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FRENCH RACECOURSES FACE

MAJOR CUTBACKS Chantilly racecourse, home of the French Derby, could be shut down this year as part of a massive cut-back operation. At a meeting of French racing's rulers GIE-GALOP yesterday, it was agreed by nine votes to three to recommend closure of the world-famous track. The proposal now has to be considered by the Societe d'Encouragement (the French Jockey Club). Maisons-Laffitte is another famous racing venue set to close, but not until 1995. GIE-GALOP was unanimous in its voting on this proposal. Further possible cuts necessitated by French racing's on-going financial problems include a plan to combine Longchamp, home of the Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, and its near neighbor Auteuil into what the authorities describe as a "racecourse for the 21st Century."

FRANKEL HOME SUFFERS DAMAGE IN

EARTHQUAKE The Pacific Palisades home of trainer Bobby Frankel suffered extensive damage in Mon.'s Northridge earthquake. "I'm here and I'm alive," said Frankel Wed. at Santa Anita. The house has served as Frankel's residence for the past 18 years.

NEW YORK OTB WAGERING INCREASES

TURF PARADISE HANDLE Turf Paradise Race Course enjoyed a banner day Wed. when \$1,242,840 was wagered on the 13-race card. The addition of six regional New York OTB sites taking wagers on Turf Paradise's 11 live races accounted for \$662,509. Wed. was the first day the New York outlets simulcasted from the Arizona track. "Our signal was in competition with Santa Anita today and yet we did far above expectations," said Turf Paradise President Robert L. Walker. "Today was a great opportunity to showcase our racing and the great weather of Phoenix to the racing fans back East."

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Thursday, Gulfstream

JOE NAMATH H.-Gill, \$60,000, 3&up, f&m, 8.5f(T)

PP	HORSE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	Wt
1a	Sambacarioca	Wolfson	Bailey	121
2	Marshua's River	Carroll	Day	113
3	Liberada	Ritvo	Samyn	110
4	Joey's Love	Nafzger	Perret	112
5	Gainzer	Goldberg	Bravo	110
6	Star Guest	Whiteley	Vasquez	112
7	Always Nettie	Blengs	Smith	110
8a	Tiney Toast	Hennig	Sellers	114

Sambacarioca (Irish Tower) has won four of her last five starts, all of them stakes. **Liberada** (Spend A Buck) won the Patricia S. at Hialeah in '93 and has finished second in her last three trips to the post.

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Saturday, Santa Anita

SANTA CATALINA S., \$75,000, 3yo, 8.5f

The probable field of six includes **Gracious Ghost** (Relaunch), Delahoussaye; **Dream Trapp** (Trapp Mountain), F. Valenzuela; **Duca** (Fappiano), Stevens; **Ferrara** (Capote), Nakatani; **Heavenly Crusade** (Crusader Sword), McCarron and **Wekiva Springs** (Runaway Groom), Desormeaux.

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ON TAP AT • GULFSTREAM

Eclipse Award candidate Dehere covered six furlongs in 1:14 in his final workout at Palm Beach Downs before shipping to Gulfstream Friday. Owner Robert Brennan watched the probable two-year-old champion of 1993 go through his paces. "It was a very strong workout," said Brennan. "He looked absolutely spectacular. Dehere is just rounding into the same shape, condition and physical appearance he held around the time of the Champagne last year. I couldn't be more pleased." Dehere will work five furlongs Sunday between races in his first outing on the Gulfstream track. He is expected to start against other top three-year-olds January 30 in the \$75,000 Hutcheson Stakes.



OCALA BREEDERS' SALE WRAP-UP The Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's 20th annual winter mixed sale concluded yesterday with across the board increases in all statistical data. The overall average of \$6,779 for the sales' three sessions marked nearly a 21 percent increase over the 1993 average of \$5,604. 526 horses were sold for a gross of \$3,356,600, as compared to 444 sold for a gross of \$2,248,400 in 1993. The top price in Tuesday's second session was brought by **Unit** (Grey Dawn II), a black-type producer in foal to Premiership. Unit was purchased by H & E Ranch for \$35,000. The top price in Wed.'s final session was brought by **Great Pass** (Great Prospector), a multiple stakes winner and broodmare prospect. Great Pass was purchased by Mary K. Haire for \$32,000.

PORTLAND MEADOWS RAISES PURSES

Portland Meadows will increase purses for the fourth time of the 1993-4 season, effective Jan. 21. Overnight purses at the north Portland race-track are at an all-time high, and have increased \$800 to \$1,400 since the meet began.

AAEP FUNDS RESEARCH During its annual convention in San Antonio, Texas, the American Association of Equine Practitioners approved over \$10,000 in funding for research in the equine veterinary industry. In addition, the AAEP announced that it will continue its long-standing support of the Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation, Inc. through a \$5,000 contribution.

WILLIE CARSON CUTS BACK Willie Carson, four-time champion jockey in Great Britain, announced yesterday that he will be cutting back on his mounts in 1994. "I have no intention of sitting on 800-odd horses again," said the 51-year-old Scot, who began as an apprentice rider in 1959. "Although I shall be riding for all the people who still want me, I shan't be chasing every Tom, Dick and Harry. I can't say for sure that this will be my last season. I haven't even thought seriously about what happens when I do retire."

HUBBARD ART COLLECTION COMES TO AUTRY MUSEUM

The Hubbard Collection of Western Art, owned by Hollywood Park chairman R.D. Hubbard and his wife Joan Dale, will be displayed at the Gene Autry Museum in Glendale, Calif. beginning Jan. 21. The collection features Charles M. Russell's "The History of the West" murals and also includes works by legendary artists Frederic Remington, William R. Leigh and Henry Farny. The Hubbard Collection will remain on exhibit through mid-March.

ASSINIBOIA DOWNS HIRES NEW RACING

SECRETARY The Manitoba Jockey Club announced yesterday the appointment of Ray Miller as Racing Secretary at Assiniboia Downs in Winnipeg. Miller brings 30 years of racetrack experience to his new position, including 25 years during which he was a jockey's agent.



SOUTHERN C.A.L.I.F.O.R.N.I.A. REPORT

Yesterday's results:

8th-SA, \$44,000 Alw., 4yo/up, f/m, 8fT, 1:36 2/5, fm.

1-WAITRYST (NZ) (m, 5, Bassenthwaite--Mount Tryst {NZ}, by *Sir Tristram). O-J. Fowler.

B-Pegasus Leasing Ltd. (NZ). T-F. Olivares.

2-Assert Oneself (Affirmed--Rosey Ramble)

3-Chipeta Springs (Alydar--Salt Spring {Arg})

Favored WAITRYST (NZ), a handicap winner in her native country last May, came from just off the pace and tallied by 2 for 1st NA win in 3 tries. She was a close 2nd and 3rd in other two SA outings.

6th-SA, \$37,000 Alw., 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.

1-KE EXPRESS (g, 4, Expressman--Kesis, by Viking Spirit). O/B-Millard & Rous (Ca.). T-C. Sise Jr.

2-Whosthepurplecomet (Purple Comet--Henry's Miss)

3-Mistive (Exploident--Miss La Roque)

Returning off two close 2nds, bettors' choice KE EXPRESS battled Whosthepurplecomet the entire way before edging that rival by a head at the wire. Record now 8-2-3-2 & \$56,250 with 1st win since DMR mdn. claiming win last Aug.



F.L.O.R.I.D.A. REPORT

Today's Preview:

Three graded-stakes-winners highlight a \$37,000 allowance at Gulfstream today. **Scuffleberg** (Cox's Ridge) won the GI Pegasus H. in 1992. **Honest Ensign** (Admiral's Flag) took the '92 Gill Broward H. **Living Vicariously** (Time for a Change) captured the GI Brooklyn H. in '93.

Gulfstream will also feature a \$28,000 allowance in which such stars as last year's GI Fountain of Youth (1st Div.) winner **Duc d'Sligovil** (Sezyou), Tampa Bay Derby winner **Marco Bay** (Copelan) and multiple stakes-placed **Press Card** (Fappiano) have been entered.



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Allowance Results:

9th-FG, \$18,500, 1-19, 4yo/up, 8.5f, 1:45, ft.
BRITE SPECULATION (h, 5, Spectacular Bid--For You and Me, by For Love and Glory), a solid contender who's not been beaten worse than 3 1/2 lengths in last 10 outings, made it two in a row with a head nod over Hyannis (Seattle Slew). Record now 22-3-9-4 & \$68,979 for favorite.
 O-Little R & R Farms, Inc. B-Hawksworth Farm Assoc. & Meeting House Farm (Md.). T-A. Stall Jr.

8th-FG, 17,000, 1-19, 3yo, f, a5.5fT, 1:05 3/5, fm.

SUJACQUE (f, 3, Tejano--Spectacular Diane, by Spectacular Bid), 3rd in last two starts since shipping from KY, was bumped into the win after Makewayforme (Boys Nite Out) was DQ'd from 1st to 2nd. Her record extends to 5-2-0-2 & \$26,870. Favored Le Nat (Dynaformer) was 5th of 10, beaten 7 1/2 lengths.
 O/T-N. Tate. B-D. & S. Eberts (Ky.).

American-Bred Winners in England:

Moujeeb, c, 4, Riverman--Capricorn Belle, by Nonoalco. Cowes Maiden S., Lingfield, 1-18, 6f.
 O-A.A. Penney. B-Gainsborough Farm Inc. T-Pat Mitchell.

Must Be Magical, g, 6, Temperance Hill--Honorine, by Blushing Groom (FR). Sedgley Claiming S., Wolverhampton, 1-17, 12f.
 O-The County Group. B-Flaxman Holdings Ltd. T-John Mackie.

Maiden Winners:

Dynaryan, c, 3, Dynaformer--Dog Gone Ryan, by Pass the Tab. FG, 1-19, 8.5f, 1:45 4/5. B-Wafare Farm (Ky.).

Sparkling Brooks, g, 3, Kalim (Ire)--Sparkling Finish, by Be a Native. SA, 1-19, 6f, 1:10 3/5. B-Alan Landsburg & J. Brooks (Ca.).

Saros Lane, f, 3, Saros (GB)--Morningstar Lane, by Maheras. SA, 1-19, 8f, 1:38 3/5. B-Robert Scherman & Steve Young (Ca.).

FRESHMAN SIRE LIST BY CURRENT EARNINGS

Statistics through December 30, 1993

Sire	Strtrs	Wnrs	Prog.Earnings
1 SEEKING THE GOLD (At the Half, \$333,893)	18	10	\$939,642
2 CRYPTOCLEARANCE (Strategic Maneuver, \$398,340)	33	11	\$698,754
3 RAHY (Miss Ra He Ra, \$106,493)	23	13	\$544,054
4 DYNAFORMER (Blumin Affair, \$267,080)	25	10	\$456,208
5 REGAL CLASSIC (Parental Pressure, \$180,975)	20	7	\$444,479
6 WARNING (GB) (Prophecy, \$128,058)	27	10	\$316,625
7 CRUSADER SWORD (Notable Sword, \$48,749)	23	10	\$298,385
8 PRIVATE TERMS (Nicou Nicou, \$58,240)	24	13	\$254,103
9 SLEW CITY SLEW (Slew Kitty Slew, \$65,089)	25	11	\$249,811
10 NOTEBOOK (Hammermill, \$57,280)	21	13	\$230,857
11 IRISH OPEN (Clever Irish, \$32,895)	20	11	\$218,071
12 NORTHERN SCORE (Glory Us, \$142,069)	9	4	\$188,114
13 HAY HALO (Love To Be Loved, \$92,149)	15	4	\$182,340
14 POLITICAL AMBITION (Work the Crowd, \$124,750)	4	4	\$139,664
15 BLUSHING JOHN (Uncharted Waters, \$33,185)	16	5	\$137,091
16 CLAIM (Southern Claim, \$29,460)	30	6	\$128,840
17 NORTHERN FLAGSHIP (Flagship Commander, \$72,600)	7	3	\$121,297

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