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THE PRESIDENTIAL POLL

Ike Tops Adlai

By GEORGE GALUP
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PRINCETON, N. J.—The first national test of voter preference shows the two parties running neck-and-neck in the first lap of the 1952 Presidential race.

Sampling the opinions of Mr. and Mrs. American Voter, interviewers... The following vote during the days immediately following the close of the Democratic national convention:

"If the presidential election were being held TODAY, which political party would you like to see win the Republican Party?"

Here is a list of all the persons who were questioned in the survey:

Republican... 45%
Democratic... 45%
Undecided... 10%

The undecided voters were asked which party they "leaned toward" today.

On a party basis the contest, at least at the first lap, shapes up as a real horse race.

EISENHOWER RUNS AHEAD OF PARTY
Republicans may take comfort, however, in the fact that on the basis of candidate popularity, Eisenhower runs ahead of his party.

This can be seen in the vote on a question which pits Eisenhower against Stevenson as follows:

If the presidential election were being held TODAY, which candidate would you like to see win—the Republican candidate, Eisenhower, or the Democratic candidate, Stevenson?

Eisenhower... 47%
Stevenson... 47%
Undecided... 12%

When the undecided voters were asked, see IKE TOPS on page 2-A.

Georgia Boy Derby Champion

Mooney Seventh In Akron Race

By ELIZABETH BLAIR
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AKRON, Ohio—Jimmy Mooney left Akron today as the 1952 Akron Soap Derby in the 1952 Akron Soap Derby in two heats before he was defeated by Victor C. Thompson of Flint, Mich. The Derby was turned, defeated by Joe Linn of Tompkinsville, Ga., the 1950 Soap Derby champion.

Tension And Horse-Play Share Honors At Derby

AKRON — Derby Downs was a spectacle of color yesterday as the opening ceremony of the U. S. Navy Band to the closing sirens sound when the new champion was raced back up the derby track.

Patrol Captain To Be Named

RALEIGH (AP)—The commissioned officers of the State Highway Patrol will have tomorrow their name a successor to W. R. Lentz, former captain and commanding officer of Troop C at Greensboro.

Too Hot Now To Hammer Rocks

Man's Drunk Arrest Record Passes 200

SALISBURY — The town's most-arrested drunk and leading contender for the national title has added another year's drunkard conviction to his record of 204.

OUR WEATHER

Partly cloudy and warm today, tomorrow and Tuesday with chances of widely scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms. High temperature yesterday 87 degrees. High temperature expected today 87 degrees. Low temperature this morning 70 degrees. Low temperature expected tonight 70 degrees.

LEADS

GENERAL EISENHOWER TRAILS

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ALLIED PLANES WRECK ENEMY CHEMICAL PLANT

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Fifth Air Force said 150 planes, including Marine fighter-bombers, heaped destruction on the chemical plant near Namok, which is about 30 miles northwest of the battered east coast port of Wonsan.

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Ike With Tax Scandal Probers

WASHINGTON (AP)—The House today is expected to begin a probe into the tax returns of President Dwight D. Eisenhower.



Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, GOP Presidential nominee, confers at his Denver, Colo., office with House subcommittee which probed tax scandals last week.

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Key Meetings Set For Ike

DENVER (AP)—Happy over a friendly post-war with 25 American Indian tribes, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower changes pace today to confer with GOP farm leaders and a delegation of Dixie supporters.

Evening Prayer

Father, we ask Thee to have mercy upon Thy people for sinning with their tongues. How often they destroy with their little instruments so much of our lives. Pour upon their tongues the water of Thy heart to put out their fires of gossip. Amen.