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to increase its roster of governors from the current 16 to parity at 25. In the South Carolina governor's race, GOP Rep. Carroll Campbell Jr. was locked in a close race with Lt. Gov. Mike Daniel. Republican Bob Martinez held the lead in Florida, as

Republicans saw bitter irony in the early trend in Senate races.

Reagan campaigned long and hard to keep the Senate from falling into Democratic hands, and voters in election places in the senate from the se election-place interviews gave him a strong overall approval rating of over 60 percent.

Majority Leader Bob Dole of Kansas was re-elected easily, then spent the night wondering if he would spend the next two years leading a GOP minority, rather than the majority he has commanded since 1984.

In another closely watched Senate race, GOP Sen. Jeremiah Denton pulled ahead of conservative Democratic Rep. Richard Shelby. ABC projected Denton would keep the

seat in the Republican column.

Next door in Georgia, Democratic
Rep. Wyche Fowler led incumbent Republican Mattingly in a Senate race, but by a narrow margin.
In another Dixie Senate race, for-

mer Democratic Gov, Terry Sanford took an early lead over Broyhill in North Carolina, and CBS said he would win. Rep. John Breaux led for the Democrats for the Louisiana Senate seat being vacated by Democrat Russell B. Long.

The ranks of Democratic senators winning new terms ran to Wendell Ford in Kentucky, Ernest Hollings in South Carolina, Christopher Dodd in Connecticut, Alan Dixon in Illinois, Particular Lenha in Version of the Carolina in Illinois Particular Inc. Illinois, Patrick Leahy in Vermont, John Glenn in Ohio and Dale Bump-

Republican incumbents re-elected included Sen. Dan Quayle in Indiana and Warren Rudman in New Hampshire, as well as Dole, Charles Grassley of Iowa, Al D'Amato of New York and Arlen Specter of Pennsylvania. Republican Sen. Don Nickles led handily in Oklahoma.

Democratic Govs. Richard Celeste in Ohio and Joe Frank Harris in Georgia won new terms. In the statehouse races, Hunt won

National Election Summary

Here is a summary of the latest election returns in the 34 races for the U.S. Senate.

Democrat	Republican	Other
9	3	0
7	5	0
35	31	0
51	39	0
47	53	0
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NOTE: The trend line gives the anticipated new party division for the U.S. Senate. It is calculated by adding the number of races which each party has won and is leading, plus officeholders not subject to election this year.

Here is a summary of the races for the U.S. House.

	Democrat	Republican	Other
Won	28	19	0
Leading	133	101	0
Trend	161	120	0
Current	253	182	0

NOTE: The party breakdown of the 99th Congress counts the vacant seats in the Illinois 4th District and the North Carolina 10th District as Republican. The Illinois seat is vacant due to the death of Rep. George O'Brien, while Jim Broyhill resigned the North Carolina seat when appointed to the U.S. Senate. The trend line gives the anticipated new party division for the U.S. House. It is calculated by adding the number of races which each party has won and is

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	Democrat	Republican	Other
Won	8	The state of the s	0
Leading	9	11	0
Holdovers	7	7	0
Trend	24	19	0
Current	34	16	0

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a bitter race to replace retiring Gov. George Wallace. Baltimore's Democratic Mayor William D. Schaefer was elected

Maryland's governor.

In Tennessee's statehouse race,

Democrat Ned McWherter beat Winfield Dunn.

GOP Gov. John Sununu was ahead in his bid for a third term in New Hampshire.

Democrat-turned Republican Bob million

Florida governor.

The polls were still open in most states when ABC-TV reported that interviews with voters indicated a strong Democratic turnout in congressional races in the East and Midwest. The network said that among 2,557 voters surveyed, the only age group that went for Republicans was the 18-to-24 age group, which accounted for only three percent of those voting.

In a survey of Senate races nation-Republicans.

Democratic pollster Harrison Hickman, in an NBC-TV interview, said as balloting began, "You couldn't dynamite a national issue out of this electorate. People are generally content. They're choosing between the personalities and characters of the candidates.'

President Reagan anxiously awaited the returns, hoping voters would not deliver the Senate to Democratic leaders hostile to his conservative cause. The campaign

"I'm not making any predictions," Reagan said as he boarded Air Force One on his way back from California to the White House. But his spokes-man, Larry Speakes said, "We still believe we can win. It depends on how the vote breaks in six or eight states and on the turnout.'

to be low, and Democratic National Chairman Paul Kirk conceded in advance, "We may not have the turn-out we'd like." In the 1982 election, only 41 percent of the voting-age

kota and Slade Gorton of Washington - sought election on their own after first gaining office in the Reagan landslide of 1980.

in the old Senate, but the 1980 success forced them to defend 22 of the 34 seats on the ballot. With GOP candidates outspending Democrats by a 3-2 margin, the price tag for 34 Senate races was sure to exceed \$150

Martinez led in his race to become

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ally, ABC said 43 percent of 5,500 voters identified themselves as Democrats and 37 percent said they were

was curiously void of any national theme, but mudslinging was a common characteristic with a dozen races too close to predict.

Voter participation was expected

population went to the polls.

Many of the Republicans senators being pressed the hardest — Hawkins of Florida, Steve Symms of Idaho, James Abdnor of South Dakota, Mark Andrews of North Da-

Republicans held a 53-47 majority



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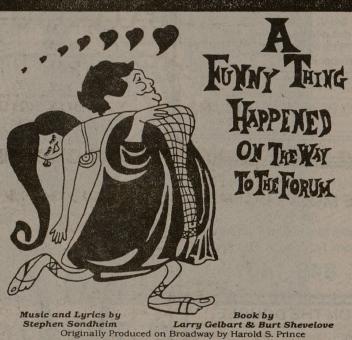
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