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**SARATOGA OPENS TODAY** Saratoga Race Course opens today for its 128th Thoroughbred meeting. Racing will be offered every day except Tuesdays through Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 2. First post is 1 p.m. except for a noon start Travers Day, August 24. Stakes are plentiful at the Spa with 37 of them offered (28 graded) worth \$5,475,000 in purse money during the 34-day meet. The centerpiece of the season will once again be the \$750,000 Travers S., to be run for the 127th time.

**CIGAR WORKS FOR PACIFIC CLASSIC** Cigar (Palace Music) turned in his first workout since his record-tying 16th straight victory in the Arlington Citation Classic July 13, breezing five furlongs in 1:03 at Saratoga Wednesday. Trainer Bill Mott said of the work, "He went very well. We were very pleased with the work. It was his first work back from the Arlington race and it went well." Plans call for the six-year-old to be shipped to Del Mar Thursday, August 8 for his engagement in the \$1,000,000 Pacific Classic Aug. 10.

**SECOND DUBAI WORLD CUP ANNOUNCED** The Dubai World Cup Committee announced yesterday that the 1997 Dubai World Cup will be run Saturday, March 29 at Nad Al Sheba Racecourse. The Committee responded to requests to move the date to a Saturday, giving viewers world-wide a better opportunity to see the race live, as well as removing some of the difficulties encountered when broadcasting this year's event midweek.

**FHBPA AND GULFSTREAM PARK SHAKE HANDS** The Florida Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association and Gulfstream Park yesterday signed a revenue-sharing agreement for Gulfstream's 1997 meeting, set for January 3 through March 16. Under the revolutionary new contract, the horsemen and the track will share equally all pari-mutuel income during the meet. "The owners, the trainers and Gulfstream are now true partners. This removes any necessity for governmental involvement in affairs between the parties. Although, based on Gulfstream's 1996 handle, the track would have lost financially and the horsemen would have gained if the new plan had been in effect, Gulfstream is willing to give up some income for the eventual benefits that working in unity will produce," said Douglas Donn, the track's president and CEO. "We now will be able to pursue strategies for the growth of the entire industry."

**THE VINERY MATCHMAKER S.-GII, \$100,000, ATL, 7-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 3/16mT, 1:54 3/5, fm.**

1--**@POWDER BOWL, 113, f, 4, Pleasant Colony--Snowbowl (MSP), by Northjet (Ire).** O-Augustin Stable; B-George Strawbridge Jr (PA); T-Jonathan E. Sheppard; J-D S Rice; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 19-4-4-1, \$176,353.

2--**Class Kris, 120, f, 4, Kris S.--Classic Value, by Copelan.** O/B-F W Hooper (FL); \$20,000.

3--**Turkish Tryst, 114, m, 5, Turkoman--Darbyvail, by Roberto.** (\$39,000 yrl '92 KEESEP). O-Michael J. Moran; B-Daniel M. Galbreath & John W. Galbreath II (KY); \$11,000.

Margins: NK, 3/4, HF. Odds: 49.50, 0.90CT, 14.70.

Also Ran: Perfect Arc, Twilight Encounter, Overcharger.

Powder Bowl won the listed Prix Casimir Delamarre at Longchamp last October, then shipped to the U.S. to take her next start, a turf allowance at Hialeah March 19. The bay filly had been winless in five starts since, including a sixth-place effort in a handicap over the Belmont grass in her last outing June 26. Dismissed at odds of nearly 50-1 here, she trailed the six-horse field until the top of the stretch, where she rallied down the middle of the track to defeat 4-5 second choice Class Kris. Winning jockey Darci Rice said, "This is the biggest win of my career. When I asked her at the top of the stretch, I had a ton of horse left, and I just knew she was going to cruise on by them. It was a great feeling." The post time favorite, PERFECT ARC (Brown Arc), was trying for her 10th straight victory; she broke on top and led through fractions of :24 4/5, :49 1/5, 1:12 2/5 and 1:36 1/5 before tiring in the final furlong to be fourth. "Perfect Arc just didn't fire, no excuses," said her jockey John Velazquez. Choices of stallion seasons to Strike the Gold, River Special and De Niro will be announced by the winning connections later this week.

### STAKES CLOSINGS

**TOMORROW, SATURDAY, JULY 27:**

8-8 \$100,000 **A Phenomenon H.-GII, Sar, 3yo/up, 6f (\$100)**

8-10 \$250,000 **Sword Dancer Invitational H.-GI, Sar, 3yo/up, 12fT (INV)**

8-10 \$150,000 **Sorority-GIII, Mth, 2yo, f, 6f (\$200)**

8-11 \$100/100,000 **Saratoga Breeders' Cup H.-GIII, Sar, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5fT (\$100)**

8-12 \$125,000 **Adirondack-GII, Sar, 2yo, f, 6.5f (\$125)**





**News Continued.**

**CHARLOTTE BROOKS ON THE MEND** Christiana Medical Center doctors have upgraded steeplechase jockey Charlotte Brooks' condition to "stable" and said they expect the 24-year-old rider to make a full recovery from the skull fracture and severe head injury suffered in a spill at Delaware Park July 9. Brooks has been transferred from the hospital's Surgical Shock Trauma Unit to a step-down unit. She is undergoing physical and speech therapy.

**SINGSPIEL TO MISS KING GEORGE** Singspiel (Ire) (In The Wings {GB}), expected to be among the main contenders for Ascot's King George VI and Queen Elizabeth Diamond S. tomorrow, will now miss the Group 1 contest after suffering a minor injury in training. Without specifying the nature of the problem, his Newmarket-based trainer, Michael Stoute, said, "Singspiel has had a slight setback and will be unable to run. His training schedule will not be interrupted for long and I expect him to be back under a saddle again within a week." This year's Epsom Derby hero **Shaamit (Ire)** (Mtoto {GB}) now heads the betting for the Ascot race at 2-1.

**BOARD APPROVES 19-DAY FAIRPLEX**

**MEETING** This year's Los Angeles County Fair meeting in Pomona, California will open Thursday, Sept. 12 and run for 19 consecutive days through Monday, Sept. 30, following California Horse Racing Board approval Thursday of the Fairplex Park license. First post at Fairplex will be at 1 p.m. daily except Fridays, when first post will be at 4 p.m.

Morning line favorite **Move** (Forty Niner) is undefeated in three career starts. Owned and bred by Cherry Valley Farm, the chestnut filly won the Kentucky Breeders' Cup against colts at Churchill Downs two starts back, then took the Gill Debutante S. as the 1-2 favorite in her last outing June 29.

**Today, Saratoga:**

**SANFORD S.-GIII, \$100,000a, 2yo, 6f**

The field of nine, in post position order, is as follows: **Boston Harbor** (Capote), Bailey; **D'Nang** (Foreign Survivor), C. Velasquez; **Gray Raider** (Rubiano), Santos; **M.P. Fancy Man** (Fortunate Prospect), Alvarado; **Rapid Robyn** (Robyn Dancer), Davis; **Kelly Kip** (Kipper Kelly), Samyn; **Fourth and Six** (Defensive Play), Smith; **Bombay Gold** (Mining), Chavez; **Say Florida Sandy** (Personal Flag), Cordova.

**Saturday, Saratoga:**

**TEST S.-GI, \$150,000, 3yo, f, 7f**

The field of eight, in post position order, is as follows: **Escena** (Strawberry Road {Aus}), Bailey; **JJ'sdream** (Glitterman), Davis; **Capote Belle** (Capote), Velasquez; **Mama Dean** (Woodman), Chavez; **Echo Echo** (Eastern Echo), Velasquez; **Royalty Interest** (Mr. Prospector), Day; **Minery** (Forty Niner), Sellers; **Flat Fleet Feet** (Afleet), Smith.

**Saturday, Del Mar:**

**SAN CLEMENTE H.-GII, \$100,000a, 3yo, f, 1mT**

The field of 10, from the rail out, is as follows: **Little Gumph** (Wheatly Hall), 114 pounds; **Gastronomical** (Sunshine Forever), 119; **Lasha** (Rahy), 115; **Najecam** (Tremolino), 114; **Boncozy** (Cozzene), 115; **True Flare** (Capote), 116; **Staffin** (GB) (Salse), 114; **Heptathlon** (Runaway Groom), 113; **Tarte Aux Pommes** (Fr) (Noblequest {Fr}), 116; **Supercilious** (Skywalker), 118.

**Saturday, Maisons-Laffitte, France:**

**PRIX ROBERT PAPIN-G2, \$115,556, 2yo, 5f 110ydsT**

The field of six, in order of the draw, will be: **Nombre Premier** (GB) (Kendor {Fr}), **Sheer Reason** (Danzig), **Winter Brook** (Fr) (Al Nasr {Fr}), **Hanan** (Twilight Agenda), **Ocean Ridge** (Storm Bird), and **Shigeru Summit** (GB) (Be My Chief).

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**◆ P R E V I E W ◆**

**Today, Saratoga:**

**SCHUYLERVILLE S.-GII, \$100,000a, 2yo, f, 6f**

PP	HORSE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	ODDS
1a	How About Now	Hushion	Migliore	10-1
2	Move	Brothers	Sellers	1-1
3	Bingo Lil	Zito	Day	30-1
4	Perfect Dame	Ortiz	C. Velasquez	30-1
5	Lost Cat	Duncan	Davis	15-1
6	The Lady's Unreal	Pollard	Cordova	5-1
7	City College	Lukas	Bailey	9-2
8	Exclusive Hold	Kimmel	Smith	6-1
9	Classic Approval	Picou	J. Velasquez	12-1
10	Frosty Lady Love	Amoss	Perret	20-1
11a	Last Two States	Hushion	Santos	10-1



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### Yesterday's Result:

2nd-WOX, \$27,400, Alw, 3yo/up, a1 3/8mT, 2:16 (NTR), fm.

**CHIEF BEARHART** (c, 3, Chief's Crown--Amelia Bearhart {SP}, by Bold Hour), 1/2 to Memorized (MSP, \$292,180, by Ziggy's Boy) and Explosive Red (GI, \$864,931, by Explodent), placed third in the Plate Trial S. (GIC) at Woodbine two starts back and most recently was fourth in the first jewel of the Canadian Triple Crown, the July 7 Queens Plate. Stepping down to face allowance company here, the chestnut was sent off the 1-2 choice and showed early speed to lead the field to the first turn, gave way to be third down the backside, went three-wide to challenge early in the stretch and took over for a 2 1/2-length tally in new track record time. Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-0-2, \$89,468.

O-Sam-Son Farm. B-Richard D. Maynard (CAN). T-Mark Frostad.

## ◆ FOREIGN ◆

### Yesterday's Result:

**PRIX JACQUES DE BREMONT**, \$46,999, Maisons-Laffitte, France, 7-25, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:45.60, gd/sf. 1--**BIN ROSIE** (GB), 123, g, 4, Distant Relative (Ire)--Come On Rosi (GB), by Valiyar (Ire). (\$34,330 wnlg '92 Tattersalls Dec. Foals; \$53,470 yrlg '93 Goffs Irish Nat'l Yrl). O-Wafic Said; B-Addison Racing Ltd Inc (GB); T-David Loder; J-R. Hughes; \$27,190. \*GSP-Eng & Ire.

2--**La Fra Angelico** (Fr), 120, m, 5, Tip Moss (Fr)--Fragrance (Fr), by Shakapour (Ire). \$9,322.

3--**Bouche Bee**, 120, f, 4, Naevus--Miss Henderson Co, by Silver Hawk. (\$33,000 yrl '93 KEESEP). \$5,826.

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

### AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN ENGLAND:

**Blockade**, g, 7, Imperial Falcon--Stolen Date, by Sadair. Brighton, 7-25, Rock Garden Claiming S., 3yo/up, 6f 209ydsT, \$3,707 to winner. O-A M Warrender; B-P C Warrender; T-M Bell. \*1/2 to Stoshka (Nashua), SW-Fr; Bubinka (Nashua), GSW-Ity.

**Guestimation**, g, 7, Known Fact--Best Guess, by Apalachee. Sandown, 7-25, Surrey Racing Apprentice H., 3yo/up, 10fT, \$5,158 to winner. O-The Exclusive Two Partnership; B-Oak Crest Farm; T-J Pearce. \*\$48,000 wnl '89 KEENOV.

### Local News, England:

Michael Roberts, champion jockey in Britain 1992, will be sidelined for several weeks after breaking his left wrist in a fall at Sandown Park yesterday afternoon. Roberts was thrown from the previously unraced **Honeyshan** (GB) (Warrshan) as the four-year-old crossed the finish line for the Heathrow Maiden S. and swerved to avoid another runner. Roberts was driven immediately to nearby Kingston Hospital and subsequent X-rays revealed a break.

**Red Camellia** (GB) (Polar Falcon) earned herself a 25-1 quote for next year's Newmarket 1000 Guineas with an impressive win in yesterday's Milcars Star S. at Sandown Park. The bay filly, trained by Sir Mark Prescott, led throughout but seemed to be set for second best when **Yashmak** (Danzig) began to make progress one-and-a-half furlongs from home. However Red Camellia lengthened her stride to forge clear for the win. Prescott admitted, "I didn't expect to beat Yashmak. But I missed this event two years ago when Red Azalea (GB) (Shirley Heights), this one's half-sister, was off color. I did not want to make the same mistake twice."

## ◆ MIDWEST ◆

### Local News, Ellis Park:

An all-time North American \$2 trifecta payoff was recorded in the seventh race at Ellis Park Thursday when 73-1 shot **Ask Meshach** (Meshach) topped a \$2 trifecta worth \$126,349. Ask Meshach led 20-1 **Jake's Snappy** (Like You and Yours) and 3-1 **Beltway Bandit** (Gone West) under the wire in the six-furlong claiming contest. According to the 1996 Hollywood Park Media Guide, the previous record for a \$2 trifecta was a \$96,751.80 payoff in a race at Gulfstream Park January 31, 1993.

### Local News, Illinois:

Gene Lamb, a 66-year-old Champaign, Illinois businessman, has been promoted to chairman of the Illinois Racing Board by Governor Jim Edgar. Lamb has served as a member of the regulatory commission since 1991. He replaces Chicago attorney Gary Starkman as chairman; Starkman resigned earlier this month after chairing the board since his appointment in 1991. Lamb is the president and CEO of Champaign Asphalt Co. He is also a Thoroughbred owner, but does not race in Illinois because of rules prohibiting involvement by board members.

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### Yesterday's Results:

**KOBUK KING S.**, \$55,450, DMR, 7-25, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:17 1/5, fm.

1--**#DRACO (IRE)**, 122, g, 5, Soviet Star--I Want To Be (GSW-Eng & Ire, GSP-Fr, \$111,101), by Roberto.

O-Bailey, Bizantz & Enberg; B-Mohammed al Maktoum (IRE); T-Mike Puype; J-A. Solis; \$30,700. Lifetime Record: 15-3-4-2, \$98,506.

2--**Shanawi (Ire)**, 122, c, 4, Caerleon--Shabarana (Fr), by Nishapour (Fr). O-Ghanem & Sloan; \$11,000.

3--**The Key Rainbow (Ire)**, 122, c, 4, Rainbow Quest--Te Kani, by Northern Dancer. O-Edmund A. Gann; \$8,250. Margins: 3/4, 3, 4 1/2. Odds: 3.70, 2.50, 1.50.

Draco, who finished second in last year's Kobuk King S. in his only prior career stakes appearance, bettered that effort here, closing from mid-pack for his first added-money victory.

5th-DMR, \$46,000, Alw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:45 2/5, fm.

**CHILE CHATTE (f, 3, Storm Cat--Carita Tostada {Chi} {MSW-N.A., MG1-Chi}**, by Gallantsky), off since her third-place finish in the GI Hollywood Starlet last Dec. 16, returned from a seven-month layoff here and settled just behind the pacesetter throughout, getting up in the final strides to win by a head as the 2-1 second choice. Lifetime Record: GISP, 5-2-0-2, \$88,675.

O-Martha G. & Ray T. Parfet. B-Andrena & Paul Van Doren (KY). T-Richard Mandella.

### Local News, Del Mar:

**Larry the Legend (Local Talent)**, unraced since winning the GI Santa Anita Derby in April, 1995, is scheduled to make his first start since that victory in Saturday's seventh race at Del Mar, a \$60,000 allowance. Trainer Craig Lewis said the four-year-old has been training well toward his return, following two surgeries for knee problems.

**Royal Chariot (Strawberry Road {Aus})**, another comeback horse, worked seven furlongs on the turf Thursday in 1:28 3/5 with the dogs up. The six-year-old, unraced since taking the GI Hollywood Turf Cup Dec. 10, is scheduled to go to the post in the Wickerr H. at Del Mar Wednesday, July 31. Royal Chariot has been off since December due to the removal of a bone chip in his left front ankle.

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 state-bred races.

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### ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-ELP, \$24,500, 3/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 2/5, fm. **GO TO WAR (f, 3, Lord At War {Arg}--Va Sola {Arg}**, by So Bold) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$29,217. O-Jay Deutsch & William Teinowitz. B-Wimborne Farm (KY). T-Steven L. Morguelan.

9th-CRC, \$22,100, Alw, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:25, ft. **HONEST (f, 3, Regal Search--Devine Truth, by Northern Jove)** Lifetime Record: SP, 11-7-1-1, \$86,532. O-Martin L. Cherry. B-Justo Noriega Jr. (FL). T-Martin D. Wolfson.

8th-APX, \$21,000, 3yo/up, f/m, a1mT, 1:38, fm. **COULDYOU MAKEMYDAY (f, 3, Local Talent--Rainy Princess {MSW, MGSP, \$108,607}**, by Rainy Lake) Lifetime Record: SP, 16-2-5-4, \$64,485. O-Charles Buchanan. B-Albatroz Bloodstock Agency & Yorkrun Farm (KY). T-John C. Wainwright.

### MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Patent Pending, c, 2, Conquistador Cielo--Devil's Dispute**, by Devil's Bag. FLX, 7-25, (S), 5f, :59 3/5. B-Geret Farm Corp (Ny). \*Won by 15 1/2.

**Stolen Gold, c, 2, Conquistador Cielo--Stolie (SW)**, by Navajo. DMR, 7-25, 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5. B-Rankin, Sanderlin & Lenihan (Ky). \*\$72,000 yrl '95 KEESEP. + **Chachagua, f, 2, Dawn Quixote--Baby Feels So Good**, by Baldski. CRC, 7-25, 6f, 1:14. B-R A Calderon & B Berens (Fl).

+ **Brite's Best, c, 2, High Brite--Ivover**, by Sir Ivor. APX, 7-25, 5 1/2f, 1:06 3/5. B-John J. Karakourtis & Ted Patras (Ky). \*\$35,500 2yo 1996 ILLAPR. + **Pyrite Poster, f, 2, Jeblar--Platinum Poster (SW, \$175,890)**, by Poster Prince. APX, 7-25, 5 1/2f, 1:07 2/5. B-Dr. D.W. Frazier (Fl). \*\$30,000 2yo '96 OBSMAR.

**Molly's Prospector, f, 2, Native Prospector--Spell Victory**, by Dance Spell. DMR, 7-25, 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Jim Ford Inc (Ca). \*1/2 to What a Spell (MSW, \$387,243, by What Luck).

**Criso Como, f, 3, Debonair Roger--Alas de Oro**, by Ack. DMR, 7-25, 7f, 1:24 4/5. B-Granja Vista Del Rio (Ky). \*Paid \$143.00 to win.

**King Newt, g, 3, Distinctive Pro--Quitman (MSW, \$167,816)**, by Vice Regent. FLX, 7-25, (S), 6f, 1:13 2/5. B-Dresdan Farm (Ny).

**Sur Irish's Secret, c, 3, Irish Sur--Secret Goal (SP)**, by On to Glory. CRC, 7-25, 1 1/16m, 1:48 4/5. B-Briarwood Farm (Fl).

**Status Quo, f, 4, Strawberry Road (Aus)--Princess Verna**, by Al Hattab. ELP, 7-24, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 3/5. B-John T L Jones, Jr & Robert S. Folsom (Ky). \*\$20,000 wlng '92 KEENOV; \$40,000 yrl '93 FTKJUL.

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