

SUCCESSFUL SURGERY FOR SLEW

Seattle Slew (Bold Reasoning) sailed through Saturday's spinal surgery with flying colors, according to the 28-year-old stallion's owner and syndicate manager, Mickey Taylor. "He's doing very, very well--a lot better than last time," Taylor said yesterday. "He handled everything so much better. The first time we took him in for surgery, he was like Mike Tyson. This time, it was like he'd gotten a doctoral degree in manners." Slew, who underwent the same type of surgery two years ago and recovered to get 90 mares in foal during the 2001 breeding season, had his fifth and sixth vertebrae fused using a titanium device called a Bagby Basket, which relieves compression in the spine. The operation was performed at Rood and Riddle Equine Hospital by Dr. Barrie Grant, who also performed the first procedure in April of 2000. The champion sire was moved from the surgery barn to the hospital barn less than three hours after the operation. "He is already off the fluids, his bodily functions are absolutely normal, he has no temperature," Taylor said, adding, "At times, there is immediate relief with this kind of surgery. As compressed as his spinal cord was, I know Slew felt immediate relief. I watched him all night long and I can tell things are different. He is stretching his legs and moving in ways he hasn't in some time."

Basket's Inventor Observes Surgery...

Dr. George Bagby, the orthopedic surgeon who designed the Bagby Basket for use in humans, traveled from Spokane, Washington to Lexington to observe Slew's surgery. After conferring with Dr. Grant, Bagby had made modifications to the original Basket to accommodate the softer bone structure of older horses, and it was this modified device that was used Saturday. "It's a little different type of basket--it's not in as deep, so it will fuse quicker and better," Taylor said. *The Road to Recovery, p2*

SNOW FROM COAST TO COAST

On the East Coast, it was **Snow Dance** (Forest Wildcat) taking the GIII Suwanee River H. at Gulfstream Park and out west, it was **Snow Ridge** (Tabasco Cat) winning the GII San Carlos H. Undeclared in two previous starts over the Santa Anita strip, Snow Ridge kept his perfect record at the track intact with a front-running score yesterday afternoon. The four-year-old



Snow Dance wins Suwanee River...p3 *Equi-Photo*

cruised through an opening quarter in :23.13, picked up the pace to go the half in :45.46 and, after turning back a challenge from 19-1 outsider **Alyzig** (Danzig), drove under the wire a 1 1/2-length winner as the 3-5 favorite.

"Getting that first quarter in :23 was a big help," jockey Mike Smith said. "After that, he was relaxing so much it was good that [Alyzig] came to him. Then he was able to get running back on his mind." Snow Ridge won five races last year, including the GII Kentucky Cup Sprint vs. fellow sophomores, but could do no better than fifth in his three tries against older sprinters, including his 2001 finale, the Dec. 15 GIII Gravesend H. at Aqueduct. But the Overbrook colorbearer came out running in 2002, winning the Jan. 1 GIII El Conejo H. and handing champion Squirtle Squirt a four-length defeat in the Jan. 27 GII Palos Verdes H. He earned his first Grade I score in the San Carlos. "Winning his first Grade I was important," trainer D. Wayne Lukas said. "I think he is a quality horse, but all these quality horses need to get that on their resumes, especially if they're stud horses." Lukas added that the chestnut colt might be asked to stretch his speed beyond six furlongs in the future. "What I liked about him today was the way he relaxed through the first half mile," he said. "It may give us a dimension to maybe get something like the Met Mile...I don't think he has to be looked at as a six-furlong horse."

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Slew's Surgery, cont.
The Road to Recovery...

It is expected to take Slew from six to eight weeks to recover from the surgery. "The biggest thing now is to keep him nice and quiet and get the basket set," Mickey Taylor said. "I think we are going to have our hands full. Last time, he was a lot more tired after the surgery. This time, he is stronger and I don't think he'll be as tired." Taylor looks to Slew's groom of 21 years, Tom Wade, to keep the Triple Crown winner from overdoing it. "The most important person in the Thoroughbred breeding industry for the next 30 days will be Tom Wade," he said. "I can control Slew a little bit, but he really respects Tom." Taylor believes that Slew will be back at Three Chimneys soon. "Last time, we were at Rood and Riddle for eight days after the surgery, but I doubt it will take that long this time. Last time, he told us when it was time to leave the hospital, and I'm sure he'll let us know again." As for his future at stud, Taylor said, "The main thing is to get his neck healed, and then he'll tell us what he wants to do. But he is a remarkable horse--he writes his own book. I learned a long time ago to never, ever be surprised by what he can do."

DEHERE BACK TO SOUTHERN HEMISPHERE

Dehere (Deputy Minister--Sister Dot, by Secretariat), who stood the Southern Hemisphere breeding season at Coolmore Australia from 1995 through 1999, will stand at Arrowfield Stud for 2002. The 11-year-old stallion, champion juvenile of 1993, skipped the trip to Australia the last two years after being sold to the Japanese Bloodhorse Breeders' Association. He has sired more than 30 stakes winners and the earners of more than \$16 million in the Northern Hemisphere. His 12 Southern Hemisphere Group winners include the filly Belle Du Jour (Aus), who captured the G1 Golden Slipper S. in 2000. "Dehere has established himself here by getting a host of fast, early maturing horses that are well-suited to our racing environment," Arrowfield Chairman John Messara said. "He is a proven stallion whose yearlings are appreciated by trainers and we feel that he will be an excellent addition to the Arrowfield stallion roster." He added, "It is hoped that, through Dehere's shuttling, the amicable cooperative between Australian and Japanese breeders will be further reinforced." Dehere, who last stood in Australia for A\$25,000, commands a fee equivalent to A\$40,000 in Japan. His Arrowfield stud fee has not yet been determined.

☆ RESULTS ☆

Sunday, Santa Anita

SAN CARLOS H.-GI, \$150,000, SAX, 3-3, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:22, ft.

1--▲**SNOW RIDGE, 118, c, 4, by Tabasco Cat**
1st Dam: Snow Forest (GSP-GB, SP-US), by Woodman
2nd Dam: Ice Fantasy, by It's Freezing
3rd Dam: Donna's Answer, by Nasco
 (\$420,000 yrl '99 KEESEP). O-Overbrook Farm; B-Mt Brilliant Farm LLC (KY); T-D Wayne Lukas; J-M E Smith; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 18-9-3-1, \$557,699.

2--**Alyzig, 112, h, 5, Danzig--Touch of Love, by Alydar.** O-Taub Steve; B-Wertheimer & Frere (KY); \$30,000.

3--**Grey Memo, 114, h, 5, Memo (Chi)--B. Mozelle, by Snow Chief.** O-Manzani, Ridgeley Farm & Sarno; B-Ridgeley Farm (CA); \$18,000.

Margins: 1HF, 1, HD. Odds: 0.60, 19.30, 12.90.

Also Ran: Stormy Jack, Ceeband, Hasty Kris.

Scratched: Aldebaran.

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FOALING NEWS

FLOWING, 14, El Gran Senor--Flo Russell (Round Table)
 Foal born 2-24, a colt by Two Punch.

Mare will be retired this year.

Owned by/boarded at Brushwood Stable, PA.

Accomplishments: Hwt Older Mare-Ire at 5-7f, MGSW-Ire, GSP-Ity, \$113,638.

JOLYPHA, 13, Lyphard--Navajo Princess (Drone)
 Foal born 2-28, a colt by Chester House.

Will be bred back to Aptitude.

Owned by/boarded at Juddmonte Farms, KY.

Accomplishments: Hwt 3yo-Fr at 9 1/2-11f, GISW-US, MG1SW-Fr, \$973,226.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races. Purses for Canadian races are in Canadian dollars.

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Sunday, Fair Grounds

NEW ORLEANS H.-GII, \$500,000, FGX, 3-3, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:50 2/5, gd.

1--**@PARADE LEADER**, 115, h, 5, by [Kingmambo](#)

1st Dam: **Battle Creek Girl (SP)**, by His Majesty

2nd Dam: **Far Beyond**, by Nijinsky II

3rd Dam: **Soaring**, by Swaps

O-William S Farish & E J Hudson Jr; B-W S Farish & E J Hudson, Jr Irrevocable Trust (KY); T-Neil J Howard; J-C J Lanerie; \$300,000. Lifetime Record: 26-7-2-4, \$582,504. * 1/2 to Tricky Creek (Clever Trick), MGSW & GISP, \$873,288; Wavering Girl (Wavering Monarch), Ch. 2yo Filly-Can, MSW & GSP, \$314,084; Speed Dialer (Phone Trick), GSW, \$384,601; Swiss Asset (Private Account), MSP, \$331,022; and Everhope (Danzig), SW & MGSP, \$310,233; and full to Parade Ground, MGSW & GISP, \$794,995.

2--**Graeme Hall**, 116, h, 5, Dehere--Win Crafty Lady, by Crafty Prospector. (\$200,000 yrl '98 KEESEP).

O-Melnyk Eugene & Laura; B-Sabine Stables (KY); \$100,000.

3--**Keats**, 113, c, 4, Hennessy--Alaska Queen, by Time for a Change. (\$280,000 yrl '99 FTKJUL). O-Pabst Henry E; B-Group One & J Mamakos (KY); \$55,000. Margins: 5 1/4, 1, 4. Odds: 10.90, 1.90, 20.00.

Also Ran: Oak Hall, Fight for Ally, Kiss a Native, Lord Jim (Arg), Valhol, San Pedro.

Looking to add his name to the list of three previous graded winners from his prolific dam, Parade Leader swept from last to first to win with authority. The bay had picked up an allowance score over this track Dec. 23 before finishing a troubled fourth in the Jan. 20 Diplomat Way H. in his seasonal debut. Let go at 16-1 in the Whirlaway S. last time out Feb. 10, he finished well to be second, but was given little more chance despite the extra sixteenth of a mile this time. Allowed to trail the field through the opening half, the homebred horse closed along the inside on the far turn, then angled outside and really kicked it into gear, driving past front-running Keats inside the eighth pole and opening it up for an impressive triumph. "You wouldn't think a sixteenth of a mile makes that much difference, but it does," trainer Neil Howard said. "It played out perfectly for us today. He gets a little far back, but we hoped the mile and an eighth would aid that a little bit. Even when I was running him on the grass, every time he ran a mile and an eighth he ran decent."

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Sunday, Gulfstream Park

SUWANEE RIVER H.-GIII, \$100,000, GPX, 3-3, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:49, fm.

1--**SNOW DANCE**, 119, f, 4, by Forest Wildcat

1st Dam: **Northern Pageant**, by Spectacular Bid

2nd Dam: **Northern Sea**, by Northern Dancer

3rd Dam: **Sea Saga**, by *Sea-Bird

(\$107,000 wIng '98 KEENOV; \$220,000 yrl '99 FTSAUG). O-John C Oxley; B-Aspiration Stable (KY); T-John T Ward Jr; J-P Day; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 12-7-2-2, \$516,400.

2--**Step With Style**, 114, m, 5, Gulch--Looking Brill (GB), by Sadler's Wells. O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd (KY); \$20,000.

3--**Windsong**, 113, m, 5, Unbridled--Falconese, by Imperial Falcon. O-R S Evans; B-Lucy G Bassett (KY); \$11,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1, 1HF. Odds: 0.50, 6.20, 8.80.

Also Ran: Tap Dance, Salty You, Delirio. Scratched: Golden Antigua, Sound of the West.

The ultra-consistent Snow Dance picked up her fourth graded-stakes victory with this game effort. On the board in every start but her first, the gray filly won four in a row last summer, including the GII Lake Placid H. at Saratoga and the GIII Pucker Up S. at Arlington Park. She acted up in the gate prior to the Oct. 13 GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup at Keeneland and had to settle for third after setting the pace, but bounced back to end the year with a win in the GII Mrs. Revere H. at Churchill Downs Nov. 17. Snow Dance made her four-year-old debut in the GIII De La Rose H., finishing second by a nose, and was odds-on to get back to the winner's circle here. The crowd favorite sat a stalking third while racing wide, drove to the lead as they raced down the stretch and was all out to hold off the late charge of a troubled Step With Style, giving trainer John Ward Jr. and sire Forest Wildcat their second graded-stakes winner at Gulfstream this weekend. "She seemed to be fighting the grass course just a little bit coming off the turn, but when I asked her she responded nicely and got the job done," jockey Pat Day said. There might have been an explanation for the filly's trouble with the going. "I think she might have blown a shoe in the running of today's race, but she's a real trooper and gutted it out," said Donna Ward, John's wife and assistant. As for what's next, she added, "I think she can go farther--we might run her in the Orchid H. [GII, 1 1/2 miles, Mar. 24]."

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WINTER WEATHER KOS MIDWEST TRACKS

Sunday's racing was called off at Oaklawn Park in Arkansas, Sportsman's Park in Illinois and Turfway Park in Kentucky due to frozen tracks and frigid temperatures. Crews worked round the clock to try and get the Oaklawn surface in shape for yesterday's card, but to no avail. "The track had already frozen by midnight," Oaklawn General Manager Eric Jackson said. "And, in spite of all-night efforts by our track crew, we were unable to keep it from freezing to a depth of at least two inches around the entire track. By 10 o'clock this morning, the temperature was still below 20 degrees and a pretty stiff northerly breeze kept any thawing from taking place." Oaklawn, dark Monday and Tuesday, plans to be back in action Wednesday. Turfway, which has lost all or part of five programs this season, also resumes Wednesday, while Sportsman's is expected to hold live racing this afternoon, with first post scheduled for 1:10 p.m.

☆ **GULFSTREAM** ☆

Yesterday's Results:

4th-GPX, \$34,000, Alw, 3yo, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft. DEER LAKE (c, 3, Meadowlake--Dorothy Dear, by Foolish Pleasure), a maiden winner at Calder last summer, came into this one off a six-month vacation. The \$100,000 KEESEP yearling was kept just off the pace early, bid three wide entering the stretch, then opened up under a drive to win by two over favorite City Sharpster (Carson City) at odds of 7-1. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$35,185. O-Amerman Racing Stables. B-Gulf Coast Farms Bloodstock LP (KY). T-Paul J McGee.

6th-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft. + SIXTYONE MARGAUX (f, 3, Cozzene--West Sider, by Gone West), a \$160,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$375,000 KEEAPR juvenile, was sent off the 5-2 second choice in her career opener. The chestnut sped right to the lead and never looked back, winning by a dominant 8 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,200. O-Mike G Rutherford. B-Palides Investments N.V., Inc. (KY). T-William I Mott.

3rd-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. FOUR PENNIES (f, 3, Gulch--Midnight Polka, by Danzig) finished second in her bow last May at Calder, then was off for nine months before a Gulfstream appearance Feb. 3 that saw her tiring to fourth. Adding Lasix in this one, the 5-2 shot pressed the pace early, was forced to swing four wide on the far turn, then collared the leader Lightning Speed (Two Punch) before wearing her down in the stretch run to win by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$24,410. O-Kinsman Stable. B-Kinsman Farm (FL). T-Emanuel Tortora.

2nd-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44, ft. BLUEFORMER (c, 3, Dynaformer--Tangled Up in Blue, by Phone Trick), a half brother to the ill-fated Exogenous (Unbridled), MGISW, \$945,560, had been second in all three career starts coming into this one. Last time out Feb. 2, he missed by 3 3/4 lengths as the runner-up behind Straight Gin, who came back to take an allowance test Saturday. The \$42,000 FTKOCT yearling, in front down the backside and around the far turn, was challenged by Bag of Mischief (Devil's Bag) on the inside as they turned for home. After being headed briefly, the even-money favorite fought back gamely and drew off in deep stretch to win by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-1-3-0, \$35,125. O/B-Centaur Farms Inc (KY). T-Randy Schulhofer.

☆ **NEW YORK** ☆

Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$52,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 4/5, my. 1--LA GALERIE (ARG), 118, m, 6, Southern Halo--Aquarelle (Arg) (SW & GSP-Arg), by Logical. O-Cobra Farm & Clay Robert; B-La Quebrada (ARG); T-John C Kimmel. Lifetime Record: Ch. 2yo Filly-Arg, G1SW-Arg, SP-US, 14-7-1-1, \$199,222. *Full to Gouache (Arg), G1SW-Arg; and 1/2 to Apeles (Arg) (Senor Pete), G1SW-Arg.
2--Maddie May, 117, m, 5, Not for Love--Lady By Design, by Fast Play.
3--Folly Dollar, 120, m, 5, Digression--Real Precious, by Torsion.
 Margins: 3, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 0.65, 3.50, 12.50.
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AQU-8th, cont.

La Galerie, a Group 1 winner in her native country back in April of 1999, has been racing stateside since the beginning of her 2000 campaign. Unable to hit the board in her three graded-stakes tries in the U.S., the bay has been successful vs. softer foes, winning three of five previous attempts in allowance company, including a 9 3/4-length score over this track and distance last time out Jan. 17. Odds-on to make it two-for-two on the year, the South American import went right to the front, set fast fractions and had six lengths on the field as they came down the stretch. She was taken in hand late to win as much the best.

5th-AQU, \$46,000, Alw, 3yo, 1m, 1:38 3/5, my.

HEIR D' TWINE (c, 3, Twining--Heir d' Mint, by Sovereign Dancer), a half brother to Chasseresse (Jade Hunter), SW, \$153,390, hadn't won since beating \$35,000 maiden claimers last November. Coming off a third-place finish in allowance company, he seemed to be up against a tough task here facing heavily favored Smoked Em (Smoke Glacken), who was awarded second in the Whirlaway S. at Aqueduct Feb. 9. But, after being reserved in third early, the 4-1 shot moved three wide approaching the stretch and overtook the tiring favorite under a drive, then outfinished a fast-closing Rum Splasher (Bucksplasher) to win by a length. Smoked Em held for third. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, \$47,180.

O-Joseph F Graffeo. B-Mr & Mrs Leverett S Miller (FL). T-Stephen L Dimauro.

7th-AQU, \$43,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11 4/5, my.

ELECTRA Q SHUN (h, 5, Anjiz--Bai Shun, by Fappiano) had put together three straight second-place efforts at this level, most recently returning from a seven-week break to miss by a head Feb. 18. The 2-1 second choice to get the job done this time, the dark bay closed from sixth to catch pacesetting favorite Strike The Brass (Dixie Brass) in the final strides for a head victory. Lifetime Record: 28-5-5-2, \$181,020.

O/B-Sun Mar Stables, Inc (NY). T-Frank Labocchetta Jr.

6th-AQU, \$41,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:10 2/5, my.

TRUE DIRECTION (c, 3, French Deputy--Ms Paragon, by Tank's Prospect) was overlooked at 26-1 in his Feb. 3 debut and finished an even fourth. Bet down to 3-1 in his second start, the 1/2 to Williamthenchanted (Williamstown), GSP, \$184,060, took to the muddy going like a fish to water, going right to the front and extending his advantage at every pole before splashing across the finish line 12 lengths in front. The winner was an \$85,000 KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$27,060.

O-Binn Morton & Marisol. B-Beclawat Stable (ON). T-Louis N Meittinis.

☆ MIDWEST ☆

Yesterday's Results:

10th-FGX, \$30,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 8.5fT, 1:48 4/5, yl.

FULL OF WONDER (c, 4, Mr. Prospector--Classy 'n Smart {Ch. 3yo filly-Can, MSW, \$303,222}, by Smarten) notched the place spot in his second start last March before being sidelined for 10 months. He returned Jan. 26 for his first go on the turf, breaking his maiden by a length as the favorite. Bettors again tapped him as the choice in this one at odds of 6-5, money well wagered as the impeccably bred brown colt raced well off the pace before mounting a bid on the far turn. He found daylight between horses as they approached the eighth pole and accelerated away from the rest in an easy three-length score. The winner's a full brother to Smart Strike, GISW, \$337,376; and Strike Smartly, MGSP, \$237,016; and a half to Secret 'n Classy (Secretariat), MSP, \$183,104; and Dance Smartly (Danzig), Horse of the Year & Ch. 2yo Filly & 3yo Filly-Can, Ch. 3yo Filly-US, GISW, \$3,263,835. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$42,500.

O/B-Sam-Son Farms (ON). T-Mark Frostad.

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☆ EAST ☆

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-MNR, \$21,700, Msw, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:42 4/5, my.
APANASAN (f, 3, Unbridled--Harmony and Peace, by Half a Year), a \$115,000 KEENOV weanling and a \$19,000 FTKFEB horse of racing age, had tried the turf in her first two starts without success, most recently finishing a distant eighth at the Fair Grounds Feb. 2. Trying the main track for the first time after a trip to West Virginia, the bay closed from fifth to take over in the stretch and drew clear late to break her maiden by 3 1/4 lengths as the 3-1 second choice. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$12,586.
 O/T-Dale Baird. B-Bobby McIntyre (KY).

☆ SO. CALIFORNIA ☆

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-SAX, \$51,200, Alw, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.
BINGO CARD (c, 4, Devil's Bag--Bingo Party, by Nijinsky II), a maiden winner going a mile three starts back, tired trying a mile and a sixteenth Jan. 27 and finished seventh. Back in a sprint last time out, the chestnut rallied to be second and was the 3-1 second choice off that performance. Rated on the outside down the backstretch, he took an inside path while closing ground around the far turn, switched back to the outside down the lane and just got up to beat American Pastime (Twining) by a head. Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-0, \$83,600.
 O-Golden Eagle Farm. B-Mr & Mrs John C Mabee (KY). T-Bill Spawr.

9th-SAX, \$48,000, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:43 2/5, ft.
TRACEMARK (c, 3, Conquistador Cielo--Juta's Fame, by Danzig), a \$65,000 KEESEP yearling, raced against some tough company last season, finishing fourth to Came Home in the Gill Hollywood Juvenile Championship in July, third behind Siphonic in a maiden event in August and fifth to Essence Of Dubai in the Gill Norfolk S. in October. He ended the year with a fourth-place effort in a Hollywood maiden sprint Dec. 15. The dark bay tried the turf in his 2002 opener and was third, beaten only a neck in that Feb. 2 test. Trying two turns on the main track in his second start of the campaign, the Triple Crown nominee pressed the pace through the opening fractions, stuck his head in front after six furlongs and pulled away down the lane to win by 4 1/2 lengths at 7-1 odds. Lifetime Record: SP, 11-1-2-2, \$80,544.
 O-Edward T McGrath. B-Russell S. Davis (KY). T-Craig Dollase.

4th-SAX, \$46,828, Msw, 4yo/up, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 2/5, fm.
SOLITARIO (c, 4, Phone Trick--Blue Aimable {SP}, by Hagley), a \$65,000 FTKJUL yearling and a \$150,000 KEEAPR two-year-old, raced to fourth-place finishes in both of his career starts last summer at Hollywood before being given a lengthy vacation. Making his 2002 bow here, he tried the turf for the first time, racing greenly, but notching his first win. The 6-1 shot jumped at the start, raced wide as they came down the hill and crossed the main track, then grabbed the lead as the field turned for home. Jockey Pat Valenzuela kept his mount to task as the brown colt began to drift in during the stretch drive and he went on to win by 1 1/4 lengths. A stewards' inquiry regarding the winner revealed no fault. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$32,820.
 O-J F Zolezzi. B-Margaret Combs (NJ). T-T Pinfield.

Big 'Cap Sets Record:

Saturday's GI Santa Anita H. program reeled in a total of \$25,220,359 in handle, surpassing the previous high of \$24,601,742 for a Big 'Cap card set in 2000. The 2002 Big 'Cap day handle is the third highest in Santa Anita history, with only the 1993 Breeders' Cup and the 2000 GI Santa Anita Derby cards generating more betting. A total of 30,411 turned out for Saturday's races, with another 19,569 registered at satellite facilities. Total handle from all sources for the 11-race card stood at \$25,220,359.

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Zucker Charts Future For Crafty C.T.:

Crafty C.T. (Crafty Prospector), a four-length winner in an optional-claiming event on the GI Santa Anita H. undercard Saturday, came out of the race in good order, fueling his connection's desire to stretch the four-year-old out to longer distances in the upcoming months. "For breeding purposes, [the GI Metropolitan Mile] is the race you want to win," said trainer Howard Zucker. For his colt's next start, Zucker mentioned the 6 1/2-furlong GII Portrero Grande Breeders' Cup Mar. 30 as the most likely option.

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Yesterday's Results:

2nd-GGX, \$28,000, Msw, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:37 1/5, fm. TIPTRONIC (c, 4, Rahy-Love You By Heart {MGSW & MGISP, \$612,630}, by Nijinsky II), a \$110,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$150,000 BESMAR two-year-old, hadn't displayed much in three prior starts and, in fact, brought up the rear in his previous outing Feb. 13 after getting away last. The well-bred half brother to Makethemostofit (Easy Goer), SW, \$155,044, got a better start in this one and took advantage of a rail trip throughout before advancing in the stretch through a hole on the inside. The 14-1 longshot showed heart when challenged by Taramot (Ghazi), repelling that foe to prevail by a neck. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$15,400. O-Ross S Gilbert. B-Phillips Racing Partnership (KY). T-John Shirreffs.

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 **FOALING NEWS**

BUFFALO BERRY (IRE), 5, Sri Pekan--Palm Dove (Storm Bird)

Foal born 2-15, a colt by War Chant. Will be bred back to Fusaichi Pegasus. Owned by Edmund J. Loder. Boarded at Mill Ridge Farm, KY. Accomplishments: GSW-US, SW & G1SP-Ire, \$144,075.

DEPUTY SUE, 7, Silver Deputy--Lotareason (Hail To Reason)

Foal born 2-15, a filly by Coronado's Quest. Will be bred back to Giant's Causeway. Owned by John D. Gunther. Boarded at Glenwood Farm, Inc., KY. Accomplishments: MSW, \$231,226.

EVIL'S PIC, 12, Piccolino--Evil's Sister (Medieval Man)

Foal born 2-15, a colt by Deputy Minister. Will be bred back to Giant's Causeway. Owned by ClassicStar LLC. Boarded at Taylor Made Farm, KY. Accomplishments: GSW, \$437,826.

CARO'S BEAUTY, 12, Caro (Ire)--Slick Spot (Icecapade)

Foal born 2-16, a filly by Proudest Romeo. Will be bred back to Proudest Romeo. Owned by Drs. KK & Vilasini Jayaraman. Boarded at Tiffany Farms, FL. Accomplishments: Dam of Royal Spy (Peteski), MSW & GSP, \$325,255.

DAIJIN, 10, Deputy Minister--Passing Mood (Buckpasser)

Foal born 2-16, a filly by Seeking the Gold. Will be bred back to Saint Ballado. Owned by/boarded at Hill 'n' Dale Farms, KY. Accomplishments: MSW & GISP, \$164,044.

SELECT A SONG, 18, Messenger of Song--Selection (T.V. Lark)

Foal born 2-16, a colt by King of Kings (Ire). Will be bred back to Cozzene. Owned by George Krikorian. Boarded at Hill 'n' Dale Farm, KY. Accomplishments: Dam of Box Office Girl (Corwyn Bay {Ire}), GSP, \$196,275.


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STAKES RESULTS:

DIXIE POKER ACE H., \$75,000, FGX, 3-3, (S), 4yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:35 3/5, .

1--**COACH RAGS, 119, h, 6, Sky Classic--Blueyesnlonglegs (SW, \$120,356), by Yesterdays Hero.** O/B-Vickie Krantz (LA); T-Gary Palmisano; J-R J Albarado; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 23-7-4-5, \$316,586.

2--**Pink Duck, 110, c, 4, Mr. Brilliant--Miss Caracolero,** by Caracolero. \$15,000.

3--**Doctor Mike, 115, h, 5, Autocracy--Run Prissy Run,** by Bayou Hebert. \$8,250.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 0.90, 12.80, 3.90A.

SPINDLETOP S., \$30,000, HOU, 3-2, (S), 3yo, 7f, 1:26 1/5, ft.

1--**#FAXAMILLION, 117, c, 3, Islefaxyou--Celtic Harp, by Bold Ruckus.** O/B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stables (TX); T-Steven M Asmussen; J-C T Lambert; \$18,000. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$51,861. *1st stakes winner for third-crop sire (by Storm Bird).

2--**Kristys Excellent, 117, c, 3, Naevus--Kristy's Exceller,** by Exceller. \$6,000.

3--**Waggaman Road, 117, c, 3, Reign Road--Pleasure Kitten,** by Honest Pleasure. \$3,300.

Margins: 2, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 11.00, 8.40, 25.80.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-AQU, \$46,000, (S), 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, my.

GUNNING (h, 7, Kinnett--Knickers and Jeans, by Prove Out) Lifetime Record: 26-3-4-5, \$126,060. O-Anthony Calabrese. B-Sue L Fackler (NY). T-Edward R Barker.

9th-GPX, \$34,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft. CHARMING MELODY (f, 4, Thunder Gulch--Recital, by Danzig) Lifetime Record: 17-3-2-3, \$130,299. O-John Atto. B-Walter Zent, Tony Holmes, Robbie Lyons & Garrett O'Rourke (KY). T-Alex McPherson.

7th-LRL, \$26,000, 3yo, 6f, 1:11 1/5, gd. MEDIEVAL TRICK (c, 3, Clever Trick--Medieval Princess, by Medieval Man) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$31,130. O/B-C.T.H. Partnership (MD). T-Dale Capuano.

8th-LRL, \$26,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:52 3/5, gd. CAPOTE SUN (h, 5, Capote--Keep Happy {SP}, by Key to the Mint) Lifetime Record: SP, 23-4-3-5, \$112,040. O-P T K Racing Ltd. B-Marvin Little Jr, James Iselin & Ron McKee (KY). T-Allen A Ferris III.

6th-MNR, \$25,000, 3-3, 3yo/up, 5f, :58 1/5, sy. NICO STONE (c, 4, Dr. Adagio--Trimline, by Caller I. D.) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$25,090. O-Mark Glatt. B-Hart Farm Inc (FL). T-Wayne McDonnell.

8th-PHA, \$22,000, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 4/5, sy. LOOPHOLE (c, 4, Petionville--Too Charming, by Capote) Lifetime Record: 22-7-7-4, \$99,440. O-Edith M Lombardi. B-Everest Stables, Inc. (KY). T-J S McCaslin.

4th-CTX, \$20,000, 3-3, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:26 4/5, sy. PEPPY'S PRESENT (g, 6, Corridor Key--Run Tan Tan, by Run Dusty Run) Lifetime Record: 43-13-4-5, \$180,362. O-Triple B Racing Stable. B-Smith Farm & Stable (NJ). T-Robert C Armstrong.

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	(Foreign foaled), Year, Sire, Where Stands			(Chief Earner, Earnings)	
1	MARIA'S MON (93, Wavering Monarch), Pin Oak Stud, KY	\$35,000	46/12	0/0	(Our Main Man, \$46,332) \$347,698
2	PEAKS AND VALLEYS (92, Mt. Livermore), Pin Oak Stud, KY	\$10,000	55/13	0/0	(Chamrousse, \$35,700) \$335,686
3	AFTERNOON DEELITES (92, Private Terms), Airdrie Stud, KY	\$10,000	49/13	2/2	(True Phenomenon, \$41,002) \$326,810
4	IDE (93, Forty Niner), Longfield Farm, KY	\$7,500	48/ 16	1/1	(Ideveter, \$50,750) \$313,088
5	JUDGE T C (91, Judge Smells), Reigle Heir Farms, PA	\$2,500	58/ 9	1/1	(Truly a Judge, \$66,600) \$298,199
6	FOREST WILDCAT (91, Storm Cat), Brookdale Farm, KY	\$40,000M	40/ 7	1/1	(Luke Hill, \$29,110) \$294,891
7	HENNESSY (93, Storm Cat), Ashford Stud, KY	\$45,000	55/ 9	1/1	(Orchard Park, \$30,400) \$294,819
8	UNBRIDLED'S SONG (93, Unbridled), Taylor Made Farm, KY	\$75,000	30/ 9	0/0	(Even the Score, \$36,660) \$276,622

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MAIDEN WINNERS:

Aaron Avenue, f, 3, **Avenue of Flags**--Proper Upbringing, by Proper Reality. SAX, 3-3, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:17 1/5. B-John H Deeter (Ca).

Tracemark, c, 3, **Conquistador Cielo**--Juta's Fame, by Danzig. SAX, 3-3, 1 1/16m, 1:43 2/5. B-Russell S Davis (Ky). *\$65,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **SP.

+ **Sixtyone Margaux**, f, 3, **Cozzene**--West Sider, by Gone West. GPX, 3-3, 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Palides Investments Nv, Inc (Ky). *\$160,000 yrl '00 KEESEP; \$375,000 2yo 2001 KEEAPR.

Princess Kaylee, f, 3, **Devious Course**--Princess Prevel (SP), by Fort Prevel. HOU, 3-2, (S), 6f, 1:14 3/5. B-Clay Savoy (Tx).

Blueformer, c, 3, **Dynaformer**--Tangled Up in Blue, by Phone Trick. GPX, 3-3, 1 1/16m, 1:44. B-Centaur Farms Inc (Ky). *\$42,000 yrl '00 FTKOCT. **1/2 to Exogenous (Unbridled), MGISW, \$945,560.

+ **Excavatress**, f, 3, **Excavate**--Please Milly, by Spend a Buck. DED, 3-2, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:21 2/5. B-J Adcock (La). *Won by seven lengths.

Quick Corsage, f, 3, **Formal Dinner**--Orange Orchid, by Regal Search. TAM, 3-3, 7f, 1:26 4/5. B-William Killeen (Fl).

True Direction, c, 3, **French Deputy**--Ms Paragon, by Tank's Prospect. AQU, 3-3, 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Beclawat Stable (Ont-C). *\$85,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **1/2 to Williamthenchanted (Williamstown), GSP, \$184,060.

Four Pennies, f, 3, **Gulch**--Midnight Polka, by Danzig. GPX, 3-3, 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-Kinsman Farm (Fl).

+ **Highly Tempting**, g, 3, **High Brite**--Sea Tempest, by Storm Cat. SAX, 3-2, (S), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-Harris Farms Inc (Ca).

Suave Princess, f, 3, **Suave Prospect**--Tulsa Bengé, by Pirate's Bounty. GPX, 3-3, (C), a1m70yd, 1:46 1/5. B-Farnsworth Farms (Fl). *\$20,000 2yo '01 OBSJUN.

Apanasan, f, 3, **Unbridled**--Harmony and Peace, by Half a Year. MNR, 3-3, 1m, 1:42 4/5. B-Bobby McIntyre (Ky). *\$115,000 wlng '99 KEENOV; \$19,000 HRA 2002 FTKFEB.

Jam Down Queen, f, 3, **Wolf Power (SAf)**--Classic Battle, by Seattle Battle. AQU, 3-3, (C), 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-Will Kari (Ky). *\$2,800 yrl '00 TEXAUG.

Solitario, c, 4, **Phone Trick**--Blue Aimable (SP), by Hagley. SAX, 3-3, a6 1/2fT, 1:13 2/5. B-Margaret Combs (NJ). *\$65,000 yrl '99 FTKJUL; \$150,000 2yo '00 KEEAPR.

Tiptronic, c, 4, **Rahy**--Love You By Heart (MGSW & MGISP, \$612,630) by Nijinsky II. GGX, 3-3, 1mT, 1:37 1/5. B-Phillips Racing Partnership (Ky). *\$110,000 yrl '99 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo '00 BESMAR. **1/2 to Makethemostofit (Easy Goer), SW, \$155,044.

Gebb's Glory, f, 4, **Williamstown**--Cidelsia, by Honest Pleasure. AQU, 3-3, (S), 6f, 1:13 3/5. B-Bicycle Stables (NY).

Texas Miss, m, 5, **To Freedom**--Golden Attitude, by Police Dust. HOU, 3-2, (S), 6f, 1:16 2/5. B-Billy Moore (Tx).

 **SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

Progeny to watch: Wednesday, Jan. 2

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

Chequer (Mr. Prospector), McMahon, \$8K, 90/10/0
4-SPT, Msw, 6f, Lacer, 30-1

Gerl (Theatrical {Ire}), Hill "n" Dale, \$20K, 101/4/1
9-FG, Alw, 1m, Dekalb, \$28K TEX MAR 2yo, 8-1

Jules (Forty Niner), Bridlewood, \$5K, 205/11/2
4-SPT, Msw, 6f, +Blue Voyage, \$5K KEE JAN yrl, 6-1

Marlin (Sword Dance (IRE)), Turkey, \$10K, 200/7/0
10-FG, Msw, 1mT, Gulf Wind, \$65K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

Sandpit (Brz) (Baynoun {Ire}), Vinery, \$5K, 222/11/1
10-FG, Msw, 1mT, Pleasure Pit, \$22K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2

 **FOALING NEWS**

BEYROUTH, 10, **Alleged**--Lightning Fire (GB) (Kris {GB})
Foal born 2-18, a colt by Theatrical (Ire).
Will be bred back to Saint Ballado.
Owned by George Strawbridge.
Boarded at Derry Meeting Farm, PA.
Accomplishments: GSW-US & SP-Fr, \$220,183.

COPELAN'S JOY, 13, **Copelan**--Perfect Joy (Crozier)
Foal born 2-19, a colt by Tomorrow's Cat.
Will be bred back to Mr. Greeley.
Owned by Paradiso LTD.
Boarded at Summit View, NY.
Accomplishments: MSW, \$123,268.

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FOREST WILDCAT HITS A TRIPLE

SNOW DANCE becomes his **THIRD** stakes winner of the weekend (two graded) in the **GIII SUWANEE RIVER H.**
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★ ITALY ★

GRIZZETTI ON THE MOVE?

Bruno Grizzetti, who earned his first trainers' championship (by number of winners) last season after 28 years of domination by Alduino and Guiseppe Botti, has told top Italian sports paper *Gazzetto Dello Sport* that his future plans are in the balance. Grizzetti confirmed that he has not ruled out a move to France or the United States to continue his training career. "The situation in Italy isn't great these days, with Torino racecourse due to close and the Milan training centre supposedly sold to property developers with no racing interests," said Grizzetti. "I have enjoyed a lot of success so far, and even last year too, despite missing the group race wins, but I still managed to score 18 times at Listed level. It's a bit depressing, but I may consider moving abroad to be able to train at the top level."

MILAN TRAINING CENTRE SOLD

Maurizio Ughi, President of Italy's betting shop association SNAI SPA, has confirmed the sale of Milan's San Siro training centre and track. The deal will be completed once planning permission has been approved. It is believed that the buyers are close to the Agnelli family, owners of Juventus soccer club, who recently purchased Torino Racecourse which will close July 1. There are no confirmed plans at present to build a replacement training centre in Milan.

Saturday's Late Results:

4.15 Siracusa, Premio Dei Vini (Cond), €7,650, 4yo/up, 5 1/2fT, time: n/a, gd.

CICCIO NERO (GB) (h, 5, Hamas {Ire}--Venerate {Ire}, by Ahonoora {GB}) Lifetime Record: 40 starts, 5 wins, 22 places, €23,233. O-S La Runa; B-Azienda Agricola Allevamento Del'Velino SRL; T-F Fili; J-S Gianni.

TDN Euro is:

England: Sean Cronin (*CAFE Racing*)

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Yesterday's Results:

SANDBAHN GRAND PRIX DER DEUTSCHEN

BUCHMACHER-Listed, €35,000, Neuss, 3-3, 4yo/up, 1 3/16m (sand), time: n/a, stn.

1--**#EURO FALCON (GB), 128, h, 5, Polar Falcon (USA)--Sarabah (Ire), by Ela-Mana-Mou (Ire)**. (21,000gns yrl '98 TATDEC). O-P Cnockaert; B-Al Dahlawi Stud Co Ltd; T-Christian von der Recke; J-Warren O'Connor; €20,000. Lifetime Record: 24 starts, 8 wins, 4 places, €55,227. *Full to Ice (GB), SW-Swi, \$107,147.

2--**Sapienti (Ger), 128, h, 6, Konigsstuhl (Ger)--Sapientissima (Ire), by Try My Best (USA)**. €8,000.

3--**Nastro Azzuro (Ger), 128, h, 8, Medicus (Ger)--Nadjana (Ger), by Espresso (GB)**. €4,500.

Margins: n/a. Odds: 7.40, 3.60, 5.40.

Also ran (not in order): Denaro (Ger), Zatoof (Ger), Farfarello (Ger), Windsturmer (Ger), Betsy Girl (Ger), Moltaire (Ger), New Boy (Ger), Nimba (Ger), Vivanco (Ger).

★ AUSTRALASIA ★

DON EDUARDO SET FOR AJC DERBY

Plans for **Don Eduardo (NZ)** (Zabeel {NZ}) to start in the G1 AJC Derby Mar. 30, announced some time ago, do not seem so far-fetched as the three-quarter brother to Octagonal (NZ) attempts to redeem the reputation of Australia's million-dollar babies as he continues on his path toward the classic. In the past decade many of Australasia's sale-toppers have failed to go anywhere near recouping their purchase price, but Don Eduardo, a \$NZ3.6-million purchase for Gooree Stud's Eduardo Cojuangco, could turn the tables. Certainly, trainer Lee Freedman is excited about the colt in the wake of Saturday's win in the G2 Shannons Classic. The royally-bred colt edged Royal Code (Aus) (King's Theatre {Ire}), second to Dash For Cash (Aus) (Secret Savings {USA}) in the G1 Australian Guineas Feb. 17., in a tight photo decision. "The best is still to come as he will be stronger over 2000 meters, and 2400 meters he will love," said Freedman, who plans to send Don Eduardo out next in the G1 Rosehill Guineas Mar. 16.

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GENERAL NEDIYM COLT TOPS MM PREMIER SALE

A colt by General Nediym (Aus) out of Rose County (Aus) (What a Guest {Ire}) topped the Magic Millions Premier Yearling Sale at its Bundall complex on the Gold Coast yesterday. Lot 133, from the consignment of Norwood Stud, sold to Tang Weng Fei of Malaysia for A\$90,000. Leading the fillies in this year's sale was Lot 40, a dark bay daughter of Charnwood Forest (Ire) out of multiple-stakes placed Huntington Girl (Aus) (Black Zephyr {NZ}). The juvenile filly was purchased by Norman Thomas Bazeley of Queensland for A\$75,000. Second-crop sire Lion Hunter (Aus) (Danehill {USA}), still basking in the glow of his filly Lovely Jubly's (Aus) victory in the Jupiter Magic Millions sales races earlier this year, was represented by the second-highest priced colt in the sale. Lot 24, out of Gentle Marchesa (Aus) (Purple Patch {NZ}), the dam of the aforementioned Huntington Girl, was secured by Mick Dittman for A\$70,000 from the vast Reeves consignment. Eight of the 10-year-old stallion's 13 yearlings on offer sold for an impressive average price of A\$34,875.

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Saturday at Santa Anita

8th Race, \$300,000, Frank E. Kilroe Mile H.-GII, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:34, fm.

STRATTON (IRE) (g, 5, Fairy King {USA}--Golden Bloom {Ire}, by Main Reef {GB}) trailed the field after the opening half and never improved on that position to finish last in the 11-horse field. Lifetime Record: 23-8-1-1, \$61,329.

O-Red Baron's Barn LLC. B-Tullamaine Castle Stud (Ire). T-Darrell Vienna.

★ **MAIDEN WINNERS** ★

Makedos (Ger), c, 3, Dictator's Song (USA)--Makeda (Ger), by Scenic (Ire). Neuss, Germany, 3-3, Preis der Wettannahmen Albers GmbH (Mdn), 3yo, 7 1/2f (sand), €2,600 to winner. B-Frau R & W Fasching.

Lasco Full Monthy (Ity), c, 3, Trywhite (Ire)--Home By Ten (Ire), by Dance Of Life (USA). Varese, Italy, 3-2, Premio Imarzo (Cond), 3yo, 9f 165ydsT, €4,250 to winner. B-Azienda Agricola Al Del Lasco.

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<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>
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Martell Grand National	Aintree	Apr. 4-6
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attheraces Celebration	Sandown	Apr. 26-27
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Spring meeting	Chester	May 7-9
May meeting	York	May 14-16
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Royal meeting	Ascot	June 18-21
Plate meeting	Newcastle	June 28-29
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July meeting	Newmarket	July 9-11
King George/Queen Eliz. II	Ascot	July 26-28
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