

Hill Gail Is Winner Of 78th Kentucky Derby

By John Chandler
LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 4—(AP)—Hill Gail, backed by the greatest Kentucky Derby combination of them all, won the 78th running of the turf classic Saturday.

It was the fifth triumph in the derby both for Calumet Farm and jockey Eddie Arcaro, and the sixth for trainer Ben Jones.

No other owner, jockey or trainer can match this record. Hill Gail, favorite from the start, completed the 1 1/4-mile route in near-record time.

The second horse, two lengths behind, was Sub Fleet of Charles T. Fisher's Dixiana Stable. Blue Man, owned by A. Q. Abbott, finished third in the field of 16 three-year-olds.

A roaring crowd, estimated at a record-breaking 110,000 persons, saw Hill Gail travel the derby course in two minutes, 13 1/2 seconds, one-fifth of a second lower than the track record.

A vast audience of at-home folks, experiencing their first country-wide telecast of a Kentucky Derby, also looked on as the Calumet ace forged out of second place with a terrific burst of speed in the home stretch.

Hill Gail's performance earned \$36,350 for his owners, the fabulous Lexington, Ky., thoroughbred factory owned by Mrs. Warren Wright. Total purse for the race was \$124,350.

The track was fast and dry, with a warm sun. Hill Gail, a handsome dark bay son of Bull Lea-Jane, had tipped his class before a Louisville crowd last Tuesday when he went the mile Derby trial in a romp and broke the track record.

He opened at 7 to 5, then changed to 6 to 5 and held there until two minutes before the post time when he dropped to even money. He actually paid \$4.20, \$4.00, and \$3.20.

Sub Fleet returned \$14.60 and \$7.80 to place while Blue Man was \$3.60 to show.

The purse of \$124,350 was the third richest of these Churchill Downs classics. Hill Gail's share of \$36,350 compared with the record \$38,500 paid to Count Turf last year and \$36,400 to Assault in 1940.

It was the second big derby for Hill Gail this year, since the colt carried the \$100,000 Santa Anita Derby Feb. 23 in California. With his \$70,790 earned as a two-year-old, and \$129,425 up until today, Hill Gail now has a total bankroll of \$305,515.

Carr, Marino (8), Jacobs (8) and Burbrink; Borowy, Poole (8), Jordan (8), Marlowe (10) and Ciesielski.
Syracuse ... 300 200 111—8 11 0
Baltimore ... 002 200 030—14 3 3
Keegan, Meligano (4), Roberts (8) and Palumbo, Drescher; Starr, Sloat (4), Greenwood (9) and Oswald, Lakeman, Taback.

SUNDAY
AMERICAN LEAGUE
Cleveland ... 101 020 500—3 10 3
Boston ... 105 000 000—6 11 0
Wynn, Gromek (3), Jones (5), Garcia (7) and Troupe, Tebbets (7); McDermott, Delock (7), Brickner (7) Taylor (9) and White.

First
St. Louis ... 000 001 000—1 6 0
Washington ... 000 101 000—2 7 1
Byrne and Courtney, Moss; Fortier and Klutz.

St. Louis ... 240 010 000—7 14 3
Washington ... 020 605 020—15 21 0
Cain, Paize (4); Hudson, (6), and Courtney, Consuegra, Stewart, (2); Ferrick, (3), and Grasso.

Second
Detroit ... 000 301 020—6 12 0
Philadelphia ... 520 003 000—10 13 0
Trucks, Hutchinson (2), McLeod (6), Littlefield (7) and Batts; Shantz and Astroth.

Second
Detroit ... 001 000 040—5 12 0
Philadelphia ... 100 030 011—6 14 1
Newhouse, Trout (5) and Ginsberg; Martin, Hooper (8), Scheib (8) and Astroth.

First
Chicago ... 000 000 000—0 7 3
New York ... 420 000 020—8 10 0
Grissom, Stobbs (2), Brown (6), Aloma (8) and Lollar, Sheely (6); Morgan, Ostrowski (9) and Berra.

Second
Chicago ... 000 000 100—1 7 0
New York ... 000 011 010—3 6 0
Pierce, Kennedy (3) and Lollar, Sheely (7), Mast (8); Miller and Berra.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Pittsburgh ... 031 000 000—5 7 0
Brooklyn ... 000 000 000—0 5 1
Erskine and Campanella; Dickson, Muir (3), Lapalme (6), Wilks (9) and Garagiola.

First
Boston ... 102 000 000—3 11 2
St. Louis ... 110 010 100—4 9 1
Spahn, Jones (8) and Cooper; Staley, Brazle (9) and D. Rice.

Second
Boston ... 200 000 000—5 9 0
St. Louis ... 000 010 000—1 8 1
Sukhotin, Burdette (7) and Bur-His Chambers, Schmidt (9) and Fusselman, D. Rice (9).

New York ... 011 100 000—6 9 0
Chicago ... 000 300 000—3 14 3
(10 innings)
Jansen, Wilhelm (4), Spencer (10) and Westrum; Hatten, Hacker (4), Ramstead (5), Kelly (10) and McCullough.

First
Philadelphia ... 100 001 002—4 9 1
Cincinnati ... 020 010 100—5 10 2
Simmons, Ridzik (3), Heintzelman, Wegmeyer (8), Smith (9) and Rossi, Semnick (8).

Second
Philadelphia ... 000 201 130—7 13 3
Cincinnati ... 005 110 100—8 14 2
Fox, Hansen (3), Konstanty (4), Joseph (6), Heintzelman (8) and Lopata, Perkowski, Smith (8) and Semnick.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
First
Ottawa ... 000 010 030 000—7 13 2
Montreal ... 000 500 002 01—8 11 0
Murray, Swindle (9), Fanoovich (9), Desert (9), Roy (10), and Watlington; Alexander, Mallette (9), Hughes (10) and C. Thompson.

Second
Ottawa ... 200 000 000—2 4 0
Montreal ... 004 113 110—9 11 0
George, Kume (5), Hrabcsak (9) and Folles; Lasorda and Ronning.

First
Toronto ... 000 000 020—2 13 1
Rochester ... 010 410 000—6 8 2
Lombardi, Silverman (7) Shore (8) and Anderson, White; Deal Crimman (8) and Bucha.

Second
Toronto ... 010 021 000—4 6 1
Rochester ... 000 000 000—1 7 0
Bauer and Anderson; Hahn and Bucha.

First
Syracuse ... 001 100 030—5 6 2
Baltimore ... 100 200 000—3 8 3
Holloman and Palumbo; Thompson, Trinkle (9) and Oswald, Taback (5) Lakeman (7).

Second
Syracuse ... 000 001 4—5 8 0
Baltimore ... 000 000 0—0 5 1
Griffone and Drescher, Donnelly, Sloat (7), Cyrus (7) and Taback.

First
Springfield ... 200 000 001—4 12 2
Buffalo ... 000 100 011 0—3 12 0
(10 innings)
Fear, Dobernic (8), Marino (W) (9), Jacobs (10) and Burbrink; Foy-lack Jordan (1), Marlowe (7), Poole (L) (9) and Ciesielski, Mordarski (10).

Second
Springfield ... 000 100 0—1 6 0
Buffalo ... 100 020 0—3 5 0
Inde and Fanning, Burbrink (5); Blierr and Ciesielski.

LITTLE SPORT

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IN THE CORNER

Father George MacDonald, professor of physics at Saint Dunstan's University, definitely plans to make the trip to England this summer as a member of the Canadian team in the Bisley meet.

Father George won his right to a place on the team last summer in a Dominion rifle meet in Ottawa and as far as is known here he is the first priest ever to represent Canada on the Bisley team.

Last year Lieutenant Mary MacLennan, an Alexandria and Charlottetown woman, became the first Canadian woman in the Bisley meet.

From the time of his student days at Saint Dunstan's Father MacDonald has played an active part in local athletics. As a student he was a member of S.D.U. football and hockey teams.

Local tennis enthusiasts, to whom we have been talking, are eagerly awaiting the opening of the 1952 season. Strictly speaking the players are not awaiting anything as they are busy making plans for the operation of the courts this summer.

Last year tennis had a reasonably good season but did not reach its pre-war popularity during which time a number of outstanding court artists were produced. This year, through weekly competitions, instruction for novices by competent players, and tennis films for all it is hoped that tennis will again enjoy the popularity which it once had and which it justly deserves.

We do not wish to insinuate that interest in tennis activities during the past few years has been slack. As a matter of fact the courts, which were well cared for by Jeff Fitzgerald last year, were in demand most of the time: it was difficult to get a court each week if possible. These conditions have been developing into promising players, among them Jack MacDonald and Peter McGonnell, who represented the Island in the Dominion Junior playdowns last summer.

The first official event of this year's tennis season will be the dance which the Club plans to sponsor at the Roll-Away on Thursday night of this week and during which the members hope to procure some funds to assist in the repairs of the club house and courts. It is thought that play will commence some time between the middle and last of this month and will continue until the end of September.

The value of Joe DiMaggio to the Yankees, even a DiMaggio batting .200, has been pretty clearly demonstrated during the past three weeks. For the first time since he came to the Yanks Casey Stengel has been in the unenviable position of looking up the ladder and seeing the backs of five other teams. The reason for it has been the lack of a top notch centre fielder and inspirational player.

To plug this hole the Yanks yesterday acquired Irv Noren of the Washington Senators. Ever since spring training started the Yankees have had their eyes on Noren, a good fielder and hitter. In his time with Washington Noren has been what might be called a hard luck player. Two years ago he was laid up with appendicitis. Last year a shoulder injury sidelined him for a considerable time but in spite of these setbacks Noren has always come up with good performances.

To those close to the scene it was evident that the Yankees would need a new centrefielder if they were to challenge for the pennant. Casey Stengel tried every outfielder he had with the exception of Hank Bauer, in centre but none of them could measure up. Opposing batters were drilling

13 Players Involved In Big Baseball Trade

P.S.S. Wins Hoop Game At S'side

NEW YORK, May 4—(AP)—Thirteen baseball players changed uniforms Saturday in a flurry of trading activity involving eight major-league clubs, and six of the men wound up with the busy Washington Senators.

The Senators pulled off two of the day's biggest deals with New York Yankees and Chicago White Sox.

They sent centrefielder Irv Noren and infielder Tommy Upton to the world champions for four players—outfielders Jackie Jensen and Archie Wilson, pitcher Frank Shea and infielder Jerry Snyder. The Yanks immediately farmed Upton out to Kansas City in the American Association.

The Senators traded outfielder Sam Mele to the White Sox for wifielder Mel Hodrelein and outfielder Jim Busby.

The Yankees, desperate after getting off to their worst start in six years, had to pay heavily for Noren, slated to take over Joe DiMaggio's centre-field spot.

In the National League the last-place Pittsburgh Pirates and St. Louis Cardinals traded pitcher Willie to the Cardinals for George Munger. Branch Rickey, Pittsburgh general manager, said no cash was involved.

In the same shuffle, the Pirates returned to St. Louis Browns pitcher Jim Suckeck.

A fourth deal saw Philadelphia Athletics buy infielder Joe Bevin from Boston Red Sox for the wifielder Jim Dandridge. There were hints that this was the forerunner of a deal which would send catcher Joe Tipton to the Red Sox for the Willard Nixon, right-handed pitcher.

The Yankees had been dickering for Noren since the winter meetings. The Yankees hope that Noren, a 27-year-old southpaw swinger, will fill the gaping centrefield cavity left when DiMaggio hung up his spikes after last season. Without DiMaggio, the Yanks lost seven of their first 13 games, hitting only three home runs.

Noren plagued by appendicitis, a broken jaw and twisted knee during the last two seasons, hit .293 in 1950 and .279 in 1951 for Washington. Both seasons he started with a run, but he got hit back by injuries. Washington purchased Noren from the Brooklyn organization after the 1949 season for \$70,000.

After waging a battle with Mickey Mantle during the spring training season, Jensen, a \$40,000 bonus baby, was given the starting role in centrefield for the Yankees opening day.

He went hitting however, in his first nine times at bat and was removed from the line-up. He hit .298 for the Yankees last season. The Yankees purchased Jensen and infielder Billy Martin from Oakland of the Pacific Coast League for a reported \$100,000 and five players. Oakland had paid Jensen \$40,000 to sign with them.

Stengel, New York skipper, seemed reluctant to give up Wilson, 28, voted the most valuable player in the International League last season. "That boy's a good hitter," said Case, "with a chance to play regular he may develop into something, and I'm afraid of that."

Shea, 30, who sparked the Yanks to the pennant in 1947, also was in the re-burn game that year and was credited with the American League's victory in the All-Star game. After that his arm went sour and he never was the same.

Upton, 25, is a fine fielder but a weak hitter. Snyder plays either second base or shortstop. The players will join their new clubs tomorrow.

Cape Breton Sports Centre Bankrupt

SYDNEY, N.S., May 4—(CP)—The Cape Breton Sports Centre, modern harness racing track here, now is in receivership, it was learned tonight. An application placing the company in bankruptcy was heard Saturday and was not opposed. Carl D. Ryan was named trustee.

pitchers into centre for hits that would be routine outs with Joe D. patrolling the outer gardens. These kind of hits, to which the regular Yanks were strangers, were sapping a lot of the confidence of the pitchers and the regulars.

And so the Yankees hope that Noren will be the answer to their problems. To get him they had to pay dearly when they gave up Jackie Jensen and Archie Wilson along with Frank Shea. Jensen, a college football star and a bonus baby, never lived up to expectations with the Yanks. Possibly he never had a decent chance as the pressure was always on him. Wilson, the rookie of the year in the International League last season, may develop into a terrific hitter with regular play. With the Senators both Jensen and Wilson may have outstanding seasons. At any rate it will be interesting to see how the trade works out. If Noren doesn't measure up, the Yanks should be tempted to take DiMaggio away from his television screen and put him back in centre. Joe would probably go too.

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Wolville Runner Wins Canadian Marathon Title

ST. HYACINTHE, Que., May 4—(CP)—Paul Collins, 25-year-old music student from Wolville, N. S., won the Canadian marathon championship Saturday, leading the starting field of 37 from the five-mile mark. Twenty eight finished.

The slender bespectacled Mar-timer finished the grind of 26 miles, 385 yards, in two hours, 45 minutes, two and two-tenths seconds.

At the finish, Collins had a margin of nearly three minutes over Edo Romagnoli, husky New York cop, who made up a lot of ground to place second in 2:47:57.2.

Gerard Cote, Canada's veteran marathon star who organized the race for his home city, was third in 2:49:18.2.

Behind Cote came another veteran, Bill Sheridan of Waterdown, Ont., in 2:50:42.2, followed by George Hillier, 22-year-old university student from St. John's, Nfld., running in his first Canadian marathon.

Hillier ran a remarkably steady race for a youngster, was within the first six all the way and finished in 2:53:41.6 for fifth place, beating out Lloyd Evans, Montreal veteran, who was sixth in 2:54:25.

This was the third Canadian championship for Collins, who is studying at Yale University for his Master's Degree in music. He won in 1949 and 1950, placing second last year to Walter Fedorick of Hamilton, Ont., Fedorick, reported suffering from a leg injury, did not compete this year.

An Olympic Trial
The championship race was also given official recognition as the Olympic trials. Although there has been no announcement as to how many marathoners will represent Canada at the Olympic Games in Helsinki, Finland, next July, Collins will rank as No. 1 when the starters get busy.

Pop Whorwood, 64-year-old marathoner from Fruitland, Ont., in the Niagara district, plodded steadily along to finish 23rd in just over four hours flat. Although he is bald on top and gray on the sides, Pop's robust figure belies his age.

Except for Romagnoli, the first six finishers were always up near the front, with striking distance. The start was at Marville, about 22 miles from St. Hyacinthe, and the course over a paved highway led through the villages of Rougemont and St. Damase.

The finish was in front of the St. Hyacinthe City Hall, where the runners had to circle a park 17 times, 408 yards to the lap.

There was a chilling wind and overcast skies, but said he "lightened up" around the 20-mile mark but the others were also slowed up the rest of the way and at the finish Collins was well over a lap in front.

As they neared the five-mile mark Collins stepped out in the lead. He was never headed. At one time he was a good quarter-mile ahead.

Norman Dack, veteran from Burlington, Ont., finished seventh. Back among the trailers, George Crane of St. John's, Nfld., came limping up to the park. There was a black blister on his toe. He whipped off his running shoes and ran the 17 laps in his stocking feet, finishing 16th.

In eighth place behind Dack came Roy Appleton of Sydney, N. S., a late entrant in the race. Arnold Briggs of Syracuse, N. Y., was ninth and Fred Bristow of Toronto 10th.

BURNHAM-ON-SEA, Eng., May 4—(AP)—Ernie Millward, a member of the British Walker Cup team in 1949, won the English amateur golf championship Saturday. He defeated Terry Shorrocks two up in the 36-hole final.

ST. LOUIS, May 4—(AP)—Russ Meyer, Philadelphia Phillies' perennial hard-luck pitcher, will be lost to the team for at least 10 days as the result of being hit in the knee with a batted ball Friday night.

SACRAMENTO, Calif., May 4—(AP)—Lloyd Mangrum, golf's top money winner the last two years, today won the California open on the second hole of a sudden-death playoff with Ralph Lemell, young Fresno, Calif., pro.

FRESNO, Calif., May 4—(AP)—Mrs. Babe Didrikson Zaharias won the \$5,000 Fresno women's open golf tournament today with a 54-hole total of 226. The Tampa, Fla., ace posted a three-under-par 33 on the final nine.

NEWBURY, Berkshire, England, May 4—(AP)—Prime Minister Churchill scored his first success as a breeder of race horses Saturday with a rush Saturday to win the richest running of the Acorn Stakes. The six-furlong race was worth \$500. Churchill was in the Football Association cup final in London and didn't see the race.

GANGANQUE, Ont., May 4—(CP)—Dan Ryan, Sr., of the Grand Trunk Boating Club of Montreal Saturday was elected commodore of the Canadian Canoe Association at the annual meeting. He succeeds Ralph Riley of the Toronto Island Aquatic Club.

ALBANY, Calif., May 4—(AP)—Intent with Johnnie Longden up, raced to a nose victory over Light on Saturday in the \$20,000 added, Forty-Miners' Handicap at Golden Gate Fields.

NEW YORK, May 4—(AP)—Joe W. Brown's Parading Lady came with a rush Saturday to win the richest running of the Acorn Stakes at Belmont Park. Parading Lady won by 1 1/2 lengths from King Ranch's Sufie. Another neck back in third place was Mrs. Walter M. Jeffords' Lily White.

RECORD OUTPUT
Canada's mining production in 1951 reached an all-time high of 61,268,000,000.

Baseball Results

SATURDAY

National League
Philadelphia ... 000 000 000—0 6 0
St. Louis ... 000 020 010—3 6 0
Drwys, Konstanty (8) and Burgess; Boyer and D. Rice.

Brooklyn ... 100 000 010 0—2 8 0
Chicago ... 110 001 000 0—1 3 2
(10 innings)
Wade, Rutherford (7) and Campanella; Rusa, and Atwell.

Boston ... 000 000 001—1 5 4
Cincinnati ... 100 050 200—8 13 0
Conley, Donovan (5) and St. Clair; Hiller and Rossi.

New York ... 000 002 100—3 7 0
Pittsburgh ... 010 001 000—2 5 1
Maglie and Westrum; Line, Friend (8), Main (9) and McCullough.

American League
St. Louis ... 020 000 000—2 8 0
Boston ... 102 011 000—5 10 2
Harrist, Hekki (7) and Courtney; Kinder and White.

Cleveland ... 000 002 200—6 10 0
Washington ... 010 103 101—7 13 1
Feller, Gromek (6), Brissle (7), Jones (7), Chakales (8) and Tebbets; Troupe (7); Johnson, Newsum (7) and Criss.

Chicago ... 000 000 001—1 3 1
Philadelphia ... 000 200 320—7 9 1
Rogovin, Judson (8) and Lollar; Kellner and Astroth.

Detroit ... 000 100 131—6 8 1
New York ... 001 010 010—3 9 1
Stuart, Hoert (8) and Ginsberg; Raschi, Kuzava (8) and Berra.

International League
Montreal ... 000 000 000—2 11 2
Ottawa ... 120 014 000—8 11 0
Podres, Romano (5) and Ronning; Gohl and Folles.

Toronto ... 110 100 220—7 16 3
Rochester ... 002 302 100—8 16 1
Markell, Branco (6), Foulk (7) and Anderson; Martin, Crimian (8) and Bucha.

Springfield ... 001 000 010 0—2 8 2
Buffalo ... 000 200 000 1—3 10 1

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Baseball Standings

American League

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National League

Table with 2 columns: Team, Record. New York 11 4 733, Brooklyn 10 4 714, Cincinnati 12 6 567, Chicago 11 6 547, St. Louis 9 9 500, Boston 7 12 383, Philadelphia 5 11 313, Pittsburgh 3 16 158.

International League

Table with 2 columns: Team, Record. Montreal 15 5 750, Syracuse 12 7 652, Toronto 10 7 611, Buffalo 10 8 556, Rochester 9 9 500, Springfield 8 9 471, Baltimore 5 4 263, Ottawa 4 15 211.

U. S. Steel Report

CLEVELAND, May 4—(AP)—"The day of plenty of steel was shoved further into the future by the steelworkers' strike," the magazine Steel says today.

Before last week's strike, says the metal-working trade journal, there were other interruptions. "In 1950 when it appeared steel supply was just about in line with demand, the outbreak of the Korean war touched off a buying spree."

"The steel industry had just about worked out from under this load when a strike threat a month ago cut steel production sharply. Last week, just as the industry got operations back up to capacity levels it was hit by a steelworkers' strike."

National rates for production of steel ingots dropped 47.5 points during the strike last week to 53 per cent of rated capacity, according to the magazine's figures.

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The Cardinals scored all their runs in the first five innings off Donnie McCormack. E. Coyote struck the longest blow of the game when he walloped a two run triple in the fourth.

The next game in the C.B.L. will be played this evening with the Bearcats meeting the league leading Royals on the old diamond at five o'clock.

Lineups:
Cardinals—Vall 2b, MacGonnell 3b, Hennessey rf, Lee p, MacDougall 1b, LeClair c, Blanchard ss, Coyte lf, Lamoureux cf.
Bearcats—Trainer c, Hagen 1b, D. McCormack p and 2b, MacCabe rf, Robert 3b and p, McCormack 3b, Magar c, Lund ss, Weatherly lf.
Officials—At the plate Whelan; on the bases Sentner and MacWade.

Lineups:
Bearcats ... 000 200 0 2 1 4
Cardinals ... 020 230 0 7 6 2
D. McCormack, Roberts (5) and Mahar; Lee and LeClair.

Within Strike Of No-Hitter In Bantam League

Pitcher Rollie Lee came within one strike of hurling a no-hitter in City Bantam League yesterday afternoon when he hurled the Cardinals to a 7-2 victory over the Bearcats.

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