per cent.

Despite the larger number of eligible voters and the federal officials, the Senate race attracted 85,318 fewer votes than the governor's race.

Sen. Ralph Yarborough, in winning re-election, polled 57.3 per cent of the votes and lost Gordon McLendon in 21 counties in the votes.

U.S. Rep. Joe Post missed getting a majority by slightly more than three per cent in Denver, congressmen Alvin J. Davis, also of Dallas, led in 11 counties and the Rio Grande Valley.

J. Gov. Preston Smith proved the top vote-getter with 1,154,245, or 75.3 per cent of the total vote cast for lieutenant governor.

In the Republican primary, George Bush of Houston polled 44 per cent of the votes in the U.S. Senate race, but carried only 25 counties, while his closest opponent, Jack C. Walton, polled 31 per cent of the votes, carried 138 counties.

Dr. Robert Morris of Dallas led in 11 counties and Dr. Milton Davis, also of Dallas, led in two.

Sen. Barry Goldwater of Arizona won the nod in the Republican primary referendum with three-fourths of the votes; Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge was second with 11,503 written votes.

Democratic, County by County

Unofficial complete returns in Governor's race in Democratic Primary election:	Senator	Congressman-Large
Brewster	McLendon	McLendon
Comal	McLendon	McLendon
Concho	McLendon	McLendon
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Hidalgo	McLendon	McLendon
Jefferson	McLendon	McLendon
Johnson	McLendon	McLendon
Kimble	McLendon	McLendon
Kleberg	McLendon	McLendon
LaSalle	McLendon	McLendon
Live Oak	McLendon	McLendon
Maverick	McLendon	McLendon
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Mitchell	McLendon	McLendon
Montgomery	McLendon	McLendon
Newton	McLendon	McLendon
Orange	McLendon	McLendon
Park	McLendon	McLendon
Real	McLendon	McLendon
Rockwall	McLendon	McLendon
Tarrant	McLendon	McLendon
Texas	McLendon	McLendon
Travis	McLendon	McLendon
Wade	McLendon	McLendon
Waller	McLendon	McLendon
Wichita	McLendon	McLendon
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ATTENDS NEW YORK OPERA — Mrs. Lyndon Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. Anthony A. Bliss, left, wife of the president of the Metropolitan Opera Association, arrives for performance Friday of "Il Trovatore." The First Lady is in New York for a short visit.—UPI Telephoto.

Connally Backers Stage Credentials Protest Walkout

By JAMES MCCORRY

John Connally, Saturday led a walkout from the Credentials Committee meeting during the course of a stormy session of the man to settle their differences outside. About half in several instances and near by the gentleman changed his mind, and he and Bill Peace's departure from the meeting, repeated the scene at the hearing by about a third. The furor developed in the credentials committee, which is a contest involving Precinct 5, Jimmy Flores, leader of one faction which claimed the presence of 34 delegates, and announced to the Credentials Committee, chaired by Dr. Robert Morris, that he had retained Peace and Herbert Keiser to represent him. Dr. Morris held that since the hearing was administrative, rather than legal, only delegates themselves could present their cases.

"We're not going to hear from anyone," Dr. Morris asserted, "or we'd be here a month."

"Madam chairman," Peace interrupted, "is this still the Credentials Committee? I want to make a statement?"

When Peace, who said he received contested delegates in Precincts 8, 53, 52, 129, 130, 136, and 148, asked if he had heard correctly that the committee of delegates contesting the delegates would be in the room, Dr. Morris told him to get out of the room.

"I've been attending conventions for 25 years and this is the first time in the history of the Democratic Party in Texas that anyone has been denied the right to legal counsel and to be heard by the Credentials Committee," Dr. Morris said.

Byrd, who also is a district attorney investigator, presented affidavits from persons listed on the list of delegates in Precinct 59 that they had not attended the convention and the affidavits were signed by the delegates who attended Byrd's convention were sealed, it was said.

In Precinct 92, the pre-credentialing was done by the committee, Dr. Morris said.

In Precinct 139 in Terrell Hills minority rule was not on an executive committee session which had no authority to appoint it, that the state electors should show the county chairman is charged with the preparation of the temporary roll of the delegates, and it is well known and notorious this committee represents one majority faction of party machinery."

Byrd was referring to the Democratic roll, which was fighting the Connally organization, and the control of the convention. All Credentials Committee members are coalition members.

During the course of the late afternoon, Flores' presence on the grounds Flores, who chaired one of the meetings, lives in the precinct. The 34 delegates who voted in Precinct 8 were awarded to the delegation headed by Byrd, considered a standard primary election campaign.

The main resolution passed by both Johnson and Connally instructed delegates designated by support Connally and his group, the Sept. 15 state convention in Dallas would be state party platform were written.

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Connally Travis Victory Complete

By JON FORD

EXPRESS-NEWS AUSTIN CORRAL

AUSTIN—Gov. John Connally's victory over U.S. Sen. Ralph Yarborough, who has in effect challenged Connally's leadership of the state party, was complete Saturday.

The capital area's 78 state convention delegates were bound by resolution to "wholheartedly support" President Johnson and to Connally and his state organization on the national platform, in line with Connally's preferences.

Not a line of the resolution, offered by Connally's lieutenant, was changed, although liberals tried to amend it to call for support of Johnson's national program for peace, and hearing from the chairman of the Texas national convention delegation, and urged the state delegates to support "enthusiastic nomination of Johnson" for president.

Another provision of the resolution urged delegates to support the election of the non-PASO of the Democratic Party through the caucus, and the White House.

A liberal amendment to require a formal delegation of delegates was not carried out of committee.

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