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MILLION VOTE ON GOLD COAST.

In town and village on the Gold Coast, the people go to the polls. With an inked thumb, they make their mark. 104 members of Parliament are to be elected, and all will be Africans. Vigorous campaigns lasting for many weeks preceded the poll. As a result nearly a million men and women attend at stations throughout the area to record their vote. The Convention People's Party have vast support in Accra, and hope to win by a landslide. Strongest opposition is expected from the Ghana Congress Party.

Ballet boxes bear the symbols of the candidates. From sparsely-populated villages in the Northern Provinces, vans bring more boxes in for counting.

Soon it becomes clear that the Convention People's Party is in the lead. Their life chairman whom they call the "Star of Africa" is Dr. Nkrumah the Prime Minister. Through the night the count continues and finally comes the result. Nkrumah has won. Shouting "Freedom", crowds hail their leader. It is Dr. Nkrumah's aim that the Gold Coast will become a free, sovereign and independent state within the Commonwealth.

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