

HEADLINE NEWS

HATS OFF TO ROYAL ASCOT

Britain's premier flat race meeting of the season, Royal Ascot, a five-day festival offering five Group 1 races, more than £3 million in prize money and a chance for Britain's finest to turn out in their finest, gets underway today with the running of the G1 St James's Palace S. Right off the bat, racegoers will see one of the



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meeting's most anticipated races in the opening day feature, as **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)** (Danehill) attempts to complete two unique triples--adding this Group 1 to his wins in the English and Irish 2000 Guines, while giving trainer Aidan O'Brien his third straight win in the event. Other racing highlights include the first American-trained horse at the festival in 66 years--since Triple Crown winner Omaha finished second in the 1936 Ascot Gold Cup--as **Caller One** (Phone Trick) takes a crack at the G1 Golden Jubilee S. on the final day of the festival. That race takes on extra significance this year, as the meeting has been extended to an extra, fifth day to celebrate Queen Elizabeth II's 50 years on the throne. The course, which has always had strong ties to royalty, was founded by Queen Anne in 1711, who was riding through the forest near Windsor Castle when she came upon a clearing she thought ideal for racing. The current English monarch, a racing enthusiast, has owned 19 Royal Ascot winners over the past 50 years and has twice been champion owner at the meeting. Attending the races at Royal Ascot is said to be one of her favorite 'duties' of the year. She sends out two runners this year in **Approval (GB)** (Royal Applause {GB}) in Wednesday's G3 Jersey S. and **Green Line (GB)** (Green Desert) in Thursday's Britannia H.

ROCK ON A ROLL?

Rock Of Gibraltar (Ire) (Danehill) bids to bury the memory of his defeat in last year's G3 Coventry S. at this meeting, in today's G1 St James's Palace S. at Royal Ascot. Sixth behind stablemate and St James's foe **Landseer (GB)** (Danehill) that day, he went on to take the G1 Grand Criterium at Longchamp and turned the tables on Landseer by a short head in the G1 Dewhurst S. last October. The "Rock" returned to deny Hawk Wing by a neck in the G1 2000 Guineas at that track May 4 before an easy win in the Irish version at The Curragh May 25. If he fails to add to the Ballydoyle trophy cabinet here, it is likely that Landseer will step into the fray. Aidan O'Brien's pupils have filled six of the first nine positions in the 2002 European Guineas races they have contested, with Landseer providing the sweep by beating Medecis (GB), yesterday's G3 Prix de la Jonchere winner, and **Bowman** (Irish River {Fr}) in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains (French 2000 Guineas) at Longchamp May 12. **Dupont (GB)** (Zafonic), winner of the G2 Premio Parioli at Rome May 1 and G2 Mehl-Mulhens-Rennen at Cologne May 20, beat Sunday's G2 Oppenheim-Union-Rennen winner Next Desert (Ire) by two lengths in the latter and would appreciate any drying of the ground. *Field p.2*

ROYAL ASCOT 2002 ODDS

ST JAMES'S PALACE S.-G1, 3yo, 1m

Horse	Odds
Rock of Gibraltar	4-7
Bowman	4-1
Landseer	9-2
King of Happiness	11-1
Dupont	11-1
Aramram	50-1
Where or When	66-1
Sahara Desert	66-1
Camp Commander	200-1

*William Hill odds.

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King Of Happiness



Rock Of Gibraltar

ST JAMES FIELD P2 ... 'BEST' SET FOR QUEEN ANNE - P2 ... WILL KYLLACHY TAKE A STAND?- P3 ...




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Tuesday, Royal Ascot, Britain, post time: 3:45 p.m.

ST JAME'S PALACE S.-G1, £250,000, 3yo, c, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	3	Aramram	Danzig	Channon
2	9	Bowman	Irish River (Fr)	Fabre
3	2	Camp Commander (Ire)	Pennekamp	C Brittain
4	7	Dupont (GB)	Zafonic	Haggas
5	8	King Of Happiness	Spinning World	Stoute
6	5	Landseer (GB)	Danehill	A O'Brien
7	4	Rock Of Gibraltar (Ire)	Danehill	A O'Brien
8	6	Sahara Desert (GB)	Green Desert	A O'Brien
9	1	Where Or When (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Mills

All carry 126 pounds.

Will it be group win five for the Rock?.....

Victory in today's St Jame's Palace S. at Royal Ascot would see Rock of Gibraltar equal Giant's Causeway's run of five consecutive Group 1 successes which was established just two years ago. That would be a formidable feat, as only the "Iron Horse" and Mill Reef have recorded more than four consecutive Group 1 successes since the European Pattern system was introduced in 1971. Like Mill Reef, who recorded six wins, the Rock's tally spans over two years and, like that great, includes a Classic victory.

WILL 'BEST' PROVE BEST OF THE REST?

Best of the Bests bids to emulate recent winners Barathea (Ire), Cape Cross (Ire) and Medicean (GB) in defying a Group 1-winning penalty to take today's G2 Queen Anne S. Seventh behind stablemate Street Cry



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(Ire) in the G1 Dubai World Cup at Nad al Sheba Mar. 23, he returned to turf for the G1 Prix d'Ispahan at Longchamp May 19. Under a clever front-running tactical ride there, he denied Poussin (Ire) and Banks Hill (GB), respectively. However, it is unlikely that he will be allowed another uncontested lead

today and he will have to improve to provide Godolphin with their fifth Queen Anne after consecutive wins with Charnwood Forest (Ire), Allied Forces, Intikhab and Cape Cross (Ire) from 1996 to 1999. **Nayyir**, an impressive winner in the G3 Diomed S. at Epsom June 8, will try to emulate another Godolphin color bearer Intikhab, who employed the same route to Queen Anne success in 1998. Aidan O'Brien will take a shot with the improving sophomore **Century City**, who was only 1 1/2 lengths behind stable companion Rock of Gibraltar (Ire) last time in the G1 Irish 2000 Guineas at The Curragh May 25. Were he to succeed here, he would be the first sophomore to do so since Trojan Fen (GB) in 1984.

ROYAL ASCOT 2002 ODDS
London Clubs Trophy

(Jockey to ride most winners at Royal Ascot)

JOCKEY	ODDS
M J Kinane	1-2
L Dettori	4-1
K Fallon	8-1
R Hughes	9-1
J Spencer	10-1
J Murtagh	14-1
K Darley	14-1
D Holland	16-1
T Quinn	20-1
R Hills	20-1
O Peslier	20-1

*Coral Eurobet

Tuesday, Royal Ascot, Britain, post time: 2:30 p.m.

QUEEN ANNE S.-G2, £135,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	10	Best Of The Bests (Ire)	Machiavellian	Bin Suroor	133
2	6	Swallow Flight (Ire)	Bluebird	Wragg	131
3	12	Atavus (GB)	Distant Relative (Ire)	Margaron	128
4	5	Frenchmans Bay (Fr)	Polar Falcon	Charlton	128
5	1	Nayyir (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Butler	128
6	11	No Excuse Needed (GB)	Machiavellian	Stoute	128
7	2	Priors Lodge (Ire)	Grand Lodge	Hannon	128
8	9	Tillerman (GB)	In The Wings (GB)	Perrett	128
9	4	Tough Speed	Miswaki	Stoute	128
10	7	Umistim (GB)	Inchinor (GB)	Hannon	128
11	8	Vicious Knight (GB)	Night Shift	Cumani	128
12	3	Century City (Ire)	Danzig	A O'Brien	118



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(Royal Ascot cont.)

Tuesday, Royal Ascot, Britain, post time: 3:05 p.m.

KING'S STAND S.-G2, £135,000, 3yo/up, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	11	Bahamian Pirate	Housebuster	Nicholls	128
2	5	Continent (GB)	Lake Coniston (Ire)	Nicholls	128
3	2	Indian Prince (Ire)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Meehan	128
4	8	Indian Spark (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Goldie	128
5	3	Kyllachy (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Candy	128
6	13	Monkston Point (Ire)	Fayruz (GB)	Arbutnot	128
7	15	Pomfret Lad (GB)	Cyrano De Bergerac (Ire)	Makin	128
8	14	Smokin Beau (GB)	Cigar (GB)	Cullinan	128
9	9	The Trader (Ire)	Selkirk	Blanshard	128
10	12	Anna Elise (Ire)	Nucleon	J Flynn	125
11	1	Jessica's Dream (Ire)	Desert Style (Ire)	Given	125
12	4	Misty Eyed (Ire)	Paris House (GB)	Dutfield	125
13	10	Olivia Grace (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Mills	125
14	7	Vita Spericolata (Ire)	Prince Sabo (GB)	Wainwright	125
15	6	Dominica (GB)	Alhaarth (Ire)	Tregoning	119

Kyllachy showed last time when winning the G2 Temple S. by four lengths at Sandown June 3 that he is bound for the sprinting elite. This time, he will face a relatively easy task in attempting to emulate Cassandra Go (Ire) last year, Bolshoi (Ire) in 1998, Lochsong (GB) in 1994, Elbio (GB) in 1991 and Dayjur in 1990 in completing the Temple-King's Stand double. In his last two outings, he has beaten more than half of this field and with a favoured low draw, there is no obvious reason to expect the vanquished to turn the form around here. Fillies and mares have a reasonable record in this event, thanks to their invaluable allowance and **Jessica's Dream** must offer the biggest threat. Having finished less than half-a-length behind **Kyllachy** in the G3 Palace House S. at Newmarket May 4, she most recently took the competitive G3 Ballyogan S. at Cork June 2.

Tuesday, Royal Ascot, Britain, post time: 4:20 p.m.

COVENTRY S.-G3, £60,000, 2yo, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	13	Coconut Penang (Ire)	Night Shift	Millman
2	7	Kawagino (Ire)	Perugino	Dutfield
3	2	Leitrim Rock (Ire)	Barathea (Ire)	Meehan
4	10	Logistical (GB)	Grand Lodge	Muir
5	3	Membership	Belong To Me	C Brittain
6	11	Pakhoes (Ire)	College Chapel (GB)	Weld
7	16	Royal Beacon (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	Johnston
8	6	Sir Edwin Landseer	Lit De Justice	Cole
9	12	Spartacus (Ire)	Danehill	A O'Brien
10	8	Statue Of Liberty	Storm Cat	A O'Brien
11	5	Surbiton	El Prado (Ire)	B Hills
12	9	Tacitus (Ire)	Titus Livius (Fr)	Hannon
13	4	The Kiddykid (Ire)	Danetime (Ire)	Evans
14	15	Tizzy May (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Hannon
15	1	Western Fling	Gone West	I Balding
16	14	Wise Petorius (Ire)	Petorius (Ire)	M Chapman

All carry 124 pounds.
Aidan O'Brien has won three of the last five renewals of this and **Spartacus** gives his handle another strong hand this year. The colt was impressive in taking a seven-furlong Gowran Park maiden May 15, won last year by Coventry S. scorer Landseer (GB), and the form has been boosted subsequently. **Statue Of Liberty** is impossible to ignore based on the solid form of his Cork maiden success Apr. 1.

Wednesday, Royal Ascot, Britain, post time: 3:45 p.m.

PRINCE OF WALES'S S.-G1, £250,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	6	Bach (Ire)	Caerleon	No rider	126
2	11	Cape Town (Ire)	Desert Style (Ire)	Hughes	126
3	7	Carnival Dancer (GB)	Sadler's Wells	Fallon	126
4	1	Chancellor (Ire)	Halling	M Hills	126
5	8	Desert Deer (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Darley	126
6	10	Freefourinternet	Tabasco Cat	Pat Eddery	126
7	3	Grandera (Ire)	Grand Lodge	Dettori	126
8	2	Indian Creek (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	R Quinn	126
9	4	Nayef	Gulch	R Hills	126
10	9	Paolini (Ger)	Lando (Ger)	Suborics	126
11	13	Poussin (Ire)	Alzao	Boeuf	126
12	14	Sydenham	A P Indy	Spencer	126
13	12	Banks Hill (GB)	Danehill	Peslier	123
14	5	Golden Silca (GB)	Inchinor (GB)	No rider	123

Godolphin will rely on G1 Singapore Airlines International Cup hero **Grandera (Ire)** here, as **Noverre (Rahy)** was withdrawn yesterday. "Grandera has come back very good from his victory in Singapore and he is training very well," Trainer Saeed bin Suroor said last week.

**RACING POST PPS FOR ROYAL ASCOT
TUESDAY, JUNE 18**

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The Mac attack

Machiavellian's high-class son **Medecis**, runner-up in the French Guineas, wins the Group 3 Prix de la Jonchere very easily.

Darley



PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

STEPHEN FOSTER H.-GI, \$833,250, CDX, 6-15, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:47 4/5, ft.

1--**STREET CRY (IRE)**, 120, c, 4, by Machiavellian

1st Dam: **Helen Street (GB) (G1SW-Ire, GSW-Fr, G1SP-GB, \$186,685)**, by Troy (GB)

2nd Dam: **Waterway (Fr)**, by Riverman

3rd Dam: **Boulevard (Ire)**, by Pall Mall (GB)

O-Godolphin Racing Inc; B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum (IRE); T-Saeed bin Suroor; J-J D Bailey; \$516,615. Lifetime Record: G1SW-UAE, 11-5-5-1, \$5,000,837. *1/2 to Historian (Ire) (Pennekamp), SW-Fr.

Over the last two years, the European-based Darley operation has gone to some lengths to convince American breeders that, if they want to use "the world's best stallion son of Mr. Prospector," they will have to send mares to England to visit Machiavellian. In an advertising campaign which compared Machiavellian to Mr. Prospector's best American-based sons, one table pointed out that Machiavellian had a higher percentage of stakes winners--11.3 percent--than Gone West, Kingmambo, Seeking the Gold, Crafty Prospector, etc. Darley's attempts to attract American support included the incentives of foal-share arrangements and special terms for American-based mares.

The advertisements seem to have worked because by November 2000, Darley was advertising that Machiavellian's "first Stateside mares are flying over for the 2001 season." Perhaps credit for persuading American breeders to support Machiavellian should be shared, though, with Machiavellian's representatives which did their talking on American tracks during 2000. Among them were Fictitious (Gill De la Rose H.), Horatia (Gill Vinery Matchmaker S.), Kahal (Gill Nearctic H.) and Majorien (San Marino H.), but arguably his finest ambassador--because he did his racing on dirt--was Godolphin's two-year-old Street Cry.

And a star is born....

After winning by a wide margin in August, Street Cry went close to defeating Flame Thrower in two Grade II events, the Del Mar Futurity and the Norfolk S., before ending his first season with a creditable third behind Macho Uno and Point Given in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile.

The impetus for putting this son of Machiavellian into training with Eoin Harty in California probably stemmed from the main-track performances of Almutawakel, who followed up his hard-fought triumph over Malek and Victory Gallop in the 1999 Dubai World Cup with a narrow failure in the GI Woodward S. and a respectable fifth in the Breeders' Cup Classic. In addition to Almutawakel, Machiavellian has also done well on the UAE's sand tracks with Muwakleh, Susu, Best Of The Bests and Mudallel.

Street Cry is now putting Almutawakel's achievements into the shade. Having slammed the opposition in the Dubai World Cup, he issued a forceful warning to America's top handicap horses when he took the GI Stephen Foster H. in facile style. As Saeed bin Suroor said, the four-year-old must have a good chance of winning the Breeders' Cup Classic if he stays sound. Even if success in the Classic eludes him, Street Cry has already done enough to make an ideal stallion for Sheikh Mohammed's Jonabell Farm venture. Indeed, there could soon be no more need for U.S. breeders to fly their mares to Machiavellian in England.

Take note that Godolphin have four youngsters by Machiavellian in training in the U.S. this year. Their Santa Anita team features three colts, Baltic Heights, Savonarola and Tropical Star, while the filly Subtle Charm is based at Arlington Park. Judged strictly on pedigree, Tropical Star could be the fastest and most precocious of these and he will be bidding to follow Almutawakel and Kahal as Machiavellian's third important winner out of a Green Desert mare.

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A classic sire in the making.....

Last year, Machiavellian enjoyed his best season so far in Britain and Ireland, climbing to fourth on the general sires' list, and there is every reason to think that his star is going to remain in the ascendant. His book, which was restricted to 50 mares up to 1995, was extended to around 65 for the next three seasons before rising to 77 mares in 1999, 110 in 2000 and then to 124 in 2001. His fee has also risen markedly, doubling from its 1999 level of £40,000 to £80,000 this year, so the standard of mare sent to Machiavellian should have risen accordingly. He has sired seven Group 1 winners from his first seven crops, and there could be more to come from his eighth crop, which are currently three-year-olds. This crop, sired from a book of 65, features Snowfire, runner-up in the G1 1000 Guineas, and Medicis, the French 2000 Guineas runner-up, who yesterday took the G3 Prix de la Jonchere.

One fascinating feature of Britain and Ireland's leading sire's list last year was that the second-placed Danehill is inbred 3x3 to Natalma, while the fourth-placed Machiavellian is inbred to Natalma's parents Native Dancer and Almahmoud. It's tempting to think that this inbreeding to Natalma and Almahmoud is one of the reasons why Danehill and Machiavellian are shaping up as promising sires of sires--Machiavellian's eldest stallion sons, Vettori and Titus Livius, have both made their mark with progeny sired at modest fees.

Although Street Cry has done all his racing on dirt, he comes from a female line which has excelled on turf. His dam, Helen Street, was a very good juvenile, who followed up her win in the G3 Prix du Calvados with a good second to the exceptional Oh So Sharp in the Fillies' Mile. She was better still at three, when she won the Irish Oaks over 1 1/2 miles.

The next dam, Waterway, also won the Prix du Calvados and Street Cry's third dam, Boulevard, was another very good juvenile, as well as being a half sister to the high-class Sun Prince.

With a background of this quality, Helen Street looked assured of success as a broodmare, but she struggled to pass on her talents until she produced Street Cry as a 16-year-old. She is now making up for lost time and Historian, her three-year-old daughter by Pennekamp, is a Listed winner in France this year.

Street Cry's exploits are reviving happy memories of his broodmare sire Troy, a brilliant performer who won the Derby by seven lengths and the Irish Derby by four lengths before defeating the older horses in the King George and the Benson & Hedges Gold Cup. Sadly, Troy died at the age of seven in 1983, leaving only 120 foals, but that hasn't stopped him doing very well as a sire of broodmares. In addition to Street Cry, his daughters are responsible for Oath, winner of the 1999 Epsom Derby, and Pilsudski, winner of the 1996 Breeders' Cup Turf.

☆ RESULTS ☆

Monday, Chantilly, France

PRIX DE LA JONCHERE-G3, €66,000, Chantilly, 6-17, 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:38.90, gd.

1--**@MEDECIS (GB)**, 123, c, 3, by Machiavellian

1st Dam: Renashaan (Fr) (SW & GSP-Fr), by Darshaan (GB)

2nd Dam: Gerbera, by Lyphard

3rd Dam: Greenway (Fr), by Targowice

O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Criquette Head-Maarek; J-Olivier Doleuze; €33,000. Lifetime Record: G1SP-Fr, 6 starts, 4 wins, 2 places, €175,523.

2--**Jubilation (GB)**, 123, c, 3, Zamindar--Jubilee Trail (GB), by Shareef Dancer. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; €13,200.

3--**Caesarion (Ire)**, 123, c, 3, Danehill--Carelaine, by Woodman. O/B-Haras de la Perelle; €9,900.

Margins: 1HF, HF, 1HF. Odds: 0.50, 3.20, 5.70.

Also ran: Westerner (GB), Urgent.

Medecis, the winner of the Listed Prix Omnium at Saint-Cloud Mar. 26, was second by neck in the G3 Prix de Fontainebleau at Longchamp Apr. 14 before another placing last time out in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains (French 2000 Guineas) at that track May 12. This time, Medecis settled in last early as Urgent led. As Jubilation took over a furlong out, Medecis moved up on the outside and needed only two smacks on shoulder to close on that rival. Showing impressive acceleration to hit the front with 100 yards remaining, he was coaxed clear from there for a comfortable score.

Sunday, Hanshin, Japan

PROCYON S.-G3-JRA, ¥81,200,000, Hanshin, 6-16, 3yo/up, 1400m, 1:22.9, ft.

1--**@STERLING ROSE (JPN)**, 123, h, 5, by Afleet

1st Dam: Comaz, by Danzig

2nd Dam: Middlemarch, by Buckpasser

3rd Dam: Nice Princess, by Le Beau Prince

O-K. Kyoei; B-Tabata Farm; T-Shuji Kitahashi; J-Yuichi Fukunaga; ¥42,490,000. Lifetime Record: 28-9-8-2. *Full to Golden Jack (Jpn), MGSW-Jpn, \$2,887,413.

2--**Yamakatsu Suzuran (Jpn)**, 121, m, 5, Jade Robbery--Fujino Taka Komachi (Jpn), by Kolymsky.

O-H. Yamada; B-Okazaki Bokujo; ¥17,140,000.

3--**Meisho Kio (Jpn)**, 123, h, 5, Commander in Chief (GB)--City Light (Jpn), by Hard to Beat (GB).

O-H. Yamada; B-Okazaki Bokujo; ¥11,070,000.

Margins: 3/4, 2, 3. Odds: 1.30, 15.80, 12.50.

Favored against 12 rivals, Sterling Rose was forwardly placed early, responded immediately to take the lead in midstretch and inched clear late for the win. Sterling Rose won the Coral S. in February in his seasonal debut, but was fifth in G3 Antares S. in April and second in NAR G3 Kakitsubata Kinen in May. The colt returned to his winning ways in his last outing, the Keyaki S. in late May. With his victory, Sterling Rose earned a summer vacation in Hokkaido. He is expected to return for an autumn campaign.



INJURY SIDELINES PERFECT DRIFT Perfect Drift (Dynaformer), third in the Kentucky Derby, excited his 10th-place finish in the June 8 Belmont S. with a shin injury that will keep him out of training for 60 days. Trainer Murray Johnson confirmed the injury through a statement on his Web site, teamroo.com. "Perfect Drift came out of the race sound and healthy, but as you know, he was not at his best on Belmont day," Johnson said. "We sent him down to a clinic in Lexington for a bone scan. It appears Perfect Drift is in the early stages of bucking shins, so with some time off, he will be back for the later part of this year." Prior to his Kentucky Derby run, Perfect Drift won the Gil Lane's End Spiral S. On the board in seven of eight starts, the bay gelding has won three races and earned \$467,160 to date.

☆ **EAST** ☆

OBS June Sale Starts Today:

The two-day Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's June Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training and Horses of Racing Age gets underway this morning. A total of 454 hips have been catalogued, including juveniles by top sires such as Carson City, Cherokee Run, Dehere, Deputy Minister, French Deputy, Mt. Livermore, Pine Bluff, Saint Ballado, Unbridled and Wild Again. Promising freshman sires represented in the sale include Elusive Quality, Grand Slam, Stormy Atlantic, Tale of the Cat and Wild Rush. Bidding begins at 11 a.m. each day. Last year's June Sale saw 226 two-year-olds sell for an aggregate of \$3,809,700 and an average of \$16,857. There were four older horses sold for \$32,500, an average of \$8,125.

Yesterday's Results:

8th-DEL, \$37,900, Msw, 2yo, 5f, :58 4/5, ft.
+ **PHILADELPHIA JIM (c, 2, Mr. Greeley--Salsa Stacy, by Gilded Time)**, a \$45,000 KEENOV weanling and \$65,000 KEESEP yearling, jumped out to set the early pace and romped home an eight-length winner as the 9-5 favorite in his bow. Imarealfancydehere (Dehere) pressed the pace early, but was no match for the winner and finished second. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$22,200.
O-Michael J Gill. B-Charles Jacobi (Ky). T-John J Robb.

☆ **NEW YORK** ☆

Fasig-Tipton Adds Day to Saratoga Preferred Sale:

The 2002 Fasig-Tipton Preferred Sale has attracted a catalogue of approximately 185 New York-bred yearlings, requiring a change in format for the auction. This year's sale will be held in two sessions, both beginning at 7:30 p.m., on the evenings of Sunday, Aug. 11 and Monday, Aug. 12. "The catalogue has grown from the record number of 141 we offered last year and that number produced a very late finish for the sale," Fasig-Tipton President Walt Robertson said. "The revised format is essential to properly market these New York-breds." Catalogues for the Preferred Sale will be available at Fasig-Tipton offices starting July 17.

☆ **FOREIGN** ☆

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AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN JAPAN:

Pretty Con Cielo, f, 3, Conquistador Cielo--Feel the Capote, by Capote. Fukushima, 6-16, Novice Race, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-1, \$55,726. O-Tadashi Sakurai; B-T Sakurai; T-Takaki Iwato. *Breaking from post 13 in a field of 16, the bay filly broke on top, set the pace throughout and scored by 2 1/2 confident lengths.

Hagino Update, c, 3, Mt. Livermore--Hamba, by Easy Goer. Hanshin, 6-15, Novice Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$48,387. O-Yoshie Hinokuma; B-Mill Ridge Farm Ltd & Jamm Ltd; T-Kazuya Nakatake. *\$150,000 2yo '01 KEEAPR. **Returning from a seven-month layoff, the colt made his 2002 bow a winning one with a stalking 1 1/2-length victory.

Field City, c, 4, Carson City--Sweetly Decorated, by Well Decorated. Hakodate, 6-16, Motoizaka Tokubetsu, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, \$144,677. O-Katsumi Chida; B-C L Kidder, J Griggs, Highfield & N Robenalt; T-Akihiko Nomura. *\$220,000 yrl '99 FTKJUL. **Went to the front, set all the fractions and gamely held on in the shadow of the wire to win by a nose.

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STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19:

06-29 \$250,000 **Beverly Hills H.-I, Hol, 3yo/up, f/m, 10fT (250)**

06-30 \$200,000 **Cinema Breeders' Cup H.-III, Hol, 3yo, 9fT (200)**

07-06 \$150,000 **Dance Smartly-III, Wo, 3yo/up, f/m, 9fT (150)**





(American-bred winners in Japan cont.)

Morphe de Spector, c, 4, **Dehere**--Mary's Spirit, by Mr. Prospector. Fukushima, 6-16, Baden-Baden Cup, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-0, \$364,677. O-Kenichiro Namikawa; B-Joseph & William Stavola Inc; T-Satoshi Oehara. *The bay colt gunned for the lead and never looked back, going gate-to-wire for the half-length score. Winning jockey Sho Tajima commented, "He is a horse with much potential, and his conditioning is extremely remarkable."

Lord Lucimiento, h, 5, **Woodman**--Saratoga Scene, by *Grey Dawn II. Fukushima, 6-16, Shinobuyama Tokubetsu, 13fT. Lifetime Record: 23-4-2-4, \$509,274. O-Lord Horse Club; B-Eclipse Bloodstock; T-Kazuo Fujisawa. *After breaking from an inside post, the gray horse was settled in third under Yukio Okabe in the early stages, gained command in mid-stretch and drew away for the half-length win.

South Vigorous, h, 6, **End Sweep**--Darkest Star, by Star de Naska. Sapporo, 6-13, Hokkaido Sprint Cup, 5f. Lifetime Record: 28-12-7-2, \$2,768,320. O-Hisashi Namba; B-Samuel H Rogers Jr; T-Yoshiyasu Takahashi. *\$17,000 wnl '96 OBSOCT. **MSW-Jpn.

AMERICAN-SIRED WINNERS IN JAPAN:

Silver Appeal (Jpn), c, 3, **Silver Hawk**--Ailesbury Hill, by Woodman. Hanshin, 6-15, Novice Race, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$65,323. O-Turf Sport Inc; B-Murata Farm; T-Toshiaki Shirai.

Koei Prime (Jpn), c, 3, **Smart Strike**--Azawah, by Danzig. Hanshin, 6-16, Novice Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 10-1-0-2, \$79,677. O-Shizuo Nishioka; B-Masaaki Morinaga; T-Masahiro Sakaguchi.

Tagano Gulch (Jpn), h, 5, **Gulch**--Aube Indienne (Fr) (GISW-US & SW-Fr, \$546,093), by Bluebird. Hanshin, 6-15, Plate Race, 9f. Lifetime Record: 27-3-1-3, \$281,452. O-Ryoji Yagi; B-Shadai Farm; T-Hiroyoshi Matsuda.

☆ **INDUSTRY INFO** ☆

Churchill Raises \$101,000 for TRF:

Churchill Downs Incorporated's "Out to Pasture Party," held Friday, June 14, raised \$101,000 for the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation. All proceeds from the fundraiser will go toward the care and feeding of retired racehorses on TRF farms. The "Out to Pasture Party" took place in the Kentucky Derby Museum and featured a benefit dinner as well as live and silent auctions. "The inaugural 'Out to Pasture Party' was a fantastic success and monies raised through the event will help the TRF care for hundreds of retired racehorses," TRF President John Stuart said. CDI and its six race-tracks have formed a partnership with the TRF, called the Green Pastures Program, designed to educate people about the benefits of retiring racehorses while they are still sound enough to embark on second careers, and to raise awareness of the TRF programs.

☆ **SO. CALIFORNIA** ☆

California Owner Georgia Ridder Dead:

Owner/breeder Georgia Ridder, the widow of newspaper publisher Benjamin Ridder, died Friday of natural causes at her Pasadena, California home, *The Blood-Horse* reports. She was 87. The Ridders purchased their first Thoroughbreds in the late 1950s, and went on to race such top runners as Cascapedia, Flying Paster, Modus Vivendi, Past Forgetting and Winter Solstice. When her husband passed away in 1983, Georgia Ridder took over his position as director of the Oak Tree Racing Association and became the association's vice president in 1987. She maintained a small broodmare band at her 165-acre Hidden Springs Ranch in Mountain Center, California, but the most successful of the horses she campaigned on her own, Alphabet Soup, was bought as a two-year-old. Alphabet Soup, a seven-time stakes winner of more than \$2.9 million, upset Cigar in the 1996 GI Breeders' Cup Classic. Georgia Ridder is survived by sons Bernard Ridder Jr. and Michael Ridder, and two grandchildren. The family has requested memorial donations be made to The Nature Conservancy of California, 201 Mission St., 4th Fl., San Francisco, CA 94105-1832, or to Descanso Gardens, 1418 Descanso Dr., La Canada, CA 91011.

BREEDERS' EDITION

STAKES RESULTS:

BUDWEISER EMERALD H., \$75,000, EMD, 6-16, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:33 2/5, ft.
 1--**SECRET LAUNCH, 116, h, 5, Relaunch--Forli's Secret, by Secretariat.** (\$120,000 wIng '97 KEENOV; \$40,000 2yo 1999 BESMAR). O-Dejong Willie; B-Atwood Richards, Inc (KY); T-Sharon Ross; J-K R Knapp; \$41,250. Lifetime Record: 23-5-3-6, \$173,802. *1/2 to Bold Caleb (Kris S.), SW, \$151,693.
 2--**Crowning Meeting, 120, h, 8, General Meeting--Fitted Crown, by Chief's Crown.** \$15,000.
 3--**Jade Green, 120, c, 4, Jade Hunter--Peaceful Wings, by Halo.** \$11,250.
 Margins: HF, 8 3/4, 3 1/4. Odds: 6.40, 1.30, 25.60.

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SHECKY GREENE S., \$57,900, DEL, 6-17, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 2/5, ft.
 1--**FIRST AMENDMENT**, 119, h, 5, **Press Card--Proud Greida**, by **Proud Truth**. O-Michael Gill; B-Bonita Farm (MD); T-Mark Shuman; J-R A Dominguez; \$34,740. Lifetime Record: 26-12-1-1, \$281,090.
 2--**Soes Bandit**, 114, h, 6, Buckaroo--Appealing Miss, by Valid Appeal. O-D Racing Stable. \$11,580.
 3--**Lightning Paces**, 114, h, 5, Thirty Eight Paces--Bear Feet, by Winged T. O-Tulip Hill Farm. \$6,369.
 Margins: 9 3/4, 2HF, 2 3/4. Odds: 0.40, 8.10, 5.50.

LIBERATION H., \$37,698, HST, 6-16, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:45 3/5, ft.
 1--**ELANA D'AMOUR**, 118, f, 3, **Vying Victor--Chanson D'Amour**, by **Wander Kind**. O-Dark Horse Stable; B-Gary Mayo (BC); T-Joe Apperloo; J-P V Alvarado; \$22,722. Lifetime Record: 7-3-3-0, \$74,156.
 2--**Lady Vye**, 116, f, 3, **Vying Victor--Immediate Answer**, by Beau Genius. \$7,574.
 3--**Fast and Free**, 114, f, 3, Free At Last--Fast Talk, by Katowice. \$4,166.
 Margins: HF, 1 1/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 5.25, 3.15, 12.50.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-MNR, \$31,700, 6-16, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:21 2/5, fm.
ON TO RICHMOND (c, 4, **Faltaat--Sassy Madame**, by **Sassafras {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: 13-4-2-0, \$79,313. O-Alexander Elisabeth H. B-Sherman Jim (KY). T-Tim Girten.

9th-PHA, \$27,280, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:47, ft.

URBAN ANGEL (f, 4, **Rakeen--Loblolly Pine**, by **Big Spruce**) Lifetime Record: 26-4-6-4, \$65,131. O-C K Stable & Parapet Stable. B-N Deliman (PA). T-F Pollara.

9th-CRC, \$27,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40-35,000), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37 2/5, ft.

PAY THE PREACHER (c, 4, **Groomstick--Yesterdays Summer**, by **Professor Blue**) Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-4, \$80,785. O-R Davis. B-C. Davis Rosamond (FL). T-Robert A Hale.

5th-CRC, \$26,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:41, ft.

SAILINGFORPENNIES (f, 3, **Coastal Voyage--Oh My Pretty Penny**, by **Oh My Windland**) Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-1, \$41,740. O-M Nyman et al. B-Briarwood Farm & B. K. Sawyer (FL). T-Michael K McDonald.

8th-PHA, \$20,000, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft.

BINDER (c, 3, **Notebook--Laughing Erin**, by **Irish Castle**) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$33,690. O-J Stable. B-Vegso Racing Stable Inc (FL). T-John C Servis.

A + will denote winners who are first-time starters, a **(C)** will be used for maiden-claiming races.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Philadelphia Jim**, c, 2, **Mr. Greeley--Salsa Stacy**, by Gilded Time. DEL, 6-17, 5f, :58 4/5. B-Charles Jacobi (Ky). *\$45,000 wlng '00 KEENOV; \$65,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.

Duelist, c, 3, **Capote--Demi Monde**, by Easy Goer. DEL, 6-17, (C), 6f, 1:14. B-Hickory Tree Farm (Va).

Shacane, c, 3, **Jumron (GB)--Jazz to Jazz**, by Jazzing Around. HST, 6-16, 6 1/2f, 1:18 1/5. B-Bellevue Oaks (BC).

Darned Alarm, c, 3, **Mecke--Mary Heartline**, by Black Tie Affair (Ire). MNR, 6-16, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5. B-Walter J Burke Richard Coburn & David Melin (Fl).

Smart October, c, 3, **Smart Strike--October Beauty** (SP, \$138,841), by Flying Paster. DEL, 6-17, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:48. B-Brylynn Farm Inc (Fl).

Deas Island, c, 3, **Vying Victor--Devilere** (SW, \$102,400), by Exclusive Darling. HST, 6-16, 6 1/2f, 1:17 4/5. B-Arlene Kyan (BC).

Ginger Roo, f, 4, **High Brite--Bad Bad Slewcy**, by Lord of All. HOL, 6-16, (S), (C), 6 1/2f, 1:17 4/5. B-Ronald Clark (Ca).

 **FRESHMAN FOCUS**

First-crop progeny to watch: Tuesday, June 18

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1999 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW

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

CONCERTO (Chief's Crown), Ocala, \$4K, 43/2/0 8-CRC, Alw, 5 1/2f, Whos Crying Now, \$85K OBS FEB 2yo, 4-1

SKIP AWAY (Skip Trial), Hopewell, \$50K, 94/1/0

1-DEL, Msw, 5f, +Esteponia, \$29K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1

WILD RUSH (Wild Again), Adena, \$15K, 87/1/0

1-DEL, Msw, 5f, +Romantic Twist, \$55K KEE SEP yrl, 9-2

 **SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

First-time Starters & Stakes Progeny: Tuesday, June 18

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW

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

SMOKE GLACKEN (Two Punch), Gainesway, \$10K, 130/36/4

1-DEL, Msw, 5f, +Smoking Wine, \$31K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

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CHEVELEY PARK BUY HALF SHARE IN

KYLLACHY Cheveley Park Stud yesterday announced that they have bought a 50-percent share in **Kyllachy (GB)** (Pivotal {GB}) for an undisclosed sum. Kyllachy will start as favourite for today's G2 King's Stand S. at Royal Ascot on the basis of his wins in the G2 Temple S. at Sandown June 3 and G3 Palace House S. at Newmarket May 4. Cheveley Park Stud will stand the Henry Candy-trained four-year-old alongside his sire after his retirement from racing. Chris Richardson, the executive responsible for racing at the stud, said yesterday, "We were impressed with Kyllachy's performance when winning the Temple S. at Sandown, and we are delighted to have secured such a fast commercial son of Pivotal, out of a Song (GB) mare, as a stallion prospect for British breeders."

★ **BRITAIN** ★

BETABET TO LAUNCH FREE HANDICAP BETTING

Betabet, Britain's biggest independent bookmaking organization, broke new ground in ante-post betting yesterday by launching a market on the outcome of the European Two-Year-Old Free Handicap. Betabet's Marketing Director Conall McSorley said yesterday, "In opening up this market we are offering our customers the opportunity to see a promising two-year-old at Royal Ascot this week and be able to take a big price about it reaching the top without having to second guess its connections or the weather. We believe that this unique new market will be warmly received by punters--after all, this will be the first ever horse racing ante post market where punters cannot lose their money because their horse is a non runner--every horse good enough will get a rating on the Free Handicap."

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Yesterday's Results:

7.50 Warwick, PricewaterhouseCoopers Classified S. (Cond.) (Class D), £6,064, 3yo/up, 7f 26ydsT, 1:24.40, gd.

EYECATCHER (GB) (g, 4, **Green Desert {USA}**--**Reval {GB}**, by **Sharpen Up {GB}**), sent off the even-money favourite, broke well and raced keenly in third early as Hume's Law (GB) (Puissance {GB}) cut out the running. Taking command with three furlongs remaining, he was challenged by Desert Fury (GB) (Warning {GB}), but battled gamely to hold that rival by a half-length. The winner is a full-brother to Ardkinglass (GB), GSW-Eng, \$113,627. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, £5,966. O-Dr Catherine Wills; B-St Clare Hall Stud; T-James Fanshawe; J-Joe Fanning.

7.35 Windsor, Weatherbys Travel Conditions S. (Class C), £10,375, 2yo, 5f 10ydsT, 1:00.95, gd/fm.

THE FISIO (GB) (c, 2, **Efio {GB}**--**Misellina {Fr}**, by **Polish Precedent {USA}**), sent off the 7-2 second favourite, broke well and grabbed the early lead. Pressed by Baltic Breeze (USA) (Labeeb {USA}) inside the final quarter of a mile, he stayed on well to hold that rival by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, £9,571. O-D H Caslon; B-E Duggan and D Churchman; T-Ian Balding; J-Martin Dwyer.

7.20 Warwick, EBF RBI Promotions--The Sports Promoters Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), £4,820, 2yo, f, 5fT, 59.80, gd.

TOURMALET (GB) (f, 2, **Night Shift {USA}**--**Robart {Ire}**, by **Robellino {USA}**), sent off the 4-6 favourite, raced in second early as Midnight Special (Ire) (Danetime {Ire}) blazed the trail. She always had the leader covered and quickened to pass her with 100 yards remaining for a comfortable 1 1/2-length score. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £4,694. O-Syndicate 2001; B-Lord Vestey; T-Alan Berry; J-Franny Norton.

1ST CROP - 38 INDIVIDUAL WINNERS - 5 STAKES WINNERS

WHERE OR WHEN (Group winning 2yo), **LAHINCH** (SW at 2 & 3), **LADY DOMINATRIX** (SW & Gr-pl.), **BRIGHT EDGE** (SW) & **ZIRIA** (Group winning 2yo & winner of the **Prix Hampton - L.R.** at Chantilly yesterday).

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9.05 Windsor, Dunloe Maiden S. (Class D), £4,900, 3yo/up, 10f 7ydsT, 2:09.95, gd/fm.

+ **TRAMANTANO (GB) (g, 3, Muhtarram {USA}--Hatta Breeze {GB} {SP}, by Night Shift {USA})**, sent off at odds of 25-1, was settled towards the rear early as Clisden (Ire) (Catrail {USA}) cut out the running. Making steady progress on the outside to lead with 250 yards remaining, he was pushed out to hold Indian Welcome (GB) (Most Welcome {GB}) by a neck. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,430.

O-H R Mould; B-Grange Stud (UK); T-Henry Candy; J-Gary Carter.

9.20 Warwick, Michelmersh Brick Holdings Maiden S. (Class D), £5,140, 3yo/up, 12f 134ydsT, 2:43.10, gd.

HAZIM (GB) (c, 3, Darshaan {GB}--Souk {Ire} {SP}, by Ahonoora {GB}), a 260,000gns TATHOU yearling, raced in rear early as Westorm (Ire) (Strong Gale {Ire}) led. Travelling easily to gain the advantage with 1 ½ furlongs remaining, the 4-6 favourite was pushed out to assert from there before being eased to beat Stance (GB) (Salse {USA}) by three lengths. The victor's a full to Puce (GB), SW & GSP-Eng, SP-Ity, \$119,298, Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £3,952.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Fittocks Stud; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Richard Hills.

2.00 Musselburgh, George Wimpey Merchiston EBF Median Auction Maiden Fillies' S. (Class E), £4,320, 2yo, f, 5fT, 1:01.90, gd/sf.

STRONG HAND (GB) (f, 2, First Trump {GB}--Better Still {Ire}, by Glenstal {USA}) broke smartly and raced in second as 1-2 favourite Sobaring (Ire) (General Monash {USA}) set the pace. After closing in on that foe after halfway, the 13-8 second choice was ridden to the front with 150 yards remaining and kept on well close to home to defeat Sobaring by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £3,356.

O/B-Mrs Jean Turpin; T-Mick Easterby; J-Terry Lucas.

2.15 Brighton, Rodney Moss Maiden Auction S. (Class F), £3,380, 2yo, 5f 59ydsT, 1:02.90, gd.

WILLHECONQUERTO (GB) (g, 2, Primo Dominie {GB}--Sure Care {GB}, by Caerleon {USA}) tracked the leaders in sixth from the outset as the speedy Rowan Express (GB) (Air Express {Ire}) led. After a stong move at halfway, the 5-1 chance quickened in good style to grab the lead approaching the final furlong and was pushed clear thereafter to beat the running on Bluegrass Beau (GB) (Bluegrass Prince {Ire}) by an easy 3 ½ lengths. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-0, £4,208.

O/B/T-Andrew Reid; J-Seb Sanders.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, and a + will denote winners who are first-time starters.

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX HAMPTON-Listed, €41,000, Chantilly, 6-17, 3yo/up, 5fT, 0:58.30, gd.

1--**ZIRIA (IRE), 119, f, 3, Danehill Dancer (Ire)--Surprise Visitor (Ire), by Be My Guest (USA)**. (27,000gns yrl '00 TATOCT). O-Leonidas Marinopoulos; B-Farmers Hill Stud; T-Carlos Laffon-Parias; J-Olivier Peslier; €20,500. Lifetime Record: GSW-Fr, 8 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €71,208.

2--**Skyrock (USA), 122, c, 3, Sky Classic (Can)--Landholder (USA), by Dixieland Band (USA)**. €8,200.

3--**Sa Premiere (Fr), 119, f, 3, Nombre Premier (GB)--Sokala (Fr), by Solicitor (Fr)**. €6,150.

Margins: 3, 1HF, 3/4. Odds: 0.80, 4.70, 14.50.

Also ran: Dananeyev (Fr), Tsigane (Fr).

Ziria showed fine acceleration to leave her rivals in her wake and record her second stakes success. Last year she took the G3 Prix du Bois at this course July 3, with Zipping (Ire) a neck back in third, but subsequently failed to get her head in front in competitive company. This term she was sixth in the G3 Prix de Saint-Georges at Longchamp May 12 before finishing fourth in the G2 Prix du Gros-Chene here June 2. Held up in third by Olivier Peslier while travelling easily off the fast early pace set by Sa Premiere, she was angled out and asked to quicken inside the final quarter of a mile and responded instantly to hit the front with 250 yards remaining. Never in danger from there, she was firmly on top at the line as Skyrock closed to take second.

3.15 Chantilly, Prix de la Broutillerie (Cond), €26,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:40.50, gd.

DEVIOUS INDIAN (IRE) (c, 3, Dr Devious {Ire}--Danseuse Indienne {Ire}, by Danehill {USA}) was settled in the early stages as Viva Maria (Fr) (Kendor {Fr}) led, but took up the running after a quarter mile. The 2-1 second choice was pushed along at the two-furlong marker, was safely clear at the distance and kept on in good style to easily hold the late bid of Palatinat (Fr) (Octagonal {NZ}) by 1 ½ lengths. Lifetime Record:

4 starts, 1 win, 3 places, €22,800.

O-Baron Edouard de Rothschild; B-SC Ecurie de Meauty; T-Andre Fabre; J-Olivier Peslier.

1.45 Chantilly, Prix des Cottages (Mdn), €17,000, unraced 2yo, c/g, 5 1/2fT, 1:08.90, gd.

+ **SUPER ILLUSION (FR) (c, 2, Solid Illusion {USA}--Super Margaux {Fr}, by Saint Estephe {Fr})** raced off the pace in rear as Barrytone (Fr) (Baryshnikov {Aus}) cut out the running, but took closer order to the front rank soon after halfway. The 27-10 chance was ridden to challenge approaching the final furlong, quickened to the front soon after and ran on well in the closing stages to safely account for Desert Sand (Fr) (Simon Du Desert {{Fr}) by a length. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €8,500.

O-G Hermans; B-A de Almeida; T-H de Poele; J-C Segeon.



(French Report cont.)

2.15 Chantilly, Prix des Jardins (Mdn), €17,000, unraced 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT, 1:06.30, gd.
+TREVISE (FR) (f, 2, Anabaa {USA}--Trevillari {USA}, by Riverman {USA}) was roused along from flagfall to get to the front and set a solid pace while leading the pack. The 29-10 favourite held a healthy advantage approaching the final furlong and was pushed out in the closing stages to defeat Six Perfections (Fr) (Celtic Swing {GB}) by a cozy three-parts of a length. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €8,500.
 O-Mme Alec Head; B-Alec & Mme Head; T-Freddy Head; J-Davy Bonilla.

★ ITALY ★

Sunday's Late Results:

10.40 Naples, Premio Romania (Cond), €19,125, 2yo, 5fT, time: n/a, gd.

MARMITTA (IRE) (f, 2, Danetime {Ire}--Davenport Goddess {Ire}, by Classic Secret {USA}) Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €17,000. O-Scuderia Chimax; B-Mrs M O'Callaghan; T-C Adaldo; J-O Fancera.

11.40 Naples, Premio Brasov (Cond), €13,005, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, time: n/a, gd.

GUARLEON (IRE) (h, 7, Caerleon {USA}--Mary Guard {Ire} {GSW-Ity}, by Home Guard {USA}) Lifetime Record: 65 starts, 8 wins, 23 places, €121,843. O-A Dirita; B-Azienda Agricola Delle Groane; T-L Camici; J-O Fancera. *1/2 to Indian Mary (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), MGSW-Ity, \$247,106.

8.40 Naples, Premio Stettino (Cond), €11,475, 2yo, c/g, 5fT, time: n/a, gd.

IMCO DAY JUST (IRE) (c, 2, Mukaddamah {USA}--Miss Darimda {GB}, by Darshaan {GB}) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €12,869. O-Razza Dell'Olmo; B-JJMR SRL; T-L di Dio; J-M Pasquale.

10.05 Livorno, Premio Lo Sportsman (Cond), €9,180, 3yo/up, 11f 55ydsT, time: n/a, gd.

ORO ZECCHINO (IRE) (h, 6, Horage {Ire}--Golden Superlative {Ire} {SP-Ity}, by Superlative {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 47 starts, 8 wins, 19 places, €150,237. O/B-P L Giannotti; T-M Gasparini; J-N Murru.

11.10 Naples, Premio Craiova (Cond), €9,180, 3yo, 5fT, time: n/a, gd.

KRIS WORLD (GB) (f, 3, Distant Relative {Ire}--Solar Dawn {GB}, by Soviet Star {USA}) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €23,205. O-Scuderia Colle Papa; B-R M West; T-A Renzoni; J-G Temperini.

★ AUSTRALASIA ★

BLETCHLEY PARK FILLY TOPS MM SALE

The star of Sunday's Magic Millions Mixed Thoroughbred Sale in Perth, Australia, was the stakes winning **Magic Heaven (Aus)** (Magic Ring {Ire}), a four-year-old who was purchased by Kambula Stud for A\$75,000. Out of the Don't Say Halo (USA) mare Talk to Angels (Aus), Magic Heaven also took third in the G3 Blue Diamond Prelude. Leading the yearlings was a A\$25,000 Bletchley Park (Ire) filly who went to Magic Millions, acting as an agent. The filly, out of the Haulpak (Aus) mare Lady So Blue (Aus), was sold by Pinebrook Stud. Topping the yearling colts was a bay by Serheed (USA) out of the Smile (USA) mare Deanna's Smile (USA). Purchased by Colin H Webster for A\$17,000, the colt marked the top filly/colt yearling sweep for Pinebrook Stud.

★ NORWAY ★

Yesterday's Results:

OSLO CUP-Listed, Nkr500,000, Ovrevoll, 6-16, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:33.60, gd.

1--PARTHE (FR), 128, g, 8, Highest Honor (Fr)--Plessaya (USA), by Nureyev (USA). (FF650,000 yrl '95 DEAAUG). O-Stall NOR; B-Societe Aland; T-Rune Haugen; J-Fernando Diaz; Nkr250,000. Lifetime Record: 25-8-3-3, Nkr1,679,900.

2--Valley Chapel (Ire), 128, h, 6, Selkirk (USA)--Valley Springs (GB) by Saratoga Six (USA). Nkr125,000.

3--Harrier (Ire), 128, g, 4, Prince Of Birds (USA)--Casaveha (Ire) by Persian Bold (Ire). Nkr60,000. Margins: 8, 2, 4. Odds: 8.10, 0.30, 7.10.

Also ran: Albaran (Ger), Williamshakespeare (Ire), Final Care (GB), Zoukris (GB).

NORSK JOCKEYKLUBS SPRINTLOP-Listed,

Nkr250,000, Ovrevoll, 6-16, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:10.70, gd.

1--PISTACHIO (GB), 137, h, 6, Unblest (GB)--Cashew (GB), by Sharrod (USA). O-Ursus Racing Ltd; B-Lord Vestey; T-Arnfinn Lund; J-Manuel Santos; Nkr125,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Nor & Swe, SP-Eng & Ger, 30-12-6-3, Nkr2,213,860.

2--Joplin (USA), 128, c, 4, Nureyev (USA)--Pi Phi Hi D (USA) by Sauce Boat (USA). Nkr62,500.

3--Rolo Tomasi (Ire), 132, g, 6, Mujtahid (USA)--Elegant Bloom (Ire) by be My Guest (USA). Nkr30,000.

Margins: 2, 2, HF. Odds: 1.50, 23.10, 4.10.

Also ran: Hanzano (Ire), Mortens Prospect (USA), Malex (USA), Waquaas (GB), Bodfari Street (GB), Sea Dane (GB). Scratched: Joup (Arg), Longueville Legend (Ire).



★ JAPAN ★

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNER: Shigeru Phoenix (Ire), c, 4, **Persian Bold (Ire)**--Shigeru Samurai (USA), by Bering (GB). Hanshin, 6-15, Nanko Tokubetsu, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 26-3-2-4, \$445,968. O-Shigeru Morinaka; B-Shigeru Morinaka; T-Noriaki Tsubo.

★ HONG KONG ★

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS:

Lucky Superstar (Ire), c, 4, **Danehill (USA)**--Aunty (Fr) (MGSP-Fr), by Riverman (USA). Sha Tin, 6-16, Good Jension H., 1600mT. O-Ho Sau-ki; B-Mervyn Stewkesbury; T-K L Man. *100,000gns yrl '99 TATOCT.

Northern Gold Ball (Ire), g, 5, **Marju (Ire)**--Soviet Maid (Ire), by Soviet Star (USA). Sha Tin, 6-16, The H K Racehorse Owners Association H., 1600mT. O-Mr & Mrs Chin; B-John McKay; T-Wong Tang-ping. *32,000gns wnl '97 TATDEC.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

+ **Trevise (Fr)**, f, 2, **Anabaa (USA)**--Trevillari (USA), by Riverman (USA). Chantilly, France, 6-17, Prix des Jardins (Mdn), unraced 2yo, f, 5 1/2fT, €8,500 to winner. B-Alec & Mme Head.

Dolce Asia (Fr), f, 2, **Baroud D'Honneur (Fr)**--Miss Luck (Ity), by Love The Groom (USA). Turin, Italy, 6-16, Premio Veipol-Model (Cond), 2yo, f, 5fT, €10,625 to winner. B-n/a. *First winner for freshman sire (by Highest Honor {Fr}).

Strong Hand (GB), f, 2, **First Trump (GB)**--Better Still (Ire), by Glenstal (USA). Musselburgh, Britain, 6-17, George Wimpey Merchiston EBF Median Auction Maiden Fillies' S. (Class E), 2yo, f, 5fT, £3,024 to winner. B-Mrs Jean Turpin.

Mukkaqueen (Ire), c, 2, **Mukaddamah (USA)**--Queen Of Kings (Ire), by King Of Clubs (GB). Turin, Italy, 6-16, Premio Tomatoa (Cond), 2yo, 7fT, €6,375 to winner. B-Scuderia Athena.

Tourmalet (GB), f, 2, **Night Shift (USA)**--Robsart (Ire), by Robellino (USA). Warwick, Britain, 6-17, EBF RBI Promotions--The Sports Promoters Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), 2yo, f, 5fT, £3,374 to winner. B-Lord Vestey.

Willheconquertoo (GB), g, 2, **Primo Dominie (GB)**--Sure Care (GB), by Caerleon (USA). Brighton, Britain, 6-17, Rodney Moss Maiden Auction S. (Class F), 2yo, 5f 69ydsT, £2,366 to winner. B-Andrew Reid.

+ **Super Illusion (Fr)**, c, 2, **Solid Illusion (USA)**--Super Margaux (Fr), by Saint Estephe (Fr). Chantilly, France, 6-17, Prix des Cottages (Mdn), unraced 2yo, c/g, 5 1/2fT, €8,500 to winner. B-A Simoes de Almeida.

Hazim (GB), c, 3, **Darshaan (GB)**--Souk (Ire) (SP), by Ahonoora (GB). Windsor, Britain, 6-17, Dunloe Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo/up, 10f 7ydsT, £3,430 to winner. B-Fittocks Stud. *260,000gns yrl '00 TATHOU. **Full to Puce (GB), SW & GSP-Eng, SP-Ity, \$119,298.

Devious Indian (Ire), c, 3, **Dr Devious (Ire)**--Danseuse Indienne (Ire), by Danehill (USA). Chantilly, France, 6-17, Prix de la Broutillerie (Cond), 3yo, 1mT, €13,000 to winner. B-SC Ecurie de Meautry.

Seneca (Ger), f, 3, **Lagunas (GB)**--Shoba (Ger), by Local Suitor (USA). Cologne, Germany, 6-16, Preis des Oppenheim Investment Banking (Mdn), 3yo, 9f 55ydsT, €3,000 to winner. B-Erwin Jahns.

+ **Tramantano (GB)**, g, 3, **Muhtarram (USA)**--Hatta Breeze (GB) (SP), by Night Shift (USA). Warwick, Britain, 6-17, Michelmersh Brick Holdings Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo/up, 12f 134ydsT, £3,598 to winner. B-Grange Stud (UK).

Serpenta (Ger), f, 3, **Protektor (Ger)**--Semplice (Ire), by Common Grounds (GB). Dresden, Germany, 6-16, BMW Prasentiert Evelyn - Egon - Lowenherz-Rennen (Mdn), 3yo, 7 1/2fT, €2,600 to winner. B-Dr Hildegard Huber.

Night Blitz (Ger), c, 3, **Surako (Ger)**--Night Scene (Ger), by Scenic (Ire). Dresden, Germany, 6-16, WEMPE Feinuhmacher & Juwelier Cup (Mdn), 3yo, 1 3/16mT, €2,600 to winner. B-Julia Kappes.

Eyecatcher (GB), g, 4, **Green Desert (USA)**--Reuval (GB), by Sharpen Up (GB). Warwick, Britain, 6-17, PricewaterhouseCoopers Classified S. (Cond.) (Class D), 3yo/up, 7f 26ydsT, £3,941 to winner. B-St Clare Hall Stud. *Full to Ardkinglass (GB), GSW-Eng, \$113,627.

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