

REPORT ON PRESIDENTIAL VOTE WASSERKAMP

Tokyo Reports Hot Battle Unexcelled In Intensity

By ASSOCIATED PRESS American Super Fortresses were over Tokyo and the heavily industrialized Kanto area today for the third time within a week, the Tokyo radio reported. No bombs were dropped.

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Wendell Willkie

Ballot Total Of 50,000,000 Appears Likely

Voters Flock To Polls To Decide Between Roosevelt And Dewey

By ASSOCIATED PRESS Voters turned out in record strength to decide the Roosevelt-Dewey Presidential race today, and first fragmentary returns fell pretty much into the 1940 pattern.

Reds Battle Nazis In Budapest Sector

LONDON—(AP)—Red Army troops battled strongly reinforced Nazi forces in the outskirts of Budapest today in the spurred by Premier-Marshall Stalin's pronouncement that Hungary would soon be out of the war.

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Dewey Casts Ballot 257

By JACK BELL NEW YORK (AP)—Governor Thomas E. Dewey cast ballot No. 257 in the E. 48th St. polling place shortly after noon and kept busy with his campaign for the Presidency.

Keep Your Eye On Returns In These States

By Associated Press The war may bring previous Presidential election indicators off line, but these states bear especial watching in today's election.

F. R. Casts Ballot 251

HYDE PARK, N. Y.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's "occupation" governor—cast ballot No. 251 in Hyde Park's old Town Hall shortly after noon today.

Two-Minute News Roundup

The Home Front The American people are turning out in record numbers today in the first nationwide election since 1934. The unusually heavy early voting indicates that the new poll will be a record.

Blast Six Jap Warships

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Pearl Harbor—(AP)—Six Japanese warships were sunk or damaged Sunday by a U. S. Navy task force in the Philippines.

Nipponese "Lidices"

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Estimating that Germans at Lido Island have been driven out at least two villages of the Netherlands East Indies with the virtual loss of their population.

Weather

Fair and continued cool this afternoon, with slightly higher temperatures tonight, clear, partly cloudy and warm tomorrow.

Japs Wipe Out Indies Towns

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NC Precinct Leads Nation

HENDERSON — (AP) — The 21 registered voters of Nutbush precinct in Vance County, North Carolina, was first in the nation to report complete returns in the 1944 Presidential election.

Absentee Ballots Are Counted In Alabama

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—(AP)—President Roosevelt called the customary Democratic majority over Gov. Dewey in returns from 24 absentee ballots in Jefferson (Birmingham) County today.

Today's Candidates

By ASSOCIATED PRESS The people are voting today for Presidential and Vice-Presidential candidates. In all 48 states the ballots carry Democratic and Republican choices.

Election Daily

The news this afternoon offers a handy assistance in keeping track of the Presidential election. You'll find it on page 7A together with AP reports Alexander George's stars emphasize what's important and what's not as the returns come in. Check the election with the News chart.