

HEADLINE NEWS

A WORLD CUP FOR THE FAR EAST?

Sakhee (Bahri) is the overwhelming favorite, but he faces a pair of tough Japanese invaders in today's \$6 million G1 Dubai World Cup at Nad Al Sheba. **Agnes Digital** (Crafty Prospector) comes into the World Cup on a five-race winning streak. The chestnut, who travels to



To The Victory in Dubai A Watkins

Dubai for the first time, ended his 2001 campaign with a head win over G1 Dubai Sheema Classic hopeful Tobougg (Ire) in the Dec. 16 G1 Hong Kong Cup at Sha Tin and came back two months later to take the Feb. 17 G1 February S. in Tokyo. The five-year-old lost some weight after a prolonged trip from Japan which included a flight delay, but he pleased trainer Toshiaki Shirai with a

sparkling gallop yesterday. The Kentucky-bred blew out down the lane, going a furlong in :12.80. He has eight wins, three seconds and a third from his 13 career starts on the dirt. Countrymate **To The Victory** (Jpn) (Sunday Silence), runner-

up to Captain Steve in this event last year, disappeared for 7 1/2 months following the effort. The bay came back with a gallant nose success in the Nov. 11 Queen Elizabeth II Commemorative Cup, but failed to fire next time, finishing 14th in the Nov. 25 G1 Japan Cup. The six-year-old mare, bidding to become the first of her sex to take World Cup honors, bounced back to be third in the Dec. 23 G1 Arima Kinen. She finished fourth, two lengths behind Agnes Digital, in the February S. last time out. "She might not be the best racehorse in the field, but she is the most powerful," trainer Yasuo Ikee said. "She enjoys the Dubai dirt surface more than any dirt track in Japan." Video from all of the World Cup Day races can be viewed at www.dubaiworldcup.com, beginning approximately one hour after the World Cup runs.

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Sakhee--by How Many?

Bookmakers Paddy Power yesterday opened a book on the margin of victory should Sakhee win today's G1 Dubai World Cup.



Sakhee at Belmont Park Horse Photos

Godolphin's five-year-old is favoured at 9-5 to win by three lengths or more, 9-4 to take the race by up to and including 1 3/4 lengths, with the margin in-between at 5-1. Paddy Power also offer 20-1 on Sakhee winning the World Cup, the G1 Prince of Wales' S. at Royal Ascot and the GI Breeders' Cup Classic this year.

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, post time: 12:40 p.m. EST

DUBAI WORLD CUP-GI, \$6,000,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/4m

SC	PP	HORSE	OWNER	TRAINER	ODDS
1	4	Agnes Digital <i>(Crafty Prospector--Chancey Squaw, by Chief's Crown)</i>	Watanabe Takao	Toshiaki	4-1
2	3	Best of the Bests (Ire) <i>(Machiavellian--Sueboog {Ire}, by Darshaan {GB})</i>	Godolphin	bin Suroor	15-1
3	5	Crimson Quest (Ire) <i>(Rainbow Quest--Bex, by Explodent)</i>	Sultan Al Kabeer	Barton	25-1
4	9	Keltos (Fr) <i>(Kendor {Fr}--Loxandra {GB}, by Last Tycoon {Ire})</i>	Tanaka & Marinopoulos	Laffon-Parias	20-1
5	1	Royal Tryst <i>(Kingmambo--In On the Secret, by Secretariat)</i>	Hamdan bin Mhmd Al Maktoum	Sadler	30-1
6	7	Sakhee <i>(Bahri--Thawakib {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells)</i>	Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum	bin Suroor	EVEN
7	10	Sei Mi (Arg) <i>(Potrillazo {Arg}--Seine {Arg}, by Logical)</i>	Sultan Al Kabeer	Barton	30-1
8	2	State Shinto <i>(Pleasant Colony--Sha Tha, by Mr. Prospector)</i>	Rashid bin Mhmd Al Maktoum	bin Suroor	12-1
9	6	Street Cry (Ire) <i>(Machiavellian--Helen Street {GB}, by Troy {GB})</i>	Godolphin	bin Suroor	6-1
10	11	Western Pride <i>(Way West {Fr}--Strongerthanpride, by Proud Birdie)</i>	Prince Faisal	Chapman	8-1
11	8	To The Victory <i>(Sunday Silence--Fairy Doll, by Nureyev)</i>	Kaneko Makoto	Ikee	10-1

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Saturday, Nad al Sheba, post time: 10:00 a.m. EST
DUBAI SHEEMA CLASSIC-G1, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up,
 2400mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	1	Boreal (Ger)	Java Gold	Schiergen
2	3	Demophilos (GB)	Dr Devious (Ire)	Perrett
3	8	Ekraar	Red Ransom	bin Suroor
4	13	Exaltation (Ire)	Rainbow Quest	bin Suroor
5	2	Helene Vitality (NZ)	Zabeel (NZ)	Hayes
6	9	Hot Secret (Jpn)	Hunting Hawk (Ire)	Goto
7	6	King's Boy (Ger)	Platini (Ger)	Barton
8	15	Lightning Arrow	Silver Hawk	Sadler
9	14	Marienbard (Ire)	Caerleon	bin Suroor
10	12	Mont Rocher (Fr)	Caerleon	Hammond
11	10	Narrative (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	bin Suroor
12	4	Nayef	Gulch	Tregoning
13	7	Sagacity (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Fabre
14	11	Tobougg (Ire)	Barathea (Ire)	bin Suroor
15	5	Tapildo (NZ)	Rhythm	Laxon

All carry 123 pounds except Tapildo, 119.

After much deliberation, Sheikh Hamdan opted to separate his pair of Sakhee and **Nayef**, with the latter going for his fifth straight victory. The half-brother to Nashwan and Unfuwain won in succession the G3 Rose of Lancaster S., the G3 Select S. and the G3 Cumberland Lodge S. before concluding his sophomore campaign with a victory in the G1 Champion S. at Newmarket Oct. 20. Home team Godolphin has a five-strong entry this year and while none of them have yet to prove as good as Fantastic Light--runner-up in last year's renewal of this race--this could be their opportunity to step up. **Tobougg** will go postward in search of his first victory since taking the G1 Dewhurst S. as a two-year-old. Third to Galileo (Ire) in the G1 Epsom Derby last June, the bay colt finished a 3/4-length second to Nayef in the G1 Champion S. and closed out 2001 with a head second to Agnes Digital in the G1 Hong Kong Cup Dec. 16. **Ekraar** captured the Listed Troy S. at Doncaster Sept. 14 over 12 furlongs before missing by a head to 2001 Sheema Classic winner Stay Gold (Jpn) in the G1 Hong Kong Vase Dec. 16.

North American Sheema Classic Odds

5-2 Nayef...**9-2** Ekraar...**6-1** Tapildo/Tobougg (f)...**8-1** Narrative & Sagacity
12-1 Boreal...**15-1** Demophilos & Exaltation...
20-1 Hot Secret & King's Boy...**25-1** Marienbard & Mont Rocher...
30-1 Helene Vitality & Lightning Arrow

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, post time: 11:10 a.m. EST
DUBAI GOLDEN SHAHEEN-G1, \$2,000,000, 3yo/up,
 1200m

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	13	Bonapaw	Sabona	Alonzo	6-1
2	7	Caller One	Phone Trick	Chapman	5-2
3	4	Conroy	Gone West	Selvaratnam	20-1
4	8	Crystal Magician (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Rudkin	30-1
5	10	Dananeyev (Fr)	Goldneyev	Laffon-Parias	30-1
6	5	Echo Eddie	Restless Con	Vienna	8-1
7	2	Men's Exclusive	Exclusive Ribot	Ward	6-1
8	1	Mutamayyaz	Nureyev	Rudkin	30-1
9	6	Broad Appeal	Broad Brush	Matsuda	10-1
10	3	Cacique Bar (Brz)	Punk (Arg)	Colombo	30-1
11	12	Misty Eyed (Ire)	Paris House (GB)	Dutfield	30-1
12	9	Xtra Heat	Dixieland Heat	Salzman Sr.	2-1
13	11	Captain Rio (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Whitaker	30-1

This race would appear on paper to represent America's best shot at victory on the World Cup program. **Caller One**, who set a track record of 1:08 2/5 in winning this event a year ago, is back to defend his title, but will not be lone speed as he was last year. The remarkable **Xtra Heat** looms the fastest of the fast and has defeated Caller One in each of their two meetings. Second in the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint and third in the GI DeFrancis Dash in her two tries against males, the bay has dominated against her peers in two starts this season and comes into this off a win in the GII Barbara Fritchie H. at Laurel Feb. 16.

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, post time: 11:50 a.m. EST
DUBAI DUTY FREE-G1, \$2,000,000, 4yo/up, 1777mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	16	Del Mar Show	Theatrical (Ire)	Mott
2	4	Divine Task	Irish River (Fr)	bin Suroor
3	11	Jim and Tonic (Fr)	Double Bed (Fr)	Doumen
4	12	No Excuse Needed (GB)	Machiavellian	Stoute
5	9	Noverre	Rahy	bin Suroor
6	10	Prolix (GB)	Kris (GB)	Albertrani
7	13	Slip Stream	Irish River (Fr)	McLaughlin
8	5	Summoner (GB)	Inchinor (GB)	bin Suroor
9	2	Superiority	Arazi	Seemar
10	6	Swiss Law (GB)	Machiavellian	Brette
11	8	Tamburlaine (Ire)	Royal Academy	Hannon
12	14	Val Royal (Fr)	Royal Academy	Canani
13	7	Zollner (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Schiergen
14	1	Golden Silca (GB)	Inchinor (GB)	Channon
15	15	Hoeberg (NZ)	Maroof	Laxon
16	3	Terre A Terre (Fr)	Kaldounevees (Fr)	Libaud

All carry 126 pounds except Golden Silca, Hoeberg and Terre A Terre, 121.

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Dubai Duty Free cont.

The lightly raced **Val Royal** capped his three-race 2002 campaign with a strong victory in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile Oct. 27. The French-bred six-year-old returned to action Mar. 2 in the GII Kilroe Mile at Santa Anita, where he finished fourth, a half-length behind the winner Decarchy. Frequent flyer **Jim and Tonic** is back to defend his title in the Dubai Duty Free, but the eight-year-old chestnut had just one win in five subsequent starts, the G3 La Coupe de Maisons-Laffitte Sept. 18. His most recent trip to Hong Kong concluded with a fifth to Agnes Digital in the G1 Hong Kong Cup Dec. 16. Disqualified from a victory in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains, **Noverre** returned to take the G1 Sussex S. over **No Excuse Needed** Aug. 1 and was shocked by pacemaker **Summoner** in the G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. Sept. 29. The blaze-faced bay ended the year with a seventh as the 4-1 favorite to Val Royal in the Breeders' Cup Mile. Shipping in from Florida is **Del Mar Show**, who returned from a six-month hiatus to take the GIII Fort Lauderdale H. despite a troubled trip Jan. 26 at Gulfstream.

North American Duty Free Odds

5-2 Val Royal...7-2 Del Mar Show...5-1 Jim and Tonic & Noverre...
 8-1 Golden Silca/Hoeberg/Terre a Terre (f)...15-1 No Excuse Needed & Summoner...20-1 Divine Task...25-1 Swiss Law...
 30-1 Prolix, Slip Stream, Superiority, Tamburlaine & Zollner

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, post time: 9:20 a.m. EST

UAE DERBY-G2, \$2,000,000, 3yo, 2000m

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	9	Fueguino (Arg)	Luhuk	A Smith	16-1
2	11	Palace Line (Aus)	Palace Music	Shaw	14-1
3	3	Passport Pride (Arg)	Hidden Prize	Albertrani	16-1
4	2	Second Reality (Arg)	Hidden Prize	Barton	8-1
5	8	Total Impact (Chi)	Stuka	de Seroux	7-2
6	4	Essence of Dubai	Pulpit	bin Suroor	9-4
7	7	Firebreak (GB)	Charnwood Forest (Ire)	bin Suroor	20-1
8	14	Henri Lebasque (Ire)	Sri Pekan	bin Suroor	20-1
9	12	Ibn al Haitham	Zafonic	bin Suroor	10-1
10	5	Janadel (Ire)	Machiavellian	bin Suroor	14-1
11	1	Leo's Luckyman	Woodman	Johnson	12-1
12	13	Moon Ballad (Ire)	Singspiel (Ire)	bin Suroor	20-1
13	6	Scottish River	Thunder Gulch	Johnson	14-1
14	10	State City	Carson City	Rudkin	16-1

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UAE Derby cont.

Palace Line, the champion South African two-year-old in 2000-01, has made a pair of victorious starts this year in Singapore, winning the Jan. 11 Singapore Guineas before adding the G3 Singapore Classic in track-record time Mar. 1. He tries the main track for the first time today, but blew out four furlongs on Thursday in :45.18 over the local dirt. Godolphin holds six of the entries in this heat and looks to build on their one-two finish a year ago with Express Tour and Street Cry (Ire). **Essence of Dubai**, winner of the GII Norfolk S. last year, finished 12th in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, but returned to action with a nose victory over **Firebreak** in the G3 UAE 2000 Guineas Feb. 28. **Total Impact**, a Group 1 winner in Chile last June 30, was second by 1/2 length in his U.S. bow Feb. 24 going a flat mile at Santa Anita and should relish the added distance here.

Saturday, Nad al Sheba, post time: 8:40 a.m. EST

GODOLPHIN MILE-G2, \$1,000,000, 4yo/up, 1600m

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	3	Blade Prospector (Brz)	Music Prospector	Avila
2	4	China Visit	Red Ransom	bin Suroor
3	14	Conflict (Fr)	Warning (GB)	Robb
4	15	Conspirator (Ire)	Machiavellian	bin Suroor
5	11	Curule	Go for Gin	bin Suroor
6	9	Ennoblement (Ire)	Halling	bin Suroor
7	13	Faberger (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Mader
8	5	Festival of Light	A.P. Indy	bin Suroor
9	6	Grey Memo	Memo (Chi)	Stute
10	7	Headhunter (Ire)	Last Tycoon (Ire)	de Crouette
11	8	Jila (Ire)	Kris (GB)	Charpy
12	16	One Won One	Naevus	Morgan
13	1	Pacino (GB)	Zafonic	Charpy
14	2	Peeping Tom	Eagle Eyed	Reynolds
15	10	Skoozi (NZ)	Prince of Praise (NZ)	Smith
16	12	Valentino (GB)	Nureyev	de Crouette
AE		Orchestrated (Aus)	Palace Music	Sadler

All carry 126 pounds.

China Visit raced in top company last year, but looks to rebound after a fourth-place finish behind World Cup candidate Best of the Bests (Ire) in Round II of the G3 Maktoum Challenge at Nad al Sheba Feb. 7. The five-year-old, winner of the G2 Prix du Rond-Point at Longchamp Oct. 6, came back eight days later to be second in the G1 Prix de la Foret. He ended the season with a third-place finish in the Dec. 16 G1 Hong Kong Mile at Sha Tin and made his 2002 debut in Round I of the Maktoum Challenge, finishing second by a nose to Skoozi.

Best of Luck to Shadwell-bred SAKHEE and NAYEF and All of the Participants in today's Dubai World Cup Races!



Saturday, Turfway Park, post time: 5:09 p.m. EST

LANE'S END SPIRAL S.-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Benny the Hawk	Benny the Dip	Marino	30-1
2	Request for Parole	Judge T C	Margolis	8-5
3	Gold Dollar	Seattle Slew	Lukas	20-1
4	Azillion (Ire)	Alzao	Hess Jr.	8-1
5	Saratoga Blues	Twining	A Dutrow	5-2
6	My Man Ryan	Mutakddim	Violette Jr.	15-1
7	Straight Gin	Go for Gin	Zito	6-1
8	Perfect Drift	Dynaformer	Johnson	3-1

WEBN Frog S. winner **Request for Parole** followed that 1 1/2-length score in his seasonal debut Feb. 2 with a nose victory over Frog runner-up **Perfect Drift** in the Mar. 2 Battaglia Memorial S. On the board in eight of his nine career starts, the dark bay ended his juvenile campaign with second-place finishes behind Harlan's Holiday in the GIII Iroquois S. and behind Repent in the GII Kentucky Jockey Club S. Undefeated **Saratoga Blues**, two-for-two at two, tried stakes company for the first time in his three-year-old bow, capturing the Feb. 9 Whirlaway S. at Aqueduct by two lengths. **Straight Gin** looks for his third straight after taking a Gulfstream allowance test Mar. 2. He makes his stakes debut.

Saturday, Gulfstream Park, post time: 4:09 p.m. EST

PAN AMERICAN H.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Cetewayo	His Majesty	Dickinson	3-1
2	Drama Critic	Theatrical (Ire)	M Hennig	8-1
3	Backatitagain	Unbridled	Bates	20-1
4	Craigsteel (GB)	Suave Dancer	Clement	6-1
5	Zafonic's Song (Fr)	Zafonic	Mott	10-1
6	Honor Glide	Honor Grades	Clement	6-1
7	Deeliteful Irving	Afternoon Deelites	Pletcher	8-1
8	Eltawaasul	Nureyev	Reynolds	12-1
9	Whata Brainstorm	Honor Grades	Picou	4-1
10	Mr. Livingston	El Prado (Ire)	Kaplan	12-1
11	Monkey Puzzle	Country Pine	DiMauro	20-1

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Pan American H. cont.

The winner of this event a year ago, **Whata Brainstorm** was sidelined for 11 months following a fourth-place effort in the GII Explosive Bid H. at the Fair Grounds last Mar. 25. A proven commodity at 12 furlongs with a record of 3-1-1-1, the dark bay finished second by a nose in a local money allowance tilt Feb. 21 going nine panels and should appreciate the added distance. The venerable **Cetewayo** was winless in an abbreviated four-race campaign last year at age seven, but kicked the new season off with a bang, registering an 18-1 upset in the GI Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup H. Feb. 16. The John Chandler homebred has had trouble in the past stringing together top efforts, but has worked solidly at Tapeta Farm since his latest effort.

Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 4:37 p.m. PST

SANTA ANA H.-GII, \$150,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Catz (Ire)	Catrail	Gallagher	30-1
2	Desiraes My Candy	Candy Stripes	Spawr	15-1
3	Astra	Theatrical (Ire)	de Seroux	5-2
4	Starine (Fr)	Mendocino	Frankel	3-1
5	Tout Charmant	Slewvescent	McAnally	7-2
6	Impeachable	Ends Well	Hansen	15-1
7	Janet (GB)	Emperor Jones	Vienna	6-1
8	So Wistfullee	Kris S.	Barba	30-1
9	Golden Apples (Ire)	Pivotal (GB)	Cecil	4-1

Six-year-old **Astra** has started only 11 times, but she has eight wins to her credit, including a perfect four-for-four slate at this distance. The bay captured the GII Santa Barbara H. and GI Beverly Hills H. in three starts last season, but has not been out since finishing ninth in the Aug. 18 GI Beverly D. S. over a boggy Arlington course. The mare was to make her comeback in the Feb. 18 GII Buena Vista H., but had to be scratched after developing a skin condition. "It was a staph infection," trainer Laura de Seoux said. "We...zeroed in on it and antibiotics cleared it up in five days." **Starine** also makes her 2002 debut. The Bobby Frankel trainee captured the GII Diana H. at Saratoga and added a win in the GI Matriarch S. in her most recent effort Nov. 25. She is three-for-four at a mile and an eighth.

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Saturday, Oaklawn Park, post time: 5:29 p.m. CST

REBEL S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Ocean Sound (Ire)	Mujadil	Cassidy	112
2	Cash in Hand	Valid Wager	Barnett	114
3	Interminable Gold	Gilded Time	Asmussen	114
4	Contested	Prenup	Hartlage	112
5	Jeremiah Jack	Patton	Amoss	119
6	Windward Passage	Captain Bodgit	Asmussen	112
7	Dusty Spike	Harriman	Lee	114
8	Missme	Belong To Me	Whiting	112

Jeremiah Jack, a five-length winner of the Sam Houston Texan Juvenile S. Dec. 1, is making his first start since finishing fourth, beaten two lengths to GII Louisiana Derby runner-up Easyfromthegitgo in the Jan. 26 Lecomte S. at the Fair Grounds. Trainer Steve Asmussen sends out **Windward Passage**, third in a division of the Southwest S. at Oaklawn Mar. 2.

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 4:25 p.m. EST

CICADA S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, f, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Haunted Lass	Meadow Monster	Iwinski	118
2	Two Times a Lady	Two Punch	Campitelli	118
3	Mrs Coppolaskitchen	Regal Search	Rodriguez	118
4	Forest Heiress	Forest Wildcat	Perkins Jr.	120
5	Short Note	Editor's Note	Juvonen	118
6	Proper Gamble	Prospectors Gamble	Pletcher	122

Sunday, Fair Grounds

EXPLOSIVE BID H.-GII, \$700,000, 4yo/up, a 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Designed for Luck	Rahy	Espinoza	116
2	Northcote Road	Conquistador Cielo	L Melancon	115
3	Fan Club's Mister	Mr. Greeley	Lovato Jr.	114
4	Beat Hollow (GB)	Sadler's Wells	Solis	115
5	Candid Glen	El Gran Senor	Perrodin	114
6	Even The Score	Unbridled's Song	L Meche	112
7	Mystery Giver	Dynaformer	Martin	112
8	Hap	Theatrical (Ire)	Day	122
9	Pisces	Prized	Velez	115
10	North East Bound	D'Accord	Migliore	117
11	Sarafan	Lear Fan	Nakatani	116
12	Suances (GB)	Most Welcome (GB)	Flores	114
13	Full of Wonder	Mr. Prospector	Martinez	109
14	Chorwon	Cozzene	Albarado	114

Hap, a winner in 10 of his 17 lifetime starts, makes his first appearance since finishing fifth in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf last October.

Sunday, Gulfstream Park

ORCHID H.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Ready	Polish Numbers	McCarthy	110
2	Jennasietta	Septieme Ciel	Aguilar	114
3	Bail Money	St. Jovite	Garcia	109
4	Refugee	Unaccounted For	Chavez	110
5	Julie Jalouse	Kris S.	Santos	112
6	Ruff	Clever Trick	Prado	112
7	Sweetest Thing	Candy Stripes	Guidry	115
8	Guillotine	Proud Truth	Douglas	111
9	Tap Dance	Pleasant Tap	Guidry	114

☆ **TRIPLE THREATS** ☆

SIPHONIC OFF TRIPLE CROWN TRAIL Siphonic

(Siphon {Brz}) will be sidelined until at least late summer because of a problem with his right front ankle, trainer David Hofmans said yesterday. The colt finished third as the favorite in Sunday's GII San Felipe S. "He came out of the San Felipe with a little stiffness in his right front ankle," Hofmans told *The Blood-Horse*. "He X-rayed clean and scanned clean, but he must have twisted the ankle, which is probably why he didn't want to change leads. We don't want to tear him up, so we're just going to back off. We're finished temporarily, but we'll be back in late summer or early fall." The winner of the GI Hollywood Futurity and the GII Lane's End Breeders' Futurity last season, the three-year-old was the 6-1 co-favorite, along with Harlan's Holiday, at the close of Pool 2 of the Kentucky Derby Future Wager.

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MACHO UNO RETURNS TODAY Macho Uno (Holy Bull), the champion two-year-old of 2000 after winning the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile, will make his four-year-old debut in the ninth race at Gulfstream Park. The gray faces seven rivals in the \$46,000 allowance test going a mile and 70 yards. The colt made only four starts last year, winning the GII Pennsylvania Derby and finishing fourth in his most recent outing, the GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Belmont Park Oct. 27.

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Windsong Retired:

Five-year-old **Windsong** (Unbridled--Falconese, by Imperial Falcon), third in the GIII Suwanee River H. for the second straight year in her last start Mar. 3, has been retired and will be bred to Giant's Causeway. The dark bay was the runner-up in the 1999 GIII Miss Grillo S. and in the 2001 GII Orchid H. Overall, she put together a record of four wins, three seconds and five thirds from 24 starts for earnings of \$248,860.

Yesterday's Results:

CHARON S., \$76,387, GPX, 3-22, (S), 3yo, f, 7f, 1:23 3/5, ft.

1--**BOLD WORLD**, 122, f, 3, by **Fortunate Prospect**

1st Dam: **Worldly Bold**, by **World Appeal**

2nd Dam: **Jolie Bold**, by **Bold Forbes**

3rd Dam: **Joli Vert**, by ***Herbager**

(\$475,000 2yo '01 OBSAPR). O-Hardacre Farm; B-Farnsworth Farms (FL); T-Ronald J Taylor; J-J F Chavez; \$47,250. Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-0, \$201,210.

2--**Miss Dixie Chick**, 118, f, 3, **Appealing Skier--** Ensignette, by **Salutely**. O-Andrew C Colando Sr. \$15,750.

3--**Afnan**, 122, f, 3, **Outflanker--Pidna** (Per), by **First Tudor**. (\$1,000 yrl '00 OBSAUG). O-Richard Nielson & Bayard Sharp. \$8,662.


Margins: 6 1/4, 9HF, 13 1/4. Odds: 0.20, 6.90, 3.70.

Charon S. cont.

Four days after dusting her rivals by 10 1/2 lengths in the OBS Sprint S. in Ocala, **Bold World** cruised home as the prohibitive chalk yesterday afternoon at Gulfstream. The bay filly broke her maiden in the FSS-Susan's Girl S. Sept. 1 at Calder going seven panels, but didn't fare as well in a pair of two-turn events, finishing fifth in the Sept. 22 **Brave Raj S.** and sixth in the FSS-My Dear Girl S. Oct. 13. The Florida-bred rebounded to take the **Dame Mysterieuse S.** by nine lengths at Gulfstream Feb. 18 and added the OBS victory to her laurels Monday. Settled into second through a :45 3/5 half, **Bold World** took command entering the stretch and was never threatened en route to the wire. "It might have looked like I was easing her up, but she was slowing down on her own," said winning jockey Jorge Chavez. "She knew she had it won." Winning trainer Ron Taylor will now wait until late April before sending the filly out again. "I'll give her a rest now and run her back in the **Beaumont S.** at Keeneland [GII, 7f, Apr. 26]," said Taylor. As for the quick turnaround, "I never second guessed myself about running her back so soon," he added. "She ate good Monday night after she won at Ocala, I got her blood back on Wednesday and it was good."

6th-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, f, a1 1/8mT, 1:53, fm. **RED JELLY** (f, 3, **Red Ransom--Willow Runner**, by **Alydar**), a full to **Trail City**, GSW & GISP, \$658,794, finished third on the Calder turf Dec. 2, but came back to run seventh over this surface Jan. 10 and was given some time off. The \$310,000 **KEESEP** yearling rated in fifth, came four wide with her run and finished strongly to post a 4 3/4-length success at odds of 9-1. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-1, \$21,720. O-Edward P Evans. B-Mr & Mrs John C Mabee (KY). T-Mark Hennig.

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10th-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, f, a1 1/8mT, 1:54 1/5, fm.

BLUEBIRD DAY (IRE) (f, 3, Sadler's Wells--Desert Bluebell {GB}, by Kalaglow {Ire}), a \$392,037 yearling purchase at the Tattersalls Houghton sale, had a troubled trip when fifth in her career debut Jan. 10. Getting Lasix for the first time, the 4-5 favorite tracked the pace in third, put a head in front on the far turn and forged clear for a 1 1/2-length tally. The grey filly is a 1/2 to Distant Mirage (Ire) (Caerleon), SW & GSP-US, GSP-GB, \$207,055. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$19,520. O-G W Humphrey Jr. B-Tullamaine Castle Stud and Partners (IRE). T-George R Arnold II.

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Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$54,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:49 2/5, ft.

1--JARF, 123, h, 6, Mt. Livermore--Whiskey's Gift (Aus), by Whiskey Road. O-Robert J Amendola; B-Allen E Paulson (KY); T-Allen Iwinski. Lifetime Record: SP, 21-8-4-1, \$278,610.

2--John Little, 118, c, 4, Blushing John--Mt. Airy Beauty, by Hasty Spring.

3--Mike's Thunder, 116, h, 5, Silver Ghost--Satan's Bride, by Skywalker.

Margins: NK, 1, HF. Odds: 2.55, 5.80, 12.80.

Given a vacation following his second to Broken Vow in the Carpenter Memorial H. at Delaware July 21, Jarf returned to post a front-running victory in a one-mile allowance over the inner track Feb. 21. The slight favorite controlled the pace from the outset, held a three-length lead at the eighth pole and had just enough left to reach the wire by a neck over John Little.

5th-AQU, \$43,000, Alw, 3yo, 7f, 1:23 4/5, ft.

CITY SHARPSTER (c, 3, Carson City--Sharp Dance {GISW, \$497,388}, by Dancing Czar) rebounded from a pair of runner-up finishes to romp by 11 1/2 lengths at Gulfstream on Groundhog Day. Second at the same track in his first try against winners Mar. 3, he was sent off as the 9-5 chalk in his return to New York. The chestnut colt hooked up early with Whatasaint (Saint Ballado) and dropped back slightly in midstretch, but came on again from the outside to win by a head. Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0, \$67,830.

O-Caesar P Kimmel & Philip J Solondz. B-Joseph Allen (KY). T-John C Kimmel.

7th-AQU, \$43,000, Alw, 3yo, 7f, 1:24, ft.

IT'S A MONSTER (c, 3, Meadow Monster--Satisfy {SP}, by Known Fact) finished second in his career opener at Laurel Feb. 3, then graduated from the maiden ranks with a 7 1/4-length success at the Maryland oval Feb. 16. In the thick of it from the start, the 7-2 shot came away with the lead in the final furlong and had to dig in to hold off Glamdring (Marquetry) by a neck. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$45,300.

O/B-New Farm (KY). T-Ben W Perkins Jr.

9th-AQU, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23 1/5, ft.

+CARSON HOLLOW (f, 3, Carson City--Lizeality, by Hold Your Peace) convinced the wagering public with a bullet :47 1/5 half at the Big A Mar. 16, debuting as the 1-2 favorite. The bay filly never gave her backers an uneasy moment as she set the pace, drew off when asked and reported home an easy 18 3/4-length winner. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,600.

O-Hemlock Hills Farm, Gabrielle Farm & Justine Zimmerman. B-Patricia Staskowski Purdy (NY). T-Richard E Dutrow Jr.

☆ **EAST** ☆

OBS Stats Correction:

The totals for the Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's March Sale, held Mar. 19-20, were posted incorrectly by OBS. The correct figures are: 200 sold for a gross of \$14,722,000 and an average of \$73,610. The average is a March Sale record.

OBS Spring Catalogue On-Line:

The catalogue for the Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's 2002 Spring Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training is now available at www.obssales.com. A total of 1,210 juveniles have been catalogued for the four-day auction, to be held Apr. 22-25.

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Keeneland, which offered an across-the-board, 16-percent takeout on all wagers last fall, has made some changes for the upcoming spring meet. The takeout on win, place and show bets will remain at 16 percent, but will return to 19 percent for all exotic wagers. The reduction in takeout led New York outlets and a group of tracks in the Mid-Atlantic Cooperative to discontinue the Keeneland signal last fall. The Midatlantic tracks agreed to resume simulcasting a few days later, but New York outlets did not and Keeneland handle was down an estimated \$11 million versus the 2001 spring meet. Keeneland has discontinued the Pick 5 wager it introduced last year, but will offer a Pick 6 with a reduced takeout of just 12 percent.

Romero Benefit Generates Nearly \$14,000:

The seafood dinner hosted by Fair Grounds Wednesday night raised nearly \$14,000 for the rany Romero Transplant Fund. More than 300 tickets to the event were sold, and 228 people attended the dinner. Money was also raised through donations from those unable to attend, from the sale of Fair Grounds Spring Festival of Racing beer steins and from the proceeds of a framed print of Randy Romero aboard Personal Ensign which was auctioned off earlier this month. In addition to providing the venue for the dinner, Fair Grounds also provided the food and entertainment. Donations to the Fund can be made care of National City Bank, 12009 Shelbyville Rd., Louisville, Kentucky, 40243.

Yesterday's Results:

8th-FGX, \$30,000, Alw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft. PURE INSTINCT (f, 3, Dehere--Falling in Love {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells), a \$650,000 KEEJUL yearling, returned from a two-month break to run second in a local test Jan. 27, then broke her maiden by 4 1/2 lengths over a sloppy Fair Grounds strip Mar. 1. The 5-2 favorite saved ground from her rail post, switched to the outside for the drive and came home a length clear of Saint Kaytie (Captain Bodgit). She is a 1/2 to Golden Temper (Forty Niner), GSW, \$347,413. Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, \$49,700. O-Padua Stables. B-Green Gates Farm (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

2nd-FGX, \$28,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:42 1/5, fm. CABRI (f, 3, Geri--Griddle {Arg} {SW & G1SP-Arg}, by Off Shore Gamble), a \$190,000 KEESEP yearling, stretched out in her turf debut Feb. 16 over this course and battled for the lead before tiring to seventh. Dismissed at 16-1 this time, the grey filly sat just off the leaders, made her run from the outside heading into the stretch, opened up a clear advantage and fended off favored Dynamic Lady (Dynaformer) to win by a nose. The winner is a 1/2 to Yappy (Herat), GSW, \$252,736; and 3/4 to Yokohama (Theatrical {Ire}), GSW-Fr, \$261,020. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$18,600. O-Z Polack & A & J Sapara. B-Allen E Paulson (KY). T-Josie Carroll.

1st-OPX, \$28,000, Msw, 3&4yo, 8.5f, 1:44 2/5, ft. THUNDERPUMPER (c, 3, Regal Classic--Spend a Nickel, by Plugged Nickle) was sidelined following a sixth at Keeneland Oct. 11. The full to Nickel Classic, MSW, \$234,713, returned to action Mar. 7 over course and distance and missed by a head. Favored at 3-2 to go one better, the chestnut colt battled for the lead from the start, shook free in midstretch and held Sterling Gold (Mutakddim) at bay for a one-length tally. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, \$29,800. O/B-Calvin L Johnston (KY). T-Mark Danner.

Thursday's Late Results:

9th-OPX, \$33,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft. SOUTHERN TOUR (f, 4, Tour d'Or--South Mystery, by True Colors), runner-up in a local allowance test Jan. 26, filled the same spot in this track's American Beauty S. Feb. 9 and was most recently third in the Mar. 10 Spring Fever S. The 3-5 chalk on the return to softer company, the dark bay was quickly in front and powered home a front-running, 8 1/2-length winner. Lifetime Record: GSP, 12-4-3-2, \$144,080. O-Earl D Bellamy. B-Susan Chenowith (FL). T-Cole Norman.

10th-FGX, \$28,000, Msw, 3yo, 1mT, 1:42 2/5, fm. FORGET THE JUDGE (c, 3, Judge T C--Forgetmenot, by Bering {GB}) had made his three previous starts in claiming company on the main track, most recently running fifth for a \$25,000 tag Jan. 13. Stepping up in class for his first try on turf, the 14-1 shot settled just off the pace, ranged up on the outside turning for home and drew off smartly by 6 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$17,985. O/B-Marablue Farm (FL). T-Niall M O'Callaghan.

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10th-HOU, \$13,500, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:47, fm. JUST FOUR AUSTIN (c, 3, El Prado {Ire}--All Ability {SW}, by Nasty and Bold), a full to Availability, SW & MGSP, \$183,402, debuted with a fourth over a sloppy Sam Houston strip Feb. 21. The 3-1 second choice in his turf bow, the \$50,000 KEESEP yearling stalked the pace down the backstretch, came through on the inside entering the lane and outfought pacesetter Sunny's Bold Halo (Sunny's Halo) to prevail by a neck. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$8,910. O-James Cassels & Bob Zollars. B-Verne H Winchell (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

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Yesterday's Results:

7th-SAX, \$70,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:32 4/5, fm. 1--CLIMATE, 116, h, 6, Cahill Road--Weather Girl, by One for All. O-B. Wayne Hughes; B-Jonabell Farm Inc. (KY); T-R W Ellis. Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-0, \$158,120.
2--Shibboleth, 116, h, 5, Danzig--Razyana, by His Majesty.
3--Ladies Din, 116, g, 7, Din's Dancer--Ladies Double, by Kris S.
 Margins: 1, NO, 3. Odds: 8.70, 1.00, 4.00.

Climate had not been out since winning back-to-back allowance races Dec. 31, 2000 and Jan. 14, 2001, but he spoiled the comeback of millionaire Ladies Din with a gate-to-wire victory. The lightly campaigned dark bay, racing with blinkers off in his first start in more than 14 months, set all the pace and turned back the two-pronged challenge from British Group 3 winner Shibboleth and Ladies Din before edging clear in the final yards. Grade I winner Ladies Din, making his first start since running 11th in last year's G2 Dubai Duty Free H., finished with determination, but lost the nod for second to Shibboleth, who was making his first start since finishing fifth in the 2001 G1 July Cup at Newmarket.

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2nd-SAX, \$60,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), 4yo/up, 7f, 1:22, ft. 1--RADIATA, 120, h, 5, Whitney Tower--Truly Something, by Well Decorated. O-Aaron U & Marie D Jones; B-James R Elliott (IN); T-Eduardo Inda. Lifetime Record: 6-4-2-0, \$138,600.
2--Impressive Grades, 118, h, 6, Honor Grades--You'll B Impressed, by Valid Appeal.
3--Spicy Stuff, 118, h, 5, Tabasco Cat--Esplendita, by Pancho Villa.
 Margins: 3/4, HF, 4HF. Odds: 1.80, 0.90, 5.80.

Second to Beaumes de Venise in a \$62,500 optional claimer on New Year's Day, Radiata led every step to win a Santa Anita allowance over 6 1/2 furlongs Feb. 2. Trying seven furlongs for the first time, the Indiana-bred went up to duel for the lead between Impressive Grades and Spicy Stuff before gaining command in deep stretch to secure the victory.

4th-SAX, \$57,342, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:00 4/5, fm. RACENE (m, 5, Miner's Mark--Vette, by Flying Paster) was off for 14 months after breaking her maiden at Del Mar in September of 2000 and was off the board in her first three starts back, but tried turf for the first time in her latest appearance and finished second at this level and distance Feb. 6. The 2-1 favorite off that effort, the dark bay settled in fourth through moderate fractions, went after front-running Dynamic Way (Dynaformer) in the stretch and proved three lengths better than that rival at the wire. Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-2, \$99,880. O-Bell Stanley J. B-Stanley Bell (KY). T-Jenine Sahadi.

1st-SAX, \$40,000, Msw, 2yo, 2f, :21 4/5, ft. + LONG TERM WISH (f, 2, Souvenir Copy--Warmest Wishes {GB}, by Nashwan) became the first winner for her freshman sire (by Mr. Prospector) with her speedy dash against eight other Cal-breds. The bay filly displayed a bullet :22 2/5 breeze from the gate Mar. 8, but was let go at 8-1. After bobbling at the start, she recovered quickly to challenge favored Newport Nikki (Lit de Justice) and bested that filly by a head. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000. O-Golden Eagle Farm. B-Mr & Mrs John C Mabee (CA). T-Caesar F Dominguez.

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***Far Lane**, c, 3, **Lear Fan**--Pattimech, by Nureyev. Doncaster, 3-22, Mexborough Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo, 7fT, \$6,252 to winner. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Airlie Stud; T-Barry Hills. *\$87,375 yrl '00 GOFORB.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. STALLIONS:

Sparkling Gulch (Aus), f, 2, **Thunder Gulch**--Glistening (Aus), by Snaadee. Hawkesbury (New South Wales), 3-21, Chisolm Primary School Maiden, 2yo, 5fT, \$3,459 to winner. B-Domeland Pty Ltd; T-Peter Wolsley.

Ecstasy (Aus), g, 3, **Dehere**--Food Of Love (Aus), by Lunchtime (GB). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 3-20, Spedito H., 3yo/up, 6fT, \$3,619 to winner. B-Bhima Pty Ltd; T-Rob Heathcote.

Golden Ruler (Aus), f, 3, **Supremo**--Sylvania Gold (Aus), by Twenty Four Karat. Scone (New South Wales), 3-19, Rosehill Lodge Maiden, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, \$1,863 to winner. B-Mr W A & Mrs G Gibson; T-Gregory Schumaker.

Grind (Aus), g, 4 **Jade Hunter**--Miss Muncher (NZ) (MSP-Aus), by Kings Island (Ire). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 3-20, Daybreak Lover H., 3yo/up, 1mT, \$3,619 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes.

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STAKES RESULTS:

VULCAN S., \$35,000, FGX, 3-22, (R), 3yo, 6f, 1:12, ft.

1--**#NELL'S NINER, 113**, f, 3, **Royal Empire**--Nell Gwyn, by Ivorson. O/B-Bobby G Pruitt (AL); T-Sam B David Jr; J-R J Faul; \$19,250. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, \$30,050. *First stakes winner for sire (by Forty Niner).

2--**The Rejected Stone, 119**, c, 3, **Risky But Frisky**--Andrea's Charm, by Quadratic. \$7,000.

3--**Kidontheblock, 114**, c, 3, **Shot Block**--Urkiddinme, by Raconteur. \$3,850.

Margins: 4HF, 6HF, HD. Odds: 0.70, 34.70, 15.10.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-SAX, \$53,000, 3-21, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2fT, 1:13 1/5, fm.

JEREMY'S QUEST (f, 4, Mr. Integrity--Angel of Vengeance {SP}, by **Staunch Avenger**) Lifetime Record: 10-5-1-2, \$110,720. O-Robert Mattias. B-Jeremys Stable (CA). T-Bill Spawr.

2nd-AQU, \$44,000, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39, ft. **PERTY NUMBER (f, 4, Tank's Number**--Chenette Cozette, by **Exclusive Era**) Lifetime Record: 8-2-4-0, \$51,250. O-Francis J Paolangeli. B-In's Way Horse Farm (NY). T-Dominic G Galluscio.

3rd-GGX, \$35,600, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, wf. **MILAGRA (f, 4, Maria's Mon**--Tatiani, by **Fappiano**) Lifetime Record: 13-2-2-1, \$59,180. O/B-Mr & Mrs Jerome S Moss (KY). T-Art Sherman.

8th-SPT, \$32,000, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft. **SUPER FUZZY (c, 4, Fuzzy**--Asoleada, by ***Habitony**) Lifetime Record: 17-8-3-2, \$103,540. O/T-Ronald L Shenofsky. B-Isreal Flores (TX). *1/2 to Super Mountain (Mountain Native), SW, \$108,305.

5th-OPX, \$31,000, 3-21, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 3/5, ft.

DON'TIMPRESSMEMUCH (m, 6, Fenter--Kimmer, by **Hurricane Ed**) Lifetime Record: 46-11-3-6, \$155,239. O-K W Murphy. B-Sharon Hild (AR). T-Cole Norman.

6th-OPX, \$31,000, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft. **BIG DADDY TEE (c, 4, Lil E. Tee**--Diane's Lark, by **Prince John**) Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, \$49,500. O-Lynn Chleborad & Jeff Helget. B-Cooper Rawls, Dale Hamilton & Jim H Plemmons (KY). T-Lynn Chleborad.

7th-FGX, \$30,000, (S), 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. **BELIEVABLE CHOICE (c, 4, Belek**--A Cute Choice, by **John's Choice**) Lifetime Record: 10-2-4-1, \$41,900. O-Autumn Hill Stables & Stephanie Guidry Et Al. B-Autumn Hill Farms Racing Stable Inc & Chad J Guidry (LA). T-Gary Palmisano.

6th-FGX, \$30,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. **CALMA PRADO (f, 4, El Prado {Ire}**--Calm Expression, by **Hold Your Peace**) Lifetime Record: 15-2-3-2, \$59,580. O-Myrna & Robert Luttrell. B-Robert G Luttrell (KY). T-Patrick Mouton. *1/2 to Expressive Gal (Fire Dancer), MSW, \$310,747.

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8th-CTX, \$20,000, 3-21, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:27 3/5, my. POLISH OUTLAW (c, 4, Polish Numbers--Axspect {SW}, by Northern Prospect) Lifetime Record: 19-5-3-3, \$83,500. O-White Rose Stable. B-Victor Bowman (MD). T-Gary Capuano.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Long Term Wish, f, 2, Souvenir Copy--Warmest Wishes (GB), by Nashwan. SAX, 3-22, (S), 2f, :21 4/5. B-Mr & Mrs John C Mabee (Ca). *First winner for freshman sire (by Mr. Prospector).**

Vitamin Bag, f, 3, Bag--Speedy Amanda, by Groovy. FGX, 3-22, (S), a1mT, 1:42 3/5. B-Frank Serio (La).

+ **Carson Hollow, f, 3, Carson City--Lizeality, by Hold Your Peace. AQU, 3-22, (S), 7f, 1:23 1/5. B-Patricia Staskowski Purdy (NY).**

Cold Cash, c, 3, Chimes Band--Betty Money (GSW & GISP, \$367,336), by Our Native. TPX, 3-22, (C), 6f, 1:15 1/5. B-Eliza Park Stud (Ky). *\$10,000 wlng '99 KEENOV. **1/2 to Younis Bet (Storm Bird), SW-Mal.

Just Four Austin, c, 3, El Prado (Ire)--All Ability (SW), by Nasty and Bold. HOU, 3-21, 1 1/16mT, 1:47. B-Verne H Winchell (Ky). *\$50,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **Full to Availability, SW & MGSP, \$183,402.

Skipandfly, c, 3, Fly So Free--Mystic Union (SW & GSP, \$233,209), by Skip Trial. GPX, 3-22, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:47. B-Anita Hicken (Fl).

Cabri, f, 3, Geri--Griddle (Arg) (SW & G1SP-Arg), by Off Shore Gamble. FGX, 3-22, 1mT, 1:42 1/5. B-Allen E Paulson (Ky). *\$190,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **1/2 to Yappy (Herat), GSW, \$252,736; and 3/4 to Yokohama (Theatrical {Ire}), GSW-Fr, \$261,020.

All Geared Up, c, 3, Golden Gear--Acting Brave (SW), by Naskra. AQU, 3-22, (C), 1m, 1:39 2/5. B-Mike Harris & Susan Harris (Ky). *\$20,000 yrl '00 KEESEP; \$38,000 2yo '01 OBSMAR. **1/2 to Doubledippindebbie (Carson City), SW, \$142,435; and Tiffish (Mountain Cat), SP, \$190,093.

Forget the Judge, c, 3, Judge T C--Forgetmenot, by Bering (GB). FGX, 3-21, 1mT, 1:42 2/5. B-Marablue Farm (Fl).

Water Sports, c, 3, Lake George--Imalottafun, by *Golden Eagle II. SAX, 3-21, (C), 6f, 1:11. B-Dick & Barbara Quog (Ca). *\$5,000 wlng '99 BESOCT.

Knish, c, 3, My King (Ger)--Coming Soon, by Saros (GB). SAX, 3-21, (C), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-D & H Alpert (Ca).

Dr. Ormsby, c, 3, Ormsby--Rebecca Lauren, by Dr. Blum. AQU, 3-22, (S), 1m, 1:40. B-D Newman (NY).

Live Free Or Die, f, 3, Personal Flag--Diva Signoria, by Tejano. SAX, 3-22, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:17 1/5. B-T K Lawless (Ky). *\$40,000 2yo '01 FTMMAY.

Edna's Fancy, f, 3, Plain Dealing--Expensive Edna, by Corporate Report. DED, 3-21, (S), 5f, 1:00. B-Brandon Adcock (La).

Red Jelly, f, 3, Red Ransom--Willow Runner, by Alydar. GPX, 3-22, a1 1/8mT, 1:53. B-Mr & Mrs John C Mabee (Ky). *\$310,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **Full to Trail City, GSW & GISP, \$658,794.

Thunderpumper, c, 3, Regal Classic--Spend a Nickel, by Plugged Nickle. OPX, 3-22, 1 1/16m, 1:44 2/5. B-Calvin L Johnston (Ky). *Full to Nickel Classic, MSW, \$234,713.

Bluebird Day (Ire), f, 3, Sadler's Wells--Desert Bluebell (GB), by Kalaglow (Ire). GPX, 3-22, a1 1/8mT, 1:54 1/5. B-Tullamaine Castle Stud and Partners (Ire). *\$392,037 yrl '00 TATHOU. **1/2 to Distant Mirage (Ire) (Caerleon), SW & GSP-US, GSP-GB, \$207,055.

Ginger Ale, c, 3, Wesham--Dancing Ginger (SP), by Dancing Czar. CTX, 3-21, 6.5f, 1:23 3/5. B-J Casey (WV).

Hooray for Hollywood, c, 4, Brocco--Alex Hollywood, by Cormorant. AQU, 3-22, (C), 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Robert Koonen (Ky).

Penny's Odyssey, c, 4, Coastal Voyage--Oh My Pretty Penny, by Oh My Windland. TAM, 3-22, 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-Briarwood Farm & B K Sawyer (Fl).

A. P. Agenda, c, 4, Twilight Agenda--Fortune Wand, by Fortunate Prospect. HOU, 3-21, 5fT, 1:00 3/5. B-A P McEvoy Sr (Tx). *\$7,000 yrl '99 TEXAUG.

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Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

ALPHABET SOUP (Cozzene), Adena Springs, \$30K, 179/10/0

6-SA, Msw, 1mT, Leprechaun Kid, \$8K OBS AUG yrl

10-SA, Msw, 6f, +Our New Recruit, \$120K BAR MAR 2yo

APPEALING SKIER (Baldski), Walmac, \$5K, 68/9/0

6-GP, Alw, 6f, Hanky

ATTICUS (Nureyev), Three Chimneys, \$20K, 97/11/0

2-TP, Msw, 6f, +Daffodil Lil, \$12K FTK OCT yrl

BENGAL BAY (Woodman), Johnson Farm, \$500, 25/8/1

10-FON, Stk, 6 1/2f, Tauke

BENNY THE DIP (Silver Hawk), Cheveley Park, \$25K, 79/5/0

10-TP, Stk, 1 1/8m, Benny the Hawk, \$97K KEE SEP yrl, 30-1

CANYON CREEK (IRE) (Mr. Prospector), Gardiner, \$3K, 74/8/0

8-SUF, Stk, 1m, B. W. Beetle, \$12K OBS APR 2yo

CAPTAIN BODGIT (Saint Ballado), Margaux, \$10K, 146/18/0

10-OP, Stk, 1 1/16m, Windward Passage

COMSTOCK LODGE (Gulch), Margaux, \$2K, 64/2/0

4-TP, Msw, 6f, Live Backwards, \$900 ARK OCT yrl

EDITOR'S NOTE (Forty Niner), Overbrook, \$10K, 132/14/0

8-AQU, Stk, 7f, Short Note

GERI (Theatrical {IRE}), Hill "n" Dale, \$20K, 101/6/1

9-TUP, Stk, 1mT, Acure for Geri

GOLD CASE (Forty Niner), Adena, \$5K, 117/10/0

10-TAM, Stk, 1mT, Classic Case, \$145K EAS MAY 2yo, 7-2

HELMSMAN (El Gran Senor), Pegasus, \$8K, 92/12/1

6-SA, Msw, 1mT, Schooner, \$24K OBS APR 2yo

JULES (Forty Niner), Bridlewood, \$5K, 205/11/2

8-SUF, Stk, 1m, Method Man

6-AQU, Msw, 1m, Your Jules

11-TAM, Msw, 7f, Finally Jules, \$9K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

LANGFUHR (Danzig), Vinery, \$20K, 277/18/0

6-WO, Alw, 5f, Spilled Honey, \$30K FTK JUL yrl, 10-1

7-WO, Msw, 5f, Far and Near, 10-1

LOST SOLDIER (Danzig), Franks, \$4K, 107/17/1

7-FG, Alw, 1mT, Trixie Wac, \$14K KEE SEP yrl, 5-1

10-TAM, Stk, 1mT, Awol Soldier, 6-1

LOUIS QUATORZE (Sovereign Dancer), Ashford, \$20K, 219/13/1

10-TAM, Stk, 1mT, Clever Louis, \$355K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1

MARLIN (Sword Dance {IRE}), Turkey, \$10K, 200/7/0

4-TP, Msw, 6f, Marlins Queen

MATTY G (Capote), Darby Dan, \$6K, 62/14/2

11-TAM, Msw, 7f, The Mad Bear, \$10K OBS WIN yrl, 4-1

MEADOW MONSTER (Meadowlake), Green Willw, \$5K, 50/11/1

8-AQU, Stk, 7f, Haunted Lass, \$25K KEE SEP yrl

11-TP, Alw, 6f, Miss Lacy Shea

OPEN FORUM (Deputy Minister), Lanes End Texas, \$5K, 147/24/3

8-SUF, Stk, 1m, Misty Forum, \$27K OBS AUG yrl

PROUDEST ROMEO (Proud Truth), Tiffany, \$1000, 16/4/1

9-OP, Alw, 6f, Miss Romeo

SANDPIT (BRZ) (Baynoun {IRE}), Vinery, \$5K, 223/13/1

7-FG, Alw, 1mT, Sheza Nasty Lady, \$60K TEX MAR 2yo, 8-1

SIR CAT (Storm Cat), Gainesway, \$8K, 140/13/1

3-TP, Alw, 1m, Don Gatito, \$32K TEX MAR 2yo

SMOKE GLACKEN (Two Punch), Gainesway, \$10K, 130/25/3

8-SUF, Stk, 1m, Ringgold Gap, \$10K KEE SEP yrl

7-TP, Stk, 6f, Still Be Smokin', \$18K KEE SEP yrl

6-GP, Alw, 6f, He's All Business, \$16K KEE SEP yrl

SUAVE PROSPECT (Fortunate Prospect), Farnsworth, \$3K, 83/13/1

11-TAM, Msw, 7f, Everlasting Suave, 6-1

TAMAYAZ (Gone West), Northview, \$5K, 100/6/0

7-LRL, Alw, 1 1/16m, Tamayo, 5-2

VALID EXPECTATIONS (Valid Appeal), Lanes End Texas, \$5K, 107/30/3

7-TP, Stk, 6f, Expected Program, \$170K BAR MAR 2yo

8-TP, Stk, 1 1/16m, Mapp Hill, \$150K OBS FEB 2yo

7-WO, Msw, 5f, Expect a Mint, \$90K OBS AUG yrl, 10-1

WEST ACRE (Forty Niner), Stonehedge, \$3K, 26/2/0

5-GP, Msw, 6f, +Fortynineacrewest, \$120K OBS FEB 2yo

WILD SYN (Wild Again), Hurstland, \$3K, 27/0/0

1-TP, Msw, 6f, Belles of Syn

WORLD STAGE (IRE) (Sadler's Wells), Starview, \$3K, 111/8/1

11-TAM, Msw, 7f, Flamingo's World, 5-2



FOALING NEWS

SALTY PERFUME, 7, Salt Lake--Pretty Is (Doonesbury)

Foal born 2-25, a colt by Gone West.

Will be bred back to Charismatic.

Owned by Robert & Beverly Lewis.

Boarded at Denali Stud, KY.

Accomplishments: GSW, \$150,119.

DOMLUDGE, 19, Lyphard--Tanarive (*Le Fabuleux)

Foal born 2-27, a colt by Carson City.

Will be bred back to Seeking the Gold.

Owned by Mrs. Yolande Seydoux.

Boarded at Mill Ridge, KY.

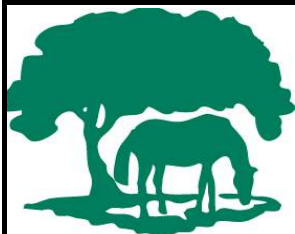
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O'BRIEN ROLLS OUT THE BIG GUNS Aidan O'Brien will use tomorrow's opening card of the Irish 2002 flat season at The Curragh as a stage for several of his brighter prospects. Although the Ballydoyle handler has decided against sending **Tendulkar (USA)** (Spinning World {USA}) into battle in the Listed Loughbrown S., he has an able deputy in **Century City (Ire)** (Danzig {USA}). The son of Alywow (Can), who reached Ir£2 million at the Goffs Orby Sales, will take on only three rivals in the seven furlong contest won in 2000 by Monashee Mountain (USA). He follows the debut of two-year-old **Tomahawk (USA)** (Seattle Slew {USA}) half an hour earlier in the five-furlong maiden, and precedes by an hour the three-year-old return of **Tasmanian Tiger (USA)** (Storm Cat {USA}) in the seven furlong maiden. That colt, purchased for \$6.8 million as a yearling at Keeneland, will bid to improve on his debut third at the track last October. O'Brien also sends out the unraced three-year-old **Maderno (USA)** (Nureyev {USA}) in the six-furlong maiden. Maderno is out of Mr P's Princess (USA), making him a full-brother to the stable's champion juvenile of 1999, Fasliyev (USA). The quintet is completed by **Moon Safari (USA)** (Mr Prospector {USA}), five lengths sixth to Gossamer (GB) in the G1 Fillies' Mile at Ascot last September, in the EBF Betdaq Fillies Race over a mile.

★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:
4.35 Doncaster, Mexborough Maiden S. (Class D), £6,750, 3yo, 7fT, 1:31.94, sf.
FAR LANE (USA) (c, 3, Lear Fan {USA}--Pattimech {USA}, by Nureyev {USA}) was positioned in a tracking fourth on the inside as Dubai Prince (Ire) (Anita's Prince {Ire}) led. He was ridden to lead at the quarter-mile marker, quickened clear at the eighth pole and ran on strongly to beat even-money favourite Ajeel (Ire) (Green Desert {USA}) by an easy five lengths as the 5-1 second choice. The winner was a Ir£75,000 GOFORB yearling. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £4,388. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Airlie Stud; T-Barry Hills; J-Johnny Murtagh.

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1.45 Doncaster, Maltby Maiden S. (Class D), £6,420, 3yo, 10f 60ydsT, 2:17.59, sf.
 + **MURRAY (GB)** (g, 3, Darshaan {GB}--Melisendra {Fr} {MSP-Fr}, by Highest Honor {Fr}), a 10-1 chance, was reserved in fifth from the outset as Shanook (GB) (Rainbow Quest {USA}) led, but made smooth progress from the half-mile marker. He went second at the quarter-mile pole, was sent to the front soon after and was pushed clear in the closing stages to record an impressive six length debut success from Shanook. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £4,173. O-Jumeirah Racing; B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; T-Mick Channon; J-Steve Drowne.

Saturday, Doncaster, post time: 4:10 p.m.
CAMMIDGE TROPHY-Listed, £25,000, 3yo/up, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	9	Bahamian Pirate (USA)	Housebuster (USA)	Nicholls	133
2	10	Hurricane Floyd (Ire)	Pennekamp (USA)	Nicholls	128
3	7	Needwood Blade (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	McMahon	128
4	2	Orienteer (GB)	Inchinor (GB)	Goldie	128
5	8	Tedburrow (GB)	Dowsing (USA)	Alston	128
6	1	Zilch (GB)	Zilzal (USA)	Bell	128
7	3	Palace Affair (GB)	Pursuit Of Love (GB)	G Balding	126
8	5	Lady Boxer (GB)	Komaite (USA)	Mullineaux	123
9	6	Falcon Hill (GB)	Polar Falcon (USA)	Johnston	118
10	4	Maktavish (GB)	Makbul (GB)	Millman	115

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:
1.45 Fontainebleau, Prix Magister (Cond), €29,000, 3yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:14.19, sf.
TSIGANE (FR) (c, 3, Anabaa {USA}--Trevillari {USA}, by Riverman {USA}) was outpaced in the early stages as Extinguisher (GB) (Zamindar {USA}) led, but was niggled along before halfway. The 7-2 chance made continued good headway through the final quarter mile, grabbed the lead with 150 yards to go and ran on strongly in the closing stages to beat Great Deal (Fr) (Midyan {USA}) by a cozy length. Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 2 wins, 4 places, €40,706. O-Alec Head; B-Mrs & Mrs Alec Head; T-Freddy Head; J-Davy Bonilla.

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2.15 Fontainebleau, Prix Bridaine (Cond), €29,000, 3yo, f, 6fT, 1:12.00, sf.

DEDICATION (FR) (f, 3, Highest Honor {Fr}--Dissertation {Fr} {MGSP-Fr}, by Sillery {USA}), the 7-10 favourite, was settled in rear as Sa Premiere (Fr) (Nombre Premier {GB}) led, but began her forward move at the three-furlong pole. She made smooth headway on the bit to challenge approaching the final furlong and quickened clear inside the last 100 yards to defeat Avranches (Fr) (Jeune Homme {USA}) by an easy two lengths. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €27,976.

O-Mme Alec Head; B-Mrs & Mrs Alec Head; T-Criquette Head-Maarek; J-Olivier Doleuze.

2.45 Fontainebleau, Prix Androcles (Cond), €18,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:08.20, sf.

AZDINE (FR) (g, 3, Riverquest {Fr}--Dancing Fame {USA}, by Northern Dancer {Can}) was positioned in a tracking fourth as King's Mat (GB) (King's Theatre {Ire}) set the pace, but moved into contention approaching the final quarter mile. He was sent to the front with 1 1/2 furlongs to go and ran on in determined style to hold the strong late surge of Craig's Falcon (Fr) (Polar Falcon {USA}) by a head. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €11,470.

O-Halil Aygun; B-J Campos, J C Campos & R Campos; T-Carlos Lerner; J-Yann Lerner.

Saturday, Toulouse, post time: 3:00 p.m.

LE VASE D'ARGENT-Listed, €38,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Marichal (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Litt	128
2	3	La Cibeles (Fr)	Cardoun (Fr)	Martin-Sanchez	125
3	1	Anarchiste (Fr)	Northern Park (USA)	Barbe	123
4	5	Jo and River (Fr)	Johann Quatz (Fr)	Rouget	123
5	6	Darjeeling (Fr)	Marju (Ire)	Rohaut	123
6	4	Katchina Quest (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Rouget	120

★ AUSTRALASIA ★

WORLD CUP CHIEF CRITICAL OF AUSSIES

Dubai World Cup chairman Les Benton has criticized Australian trainers for snubbing the Dubai World Cup, saying it was disappointing top horses such as Northernly, Ethereal and Old Comrade were not contesting the race. "It's akin to an athlete choosing to run in the domestic competition and not go for the Olympic Games," Benton said in an *Australian Associated Press* report. "You can only improve by taking on international competition but perhaps domestic races are easier to win than coming to Dubai." Benton criticised Australians for being insular because they would not set their horses specifically for the Dubai World Cup meeting. "They should be well versed in August-September that the World Cup's in March, plan for it and target Dubai," he said.

DIGNITY DANCER ON COMEBACK TRAIL

Dual Group 1 winner **Dignity Dancer (NZ)** (Zabeel {NZ}) is heading toward a comeback with trainer Bill Mitchell aiming for the Queensland carnival in May with the six-year-old who has not raced for more than a year. Dignity Dancer won the G1 Spring Champion Stakes (2000 meters) before the Australian Guineas over the same trip in March 1999 and he has more than \$1.9 million with six wins from 20 attempts.

TAB ANNOUNCES SHARE BUYBACK

The NSW-based TAB Ltd aims to be in a better position to make acquisitions through a share buyback scheme aimed at allowing smaller shareholders to cash in their shares. The buyback announced Thursday will allow the TAB to purchase 50 million shares or about 10 per cent of its capital with an initial buyback price of \$2.74, the weighted average price over the past 20 days. NSW TAB was privatised four years ago and was oversubscribed by smaller investors so that 86 percent of the company's 300,000 shareholders hold less than 1,000 shares and the majority of these have less than 257 shares. The *Australian* newspaper reported that TAB Ltd has signaled its intention of growth through acquisitions, having examined gaming company Jupiters and the SA TAB, but takeovers with such a large group of shareholders are difficult.

WINNERS BY EUROPEAN STALLIONS:

Verstak (NZ), f, 2, Danehill (USA)--Janole (Aus) (GSP-Aus), by Marauding (NZ). Canterbury (Sydney), 3-20, Canterbury Leagues Clubs H., 2yo, f, 6f 55ydsT, A\$13,000 to winner. B-Chatham Lodge Thoroughbreds Ltd; T-Clarry Conners.

Skydancing (Aus), f, 2, Danehill Dancer (Ire)--Life In The Clouds (Aus), by Vain (Aus). Scone (New South Wales), 3-19, Peptech Animal Health H., 2yo, 5fT, A\$3,500 to winner. B-Ms G M Bradford; T-Allan Good.

Woburn (NZ), g, 2, Groom Dancer (USA)--Harriett (NZ), by Kaapstad (NZ). Wanganui (New Zealand), 3-21, Circle Insurance Maiden, 2yo, 6fT, NZ\$2,812 to winner. B-Bloomsbury Stud; T-Allan Sharrock.

I'll Be Gone (Aus), c, 2, Spectrum (Ire)--You Rang Sir (USA), by El Gran Senor (USA). Bendigo (Victoria), 3-19, De Araugo & Lea Electrical Maiden, 2yo, 6f 90ydsT, A\$5,200 to winner. B-Mr K & Mrs S M Lim; T-Mathew Ellerton.

Our Bullbaa (Aus), g, 3, Anabaa (USA)--Royal Harmony (NZ) (MSP-Aus), by Marscay (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 3-20, Burberry H., 3yo, c/g, 1mT, A\$14,300 to winner. B-Mr R F Thompson; T-Tony Noonan. *GSP-Aus.

Shoota McGavin (Aus), g, 3, Baryshnikov (Aus)--Our Cancan (NZ), by Tights (USA). Sale (Victoria), 3-21, Boisdale Maiden, 3yo/up, 7fT, A\$6,500 to winner. B-Mr B Montgomery; T-Tony Noonan.



Australasian Report cont.

Brisanna (Aus), f, 3, **Danehill (USA)**--Brise De Mer (USA), by Bering (GB). Canterbury (Sydney), 3-20, Bradley Australia H., 3yo, f, 6f 55ydsT, A\$13,000 to winner. B-Roncon; T-John Hawkes. *1/2 to Angling (Aus) (Lure {USA}), SW & GSP-Aus.

Don't Tell Tom (Aus), g, 3, **Danzero (Aus)**--Imagine (Aus), by The Judge (Aus). Sale (Victoria), 3-21, Maffra Maiden, 3yo, 5 1/2fT, A\$6,500 to winner. B-Mr J G & Mrs P A Piggott; T-John Collins.

Gunnery (Aus), c, 3, **Hector Protector (USA)**--Palm Beach Deb (USA), by Akureyri (Can). Hawkesbury (New South Wales), 3-21, Fuji Xerox Digital H., 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, A\$6,500 to winner. B-Gooree Park Stud Pty Ltd; T-Bindi Cheers. *1/2 to Tempest Morn (Aus) (Thunder Gulch {USA}), MG1SW-Aus.

Girl Of Illuminare (NZ), f, 4, **Desert Sun (GB)**--Manuhiri (NZ), by Lanfranco (GB). Canterbury (Sydney), 3-20, National Telecom Group H., 4yo/up, f/m, 6fT, A\$13,000 to winner. B-Willow Park Ltd; T-Graeme Rogerson.

Sundiata (Aus), f, 4, **Dolphin Street (Fr)**--Pecky's Pet (USA) (SW-Aus), by Temperence Hill (USA). Sandown (Melbourne), 3-20, Waratah H., 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, A\$14,300 to winner. B-Eureka Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd & Mr S C McAlpine; T-Tony McEvoy.

Klazig (Aus), f, 4, **Flying Spur (Aus)**--Nilgari Princess (Aus), by Luskin Star (Aus). Hawkesbury (New South Wales), 3-21, St Monicas Primary School H., 3yo/up, 7fT, A\$9,750 to winner. B-Yarrowonga Racing & Breeding; T-Graeme Rogerson.

Alfayn (Aus), g, 4, **Flying Spur (Aus)**--Red Spice (Aus), by Red Anchor (NZ). Hawkesbury (New South Wales), 3-21, Shadola Sunscreens H., 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, A\$9,750 to winner. B-Mr & Mrs T S Dennis; T-Paul Perry.

Whata Hustler (NZ), g, 4, **Nicolotte (GB)**--Whata Beauty (NZ), by Zamazaan (Fr). Wanganui (New Zealand), 3-21, Tony Wilson Livestock Ltd Maiden, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, NZ\$2,812 to winner. B-Newbury Racing & Breeding Ltd; T-Jeff Lynds. *1/2 to Dannevegas (NZ) (Le Belvedere {USA}), GSW-NZ.

Another Trick (Aus), g, 4, **Vettori (Ire)**--Kybamar (Aus), by Marscay (Aus). Sale (Victoria), 3-21, Straford Maiden, 3yo/up, 7fT, A\$6,500 to winner. B-Bhima Pty Ltd; T-Nigel Blackiston.

Noble Sun (NZ), g, 6, **Desert Sun (GB)**--English Charm (NZ) (MSW & GSP-Aus), by Noble Bijou (USA). Sandown (Melbourne), 3-20, Iga Ninja H., 4yo/up, 5fT, A\$14,300 to winner. B-Ra Ora Stud Ltd; T-Quinton Scott.

★ IN THE BETTING PARLOUR ★

HAWK WING SHORTENS AGAIN

Hawk Wing (USA) (Woodman {USA}) was cut gain yesterday by Coral Eurobet into 7-1 as favourite for the G1 Epsom Derby June 8. Aidan O'Brien's colt is already quoted as the 5-2 favourite for the G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket May 4.

Coral Eurobet odds for the G1 Epsom Derby June 8 (correct as of 3-22-2002)

7-1 Hawk Wing (from 9-1); 16-1 Right Approach, Shaanmer; 20-1 High Chapparral, Dubai Destination, Sorcerous; 25-1 bar.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

+ **Murray (GB)**, g, 3, **Darshaan (GB)**--Melisendra (Fr), by Highest Honor (Fr). Doncaster, Britain, 3-22, Maltby Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo, 10f 60ydsT, £4,173 to winner. B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum.

Far Lane (USA), c, 3, **Lear Fan (USA)**--Patteimech (USA), by Nureyev (USA). Doncaster, Britain, 3-22, Mexborough Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo, 7fT, £4,388 to winner. B-Airlie Stud. *Ir£75,000 yrl '00 GOFORB.

Azdine (Fr), g, 3, **Riverquest (Fr)**--Dancing Fame (USA), by Northern Dancer (Can). Fontainebleau, France, 3-22, Prix Androcles (Cond), 3yo, 1 1/4mT, €9,000 to winner. B-J Campos, J C Campos & R Campos.

★ STATISTICS ★

FRENCH LEADERS as of 20 March 2002

BREEDER	RUNNERS	WINS	PRIZEMONEY (€)
Jean-Luc Lagardere	61	6	24,936
Elevage Haras de Bourgeauville	24	4	22,905
Jean-Claude Seroul	40	8	15,746
Wertheimer et Frere	45	9	14,673
Haras de Bernesq	42	4	14,370

OWNER	RUNNERS	WINS	PRIZEMONEY (€)
Sheikh Mohammed	40	10	169,330
Ecurie Vallin	40	11	167,400
Mme Ying Shen	47	6	145,350
Marquesa de Moratalla	40	9	94,910
Jean-Jacques Boutin	79	5	94,710



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