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UNBRIDLED'S SONG LEANS TOWARD

PREAKNESS Unbridled's Song (Unbridled), fifth as the 7-2 favorite in Saturday's Kentucky Derby, is now a likely starter for the May 18 Preakness at Pimlico Racecourse, trainer Jim Ryerson reported yesterday from Churchill Downs. "I think we're going to the Preakness," said Ryerson. "It's still a little bit up in the air but we are leaning that way." Ryerson said tentative plans call for Unbridled's Song to ship to Pimlico tomorrow. The trainer also disclosed that the colt would not wear bar shoes in the middle leg of the Triple Crown if he makes a start in the race.

DERBY RATINGS ON THE RISE The overnight rating for ABC's Kentucky Derby telecast was an 8.1, up from last year's figure of 6.4. It was the best Derby rating since 1992, when interest was stirred by Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner Arazi. "It was a great improvement," said ABC spokesman Mark Mandel. "We try not to go too overboard until we get the final number (which will be released Thursday), but it was our highest overnight since 1992. There was a great deal of interest in Unbridled's Song. It was akin to Arazi. A great storyline always helps the industry."

VACATION FOR BOSRA SHAM Bosra Sham (Woodman), good enough to win Sunday's English 1000 Guineas despite having her preparation seriously interrupted by a recurring foot problem, will now almost certainly be given a rest before heading to Royal Ascot's G1 Coronation S. June 19. The Henry Cecil-trained filly was slightly favouring her near-fore leg as she beat **Matiya (Ire)** (Alzao) by a length and a half in the Classic and her handler has revealed: "She came back very sore and there was some blood in the hoof. She felt it coming in the second half of the race and I think she's done very well to win. We'll give her plenty of time to recover--our priority must be to get the foot right--and I favour missing the Irish 1000 Guineas to wait for the Coronation Stakes at Ascot." Guineas third **Bint Shadayid** (Nashwan), meanwhile, will be aimed at the Prix de Diane at Chantilly June 9. Saeed bin Suroor, trainer of the Godolphin team, said, "She will like the 10 furlongs."

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Today, Newmarket

DALHAM CHESTER VASE-G3, 3yo, 12f 64ydsT

The field of six, in post position order, will be:

| HORSE (SIRE) | JOCKEY |
|--|-------------|
| Sasuru (GB) (Most Welcome {GB}) | Paul Eddery |
| Prince Of My Heart (GB) (Prince Daniel) | K Fallon |
| High Baroque (Ire) (High Estate {GB}) | J Reid |
| Classic Eagle (GB) (Unfuwain) | A Mackay |
| Air Quest (GB) (Rainbow Quest) | Pat Eddery |
| St Mawes (Fr) (Shahraastani) | W Carson |

All carry 122 pounds.

Britain's Dalham Chester Vase invariably offers vital clues to the results of subsequent G1 contests in Europe and this afternoon's renewal should be no exception to that rule. St Mawes, making his first start since breaking his maiden last August, finished second in the Feilden S. at Newmarket April 18; Air Quest made his career debut at Newbury April 19 and came away with a decisive five-length score at 1 3/8-miles; Sasuru has yet to break his maiden in four starts but has been on the board every time and came back from a seven-month layoff to finish second by a head in a 12-furlong maiden event at Newmarket April 19; Prince Of My Heart won his last, a mile-and-a-half allowance test April 24, by six lengths. The Vase has been won in the past few years by Old Vic (GB), hero of both the 1989 Prix du Jockey-Club and the Irish Derby; Belmez, who went on to collect Ascot's 1990 King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Diamond S.; and Luso (GB), successful in last year's Italian Derby and already runner-up this spring in the Prix Ganay at Longchamp.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, MAY 8:

12-14 \$300,000e **Hollywood Starlet-GI**,
Hol, 2yo, f, 8.5f (\$200)

12-15 \$500,000e **Hollywood Futurity-GI**,
Hol, 2yo, 8.5f (\$250)



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◆ TRIPLE THREATS ◆

Saturday, May 18, Pimlico:

PREAKNESS S.-GI, \$500,000a, 3yo, 1 3/16m

A field of 14 or 15 looms likely for the second leg of the Triple Crown. Seven horses from last weekend's Kentucky Derby are listed as probable for the race: **Grindstone** (Unbridled), **Cavonnier** (Batonnier), **Prince Of Thieves** (Hansel), **Unbridled's Song** (Unbridled), **Editor's Note** (Forty Niner), **Skip Away** (Skip Trial) and **Louis Quatorze** (Sovereign Dancer). Also pointing for the shortest of the Triple Crown races are Lexington S. winner **City By Night** (Slew City Slew), who missed the Derby due to an abscess in his foot; Jim Beam victor **Roar** (Forty Niner), Gotham S. hero **Romano Gucci** (Aaron's Concorde), Tampa Bay Derby winner **Thundering Storm** (Storm Brewing), **Dr. Caton** (Seattle Slew), **Secreto de Estado** (General Assembly), **Tour's Big Red** (Tour d'Or) and **Mixed Count** (Polish Numbers). D. Wayne Lukas, bidding for a seventh straight Triple Crown race triumph, will break the record for most lifetime Preakness starters by a trainer this year. With three or four expected in his '96 entry, Lukas, who sent out his first Preakness runner in 1980, has 18 starters going into this year's edition; the modern-day record of 19 is currently held by Max Hirsch.

News Continued.

FEDERATION ASKED TO INVESTIGATE

GUINEAS TRACK Britain's National Trainers Federation will be asked to investigate the state of the Newmarket course over which Saturday's 2000 Guineas was run. Trainers of several runners consider that, after artificial watering, some of the starters had been seriously disadvantaged by the draw. Barry Hills, whose **Royal Applause (GB)** (Waajib {Ire}) made the early pace from stall eight of 13, said "Being drawn in the middle of the course was a disaster." Paul Cole, who sent out ninth-placed **Leonine (Ire)** (Danahill) to race from stall nine, added: "It is so important to get the ground level because it does affect the result. It was the same story when (subsequent Derby hero) **Generous (Ire)** (Caerleon) ran in the 1991 Guineas. **Mystiko** (Secreto) won because he came up the rails where the ground was faster." Even Britain's senior handicapper, Geoffrey Gibbs, expressed his concern. "It is very disappointing when championship races are run on ground which doesn't appear to give every horse an equal chance," he said.

SIMULCASTING BOOSTS REMINGTON SPRING

MEET Following the trend of racetracks across the country, Remington Park benefited from increased simulcasting to post a significant rise in total handle for the 1996 Spring Meet which ended Sunday. Total handle for the 62-day season, including intertrack and off-track wagering, was \$70,498,505, an 8.3 percent increase over 1995. The average daily handle from all sources was \$1,137,073, up 6.8 percent from last year's meeting. In addition to increased wagering on Remington races through the addition of three satellite sites, the handle profited from the 143 simulcast events offered at the track, which brought in a total of \$5,883,999.

◆ EAST ◆

Local News: Connecticut

A record \$2,448,481 was wagered in Connecticut on Kentucky Derby Day Saturday--\$1,003,377 of it on the Kentucky Derby alone.

Local News: Ontario

Locked out Ontario Jockey Club mutuel workers yesterday rejected the company's latest offer by an overwhelming majority. In addition to concerns about having to take pay cuts, the clerks are upset that the OJC is seeking to dismiss three of the picketers for unruly behavior. The picketers strongly deny such behavior existed, while a spokesperson for the OJC claimed the company has irrefutable evidence of malicious damage. The clerks were locked out in late February.

Local News: Virginia

Two-time defending National Steeplechase Association timber champion **Saluter** (Salutely) became only the second horse to win three Virginia Gold Cups with a dominant performance Saturday. Ridden by trainer Jack Fisher, Ann Stern's seven-year-old took over at the 19th fence and cantered home to win the four-mile test by 18 lengths. "He was just toying with them today," said Fisher. The time of 8:47 over the good turf course was 20 seconds slower than Saluter's course record, set last year. Now 13-for-17 over fences, he joins Leeds Don as the only three-time winner of the \$35,000 event.

Local News: West Virginia

The \$330,000 West Virginia Breeders' Classics will be held Sunday, Oct. 6 at The Charles Town Races, it was announced by Sam Huff, founder and president of the races. Post time for the nine-race card will be 1 pm EDT.

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GRINDSTONE, Unbridled's *first foal* wins the 1996 Kentucky Derby!

Congratulations to W.T. Young, D. Wayne Lukas and Jerry Bailey.



◆ FOREIGN ◆

Local News: France

Eternity Range (Majestic Light), who makes his next start in the French 2000 Guineas over a mile at Longchamp Sunday, has reportedly been sold by Mrs. Lucy Boutin, widow of the late great French trainer Francois Boutin and daughter of Saturday's Kentucky Derby winning owner/breeder William T. Young, to B.W. Hughes in a deal negotiated by California-based French trainer Jean-Pierre Dupuis and his wife Francoise. No figure has been disclosed and it is understood that Eternity Range, runner-up in the Prix de Fontainebleau last out, will still carry Mrs Boutin's colors in Sunday's race.

Kahir Almaydan (Ire) (Distinctly North), runner-up in the G3 Greenham S. at Newbury last month, will attempt to bring trainer John Dunlop some consolation for the disappointing British 2000 Guineas display of **Beauchamp King (GB)** (Nishapour {Fr}) (fifth) when tackling the French 2000 Guineas. The Dunlop stable is still uncertain why Beauchamp King ran so poorly in last weekend's Newmarket Classic; the gray colt will be given a short rest before making a comeback at Royal Ascot.

Stakes Results:

SAJC AUSTRALASIAN OAKS-G1, \$157,803, Morphettville, Australia, 10fT, 3yo, f, 2:05.27, gd.

- 1--**@LEICA SMILE (AUS)**, 121, f, 3, At Talaq--**Leica Western (Aus)** (MGSW-Aus), by **Best Western (Aus)**. O-W. J. Galbraith; B-Galtrad Pty Ltd (Aus); T-Peter Hayes; J-D. Brereton; \$108,884.
- 2--**Miss Margaret (Aus)**, 121, f, 3, Marscay (Aus)--**Miss Fancy (NZ)**, by **Sir Tristram (Ire)**. O-R. J. & Mrs. S. L. Peters; B-Rosemount Estates Pty Ltd (Aus); \$28,405.
- 3--**Ester Kelly (NZ)**, 121, f, 3, Famous Star (GB)--**Sansong (Aus)**, by **Rangong (GB)**. O-Mrs S. Wright; B-Mr. P. Setchell (NZ). \$15,780.

Margins: 2 1/2, 1 3/4.

Also ran: Hello Darl, Unpretentious, Not On Friday, Arctic Scent, Classic Allure, Innocent Affair, Top Ratio, Princess Quillo, Gaelic Joy, Australis Bazaar.

PREMIO EMANUELE FILIBERTO, \$58,267, Milan, Italy, 5-5, 10fT, 3yo, 2:08.50, sf.

- 1--**#SNAKE SNAP (GB)**, 128, c, 3, **Shareef Dancer**--**Clare Court (GB)**, by **Glint Of Gold (GB)**. O-Scuderia Curtasse; B-Major-General Sir George Burns (GB); T-V. Caruso; J-M. Esposito; \$32,371.
- 2--**Golden Agos (Ire)**, 131, c, 3, **Dancing Dissident**--**Bourbon Queen (GB)**, by **Ile de Bourbon**. \$14,243.
- 3--**Anticolano (Ire)**, 128, c, 3, **Taufan**--**Full Board (Fr)**, by **Fabulous Dancer**. \$7,769.
- Margins: 1/2, 2 1/2, short NK.

PREMIO BAGGIO, \$58,267, Milan, Italy, 5-5, 10fT, 3yo, f, 2:07.70, sf.

- 1--**#GERMIGNANA (ITY)**, 120, f, 3, **Miswaki Tern**--**Guida Centrale (Ity)**, by **Teenoso**. O/B-Allevamento Gialloblu (Ity); T-Luigi Camici; J-M. Cangiano; \$32,371.
- 2--**Grey Way**, 120, f, 3, **Cozzene**--**Northern Naiad (Fr)**, by **Nureyev**. \$14,243.
- 3--**Bog Wild**, 120, f, 3, **Once Wild**--**Bog**, by **Majestic Light**. (\$12,000 yrl '94 OBSAUG). \$7,769.
- Margins: 1 1/2, 2 1/2, 1 1/4.

HAYDOCK PARK SPRING TROPHY H., \$29,006, Haydock Park, England, 5-6, 7fT, 3yo/up, 1:31.46, gd/sf.

- 1--**#COOL EDGE (IRE)**, 122, g, 5, **Nashamaa (Ire)**--**Mochara (Ire)**, by **Last Fandango (Ire)**. O-Henry B. H. Chan; B-Hollybank Breeders (Ire); T-Mark Tompkins; J-P Robinson; \$17,197.
- 2--**General Monash**, 134, c, 4, **Thorn Dance**--**Zummerudd (Ire)**, by **Habitat**. \$6,430.
- 3--**Band On The Run (GB)**, 124, h, 9, **Song (GB)**--**Sylvanecte (Fr)**, by **Silver Shark**. \$3,139.
- Margins: (1 1/2), (2), 3.

***LETLUCE (GB)** (Aragon {GB}) finished 2nd, but was disqualified, with **General Monash** promoted to 2nd and **Band On The Run** promoted to 3rd.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN ENGLAND:

Bali Paradise, c, 2, **Red Ransom**--**Dream Creek**, by **The Minstrel**. Haydock, 5-6, EBF Gallows Hall Maiden, 5fT, \$5,132 to winner. O-AI Muallim Partnership; T-P Cole. *\$100,000 yrl '95 KEESEP.

Wixim, c, 3, **Diesis (GB)**--**River Lullaby (SP-Ire)**, by **Riverman**. Doncaster, 5-6, Carr Hill Conditions S., 8fT, 3yo, \$8,370 to winner. O-K. Abdulla; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-R Charlton. *1/2 to **Berceau (Alleged)**, GSW-Fr; and **Run Softly (Deputy Minister)**, GSW, \$175,412.

Spirito Libro, f, 3, **Lear Fan**--**Teeming Shore (SW-Eng, GSP-Ire)**, by **L'Emigrant**. Newmarket, 5-5, Mail On Sunday Mile H., 8fT, 3yo, \$22,192 to winner. O-Camelot Racing; B-T. J. Rooney; T-Conrad Allen.

Projection, c, 3, **Topsider**--**Image Of Reality (GSW, \$211,200)**, by **In Reality**. Newmarket, 5-5, Lords Taverners Conditions S., 7fT, 3yo, \$8,624 to winner. O-K. Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Barry Hills. *1/2 to **Navarra (El Gran Senor)**, GSW, \$224,859; and **Toussaud (El Gran Senor)**, GISW-U.S., GSW-Eng, \$552,751. **SP.

Daawe, h, 5, **Danzig**--**Capo Di Monte (Ire)** (GSW-U.S., MSW-Eng, GSP-Eng & Fr, \$201,079), by **Final Straw (GB)**. Doncaster, 5-6, Coal Miner H., 6fT, 3yo/up, \$6,098 to winner. O-Mrs Andrea M. Mallinson; B-Gainsborough Farm Inc; T-Mrs. V. A. Conley.



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**AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN IRELAND:**

Diali, f, 3, **Dayjur**--Past Example, by Buckpasser. Gowran Park, 5-5, Copper Beech Maiden, 7fT, 3yo/up, \$5,328 to winner. O-Sheikh Hamdan al Maktoum; B-Bruce Hutson & Taylor Made Farm; T-Dermot Weld. *1/2 to Jasmina (*Forli), SW, \$115,895; and Polish Precedent (Danzig), Ch. Miler-Fr, MG1SW-Fr, G1SP-Eng, \$504,388. **\$200,000 yrl '94 KEESEP.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN JAPAN:

Suzuran Ruckus, c, 3, **Bold Ruckus**--Vice Regency, by Vice Regent. Tokyo, 5-4, Yaezakura Sho, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-0, \$231,783. O-Tukeji Suzuki; B-August Moon Farm; T-Sueo Masuzawa. *\$85,000 yrl '94 FTKJUL; \$200,000 2yo '95 FTFEB.

Inter Hunt, c, 3, **Danzig**--Love for Life, by Forli. Kyoto, 5-4, novice race, 3yo, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$66,697. O-M Matsuoka; B-Mr & Mrs John C Mabee; T-Kunihiko Take. *1/2 to Annual Rider (Cresta Rider), GSW, \$541,725. **\$400,000 yrl '94 KEEJUL.

Zafolia, c, 3, **Gone West**--Gambling Fool, by Majestic Light. Kyoto, 5-5, G3 Kyoto Yonsai Tokubetsu, 10fT. Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-0, \$653,892. O-Royal Farm; B-Gilman Investment Co; T-Yasuo Ikee. *\$50,000 yrl '94 FTSAUG; \$110,000 2yo '95 BESMAR.

Nishino Elf, f, 3, **With Approval**--Special Incentive, by Miswaki. Tokyo, 5-3, novice race, 3yo, 7fT. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$58,406. O-Nishiyama Farm; B-B Glazer; T-S Hatakeyama. *\$8,500 wnlg '93 OBSOCT; \$25,000 yrl '94 OBSAUG; \$82,000 2yo '95 BESMAR.

Keiai Pierre, c, 4, **Slew o' Gold**--Veil Dance, by Damascus. Niigata, 5-4, Sanjo Tokubetsu, 8.5fT. Lifetime Record: 15-2-4-1, \$318,471. O-M Kameda; B-G Beitz; T-T Nakajima. *\$60,000 yrl '93 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '94 BESMAR.

Woody Boy, h, 5, **Woodman**--Belle Francoise (lty) (MSW-lty), by Fabulous Dancer. Niigata, 5-3, plate race, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 19-3-1-2, \$275,836. O-Yomaji Saito; B-Shadai Farm; T-Hironori Kurita.

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Additional Maiden Winners in tomorrow's TDN.



Santa Anita Park

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PONTIAC H., \$25,000, DET, 5-5, 3/up, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft.
1--**SERVICE STRIPE**, 119, h, 5, **Deputy Minister--Wedding Picture (MSW, \$152,997)**, by Blushing Groom (Fr). O-Rene Dar Farm; B-Pin Oak Stud (KY); T-C J Williams; J-J Lasala; \$15,000. Lifetime Record: 18-10-2-2, \$120,588. *1/2 to Winged Victory (*Nijinsky II), GSW-U.S., SW & GSP-Eng, \$189,049.
2--**Beam n' Reason**, 116, c, 4, **De Jeu--Must Be a Reason**, by Black Reason. \$5,000.
3--**Pongo Boy**, 119, c, 4, **Matchlite--Absara's Dancer**, by Bombay Duck. (\$2,000 yrl '93 MUTAUG). \$2,750. Margins: 1, HF, 1. Odds: 1.00, 10.70, 2.50.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-SPT, \$35,640, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10, ft.

ZIPLOOSE (c, 4, **Tilt Up--Raja Royalty**, by Native Royalty) Lifetime Record: 17-6-1-5, \$116,451. O-Debbie & Keith Gray. B-Estate of William Hayes Morgan (KY). T-Patrick S Mitchell.

8th-SPT, \$25,000, (S), 3yo, 1m, 1:41, ft.

DUSTY RETURN (c, 3, **Bob's Dusty--Ms. Tuckian**, by Kentuckian) Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-2, \$25,576. O-Vogt Corina & Leland. B-James McVey & Curtess Haywood (IL). T-Kim Hammond.

7th-SPT, \$24,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 4/5, ft.

DARLING DANIELLE (f, 4, **Spy Signal--Rythmic Movement**, by Dancing Dervish) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, \$31,362. O-Dalton Alexandria & Danny. B-Don Johnson, Mike Coli, Et Al. (IL). T-Paul Darjean.

7th-PHA, \$19,792, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:43, sy.

AFILLY NAMED JILLY (f, 3, **Northern Ice--Saratoga Sal**, by Tonkaton) Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-1-2, \$33,931. O-Bonnie & Marvin Factor. B-Xanthus Farms, Inc. (PA). T-Guadalupe Preciado. *1/2 to Charmin Abrecrombe (Charming Turn), MSW, \$169,370.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Flying Cormorant**, f, 3, **Cormorant--Brach's Thin Mint**, by Old Chronicle. FLX, (S), 5-6, 5 1/2f, 1:07 2/5. B-Star Track Farms (Ny).

Winloc's Brett, c, 3, **Distinctive Pro--Debie's Daughter**, by Loose Cannon. SUF, 5-6, 6f, 1:13. B-Raymond Roncari (Ny).

Noble Deeds, c, 3, **Shadeed--Our Darling** (SW, \$182,401), by Al Hattab. SPT, 5-6, 1 1/16m, 1:47 3/5. B-Charles Nuckols, Jr & Sons (Ky).

Q: WHAT DO THE FOLLOWING HORSES HAVE IN COMMON?

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A: THEY FINISHED 1-2-3-4 IN THE KY DERBY...
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