

## HEADLINE NEWS

### FRENCHMAN'S BAY TEMPTS OWN FATE

It's off to Royal Ascot for **Frenchman's Bay (Fr)** (Polar Falcon) after denying **Tempting Fate (Ire)** (Persian Bold {Ire}) in a thrilling finish to win yesterday's G3 Prix du Palais-Royal at Longchamp. Having finished 1½ lengths third behind Golan (Ire) in last year's G1 2000 Guineas at Newmarket, he was forced onto the sidelines with a thrown splint in his knee. He returned to take a Kempton maiden Apr. 1 in impressive fashion and arrived



**Frenchman's Bay takes tight photo at Longchamp**

Courtesy: France Galop

here seeking his first stakes success. Held up in fourth early by jockey Steve Drowne as Frankie Dettori sent second-choice Tempting Fate to the front of affairs, he was always travelling well and loomed up to challenge at the quarter-mile marker.

Taking command soon after, he was made to battle as the Godolphin filly rallied gamely and was even headed a stride before the line, but had his head down first where it mattered. Drowne explained, "I have probably gone there too soon--he's a proper horse, but he hasn't had that much racing and is still a bit inexperienced. He's just had a look and nearly given Frankie a chance to get back to me." Winning trainer Roger Charlton commented, "I am absolutely delighted--the horse has done well to come back and win like that. I'd like to train him for the G2 Queen Anne S. at Royal Ascot (June 18) as a mile will suit him better than seven furlongs and today I felt that perhaps we got to the front too soon. He is definitely a horse for the G1 Prix Jacques le Marois (at Deauville Aug. 18) as the race would suit him very well and he will improve--it is a serious target for the horse." Added owner Michael Pescod, "He is the best horse I have ever had."

### INCLUDE BACK FOR ANOTHER CRACK

Robert Meyerhoff's **Include** (Broad Brush) carries top weight of 120 pounds as he aims to become the third repeat winner of the GII Massachusetts H. in the last eight years Saturday afternoon at Suffolk Downs in East Boston. Won in its early years by Seabiscuit and Whirlaway, the MassCap was discontinued following Private Terms' win in 1989, but has experienced a renaissance since its return to the racing calendar in 1995. Cigar (1995 and 1996) and Skip Away (1997-1998) helped to put the race back on the map, Behrens and Running Stag turned in solid efforts in 1999 and 2000 and now Include tries to make it two straight. "He's training especially good going into this race," trainer Grover "Buddy" Delp said during Wednesday's post position draw. "I'm happy to have Jerry Bailey in the race. He won't get any orders from me." Neither does he need them, as the New York-based rider has accounted for four of the previous seven runnings. Include is expected to face a stiff test from **Macho Uno** (Holy Bull). The Stronach homebred finished a good fourth in last year's Breeders' Cup Classic and returned to action with a solid allowance victory at Gulfstream Park Mar. 23. "After his win [at Gulfstream], I called Mr. Stronach in Austria and told him that we could be looking at a Horse of the Year," commented trainer Joe Orseno. "I think he's as good a horse that is out there in the handicap division. He's mentally grown up and physically filled out. I've told all my friends and anyone who would listen, 'watch what my horse does this year'." Gary Stevens is in from California for the ride.

#### Saturday, Suffolk Downs

#### MASSACHUSETTS H.-GII, \$500,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Soes Bandit	Buckaroo	Jimenez	110
2	Macho Uno	Holy Bull	Stevens	117
3	Griffinite	Unbridled's Song	No Rider	111
4	Evening Attire	Black Tie Affair (Ire)	Bridgmohan	114
5	Compelling World	Compelling Sound	Rojas	110
6	Mongoose	Broad Brush	Prado	116
7	Include	Broad Brush	Bailey	120
8	John Little	Blushing John	Arroyo	112
9	Special Terms	Private Terms	Molinari	109

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☆ PREVIEW ☆

Friday, Baden-Baden, Germany, post time: 4:25 p.m.

**31ST BENAZET-RENNEN-G3**, €65,500, 3yo/up, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	10	Call Me Big (Ger)	Big Shuffle	E Groschel	132
2	3	El Gran Lode (Arg)	Lode	Lowther	132
3	4	Herve Leger (Ger)	Monsagem	Mayer	132
4	5	Mister Bold (Fr)	Poplar Bluff (GB)	Bellenger	132
5	1	Swedish Shave (Fr)	Midyan (USA)	R Gibson	132
6	8	Vicchio (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Suter	132
7	9	Castilla (Ire)	Spectrum (Ire)	Wohler	128
8	6	Homita (Ger)	Lomitas (GB)	Rau	128
9	2	Just Heavens Gate (GB)	Slip Anchor (GB)	Heidenreich	128
10	7	Sforza (Fr)	Zieten	Guigand	121

Saturday, Belmont Park

**SHEEPSHEAD BAY H.-GII**, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Tweedside	Thunder Gulch	Velazquez	114
2	Sweetest Thing	Candy Stripes	Guidry	119
3	Kentucky Rose (Fr)	Hernando (Fr)	Samyn	114
4	Golden Corona	Gulch	Migliore	114
5	Refugee	Unaccounted For	Chavez	114
6	Mot Juste (GB)	Mtoto (GB)	Castellano	119
7	Steiners Baby Girl	A.P. Indy	Dominguez	112
8	Peanut Gallery	Mister Baileys (GB)	Espinoza	113
9	Owsley	Harlan	Santos	113
10	Critical Eye	Dynaformer	Luzzi	113

☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

**OUR EMBLEM DEAL WORTH \$10 MILLION**

Ben Taylor, the head of the Taylor Made Stallion Division, confirmed yesterday that the purchase price for Our Emblem (Mr. Prospector) was \$10.1 million. "To own an 11-year-old son by Mr. Prospector out of broodmare of the year Personal Ensign who is not only the sire of a Kentucky Derby winner and two other graded-stakes winners already this year...at \$10 million it's a bargain." Our Emblem moves from his previous home at Murmur Farm in Maryland to stand next year at Taylor Made.

**CURRENCY CONVERSIONS**

	Unit/US\$	Unit/GB£
British pound	1.46509	1.00
Euro	0.936650	0.639312
U.S. dollar	1.00	0.682552

☆ RESULTS ☆

Thursday, Longchamp, France

**PRIX DU PALAIS-ROYAL-G3**, €66,000, Longchamp, 5-30, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:21.70, gd/sf.

1--#**@FRENCHMANS BAY (FR)**, 130, c, 4, by Polar Falcon

1st Dam: River Fantasy, by Irish River (Fr)

2nd Dam: Harbor Wine, by \*Herbager

3rd Dam: Bourbon Mist, by Double Jay

(42,000gns wnl '98 TATDEC; 35,000gns yrl '99 TATDEC). O-Michael Pescod; B-Anita Rothschild; T-Roger Charlton; J-Steve Drowne; €33,000.

Lifetime Record: G1SP-Eng, 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €112,525.

2--**Tempting Fate (Ire)**, 127, f, 4, Persian Bold (Ire)--West Of Eden (Ire), by Crofter. (Ir16,000gns wnl '98 GOFNOV; 27,000gns yrl '99 TATOCT).

O-Godolphin; B-Miss Ciara Eglinton; €13,200.

3--**Cayoke (Fr)**, 130, h, 5, Always Fair--Sarah Annita (GB), by Pharly (Fr). O/B-Mme Patricia D Beck; €9,900.

Margins: SHD, 3/4, HD. Odds: 1.20, 1.80, 21.10.

Also ran: Avranches (Fr), Domedriver (Ire), Greengroom (Fr), Quit Rent (GB). Scratched: Justy D'Or (Fr).

☆ TRIPLE THREATS ☆

**Baffert Oozing Confidence:**

A day after Kentucky Derby and Belmont winner **War Emblem** (Our Emblem) worked a solid five furlongs at Churchill Downs, trainer Bob Baffert's admiration for the near black colt continues to grow. "He looks awesome and he's feeling great," the silver-haired conditioner said. "It took about 10 minutes to get in the stall and calm him down," he said after War Emblem walked the shedrow yesterday morning. "He's put on weight since the start of this thing. If you think Point Given put on a show, wait till you see this horse. I can't wait for the Belmont." Point Given won last year's race by 12 1/4 lengths.

**Day Picks Up Mount On Like A Hero:**

Hall of Fame jockey Pat Day has accepted the mount on **Like A Hero** (Pleasant Colony) for the Belmont. Owned by Columbine Stable and trained by Beau Greely, the dark bay, winner of the Alydar S. at Hollywood Park May 23, arrived safely at Belmont Park on Wednesday after flying in from California.

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## ☆ NEW YORK ☆

### Yesterday's Results:

**8th-BEL, \$56,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:34 3/5, ft.**

**1--OPEN SESAME, 116, h, 5, Phone Trick--Dancing**

**Mahmoud, by Topsider.** O-Susan & John Moore;

B-Woodlynn Farm Inc (KY); T-James A Jerkens.

Lifetime Record: GSP, 22-7-3-5, \$300,178. \*1/2 to Hansel's Girl (Hansel), MGSP, \$237,979; Guided Tour (Hansel), MGSW, \$1,964,253.

**2--Wild Summer, 116, c, 4, Wild Again--Easy Summer, by Easy Goer.**

**3--Country Be Gold, 116, h, 5, Summer Squall--Beloved Bea, by Personal Flag.**

Margins: HF, 3 3/4, 2 3/4. Odds: 7.80, 10.70, 6.80.

Making his second start off a seven-month hiatus, Open Sesame outbattled a game Wild Summer as 2-5 Volponi (Cryptoclearance) came up empty in the stretch, finishing fourth. Open Sesame had paired up allowance victories last summer at Belmont and Saratoga, but was sidelined following a fifth in the GIII Stuyvesant H. on Breeders' Cup Day. He returned with a seventh-place effort in the GIII Westchester H. May 8 over course and distance and was sent postward here with Lasix for the first time. Hustled to the front, he was joined by Wild Summer on the turn and the pair slugged it out down the stretch, with Open Sesame battling back in the final strides for a well-earned victory.

**7th-BEL, \$50,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 2/5, fm.**

**1--CALISTA (GB), 122, f, 4, Caerleon--Proskona (Ch.**

**3yo Filly-Ity, GSW-Fr & Ity), by Mr. Prospector.**

O/B-Gerald W Leigh (GB); T-Christophe Clement.

Lifetime Record: MSW & GSP-Fr, GSP-US, 9-4-3-0, \$120,566. \*Full to Earthrise (Ire), SP-US, \$231,311.

**2--Russian Sweetiepie, 122, m, 5, Absent Russian--Irish Sweetie Pie, by Surreal.**

**3--Unbridled Vice, 122, m, 5, Unbridled--London Vice, by Vice Regent.**

Margins: 1HF, NK, 1 3/4. Odds: 1.00, 9.70, 12.10.

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### 7th-BEL, cont.

Trained by Jonathan Pease last year in France, Calista finished second in the G3 Prix de Psyche over 10 furlongs before cutting back successfully to a mile in the Listed Prix de la Cochere at Chantilly in September. She made her final start of 2001 in New York, beaten just a head in the GIII Pebbles H. Sept. 14 at Belmont. Even-money off the long layoff, the bay filly raced close up in fourth, shifted to the outside approaching the stretch and finished strongly to gain the victory.

## ☆ MIDWEST ☆

### AQHA Loses Two Members, Four Horses in Collapse:

Two members of the American Quarter Horse Association and four horses are among the victims of the Arkansas River bridge collapse in Oklahoma this past Sunday. Gail Shanahan and Margaret Smith, each long-time members of the AQHA, were returning to their Texas homes from competitions in Arkansas at the time of the accident. A horse trailer carrying four American Quarter Horses was also lost. A 500-foot section of Interstate 40 collapsed in the early morning hours of May 26 after being struck by a barge.

### Yesterday's Results:

**9th-CDX, \$35,530, Alw, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35 4/5, fm.**

**POINT PRINCE (c, 3, Youmadeyourpoint--Princess of**

**Note, by Notebook) was claimed for \$12,500 after**

breaking his maiden in his Dec. 20 debut at Calder, then won vs. \$35,000 claimers at Gulfstream Park Jan. 20.

Given a break after that effort, the dark bay came back to be third in a Churchill allowance race Apr. 27.

Returning at that level as the 7-2 third choice, he closed from fourth to take the lead in deep stretch and edged clear for a one-length tally. Lifetime Record:

4-3-0-1, \$46,180.

O-Team Valor Stables. B-Stanley M. Ersoff (FL). T-Dale Romans.

### STAKES CLOSINGS

**TOMORROW, SATURDAY, JUNE 1:**

06-15 \$250,000 *Brooklyn H.-II, Bel, 3yo/up, 9f (250)*

07-13 \$500,000 *Virginia Derby, Cnl, 3yo, 10fT (150)*



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☆ EAST ☆

**Wednesday's Late Results:**

**1st-WOX, \$69,900, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44 1/5, ft.**

**SONG OF THE WILD (f, 4, Gone West--Wilderness Song {Ch. Older Mare-Can, GISW, \$1,482,005}, by Wild Again)** had posted a front-running victory in her career debut at Churchill Downs on the Kentucky Oaks undercard in a seven-furlong test and was bet down to 1-5 in her first try at two turns. Breaking alertly, the dark bay stalked Ma Kitty (Meadowlake) to the top of the stretch, smoothly took command and drew off by 3 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$61,160. O/B-Sam-Son Farms (ON). T-Mark Frostad.

**Yesterday's Results:**

**3rd-MTH, \$32,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f, 1:00, ft.**

**MIKE'S WILDCAT (f, 2, Forest Wildcat--Old Flame {SP}, by Black Tie Affair {Ire})** showed good speed before tiring to fourth in her May 5 bow at Hollywood. With that effort under her belt, the 4-5 chalk pressed the pace, assumed command turning for home and cruised in clear by 5 3/4 lengths over Emblitterate. The winner was a \$60,000 KEENOV weanling and \$200,000 OBSMAR juvenile purchase. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$21,780. O-JMJ Racing Stables. B-Michael Hernon (KY). T-Jeff Bonde.

**Dream Run Heads Moseley:**

John D. Murphy's **Dream Run** (Cherokee Run) is the headliner in a field of six for Saturday's co-featured \$150,000 James B. Moseley Breeders' Cup H. at Suffolk Downs. The four-year-old had a successful winter in Florida, with a victory over subsequent GI Oaklawn H. runner-up Bowman's Band in a Jan. 24 optional claimer prior to a 1 1/2-length score in the GII Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup H. Mar. 9. His most recent efforts have been less successful, with a fifth-place finish in the GI Carter H. Apr. 13 and a well-beaten ninth in the GII Churchill Downs H. May 4 after breaking in the air. Trained by Paul McGee, the bay colt breaks from post position four in the 3/4-mile event and will be ridden by jockey Jerry Bailey.

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☆ SO. CALIFORNIA ☆

**Yesterday's Results:**

**CALIFORNIA SIRE S., \$100,000, (R), HOL, 5-30, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/16mT, 1:42, fm.**

**1--#GOBI DAN, 120, c, 3, Huckster--Jellicent, by Silent Fox.** (\$4,000 2yo 2001 BESMAY). O-Dickelman & Settupane; B-Carl & Olivia Cannata (CA); T-Patrick Gallagher; J-E Delahoussaye; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 11-4-2-2, \$214,770.

**2--Sterling Wisdom, 117, c, 3, Bertrando--Wisdom Keeper, by Pirate's Bounty.** O-King Arthur Farms or Smith or Wong. \$20,000.

**3--Kith, 115, c, 3, Sharp Victor--Sister Ciscus, by Valdez.** O-Marilyn & Sonja Malmuth. \$12,000. Margins: 3, 2, 2. Odds: 1.10, 6.60, 2.60.

Gobi Dan had finished fifth in his only previous start on turf, an allowance down the hill at Santa Anita in November. The dark bay defeated state-breds in a Santa Anita allowance Mar. 28 and followed that up with a fourth in the Snow Chief S. Apr. 28 on Hollywood's main track. Squeezed a bit at the start, Gobi Dan chased the pace through three-quarters in 1:12.30, challenged three wide and pulled away smartly for his first stakes victory.

**6th-HOL, \$45,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft.**

**STORMED (c, 3, Storm Cat--Liteup My Life, by Green Dancer)** was dusted in his Mar. 24 debut going a mile at Santa Anita Mar. 24, then finished fourth going 6 1/2 furlongs in his second start Apr. 21. Let go at 13-1 in his third attempt, the bay settled in second through six furlongs, drove to the front in the stretch and pulled away to win by five lengths. The winner is out of a half sister to his owner's former stars Sharp Cat (Storm Cat) and Royal Anthem (Theatrical {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$29,880.

O/B-The Thoroughbred Corporation (KY). T-John Shirreffs.

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**AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN FRANCE:**

\***Phantom Hawk**, f, 3, **Silver Hawk**--Phantom Day, by Riverman. Longchamp, 5-30, Prix de la Cerisaie (Cond), 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, \$13,599 to winner. O/B-Ecurie Skymarc Farm; T-Nicolas Clement.

**AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN BRITAIN:**

**Muhareb**, c, 3, **Thunder Gulch**--Queen Of Spirit, by Deputy Minister. Goodwood, 5-30, Avtrade H. (Class C), 3yo, 1 1/2mT, \$10,376 to winner. O-Saeed Manana; B-Katalpa Farm; T-Clive Brittain. \*\$72,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

☆ INDUSTRY INFO ☆

**Restructuring at The Jockey Club**

The business unit that served as the information technology group for The Jockey Club and a technology consultant for the Thoroughbred industry at large has become a wholly owned subsidiary of The Jockey Club and has been named The Jockey Club Technology Services, Inc. (TJCTS). The change is the latest modification resulting from The Jockey Club's corporate restructuring announced in August 2001. As part of that restructuring, the racetrack software company formerly known as McKinnie Systems, Inc. became InCompass, the entity that is building a centralized database and integrated communications network to enhance delivery of information, products and services within the industry. "Although our name and corporate structure have changed, we will continue to serve the wide-ranging technology needs of The Jockey Club family of companies and the variety of industry organizations who enlist our help in devising and implementing solutions for their own unique situations," explained Robert A. Burch, the president of TJCTS. The origins of the new company trace back to the 1960s when it was known as The Jockey Club Statistical Bureau. It was formed to computerize pedigree and performance records in order to simplify the task of compiling catalogue pages for horses sold at public auction.



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**BREEDERS' EDITION**

**STAKES RESULTS:**

**STEADY GROWTH S.**, \$142,125, WOX, 5-29, (R), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, ft.

1--**RUNAWAY LOVE**, 117, h, 5, **Regal Classic--First Class Gal**, by Geiger Counter. O-Brandon Brako Stable & B-James E Day (ON); T-Abraham R Katryan; J-E Ramsammy; \$85,275. Lifetime Record: 29-7-3-3, \$400,388. \*Full to One Way Love, Ch. Older Mare & Ch. Sprinter-Can, GSW & GISP, \$962,517.

2--**Ice Water**, 117, g, 7, **Regal Classic--Princess of Winter**, by Master Derby. \$28,425.

3--**Geraint**, 117, g, 6, **Ascot Knight--Elysee**, by Drone. \$15,634.

Margins: 2 1/4, NK, 1HF. Odds: 3.05, 6.60A, 2.25.

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

2nd-**WOX**, \$72,200, 5-29, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:20 3/5, fm.

**AMAZON RIVER** (c, 4, **River Special--Valid Linda {SW}**, by **Valid Appeal**) Lifetime Record: SW, 22-5-4-2, \$228,267. O-Hoffman Kenneth E. B-Live Oak Stud (FL). T-Nicholas Gonzalez. \*1/2 to Highland Appeal (Highland Blade), MSW, \$136,753; and Cash Twenty (Star de Naskra), SW & GSP, \$156,097.

6th-**BEL**, \$44,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft.

**BRIANNA GRACE** (f, 3, **Scarlet Ibis--Kelly Martin**, by **Chromite**) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-1, \$75,710. O/B-Flying Zee Stables (NY). T-Carlos F Martin.

8th-**CDX**, \$39,240, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35, ft.

**PASS RUSH** (c, 3, **Crown Ambassador--Profitable Knight {SW}**, by **Knight**) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-1-1, \$87,600. O-Michael B Tabor. B-Swifty Farms Inc. (IN). T-Patrick B Byrne.

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**8th-MTH, \$35,890**, Opt. Clm. (\$50-45,000), 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:45 4/5, ft.  
**REGAL COUNTESS (f, 4, Regal Search--Insight to Hope, by Copelan)** Lifetime Record: 20-6-3-1, \$105,125.  
 O/T-Allen Iwinski. B-John B Ingleson (KY).

**7th-PIM, \$31,000**, Opt. Clm. (\$30-25,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56 2/5, fm.  
**BROAD VICTORY (m, 5, Spartan Victory--Below Broad Street {SW, \$103,043}, by Kokand)** Lifetime Record: 15-6-3-2, \$102,351. O-Gamblers Dream Stable.  
 B-Sandy Valley Farms (VA). T-Earl P Begley Jr.

**7th-PRM, \$30,250**, 5-29, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.  
**SCOOTER'S SUNMAN (c, 4, Sun Man--Pandora's Prospect {SP}, by North Prospect)** Lifetime Record: 12-4-1-0, \$50,137. O/B-Will Carlson (IA). T-Doug L Anderson.

**8th-PRM, \$28,000**, 5-29, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38, ft.  
**ABOVE THE HARBOR (f, 4, Petionville--Tremolos {GSP, \$144,362}, by Vice Regent)** Lifetime Record: SP, 24-5-6-5, \$157,620. O-Maggie Moss. B-J D Squires (KY). T-Dick R Clark.

**10th-PHA, \$26,964**, 5-29, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:47 1/5, ft.  
**SCOTCH DANCER (f, 4, Carnivalay--J. Scotch, by Scotchman)** Lifetime Record: 19-3-4-3, \$56,881. O-Gama Racing Stable. B-Gary J Brockmeyer (PA). T-Bob Wolfe Jr. \*1/2 to Alpine Music (Travelling Music), SP, \$170,113.

**7th-STP, \$20,576**, 5-29, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.  
**VYING ROAD (h, 5, Vying Victor--Cimarron Road, by Kennedy Road)** Lifetime Record: SP, 24-10-2-3, \$83,877. O-Frank Stephan Bodell. B-Ila E Khan (AB). T-David Nicholson.

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**4th-CTX, \$20,000**, 5-29, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:26 3/5, ft.  
**WHO'S YA MAMA (f, 4, Allen's Prospect--Shoo Fly Mama, by Megaturn)** Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, \$48,147. O/B-Donald E Cox (WV). T-David Walters.

**2nd-HST, \$19,602**, 5-29, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5, wf.  
**IRISH PLEASURE (c, 4, Maudlin--Irish Sweets {MSW}, by Irish Tower)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 14-2-4-2, \$68,522. O-W T Wilson, S Cross, Stillun Stable & M Woolrich. B-W Wilson, M Woolrich, S & K Cross, Stillun Stable et al (BC). T-Frank E Barroby.

**MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Mike's Wildcat, f, 2, Forest Wildcat--Old Flame (SP), by Black Tie Affair (Ire).** MTH, 5-30, 5f, 1:00. B-Michael Hernon (Ky). \*\$60,000 wlng '00 KEENOV; \$200,000 2yo '02 OBSMAR.

**Time for a Heart, f, 2, Gilded Time--Sea Gulch, by Gulch.** CDX, 5-30, (C), 5f, :57 4/5. B-Mr & Mrs G J Stautberg (Ky).

**Lady Eddie, f, 2, Nineeven--My Miss Ilse (MSP, \$206,009), by Black Mackee.** HOL, 5-30, (C), 5f, :59 3/5. B-Terry C Lovingier (Ca).

**Souvenir Crown, f, 2, Souvenir Copy--Homecoming Crown, by Chief's Crown.** HOL, 5-30, (C), 5f, :58 4/5. B-Mr & Mrs John C Mabee (Ca). \*1/2 to Eternal Vigilance (Half A Year), SW, \$109,859. \*\*Third winner for freshman sire (by Mr. Prospector).

+ **Like Flying, f, 3, Beautiful Crown--Like Sixty (MSW), by Astray.** BMX, 5-30, (C), 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Dinesh Maniar & Getaway Farms (Ca).

**Troublesome, f, 3, Hennessy--Noumea, by Plugged Nickle.** CTX, 5-29, 7f, 1:30. B-Eugenia D Paisley (Ky).

**Tell Me Ellie, f, 3, Oh Say--Sheba Sheba, by Feel the Power.** CTX, 5-30, 7f, 1:28 4/5. B-Peter C Burnett (Md).

**Stormed, c, 3, Storm Cat--Liteup My Life, by Green Dancer.** HOL, 5-30, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5. B-The Thoroughbred Corporation (Ky).

**Dawn's Creek, c, 3, Storm Creek--Battle at Dawn, by Granacus.** WOX, 5-29, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Mockingbird Farm Inc (Fl). \*\$29,000 2yo '01 OBSMAR.

**Topspin Lob, f, 3, Technology--My Highness, by Sir Wimborne.** BEL, 5-30, (C), 1m, 1:38 2/5. B-Charles Deters (Ky). \*1/2 to Sheik Wimborne (D'Accord), SW-Jam. (*Maiden winners cont. p6*)

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## WRITERS UP

### COMPELLING MASS 'CAP FOR WACHTEL

by *Bill Finley*

When **Compelling World** (Compelling Sound) starts in Saturday's Massachusetts H. at Suffolk Downs, even his optimistic owner will know that it will take a career-best effort for him to challenge such seasoned handicap performers as Macho Uno, Evening Attire, Mongoose and Include. But that's just fine. As Ed Wachtel sees it, he's already ahead of the game with Compelling World, another find from a stable that likes to take divergent courses to the winner's circle.

Compelling Sound was one part of one of Wachtel's most successful afternoons at the racetrack. The four-year-old won the first division of the King's Point H. April 28 at Aqueduct an hour or so before stablemate Mount Intrepid won the second. Compelling Sound was claimed by Wachtel for \$75,000, while Mount Intrepid, who upset Gander in his division of the Kings Point, is a homebred.

"Sometimes you get lucky and sometimes you don't," said Wachtel, the former chairman and CEO of Europe Craft Imports, a company that produces and markets Members Only and Perry Ellis attire. "All we're trying to do is come up with a good horse. The way we go about it gives us some balance."

Wachtel and his son, Adam, who is his racing manager, liked what they saw when Compelling Sound was dropped into a Sept. 22, 2000, maiden claiming race at Belmont. The Wachtels concentrate on New York-breds and this was one who appeared to have talent and all of his conditions left. All claims or private purchases are made only after consulting with Len Friedman, an associate of Len Ragozin, who produces the Ragozin sheets.

"There are two markets out there," Wachtel said. "One is the breeding market and the other is for horses that can either be purchased privately or claimed. We're looking for a horse that may be worth \$200,000 that we can get for \$75,000."

His progress was hampered by a small fracture in a hind leg, but, with an allowance win and the Kings Point victory, he is starting to live up to his potential this year. Adam Wachtel believes he could turn out to be one of the most talented horses his father has owned.

"I know people think this horse will be in way over his head and I know he'll be 30-1," Adam Wachtel said. "But we're getting in very light (110 pounds) and he is a fast horse. We may not win, but we can earn more by hitting the board there than we could in New York in an allowance."

Over the years, Wachtel has found several other bargains, either claiming or purchasing several horses who have turned into stakes caliber runners. But perhaps none has turned out to be more important to his operation than Claramount.

Then working with Jerry Brown of the Thoro-Graph Sheets, Wachtel claimed the New York-bred for \$62,500 on June 12, 1988 at Hollywood Park. Always on the lookout for New York bred runners outside of New York, he figured Claramount would be a lot more productive at the NYRA tracks. Once Wachtel got him there, he won four stakes races, including the Grade II Boojum and the Grade III Philadelphia Park Breeders' Cup. But his best work has come in the breeding shed.

Claramount's progeny, the majority of whom are raced by Wachtel, have recorded average earnings per start of \$58,041 and the list of his better horses includes stakes winners Stalwart Member, Broomesse, Fickle Fanny and Mount Intrepid.

"One of the things I am most proud of is that I was able to recognize Claramount for what he has become," Ed Wachtel said. "It could have been easy to send him off when he was done racing, but we didn't. Because of Claramount, I'm in the business to the extent that I am today. I took a risk, but I recognized his potential value as a sire. He's the best kept secret out there."

Claramount, the 1988 New York bred Horse of the Year, stands at the Stallion Park in Millbrook, New York and his stud fee is listed at \$2,500.

Compelling World is in the minority in the Wachtel barn in that he's not by Claramount, but he is a New York-bred and does have ability. That makes him a good fit for a good program.



## FRESHMAN FOCUS

**First-crop progeny to watch: Friday, May 31**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1999 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW  
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**DEPUTY COMMANDER** (Deputy Minister), Airdrie, \$20K, 97/0/0  
6-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Fiesta, \$150K FTS AUG yrl

**STORMY ATLANTIC** (Storm Cat), Bridlewood, \$3K, 48/0/0  
6-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Stormy Raccoon, \$4K OBS OCT wnl

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**Maiden Winners cont.**

**Bat Runner**, c, 4, **Broad Brush**--Bat Prospector, by Mr. Prospector. BEL, 5-30, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:19 1/5. B-J Mack Robinson (Ky). \*1/2 to Capital Gains (Pleasant Colony), MSP, \$151,217.

**Tiger's Reign**, f, 4, **Ends Well**--Tiger's Burn (MSP), by Big Burn. BEL, 5-30, (S), 1mT, 1:37 1/5. B-John Desmond (NY).

**Ma Femme**, f, 4, **Husband**--Jazzerciser, by Tarleton Oak. BEL, 5-30, (S), 1mT, 1:36 2/5. B-Peggy Vandervoort Kumble (NY).

+ **Tony's Loc**, c, 4, **Lac Ouimet**--Furtaw's Friend (GSW, \$177,672), by Water Bank. HOL, 5-30, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5. B-Josephine & Tony Rescigno (Ca). \*1/2 to Ta Ta Be True (Truly Met), SW, \$354,069.

**Align**, f, 4, **Rainbow Quest**--Strike a Balance, by Green Dancer. PIM, 5-30, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 3/5. B-Pin Oak Stud, Inc (Ky). \*1/2 to Peaks and Valleys (Mt. Livermore), Horse of the Year & Ch. 3yo-Can, MGISW, \$1,589,270; and Alternate (Seattle Slew), SW, \$103,012.

**Pretty You**, c, 4, **You and I**--Pretty Run, by Storm Cat. WOX, 5-29, 6f, (C), 1:11 3/5. B-Dale Roberts (Ky). \*\$25,000 wlng '98 KEENOV.

 **SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

**First-time Starters & Stakes Progeny: Friday, May 31**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**GOLD CASE** (Forty Niner), Adena, \$5K, 117/15/1  
3-PRM, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Excitinglikegold, 5-1  
3-WO, Msw, 6f, +Girl Guide, 6-1  
5-HAW, Stk, 6 1/2f, Gold Taker, 5-2

**HELMSMAN** (El Gran Senor), Pegasus, \$8K, 92/17/1  
3-PRM, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Perfect Dear, \$15K OBS AUG yrl, 9-2

**SIPHON (BRZ)** (Itajara {Arg}), Airdrie, \$15K, 168/15/1  
3-WO, Msw, 6f, +Start Stinging, 6-1

**SUAVE PROSPECT** (Fortunate Prospect), Farnsworth, \$3K, 83/15/1  
6-CRC, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Heavenly Miss, \$72K OBS APR 2yo

**URGENT REQUEST (IRE)** (Rainbow Quest), Flag Is Up, \$4K, 63/11/1  
2-HOL, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Shalini

**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.**

 **FOALING NEWS**

**CHRISSY'S SECRET**, 15, Northern Jove--Amber Kim (Selari)

Foal born 3-19, a colt by Clever Trick. Will be bred back to Clever Trick. Owned by K.C. Horse Corp. Boarded at Honeysuckle Farm, KY. Accomplishments: MSW, \$129,024.

**JEWEL OF THE MILE**, 17, Spectacular Bid--Alma North (Northern Dancer)

Foal born 3-19, a filly by Carson City. Will be bred back to High Yield. Owned by Cashmark Farm. Boarded at Grass Valley Farm, KY. Accomplishments: Dam of Wild Jewel (Wild Again), SP-Fr; and Swift Appraisal (Star de Naskra), MSW, \$272,705.

**LADY OF GLAMOUR**, 17, Bates Motel--Kings Peace (Olden Times)

Foal born 3-27, a colt by Sadler's Wells. Will be bred back to Silver Deputy. Owned by Cashmark Farm. Boarded at Grass Valley Farm, KY. Accomplishments: Dam of Statesmanship (Silver Deputy), MGSW, \$498,354.

**STAROLAMO**, 13, Bargain Day--Key to the Green (Key to the Kingdom)

Foal born 4-11, a colt by Cape Town. Will be bred back to Charismatic. Owned by Cashmark Farm. Boarded at Grass Valley Farm, KY. Accomplishments: MSW, \$204,848.

**NUREYEV'S PARK**, 17, Nureyev--Flaming Victress (Victoria Park)

Foal born 4-12, a filly by Fusaichi Pegasus. Will be bred back to Royal Academy. Owned by Cashmark Farm. Boarded at Grass Valley Farm, KY. Accomplishments: Dam of Wasatch (Time for a Change), GSW, \$246,050.

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## ★ IRELAND ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**SAVAL BEG S.-Listed**, €49,920, Leopardstown, 5-30, 3yo/up, 1 3/4mT, 3:20.50, sf.

1--**VINNIE ROE (IRE)**, 141, c, 4, **Definite Article (GB)--Kayu (USA)**, by **Tap On Wood (Ire)**. (Ir48,000gns wln '98 GOFNOV; Ir£50,000 yrl '99 GOFORB). O-Seamus Sheridan; B-Mrs Virginia Moeran; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat Smullen; €33,800. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Ire & Fr, 12-7-0-2, €396,204. \*1/2 to Rich Victim (Ire) (Lapierre {GB}), MSW-HK.

2--**Crimphill (Ire)**, 129, f, 4, **Sadler's Wells (USA)--Vernonhills (Ire)**, by **Hard Fought (Ire)**. €9,880.

3--**Holy Orders (Ire)**, 132, h, 5, **Unblest (GB)--Shadowglow (GB)**, by **Shaadi (USA)**. €4,680.

Margins: 4, 3/4, 6. Odds: 2-1, 9-2, 6-4.

Also ran: **Really (Ire)**, **Chimes At Midnight (USA)**, **Red Bartsia (GB)**. Did not finish (Pulled up): **Dibiya (Ire)**.

Vinnie Roe carried a nine-pound penalty for his success in the G1 Prix Royal-Oak (French St Leger) at Longchamp last October, but proved unhindered as he put his rivals firmly in their place here. Held up in last position by Pat Smullen early on the rail as Chimes at Midnight (USA) (Danzig {USA}) cut out the running, he traveled well and needed only minimal encouragement to keep tabs on the leading pack. Making his move on the heels of the favourite Holy Orders under a confident Michael Kinane entering the straight, he appeared momentarily held as that rival kicked into the lead. Quickening to hit the front with a furlong remaining, he was sent clear from there for an impressive score. The colt completed the Irish-French St Leger double last fall; he is unbeaten over further than a mile and a half, but found Galileo (Ire) too strong when third in the Listed Ballysax S. at Leopardstown in April, fourth in the G3 Derby Trial in May and seventh in the G1 Irish Derby in early July. Winning trainer Dermot Weld said, "He's done very well from three to four and if he gets the trip in the G1 Ascot Gold Cup [at Royal Ascot June 20], he'll take a lot of beating."

**6.30 Leopardstown, Roundwood EBF Fillies Maiden**, €19,200, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:24.00, sf.

**WARRIMOO (IRE)** (f, 2, **Flying Spur {Aus}--Schonbein {Ire}**), by **Persian Heights {GB}**), sent off the 3-1 joint second favourite, raced in second early shadowing Proud Beauty (Ire) (Danehill {USA}). Asked to quicken in the straight, she responded in game fashion to cut down the long-time leader with a furlong remaining before being pushed out to hold that rival by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €15,000. O-Prospectors Syndicate; B-M Morrin; T-Kevin Prendergast; J-Declan McDonogh.

**7.0 Leopardstown, EBF Median Auction Maiden**, €19,200, 2yo, 7fT, 1:35.40, sf.

**AKANTI (IRE)** (c, 2, **Key of Luck {USA}--Lock's Heath {USA}**), by **Topsider {USA}**), sent off at odds of 5-1, broke well and raced in second early as Noble Speech (USA) (Victory Speech {USA}) led. Quickening past that rival with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, he was pushed out to score by a comfortable three-length margin. The winner was a Ir£10,000 GOF OCT yearling. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, €16,060.

O-Third Avenue Syndicate; B-Limestone Stud; T-Ger Lyons; J-Wayne Smith.

**9.00 Leopardstown, Irishtown Maiden**, €17,320, 3yo, 1mT, 1:49.00, sf.

**MARIE PAVIE (IRE)** (f, 3, **Entrepreneur {GB}--Kallavesi {USA}**), by **Woodman {USA}**), sent off at odds of 11-2, raced in fourth on the rail early as Samer (USA) (Spinning World {USA}) led. She quickened off the final turn to pass the long-time leader with 150 yards remaining before asserting to win by a length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €13,010.

O/B-Dr Vincent O'Brien; T-Charles O'Brien; J-Niall McCullagh.

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## ★ BRITAIN ★

### TV PROGRAM POINTS THE FINGER

Four trainers have been accused of allegedly breaching the Jockey Club Rules of Racing by a BBC investigative program, it was announced yesterday. David Wintle, Dudley Moffatt, Ferdy Murphy and Jamie Osborne were yesterday named by the National Trainers Federation as the trainers singled out by the show *Kenyon Confronts*. Reporters for the program interviewed the trainers and secretly recorded their conversations, according to the NTF, whose statement read: "We have advised the trainers concerned that if the BBC publishes material which suggests, without justification, a breach on their part of the Rules of Racing and/or any other potentially defamatory material, they should take legal advice. At the very least, these methods of apparent entrapment seem unworthy of the BBC. Moreover, the resulting programme can only present a distorted view and sensationalised misrepresentation of a business which provides a livelihood to thousands of hardworking people. The programme appears to be focusing on how horses achieve a handicap rating and how money can be made at gambling. The journalists seem to be under the false impression that a trainer is in breach of the Rules of Racing by running a horse over an unsuitable distance or when the horse is not fully fit. All the trainers maintain that they have not breached the Rules of Racing and that they were induced into making remarks that have been taken out of context and used to support accusations of hypothetical breaches of the rules."

### NEW MAN AT IRM

International Racecourse Management (IRM) Limited yesterday announced the appointment of Steven Clarke. Clarke will be based at Doncaster racecourse as general manager, effective June 10. John Sanderson, Chief Executive of IRM, said yesterday, "We are really pleased to have secured Steven as a new member of our management team. He has a wealth of knowledge about the racing industry and we are confident that he will soon prove to be a valuable member of our young racecourse management set up."

#### Yesterday's Results:

**3.25 Ayr, EBF Crosshill Classified S. (Class C) (Cond),** £13,060, 3yo, 1mT, 1:44.30, gd.

**ANNA WALHAAN (IRE) (c, 3, Green Desert {USA}--Queens Music {USA}, by Dixieland Band {USA})** was sent to the lead from the outset and soon held a five-length advantage over 8-13 favourite Pentecost (GB) (Tagula {Ire}). The 5-1 chance was ridden along at the quarter-mile marker, was headed at the distance, but was driven out in the closing stages to regain the lead in the dying strides, beating Pentecost by a neck. Lifetime Record: GSP-Eng, 9-2-1-1, £25,709.

O-Jaber Abdullah; B-Norelands Bloodstock; T-Mick Channon; J-Tony Culhane.

#### (British report cont.)

**3.40 Goodwood, Casco Classified S. (Class C) (Cond),** £10,800, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:43.37, gd.

**SANDY LADY (IRE) (f, 3, Desert King {Ire}--Mamma's Too {GB} {MSW-Eng & SW-Ger, \$100,900} by Skyliner {Ire})** was positioned in a stalking second as Injaaz (GB) (Sheikh Albadou {GB}) led before joining the leader at halfway. The 9-4 second choice was sent to the front with three furlongs to run, was ridden along at the quarter-mile marker and was driven out inside the final furlong to hold the strong finish of Finished Article (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire}) by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-2, £21,872.

O-Thurloe Thoroughbreds VII; B-Mamma's Too Syndicate; T-Richard Hannon; J-Kevin Darley.

**4.45 Goodwood, Goodwood Flying School Maiden Auction S. (Class D),** £6,840, 2yo, 5fT, 1:01.89, gd.

**STREAKY (IRE) (f, 2, Danetime {Ire}--Solo Symphony {Ire}, by Fayruz {GB})** was settled in rear from the outset as Rowan Express (GB) (Air Express {Ire}) led and made good headway from the quarter-mile mark as The Privateer (GB) (Bahamian Bounty {GB}) took over. The 14-1 chance was ridden along when switched to the inside rail at the eighth pole and ran on well in the closing stages to assert a three-parts of a length superiority over Sabo Pet (GB) (Prince Sabo {GB}). Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, £5,334.

O-Graham Brown; B-A F O'Callaghan; T-Nerys Dutfield; J-Jamie Mackay.

**4.10 Goodwood, Flying Scholarships For Disabled Maiden S. (Class D),** £6,480, 3yo, 7fT, 1:30.29, gd.

**PABLO (GB) (c, 3, Efisio {GB}--Winnebago {GB}, by Kris {GB})** was settled in fourth after the break before making headway from the three-furlong marker. The 7-2 chance challenged at the quarter-mile marker, quickened to the front at the distance and was ridden clear thereafter to defeat Double Helix (GB) (Marju {Ire}) by an impressive nine lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, £5,900.

O/B-Guy Reed; T-Barry Hills; J-Michael Hills.

**2.25 Ayr, EBF Ayr May Novice S. (Class D) (Cond),** £5,300, 2yo, 6fT, 1:16.70, gd.

+ **HELM BANK (GB) (c, 2, [Wild Again {USA}](#)--Imperial Bailiwick {Ire} {GSW-Eng & GSP-Fr}, by Imperial Frontier {USA})** raced last of the five runners as Sir Albert (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}) led but was pushed along at halfway. The 8-1 chance made headway from the quarter-mile marker, was third at the eighth pole and responded well to strong driving to secure a short head win from Moon At Midnight (GB) (Night Shift {USA}) on the line. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,445.

O/B-Mr & Mrs G Middlebrook; T-Mark Johnston; J-Keith Dalgleish.



★ FRANCE ★

**Yesterday's Results:**

**2.15 Longchamp, Prix de la Cerisaie (Cond), €29,000,** 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 2:10.50, gd/sf.

**PHANTOM HAWK (USA) (f, 3, Silver Hawk {USA}--Phantom Day {USA}, by Riverman {USA})** was soon at the head of affairs in advance of a stalking Khandahar (GB) (Zamindar {USA}) and continued to lead into the home straight. The 51-10 chance came under pressure as Khandahar challenged at the quarter-mile marker and needed to be driven out inside the final eighth to bravely hold the strong late charge of Tigertail (Fr) (Priolo {USA}) by a short head. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €31,134. O/B-Ecurie Skymarc Farm; T-Nicolas Clement; J-Cedric Laporte.

**3.20 Longchamp, Prix du Pre Catelan (Cond), €29,000,** 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:07.30, gd/sf.

**SOMELIER (FR) (g, 3, Saumarez {GB}--Crazy Deb {Fr}, by Exit To Nowhere {USA})** was sent straight to the lead in advance of Sphinx Bleu (USA) (Gulch {USA}), but was headed by that rival at the quarter-mile marker. The 173-10 outsider rallied under pressure approaching the final furlong, was ridden to regain the lead with 150 yards to go and ran on well in the closing stages to account for the running on Roll Call (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}) by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 4 wins, 4 places, €45,313. O/T-Jean-Claude Goerst; B-Comte A de Ganay; J-Lionel Pascouau.

★ ITALY ★

**Wednesday's Late Results:**

**3.30 Milan, Premio Mercallo (Cond), €15,300,** 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:04.50, gd.

**LOBATICA (GER) (f, 3, Acatenango {Ger}--Lebrija {Ger}, by Windwurf {Ger})** Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €14,875. O-C Wiegandt; B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof; T-M Rotering; J-L Sorrentino. *(Italian report cont.)*

**Friday, Rome, post time: 5:10 p.m.**

**PREMIO ALESSANDRO PERRONE-Listed, €53,550,** 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	9	Bell'Irish (Ire)	Charente River (Ire)	Venditti
2	7	Golden Nepi (Ire)	Revoque (Ire)	Fratini
3	2	Kiralik (GB)	Efisio (GB)	Renzoni
4	6	La Giudecca (Ire)	Millkom (GB)	Riccardi
5	1	Marbye (Ire)	Marju (Ire)	Grizzetti
6	4	Mrs Harbour (USA)	Boundary (USA)	Colella
7	8	Per Averti (GB)	Averti (Ire)	Oppo
8	3	Sayuri (Ire)	Zafonic (USA)	L Brogi
9	5	Suave Gallant (USA)	Suave Prospect (USA)	Menichetti

All carry 123 pounds.

**Friday, Rome, post time: 4:40 p.m.**

**PREMIO WWF-Listed, €53,550,** 4yo/up, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	15	Bluluna (Ire)	Catrail (USA)	Baschieri
2	6	Dream Chief (USA)	Holy Bull (USA)	Guarnieri
3	11	Drift Of Sands (GB)	Exit To Nowhere (USA)	R Brogi
4	14	Haraplata (Ger)	Platini (Ger)	Mader
5	7	Kaka (GB)	Sharpo (GB)	Hofer
6	9	L'Erede (Ity)	Brief Truce (USA)	F Camici
7	13	Madras (Ire)	Sri Pekan (USA)	Peraino
8	8	Mr Picchio (Ire)	Cois Na Tine (Ire)	Vincis
9	4	Onice Nero (GB)	Primo Dominie (GB)	Grizzetti
10	5	Overspect (GB)	Spectrum (Ire)	Pessi
11	1	Prophet Island (Ire)	Turtle Island (Ire)	Renzoni
12	2	San Pietro (USA)	Miesque's Son (USA)	Antonacci
13	12	Tonkov (Ire)	Tenby (GB)	Salvioni
14	3	Tuberosa (Ire)	Turtle Island (Ire)	Grassi
15	10	Vehoru (GB)	Rudimentary (USA)	Riccardi

All carry 121 pounds except Haraplata, 118 pounds.

★ HONG KONG ★

**WINNERS BY EUROPEAN STALLIONS:**

**Earl Grey (GB), g, 4, Twining (USA)--Regal Peace (GB)** (SW & GSP-Ire, SP-US, \$121,359), by Known Fact (USA). Sha Tin, 5-29, Kwai Hing H., 1600mT. B-Brick Kiln Stud, Mrs L Hicks & Partners. \*35,000gns yrl '99 TATHOU; 125,000gns 2yo '00 TATAUT.

**Cape of Good Hope (GB), c, 4, Inchinor (GB)--Cape Merino (GB), by Clantime (GB).** Sha Tin, 5-29, Kwai Fong H., 1000mT. B-Mrs D Ellis. \*25,000gns yrl '99 DONSEP.

**Northern Gold Ball (Ire), g, 5, Marju (Ire)--Soviet Maid (Ire), by Soviet Star (USA).** Sha Tin, 5-29, Kwai Shing H., 1600mT. B-John McKay. \*32,000gns wnl '97 TATDEC.

★ CLASSIC CORNER ★

**O'BRIEN STRENGTHENS HAND IN JOCKEY-CLUB**

Aidan O'Brien yesterday left four colts in Sunday's G1 Prix du Jockey-Club (French Derby) at Chantilly, for which 15 were declared probable runners. **Castle Gandolfo (USA)** (Gone West {USA}) was withdrawn from the G1 Prix Jean Prat on the same card and may join stable companions **Black Sam Bellamy (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells {USA}), **Diaghilev (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells {USA}) and **Temple Of Artemis (GB)** (Spinning World {USA}) in opposition to **Act One (GB)** (In The Wings {GB}). **Simeon (GB)** (Lammtarra {USA}) was yesterday supplemented at a cost of €60,000 for the mile-and-a-half Classic, while Andre Fabre's **Shaanmer (Ire)** (Darshaan {GB}) was pulled out in favour of the Prix Jean Prat. Coral Eurobet make Act One their even-money favourite, with **Khalkevi (Ire)** (Kahyasi {Ire}) at 5-1. Simeon and Diaghilev are quoted at odds of 9-1.



★ IN THE BETTING PARLOUR ★

**KINANE 1-3 TO RIDE HAWK WING**

Cashmans bookmakers are offering 1-3 that Michael Kinane will ride **Hawk Wing (USA)** (Woodman {USA}) in next Saturday's G1 Vodafone Derby at Epsom. The Cork-based firm quote him at odds of 9-4 to ride stable companion **High Chaparral (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells {USA}). Kieren Fallon will take the ride on **Louisville (Ire)** (Grand Lodge {USA}), currently quoted at odds of 40-1 (from 80-1) for the Epsom Classic. Godolphin's **Naheef (Ire)** (Marju {Ire}) was yesterday cut to 9-1 by Coral Eurobet after working impressively at Newmarket. Gerard Butler's Listed Fielden S. winner **Playapart (USA)** (Theatrical {Ire}) was yesterday ruled out of the Classic by owners Hesmond Stud.

**Coral Eurobet odds for the G1 Vodafone Derby at Epsom June 8 (correct as of 5-30-2002):**

7-4 Hawk Wing, 2-1 High Chaparral, 5-1 Bandari (with a run), 9-1 Naheef, 10-1 Fight Your Corner, 16-1 Dubai Destination, 16-1 Moon Ballad, 20-1 bar.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

**Streaky (Ire)**, f, 2, **Danetime (Ire)**--Solo Symphony (Ire), by Fayruz (GB). Goodwood, Britain, 5-30, Goodwood Flying School Maiden Auction S. (Class D), 2yo, 5fT, £4,446 to winner. B-A F O'Callaghan. \*Third winner for freshman sire (by Danehill {USA}).

**Warrimoo (Ire)**, f, 2, **Flying Spur (Aus)**--Schonbein (Ire), by Persian Heights (GB). Leopardstown, Ireland, 5-30, Roundwood EBF Fillies Maiden, 2yo, f, 6fT, €13,000 to winner. B-M Morrin.

**Akanti (Ire)**, c, 2, **Key of Luck (USA)**--Lock's Heath (USA), by Topsider (USA). Leopardstown, Ireland, 5-30, EBF Median Auction Maiden, 2yo, 7fT, €13,000 to winner. B-Limestone Stud. \*Ir£10,000 yrl '01 GOFECT.

**Teulada (Ity)**, f, 2, **Shantou (USA)**--Testa Di Lepre (Ire), by Fairy King (USA). Rome, Italy, 5-18, Premio Tibalda (Mdn), 2yo, 6fT, €8,500 to winner. B-Allevamento Gialloblu. \*First winner by freshman sire (by Alleged {USA}).

+ **Helm Bank (GB)**, c, 2, **Wild Again (USA)**--Imperial Bailiwick (Ire) (GSW-Eng & GSP-Fr), by Imperial Frontier (USA). Ayr, Britain, 5-30, EBF Ayr May Novice S. (Class D) (Cond), 2yo, 6fT, £3,445 to winner. B-Mr & Mrs G Middlebrook.

**Fairbanks (GB)**, g, 3, **Botanic (USA)**--Freddie's Recall (GB), by Warrshan (USA). Gelsenkirchen, Germany, 5-30, Preis der Sieger im BMW Deutschen Derby (Mdn), 3yo, 7f 55ydsT, €2,650 to winner. B-Fran H D Murat. \*3,200gns yrl '00 TATAUT.

+ **Wakytara (Ger)**, f, 3, **Danehill (USA)**--Waky Na (Ire) (MSW-Ger), by Ahonoora (GB). Frankfurt, Germany, 5-30, Preis der R+V Versicherung (Mdn), 3yo, f, 1mT, €3,100 to winner. B-Helmüt von Finck. \*1/2 to Waky Nao (GB) (Alzao {USA}), Hwt. Older Horse-Ity at 7-9.5f, G1SW-Ity, MGSW-Ger & SP-Fr, \$541,165.

**Pablo (GB)**, c, 3, **Efisio (GB)**--Winnebago (GB), by Kris (GB). Goodwood, Britain, 5-30, Flying Scholarships For Disabled Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo, 7fT, £4,212 to winner. B-Guy Reed.

**Marie Pavie (Ire)**, f, 3, **Entrepreneur (GB)**--Kallavesi (USA), by Woodman (USA). Leopardstown, Ireland, 5-30, Irishtown Maiden, 3yo, 1mT, €11,730 to winner. B-Dr Vincent O'Brien.

**Epalo (Ger)**, c, 3, **Lando (Ger)**--Evening Kiss (Ire) (GSW-Ity & SW-Fr), by Kris (GB). Gelsenkirchen, Germany, 5-30, Preis der Kooperation Hamburg/ Gelsenkirchen-Horst (Mdn), 3yo, 1 1/2mT, €2,650 to winner. B-Frau Nicola Bscher.

**Fenix (Ger)**, c, 3, **Lavirco (Ger)**--Frille (Fr) (MSP-Ger), by Shareef Dancer (Ire). Frankfurt, Germany, 5-30, Pokal der R+V Versicherung (Mdn), 3yo, 10f 165ydsT, €3,100 to winner. B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof. \*1/2 to Fairlight (Ger) (Big Shuffle {USA}), SW & GSP-Ger, \$150,110.

+ **Rex Remello (Ire)**, c, 3, **Priolo (USA)**--Romelia (USA), by Woodman (USA). Frankfurt, Germany, 5-30, Rennen der Fleischer-Innung Frankfurt am Main (Mdn), 3yo, c/g, 1mT, €3,100 to winner. B-Jan H A Baggen.

**Art Aurel (Ger)**, c, 3, **Temporal (Ger)**--Aurikola (Ger), by Nebos (Ger). Mannheim, Germany, 5-30, Buchmacher Albers Pirmasens-Preis (Mdn), 3yo, 1 3/16mT, €2,050 to winner. B-Felix R Bergmann & P Uppenborn.

**Salis (GB)**, c, 3, **Young Ern (GB)**--Impropriety (Ire), by Law Society (USA). Rome, Italy, 5-18, Premio Caracolero (Mdn), 3yo, 1 1/16mT, €8,500 to winner. B-C J Hill. \*2,000gns yrl '00 DONOCT.

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