



Rep. Don Ritter
... cites voters in 'middle'

Ritter beats Wells Schooley in sweep

By KATHERINE REINHARD
Of The Morning Call

U.S. Rep. Don Ritter, facing his toughest challenger ever in a race where 80 percent of the voters turned out, easily won a fourth term as representative from the 15th Congressional District with 57.4 percent of the vote.

With all 285 precincts reporting, Ritter,

who labeled his Democratic opponent, Jane Wells Schooley, a big-spending Democrat, picked up 109,330 votes.

Wells Schooley, a former national vice president of the National Organization for Women, received 73,120 votes.

The 48-year-old Ritter made a clean sweep of Lehigh and Northampton counties and the seven Monroe County municipalities that make up the 15th.

Ritter credited his victory to support from the "midsize" Lehigh Valley. Wells Schooley, on the other hand, said Ritter was riding the coattails of President Reagan's historic victory.

In the conservative Lehigh County, Ritter, with 60,851 votes to Wells Schooley's 41,211, won with 59.2 percent of the vote. In Monroe County, with 3,520 votes to Well Schooley's 2,086, he captured 62.7 percent of

the vote. The more liberal Northampton County gave Ritter his smallest margin of victory. With 44,659 votes to Wells Schooley's 35,823, Ritter picked up 55.5 percent of the vote there.

His margin of victory yesterday was not his greatest to date. In 1986, when he ran against State Sen. Jeanette Reibman, Ritter

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Kostmayer leads Christian in 8th District

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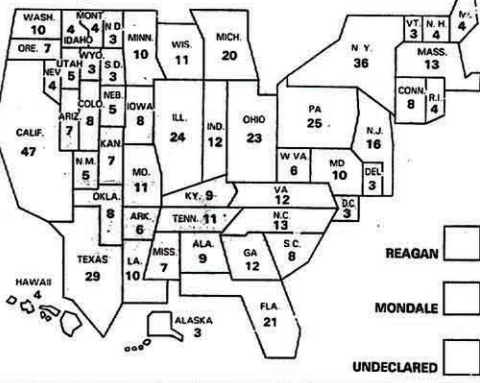
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It's a landslide

HOW THE STATES VOTED

This is roughly how a map of the U.S. would look if the states were proportionate in size to their number of electoral votes.



Mondale concedes victory to Reagan, wins only Minnesota, District of Columbia

By DAVID ESPO
Of The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Ronald Reagan swept to a 49-state, runaway re-election over Walter F. Mondale last night, but Republicans struggled to translate his conservative landslide into significant gains in Congress. The President won every state but Mondale's Minnesota and the District of Columbia.

The victorious President told cheering supporters in Los Angeles, "Our work isn't finished, there is much more to be done." He said his second term goals were "strong economic growth without inflation and to keep America strong," adding he hoped to reduce nuclear weapons and "ultimately ban them from the earth entirely."

"You ain't seen nothing yet," the President said in an echo of a campaign refrain. Mondale conceded defeat, telephoned his congratulations to

Reagan and told cheering supporters in St. Paul, Minn., "He has won. We are all Americans; he is our President and we honor him tonight."

Democratic running mate Geraldine Ferraro phoned Vice President George Bush, who praised his Democratic opponent — drawing some jeers from his Houston supporters. "She campaigned hard. She was a strong opponent," Bush said.

Republicans held the Senate. Democrats renewed control of the House, but by a reduced margin. Sen. Jesse Helms won a bitterly contested fight in North Carolina, but fellow Republican Sen. Roger Jepsen lost to Rep. Tom Harkin in Iowa. In Illinois, Foreign Relations Committee Chairman Charles Percy was trailing Democratic Rep. Paul Simon.

Democratic Sen. Walter Huddleston was defeated in Kentucky by Mitch McConnell, and another Democratic incumbent,

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President Reagan gives 'thumbs up' sign as first lady smiles after whopping victory.

Associated Press

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Zimmerman leads for attorney general



LeRoy Zimmerman
... ahead of Allen Ertel

By RICH KIRKPATRICK
Of The Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA — Republican LeRoy Zimmerman, who waged an expensive media campaign and billed himself as the "professional prosecutor," was leading in a tight race early this morning for re-election as Pennsylvania Attorney General.

Democrat Allen Ertel, a scrappy campaigner back for another try at statewide office, led in early returns, but Zimmerman closed the gap as the vote came in from Republican areas around the state.

Ertel, who came close to a miracle finish in the 1982 gubernatorial

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Dwyer re-elected as state treasurer



R. Budd Dwyer
... defeated Al Benedict

By DAN BIERS
Of The Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA — Republican incumbent Treasurer R. Budd Dwyer was re-elected yesterday, beating back a furious challenge from Democrat Auditor General Al Benedict in what was regarded as one of the nastiest political races in Pennsylvania in recent memory.

With 93 percent of precincts in, Dwyer had 2,116,240 votes, or 52 percent, and Benedict had 1,851,107 votes, or 45 percent. Consumer Party candidate Priscilla Thomas had 97,971 votes, or 2 percent and Liber-

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Bailey wins contest for auditor general



Don Bailey
... beat Susan Shanaman

By JOEL SIEGEL
Of The Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA — Former U.S. Congressman Don Bailey defeated Republican Susan Shanaman for Pennsylvania auditor general yesterday, allowing Democrats to keep control of the office.

With 92 percent of 9,552 precincts in, Bailey had 2,040,777 votes, or 50 percent, to Shan-man's 1,941,697 votes, or 48 percent.

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