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**ROAR EYES WITHERS** Jim Beam winner **Roar** (Forty Niner) will likely pass the Preakness in favor of Saturday's GII \$100,000 Withers over a mile at Belmont, trainer Shug McGaughey reported yesterday. "We're going to run in the Withers, but that could change," McGaughey said. "The biggest obstacle concerning the Preakness is whether he'll run that far. I feel that **Prince of Thieves** (Hansel) is the horse to beat in the Preakness and he looked like he could've gone by our horse any time he wanted in the Lexington. I think we have a better chance of winning the Withers than the Preakness." Roar worked five furlongs in 1:01 2/5 yesterday around the dogs over a sloppy Belmont track.

**RAHY COLT TOPS BARRETT'S FIRST SESSION** A chestnut colt by Rahy--Quest for Round (Apalachee) brought a final bid of \$185,000 to top Monday's first session of the Barretts Spring Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training in Pomona, California. Consigned by Jerry Bailey Sales Agency, agent for Bailey-Ellenberg Select, the Kentucky-bred colt was purchased by Mr. Berney S. Hatake. Overall, 101 juveniles were sold Monday for a gross of \$2,430,000, an average of \$24,059 and a median price of \$15,000. The average was up 30 percent from last year's first session average of \$18,512. There were 52 two-year-olds reported as not sold. The two-day sale concluded Tuesday.

**OWNER/BREEDER CHARLES WILSON DIES** Owner and breeder Charles T. Wilson, a longtime client of Jonabell Farm, died May 3 in Mexico City, according to the farm's General Manager Jim Bell. A native of New York and a graduate of Yale University, Wilson was elected to the Jockey Club Mexicana and owned several stakes winners in Mexico, including Venenillo and Texcoco, both winners of the Futurity Mexicano, and Jarabe, the Champion Two-Year-Old of 1961. His stable was trained by future Hall of Famer Laz Barrera. Among his homebred stakes winners are One Sum, Next Move, Twosome, Some for All, Hodges Bay, Verbality and Manila Lila. Wilson is perhaps best known as the breeder and owner of 1981 Belmont Stakes winner Summing. The third choice in the Belmont, Summing took the lead after six furlongs and did not relinquish it, foiling Pleasant Colony's bid for the Triple Crown.

## W • E • E • K • E • N • D P R E V I E W

**Sunday, Longchamp, France:**  
**POULE D'ESSAI DES POULICHES (French 1000 Guineas)-G1**, \$331,319, 3yo, f, 1mT  
After the first forfeit stage Tuesday, the following fillies are still engaged in the French 1000 Guineas: **True Flare** (Capote), **Ta Rib** (Mr. Prospector), **Shake The Yoke (GB)** (Caerleon), **Folle Tempete (Fr)** (Fabulous Dancer), **A Votre Sante** (Irish River {Fr}), **Housa Dancer (Fr)** (Fabulous Dancer), **Shawanni (GB)** (Shareef Dancer), **Raisonnable (GB)** (Common Grounds {GB}), **Parade Sauvage (Fr)** (Kenmare {Fr}), **Occupandiste (Ire)** (Kaldoun {Fr}), **Rouge Rancon** (Red Ransom).

**POULE D'ESSAI DES POULAINS (French 2000 Guineas)-G1**, \$331,319, 3yo, c, 1mT  
After the first forfeit stage Tuesday, the following colts are still engaged in the French 2000 Guineas: **Barricade** (Riverman), **Ashkalani (Ire)** (Soviet Star), **Hamirpour (Ire)** (Shahrastani), **Kahir Almaydan (Ire)** (Distinctly North), **Eternity Range** (Majestic Light), **Woodbury Lad** (Woodman), **Don Micheletto (GB)** (Machiavellian), **Line Dancer (GB)** (Shareef Dancer), **Resonator (Fr)** (Saumarez {GB}), **Spinning World** (Nureyev), **Tagula (Ire)** (Taufan), **Danehill Dancer (Ire)** (Danehill).

**PRIX LUPIN-G1**, \$132,528, 3yo, c & f, 10.5fT  
After the first forfeit stage Tuesday, the following horses are still engaged in Sunday's G1 Prix Lupin: **Radevore (GB)** (Generous {Ire}), **Alhaarth (Ire)** (Unfuwain), **Le Triton** (El Gran Senor), **Ragmar (Fr)** (Tropular {GB}), **Fort Nottingham** (Alleged), **Cachet Noir** (Theatrical {Ire}), **General Academy (Ire)** (Royal Academy), **Line Dancer (GB)** (Shareef Dancer), **Solgan**, **Astor Place (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells), **Heron Island (Ire)** (Shirley Heights {GB}), **Helissio (Fr)** (Fairy King), **Grape Tree Road (GB)** (Caerleon), **Loup Solitaire** (Lear Fan).

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### STAKES CLOSINGS

**TODAY, 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)





## Weekend Preview Continued.

## Saturday, Pimlico:

**PIMLICO SPECIAL H.-GI, \$600,000, 4yo/up, 1 3/16m**

Only four horses were pre-entered Tuesday for Saturday's Pimlico Special. The 31st running thus reverts to the pattern of the older days, when small fields were the norm. There have been two walkovers, Whirlaway in 1941 and Citation in 1948, and two match races, when Seabiscuit beat War Admiral in 1937 and when General Staff defeated One Hitter in 1952.

In this year's renewal, Gary Stevens is slated to ride Middle East invader **Key of Luck** (Chief's Crown), Jerry Bailey will ride **Geri** (Theatrical {Ire}), Mike Smith is set to ride **Wekiva Springs** (Runaway Groom) and Pat Day will be aboard **Star Standard** (Risen Star). Today is entry day. Owners paid \$6,000 to pre-enter Tuesday, and must pay \$7,000 more to enter today.

## ◆ TRIPLE THREATS ◆

## Saturday, May 18, Pimlico:

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

The possibility of a full field for the 121st Preakness is developing. Only 14 can start in the race, in contrast to 20 for the Derby. New to the list of possible starters are **Pugnacious** (Sunny's Halo), winner of the Rushaway S. at Turfway Park before finishing 10th in the Arkansas Derby, and **Feather Box** (Cherokee Colony), third in the GII Gotham S. and fifth in the GII Wood Memorial. Removed from the list of probable starters are D. Wayne Lukas-trainee **Dr. Caton** (Seattle Slew) and Shug McGaughey-trainee **Roar** (Forty Niner).

## ◆ FOREIGN ◆

## Stakes Results:

**TV TOKYO HAI AOKA SHO-G3-Jpn, \$709,074, Tokyo Racecourse, Japan, 5-4, 3yo, 12fT, 2:27.3, fm.**

1--#**@MOUNTAIN STONE (JPN), c, 3, Dancehall--Sweet Minerva (Jpn), by Partholon (GB).** O-Y. Yamaishi; B-Symboli Stud; T-Katsutarō Sakai; J-Akira Takahashi; \$374,749.

2--**Kashima Dream (Jpn), c, 3, Jade Robbery--Dyna Square (Jpn), by Partholon (GB).** \$149,185.

3--**Sakura Shin O (Jpn), c, 3, Sakura Yutaka O (Jpn)--Sakura Muso (Jpn), by Northern Taste.** \$93,017.

Margins: ½, HD, 1 ½. Odds: 22.20, 10.30, 6.60.

**MAINICHI BROADCAST KYOTO YONSAITOKUBETSU-G3-Jpn, \$705,942, Kyoto Racecourse, Japan, 5-5, 3yo, 10fT, 2:03.2, gd.**

1--#**@ZAFOLIA, c, 3, Gone West--Gambling Fool, by Majestic Light.** O-Royal Farm U.; B-Gilman Investment Co.; T-Yasuo Ikee; J-Shinji Fujita; \$372,556.

\*\$50,000 yrl '94 FTSAUG; \$110,000 2yo '95 BESMAR.

2--**Ocean Current (Jpn), c, 3, Sirius Symboli (Jpn)--Marine Lumber (Jpn), by Faberge II (Fr).** \$148,558.

3--**Onward Atout (Jpn), c, 3, Try My Best--Onward Oak (Jpn), by Kane Minobu (Jpn).** \$92,704.

Margins: 2 ½, NK, NK. Odds: 4.90, 125.30, 24.40.

**CHESTER VASE-G3, \$70,556, Chester, England, 5-7, 3yo, 12f 66 ydsT, 2:40.16, gd.**

1--#**@HIGH BAROQUE (IRE), 122, c, 3, High Estate (GB)--Alpine Symphony (Ire), by Northern Dancer.** O-Michael Tabor; B-Barronstown Bloodstock Ltd; T-Peter Chapple-Hyam; J-J. Reid; \$43,284.

2--**St.Mawes (Fr), 122, c, 3, Shahrastani--Exemina, by Slip Anchor(GB).** O-Lord Swaythling; T-John Dunlop.

3--**Prince Of My Heart (GB), 122, c, 3, Prince Daniel--Blue Room (Ire), by Gorytus.** O-G.J. Hicks; T-Barry Hills.

Margins: 1 1/4, 2 1/2, 5.

Also Ran: Sasuru (GB), Air Quest(GB), Classic Eagle (GB).

High Baroque, unraced as a juvenile but winner of both his prior starts this year, completed his hat-trick in convincing fashion in yesterday's Dalham Chester Vase. Owner Michael Tabor paid 52,000 guineas (around \$83,000) for this colt and that investment looked like money well spent when High Baroque switched around the entire field with three furlongs left and ran on strongly to win by 1 1/4-lengths. Tabor's buy was the only one of the six runners not entered for the Epsom Derby. But trainer Peter Chapple-Hyam is happy enough with the decision not to target the Epsom Classic. The handler explained: "He is a very heavy horse and we felt he would not handle the Derby track. The King Edward VII Stakes at Royal Ascot June 21 is a possibility or he may go for the Irish Derby June 30. But he's definitely an improving horse and did this really well. I suppose if there was another supplementary stage we might think again about Epsom. Perhaps the wild card idea (recently suggested by Epsom's management) would be a good one."

**A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters and an (S) will be used for races restricted to state-breds.**

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**PRIX DE MONTRETOUT**, \$47,164, Lyon, France, 5-7, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:38.50, gd.

1--**#SUPER GASCON (FR)**, c, 4, Lesotho--Superstition (Ire), by Touching Wood. O-Francois Marchal; B-Mathieu Daguzan-Garros & Jean-Claude Rouget; T-T. Lallie; J-D. Regnard; \$27,285.

2--**Milltrem**, 123, c, 4, Tremolino--Anna Mill (Ire), by Mill Reef. O-M. Charlton; T-John Hammond; \$9,355.

3--**Court Val (Fr)**, 123, g, 5, Courtroom (Fr)--Val Lady (Fr), by Valdingran (Fr). O-J. Bouchara; T-A. Lyon; \$5,847.

Margins: 1 1/2, short neck, nose.

#### AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN ENGLAND:

**Legal Right**, c, 3, Alleged--Rose Red (granddam of Dr. Devious {Ire} {Hwt at 3 from 11-14f in Eng, MG1-Eng, G1-Ire, \$1,479,971, by Ahonoora}), by Northern Dancer. Chester, 5-7, Grosvenor Maiden S., 10f 75ydsT, 3yo, \$12,614 to winner. O-Robert Sangster; B-Ron Con No.1 & Swettenham Stud; T-Peter Chapple-Hyam. \*1/2 to Zind (Ire) (Named Supreme in Singapore, SW-Mal, GSP-Eng, by Law Society). \*\*Will run next in either the June 8 Epsom Derby or Royal Ascot's King Edward VII S. June 21.

#### Local News, England:

**Solar Crystal (Ire)** (Alzao), winner of last year's G3 May Hill S. and a candidate for next month's Epsom Oaks, makes her 1996 reappearance in today's Shadwell Stud Cheshire Oaks at Chester, England. The Henry Cecil-trainee, third on her most recent run in the Prix Marcel Boussac at Longchamp Oct. 1, has to give weight to all her seven rivals. The Cheshire Oaks has only listed status. However, it frequently has a bearing on subsequent Epsom events and last season's successful filly, Dance A Dream (GB) (Sadler's Wells), went on to fill the runner-up spot in the Oaks.

#### Local News, Ireland:

**Matiya (Ire)** (Alzao) and **My Branch (GB)** (Distant Relative {Ire}), second and fourth respectively in Sunday's 1000 Guineas at Newmarket, are booked for a rematch in the Irish equivalent at The Curragh May 26.

## ◆ EAST ◆

#### Local News, Rockingham Park:

Rockingham Park opens its backstretch this Friday, May 10 as the New Hampshire racetrack prepares to celebrate its 90th anniversary season. The main track will be available for training beginning May 12, and the 1996 live racing season runs from June 9 to Oct. 16.

## ◆ MIDWEST ◆

#### Yesterday's Results:

**9th-CDX**, \$41,780, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 1/5, ft.

1--**VIKING SHIP**, 118, c, 4, Imperial Falcon--Tammy Jean, by Fabulous Bid. O-Alandale Stable; B-Highclere, Inc (KY); T-William G. Huffman. Lifetime Record: SP, 18-4-4-2, \$167,920. \*1/2 to Platinum Punch (MSW, \$140,650, by Two Punch).

2--**Destin**, 120, g, 4, Relaunch--Forever Roving, by Kris S.

3--**Dynazee**, 116, g, 4, Dynaformer--Z.'s Class, by Zuppardo's Prince.

Margins: HD, 3/4, 4. Odds: 2.50, 2.20, 6.10.

Viking Ship, winless in four starts since taking an allowance at Turfway Park last December 21, finished fifth over the Keeneland turf in his most recent effort April 5. Back on the main track here as the 5-2 third choice in the short five-horse field, he came from off the pace for his first victory of 1996.

**8th-CDX**, \$39,060, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44 4/5, ft.

**MARRY ME MAGGIE (f, 3, Runaway Groom--Champagne Maggie, by Stalwart)**, who rallied from last to first to win the \$40,000 Althea S. over a sloppy Oaklawn Park track in her last outing April 12, made it two in a row here, displaying another late move to draw clear by 1 1/2 under the wire as the 6-5 bettors' choice. Lifetime Record: SW, 8-3-3-0, \$88,432. O-Ashbrook Farm & John T.L. Jones Jr. B-Ashby Thoroughbreds, Inc. (KY). T-Carl Bowman.

**7th-CDX**, \$26,040, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18, ft.

+ **BOLD AMUSEMENT (f, 3, Bold Ruckus--She's Ecstatic {SW}, by Sauce Boat)**, making her career debut at odds of nearly 7-1, was rated in mid-pack early by jockey Pat Day, rallied on the rail leaving the turn then was under light urging to win going away by 2 1/2. The 2-1 favorite, PROSPECTIVE (Mr. Prospector), was 2nd. The winner, a \$52,000 Kee. Sept. yearling and a \$110,000 Kee. April 2yo, is 1/2 to Dead Heat (MSW, \$219,798, by Private Account) & Highwayman (MSW, \$289,864, by Artichoke). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,015. O-William S. Farish. B-Thomas W. Webb (CAN). T-Neil J. Howard.

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### Breeders' Cup National Stakes Race Closings

Soviet Problem Breeders' Cup H. Golden Gate  
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**Local News, Retama Park:**

Retama Park race fans bet a record \$630,286 for the entire day of simulcasting Saturday, Kentucky Derby Day. A total of \$174,608 was wagered on the Derby itself. The record figure tops the \$465,747 bet on last year's Breeders' Cup races from Belmont Park.

## B • R • E • E • D • E • R • S E D I T I O N

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**9th-PHA, \$24,130, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38 1/5, ft.**  
**MY BROTHER GEORGE (g, 6, Its Good--Jolie Dam, by Damascus)** Lifetime Record: SP, 64-15-6-12, \$154,174. O-Silver Hawk Stable. B-Charles Thomas (PA). T-David W. Geist. \*1/2 to Rob Gelb (MSP, \$114,099, by Buckfinder).

**3rd-DEL, \$22,300, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06 4/5, ft.**  
**QUEEN OF HAMILTON (m, 5, Saratoga Six--Lady Hamilton, by The Minstrel)** Lifetime Record: 14-3-1-2, \$43,926. O-Camp Chapel Inc. B-Eaton Farms, Inc. & Troy Seale (KY). T-Tim F. Ritchey.

**10th-PHA, \$21,112, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft.**  
**PRINCE OF ROYALTY (g, 5, Caesar's Prince--Royalty Will Tell, by Clev Er Tell)** Lifetime Record: SP, 46-11-9-4, \$152,710. O-Esther M. Peck. B-Fran DiFerdinando (PA). T-Stephen R. Mick.

**8th-DEL, \$20,800, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:45 3/5, ft.**  
**NAZ CHANCE (f, 3, Exuberant--Somethinspellbound, by Prince Spellbound)** Lifetime Record: 19-7-1-2, \$49,818. O-John R. Grossi. B-Jennifer S. Fitzgerald (FL). T-Timothy Tullock Jr.

**8th-PIM, \$17,500, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.**  
**CHOOSE SMART (c, 4, I Am the Game--Smart 'n Lucky, by Smarten)** Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$26,872. O/B-Anthony J. Skalican Sr. (MD). T-Dale Capuano.

**8th-PHA, \$15,000, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:45, ft.**  
**FRIVOLOUS FERGIE (f, 4, Vanlandingham--Royal Devotion, by His Majesty)** Lifetime Record: 21-2-4-4, \$37,889. O-Low Meadow Farm. B-Mr. & Mrs. James W. Phillips & Loblolly Stables (KY). T-Daniel A. Dufford. \*1/2 to Devoted Brass (MGII, \$350,520, by Dixieland Band). \*\*Won off five-month layoff.

**MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Bold Amusement, f, 3, Bold Ruckus--She's Ecstatic (SW), by Sauce Boat.** CDX, 5-7, 6 1/2f, 1:18. B-Thomas W. Webb (Can). \*\$52,000 yrl '94 KEESEP; \$110,000 2yo 1995 KEEAPR. \*\*1/2 to Dead Heat (MSW, \$219,798, by Private Account) and Highwayman (MSW, \$289,864, by Artichoke).

**Medicine Beau, c, 3, Buckaroo--Halucinations, by Exuberant.** HIA, 5-7, a1 1/8mT, 1:48 2/5. B-Meadowbrook Farms, Inc (FL). \*\$7,700 yrl '94 OBSAUG.

**Fire Lord, c, 3, Lord Carlos--Stage Fire, by Golden Act.** PHA, 5-7, 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5. B-Mr. & Mrs. Charles A. Cuprill (Pa). \*SP. \*\*Full to Striking Lord (MSW, \$127,123).

**Trim Account, c, 3, Private Account--Trim Colony (SW, \$247,510), by Pleasant Colony.** PIM, 5-7, 1 1/8m (off turf), 1:52 2/5. B-T.M. Evans (Va). \*1/2 to Trim Cut (SP, \$130,604, by Roberto).

**Storm Out Front, c, 3, Silver Buck--Squire of Fire, by Always Gallant.** HIA, 5-6, 1 1/16m, 1:46 4/5. B-Edward Devries (Fl).

**Mascarrade, c, 4, Carr de Naskra--Mystifying, by Wajima.** FLX, 5-7, (S), 5f, 1:01 2/5. B-Mr & Mrs Rocco Buetti & Mr & Mrs James O'Rourke (Ny).

**Vernon Vixen, f, 4, Liberty Lane--Verbal Agreement, by Verbatim.** CDX, 5-7, 1 1/16m, 1:46. B-Swifty Farms (Ky).

**A Rose for Shannon, f, 4, Private Account--Cope of Flowers (MGSP, \$140,376), by Tom Rolfe.** HIA, 5-6, a1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5. B-Claiborne Farm (Ky). \*\$6,000 2yo 1994 KEEJAN; \$15,500 2yo 1994 OBSAPR.

**FOALING NEWS:**

**HONOR TO HER, 15, Sir Ivor--Frederick Street (Traffic Judge)**

Foal born 4-19-96, a filly by Royal Academy.

Will be bred back to Mister Baileys.

Owned by Vinery & John R. Gaines Thoroughbreds.

Boarded at Vinery in Midway, Ky.

Accomplishments: Dam of Savannah's Honor (Storm Bird), SW & MGSP-NA, GSW-Fr, \$326,796; and Anna's Honor (Alleged), SW & MGSP-Fr.

**HOT STRIPPER, 16, Poker--All Puffed Up (Dynastic)**

Foal born 4-20-96, a colt by Personal Flag.

Will be bred back to El Gran Senor.

Owned by John Franks.

Boarded at Old Frankfort Stud in Lexington, Ky.

Accomplishments: Dam of Dixie Poker Ace (Patriotically), MSW, \$848,327.

**LADY SHIRL, 9, That's A Nice--Canonization (Native Heritage)**

Foal born 4-21-96, a filly by Leo Castelli.

Will be bred back to Chimes Band.

Owned by/boarded at Fares Farm in Lexington, Ky.

Accomplishments: MGSW of \$1,001,923; first foal.

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## WEEKEND PEDIGREE PERSPECTIVES

by: Alan Porter, Highflyer International

### *GRINDSTONE (c, 3, Unbridled--Buzz My Bell, by Drone)*

The combination of running in bar shoes and racing close to a blistering pace proved too much for UNBRIDLED'S SONG (Unbridled), but Grindstone's tremendous finish meant that Unbridled still has the honor of being the first Kentucky Derby winner to sire a Kentucky Derby winner since Seattle Slew's son Swale scored in 1984.

A member of the first crop sired by Unbridled, Grindstone is out of the Spinaway S. winner Buzz My Bell, a \$2,050,000 purchase by Grindstone's breeders, Overbrook Farm, at the 1985 Keeneland November Sales. The direct female line most recently tasted classic success in 1971 when Pass Catcher, out of a half-sister to Buzz My Bell's dam, Chateaupavia, captured the Belmont Stakes.

There are a myriad of complex connections in the background of Grindstone, but we will restrict ourselves to one or two points to ponder. Firstly, Grindstone's fourth dam, the top-class racemare Gaffery, has four very close crosses of the Fair Play/Rock Sand combination (the cross which produced Man o' War). Unbridled's second dam is by In Reality, who is 3x3 to War Relic. In turn, War Relic is closely inbred to Fairy Gold (dam of Fair Play) and Rock Sand. So Grindstone has two horses with very similar--and very potent--inbred backgrounds in the fourth generation of his pedigree.

Secondly, Grindstone himself is a fairly outcrossed horse. The nearest duplication in his pedigree is a 6x4 cross of Tom Fool, and the only other horses to appear in both halves of his six-cross pedigree are Polynesian, Case Ace and Princequillo. The intriguing thing is that Tom Fool and Polynesian--two of the four closest duplications in the pedigree--have somewhat similar backgrounds. Tom Fool has the sire Pharamond II in his second generation, and the mare Laughing Queen in his third, and Polynesian has Pharamond II's brother, Sickle, in the second generation and Laughing Queen's brother, Pompey, in the third. Is it coincidence that two of the potentially most influential ancestors in Grindstone's pedigree share two siblings within three generations?

The final point to ponder is the presence of the French Derby winner Le Fabuleux as the broodmare sire of Unbridled. When Unbridled's sire, Fappiano, was mated to Unbridled's granddam, Charedi, the result was Pentelicus, a fast horse, but one who never scored beyond 6½-furlongs. Clearly then, Le Fabuleux played a major part in providing the classic staying ability which Unbridled possessed as a racehorse, and is now imparting as a stallion.

### PEDIGREE SHORTS...

In the 1000 Guineas at Newmarket Sunday, **Bosra Sham (f, 3, Woodman--Korveya {Riverman})** maintained her unbeaten record. Bosra Sham follows her own-brother Hector Protector and three-parts brother Shanghai--winners of the French 2000 Guineas in successive years--as the third classic winner produced by her dam. What is more, Bosra Sham's granddam,

Konafa, is a half-sister to Awaasif, the granddam of last year's Epsom Derby winner Lammtarra.

The victory of U.S.-bred **Apia (c, 3, Cox's Ridge--Approved to Fly {Flying Paster})** in Germany at the end of last week reminded us that Flying Paster is something of an unsung hero as a broodmare sire. He has currently crept up to 10th leading broodmare sire by Average Earning Index, has one of the best percentages of two-year-old winners, and by percentage of stakes-winners is mixing it with the likes of Hoist the Flag, Alydar, Secretariat, Nijinsky II, Mr. Prospector, Key to the Mint and Secretariat.

Freshman sire Rubiano has two winners from his first two starters to date. The second of these, **Lightbeam (f, 2, Rubiano--Sun Blush {Ogygian})**, is interesting for being out of a mare by Ogygian, and therefore inbred 4x4 to the mare Grand Splendor, granddam of both Rubiano's sire, Fappiano, and of Ogygian.

The stud career of English sprint champion Dayjur received a shot in the arm last weekend with stakes victories for two of his offspring.

The undefeated **Danjur (c, 4, Dayjur--Epitome {Summing})** took his record to three-for-three when shattering the course record in the Churchill Downs Turf Sprint S. A son of champion Epitome, Danjur has notable opposite sex linebreeding to Hail to Reason, Nashua, Nasrullah and Princequillo. From Dayjur's point of view, all of these duplications are concentrated in the pedigree of his dam, Gold Beauty. Particularly interesting is the fact that Gold Beauty's sire, Mr. Prospector, is out of Gold Digger, a very close relative to Filatonga, the third dam of Epitome.

In the GIII Humana Distaff H., **In Conference (f, 4, Dayjur--Personal Business {Private Account})** gained her first stakes win. The Phipps-bred is a daughter of Personal Business, who is by Private Account out of Heavenly Match, who is in turn out of Secretariat's sister, The Bride. The Bride has an opposite-sex Nasrullah/Princequillo cross to the one found in Illustrious, sire of Dayjur's second dam, and Heavenly Match generally reinforces the Nasrullah, Princequillo and Count Fleet strains found in Dayjur's dam, Gold Beauty.

If this pair are anything to go by, what Dayjur likes are quality racemares which reinforce the distaff side of his pedigree.

In Japan, the ten-furlong Kyoto Yonsai Tokubetsu (GIII-Jpn) was taken by North American-bred **Zafolia (c, 3, Gone West--Gambling Fool {Majestic Light})**. Zafolia is yet another successful Mr. Prospector/Majestic Prince cross. Since Mr. Prospector and Majestic Prince are both by Raise a Native, they constitute a rare example of stallions crossing well with mares from the same sire line. Zafolia's dam is a sister to the New York sire, Stacked Pack, and a half-sister to Seeking the Gold, a son of Gone West's sire, Mr. Prospector. This pedigree is also similar to the one owned by Mr. Greeley, who is by Gone West out of a mare by Reviewer. Reviewer is a half-brother to Con Game, the dam of Stacked Pack and Seeking the Gold.

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