

# Kennedy, Humphrey Win Primaries

## Boston

Twelve primary elections were held across the nation yesterday, from Massachusetts in the East to Nevada in the West.

As expected, Senator Edward Kennedy won the Massachusetts Democratic primary, Senator Hubert Humphrey won in Minnesota and Senator Howard Cannon won easily in Nevada.

House Majority Leader Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. was renominated in Massachusetts.

In Wyoming, state Senator Malcolm Wallop defeated two opponents for the GOP nomination to the U.S. Senate and incumbent Representative Teno Roncalio won his bid for nomination.

In Utah, Orrin Hatch won in the GOP primary to face Democratic Senator Frank Moss in November. Dan Mariott, a Salt Lake city insurance agent, won the GOP nomination for the second district House seat and will face Democrat Allan Howe, who has been convicted on sex solicitation charges.

In Colorado, Democrat Frank Evans, the only of the state's five congressmen facing a primary challenge, appeared the winner.

In Rhode Island, Governor Philip W. Noel was behind in the crowded Democratic race for the senatorial nomination. With all precincts reporting, challenger Rich-

ard Lorber led Noel by 361 votes, with only 3111 absentee ballots remaining to be counted.

Governor Thomas Salmon of Vermont defeated a consumer advocate, lawyer Scott Skinner, for the right to oppose Republican Senator Robert Stafford in the general election.

In the contest to succeed Salmon, state treasurer Stella Hackel won the Democratic nomination to oppose Richard Snelling, the GOP victor in a primary field of three.

In neighboring New Hampshire, conservative Republican Governor Meldrim Thomson defeated Gerard Zeiller to seek a third two-year term. Harry Spanos led a field of three for the Democratic nomination.

North Carolina Republican nominated David Flaherty, a former state human resources director, to seek the governorship against Democrat James Hunt, the current lieutenant governor.

North Carolina House speaker James C. Green won the Democratic nomination for lieutenant governor, defeating the bid of former Chapel Hill mayor Howard N. Lee to become the first black to win nomination to statewide office in North Carolina.

In Wisconsin, Senator William Proxmire had only write-in opposition.

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