

A PILLAR OF STRENGTH

The achievement of Mill Reef in winning six consecutive Group 1 races in 1971 and 1972 looked to be in serious danger two seasons ago when Giant's Causeway attempted to equal the feat in Ascot's Queen Elizabeth II S. The record remained intact on that occasion, but it was another Ballydoyle inmate who was to prove up to the task when 8-13 favourite **Rock Of Gibraltar (Ire)** (Danahill) strode to an imperious victory over **Noverre** (Rahy) in yesterday's G1 Sussex S. at Glorious Goodwood. The Rock's path to equine immortality began last October with success in the G1 Grand Criterium at Longchamp, swiftly followed by the G1 Dewhurst S. at Newmarket. A brace of G1 Guineas wins this year received the stamp of approval in Royal Ascot's G1 St James's Palace S. before yesterday's date with destiny saw the son of Danahill garner his sixth consecutive Group 1 win. (Cont. p2)

Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain

SUSSEX S.-G1, £265,000, Goodwood, 7-31, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:38.29, gd/fm.

1--**ROCK OF GIBRALTAR (IRE)**, 125, c, 3, by Danahill
1st Dam: **Offshore Boom (Ire)** (SP-Ire), by **Be My Guest**
2nd Dam: **Push a Button (Ire)**, by **Bold Lad (Ire)**
3rd Dam: **River Lady**, by **Prince John**

O-Sir Alex Ferguson & Susan Magnier; B-Joe Crowley & Mr & Mrs A P O'Brien; T-Aidan O'Brien;

J-Michael Kinane; £157,675. Lifetime Record:
MG1SW-GB, G1SW-Fr & Ire, 11-9-1-0, £1,018,063.

2--**Noverre**, 133, c, 4, Rahy--Danseur Fabuleux, by Northern Dancer. O-Godolphin; B-Darley Stud Management Inc; £58,300.

3--**Reel Buddy**, 133, c, 4, Mr. Greeley--Rosebud (GB), by Indian Ridge (Ire). (\$16,000 yrl '99 KEEJAN; 23,000gns yrl '99 DONSEP). O-Speedlith Group; B-Stronach Stables; £29,150.

Margins: 2, 2, 1 3/4. Odds: 8-13, 3-1, 33-1.

Also ran: No Excuse Needed (GB), Sahara Desert (GB).
Scratched: Shoal Creek (Ire).

WAR EMBLEM ARRIVES FOR HASKELL

Kentucky Derby and Preakness S. winner **War Emblem** (Our Emblem) arrived at the Monmouth Park stable area yesterday afternoon at 4:25 p.m. to prepare for Sunday's G1 Haskell Invitational H. after an uneventful plane ride from Southern California. The handsome dark bay was accompanied on the trip by assistant trainer Jim Barnes and pony Cisco, each of whom accompanied Point Given to last year's Haskell. "He shipped



War Emblem checks out his environs
Bill Denver/EquiPhoto

perfectly," Barnes commented. "It was an easy direct flight on FedEx [to Newark Airport] and no problems on the van ride to Monmouth. Plans call for the Bob Baffert trainee to make his first trip to the track early Thursday morning. The post-Haskell plans for War Emblem (Our Em-

blem) do not include the Aug. 24 Travers at Saratoga, Baffert said yesterday. "I really doubt it," Baffert said when asked if War Emblem would run in the Travers. "You never say never and we'll take it one race at a time, but Richard Mulhall would like to come back and run him in the Pacific Classic. He likes the track at Del Mar and it's nice and cool here." Baffert went on to add: "He's the big horse in the game right now. Richard and I are responsible for him and have to make sure we run him in the right spots. That's why the Travers would be too much. Any time you have a deep, sandy racetrack, that's when horses get hurt. I fear that. That's why we want to keep him on a faster track." It will be a busy week for Baffert, who will wed Jill Moss Saturday and then leave California at 5 a.m. the next morning on a private plane to New Jersey. Despite the hectic schedule, he is looking forward to the Haskell. "War Emblem looks great," he said. "The only thing I worry about is the heat factor. You never know how a race like the Belmont will affect them mentally, but, physically, he looks awesome."

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The Easiest Kind of Winner...

Pacemaker **Sahara Desert (GB)** (Green Desert) went into a clear lead from the outset in advance of Noverre as a confident Kinane settled the eventual winner six lengths off the pace in fourth. Noverre went to the front inside the final quarter, but his marriage to the lead was only fleeting as Rock Of Gibraltar quickened to challenge approaching the final furlong and motored past the defending champ for yet another hard-held success. "He has turned into the ultimate racehorse," said Kinane. "He has great pace and no matter how quick they go he is always in control." Added winning joint owner Sir Alex Ferguson Ferguson, "That was his most impressive performance because of the ease in which he came through with Micky-Joe [jockey Michael Kinane] sitting so confident on him. For me, the great achievement is to equal Mill Reef's record and, as he was one of the greatest racehorses of all time, that is fantastic." The winner now has a number of possible engagements, but may point to the G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. at Ascot Sept 28, with the GI Breeders' Cup Mile at Arlington also an option.

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☆ RESULTS ☆

Wednesday, Goodwood, Britain

CHAMPAGNE VINTAGE S.-G3, £50,000,

Goodwood, 7-31, 2yo, 7fT, 1:27.58, gd/fm.

1--#**@DUBLIN (IRE), 123, c, 2, by Carson City**

1st Dam: Lustre (SP-GB), by Halo

2nd Dam: White Star Line, by Northern Dancer

3rd Dam: Fast Line, by Mr. Busher

O/B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; T-David Loder; J-Jamie Spencer; £29,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, £43,225. *1/2 to Valley Of Gold (Fr) (Shirley Heights {GB}), G1SW-Ity, GSW & G1SP-Fr, G1SP-Ire, \$314,745.

2--**Bourbonnais (Ire), 123, c, 2, Singspiel (Ire)--Rose**

Bourbon, by Woodman. (25,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT). O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Addison Racing Ltd Inc; £11,000.

3--**Sarayay (GB), 123, c, 2, Polar Falcon--Montserrat (GB), by Aragon (GB).** (62,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT).

O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Mrs A Yearley; £5,500.

Margins: 1 1/4, HF, HF. Odds: 11-1, 6-1, 10-1.

Vintage S. cont.

Also ran: Norse Dancer (Ire), Newfoundland, Hilbre Island (GB), Tizzy May (Fr), Silver Seeker, Summerland (Ire), New Wish (Ire).

Successful on the sand at Wolverhampton on his debut July 1, Dublin continued his education with another victory in a conditions event at Newbury July 20, and showed yet further progression here with a determined finish to secure a first stakes success and retained his unbeaten record to boot. The win also provided owner Sheikh Mohammed with a one-two with Bourbonnais running on for the runner-up spot. "He has run a very good race," said winning trainer David Loder. "He was a big price, but he is a very lazy horse at home and we weren't quite sure what the form of his race at Newbury was worth, but we thought he deserved to take his chance and he hasn't let us down." The race was run at a strong pace as Sarayat and Bourbonnais held the front rank while Dublin settled well off the pace towards the rear. The eventual winner made good progress from the halfway, but was ridden along to get into a challenging position at the quarter-mile marker. Jockey Jamie Spencer asked Dublin for his effort approaching the final furlong and his partner showed a willing attitude to quicken to the lead between Bourbonnais and Sarayat at the eighth pole. The result was beyond doubt thereafter as Dublin ran on well in the closing stages for a comfortable win. Loder added: "It has to be said that he has taken a little time to get the message. The instructions were to sit last and hope that you don't finish there!"

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☆ PREVIEW ☆

Thursday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:20 p.m.

J P MORGAN PRIVATE BANK GOODWOOD CUP-G2,

£90,000, 3yo/up, 2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	9	Hatha Anna (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	bin Suroor	131
2	6	And Beyond (Ire)	Darshaan (GB)	Johnston	128
3	10	Bangalore (GB)	Sanglamore	Perrett	128
4	8	Bosham Mill (GB)	Nashwan	Wragg	128
5	7	Cover Up (Ire)	Machiavellian	Stoute	128
6	1	Double Honour (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Johnston	128
7	4	Give Notice (GB)	Warning (GB)	J Dunlop	128
8	3	Jardines Lookout (Ire)	Fourstars Allstar	A Jarvis	128
9	5	Persian Punch (Ire)	Persian Heights (GB)	Elsworth	128
10	2	Charley Bates	Benny The Dip	Gosden	113

PINE BLUFF, Danzig – Rowdy Angel

Sire of **BEAR FAN**, the undefeated winner of the \$100,000

Fleet Treat S., at Del Mar by 7 1/2 lengths (click [here](#) to watch)

and recent **G3** winner **SELCAN!**

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Goodwood Cup cont.

A competitive renewal of this stayers' event will see **Give Notice** start with a favourite's chance. The gelded son of Warning was at his peak to beat **Persian Punch** and **Double Honour** in the G3 Sagaro S. at Ascot May 1 and was staying on in the closing stages when fifth in the G1 Ascot Gold Cup at Royal Ascot June 20. **Persian Punch** scored an emotional success in this race last year and will need to be at his best to secure his first win of the season. **Hatha Anna** finished ahead of Give Notice when fourth in the Ascot Gold Cup and also has the credentials to figure.

Thursday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 2:45 p.m.

BETFAIR.COM MOLECOMB S.-G3, £45,000, 2yo, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Brantwood (Ire)	Lake Coniston (Ire)	McMahon	124
2	5	Folio (Ire)	Perugino	Johnson	124
3	9	Inter Vision	Cryptoclearance	Dickman	124
4	13	Night Speed (Ire)	Night Shift	Meehan	124
5	6	No Time (Ire)	Danetime (Ire)	Polglase	124
6	2	Polar Force (GB)	Polar Falcon	Channon	124
7	10	Royal Beacon (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	Johnston	124
8	7	Sir Edwin Landseer	Lit De Justice	Cole	124
9	3	Presto Vento (GB)	Air Express (Ire)	Hannon	122
10	11	Floppie Disk (GB)	Magic Ring (Ire)	Pickering	119
11	8	Riva Royale (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	Wood	119
12	1	Speed Cop (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	I Balding	119
13	12	Wunders Dream (Ire)	Averti (Ire)	Given	119

An exciting field is declared for this juvenile speedsters event with **Presto Vento**, **Wunders Dream** and **Sir Edwin Landseer** set to renew their rivalry. The trio filled the first three places in the valuable Weatherbys Super Sprint at Newbury July 20 where the tactics of Presto Vento's jockey Eddie Ahern proved decisive in victory. The daughter of Air Express has been given a favourable draw and is taken to confirm placings with Wunders Dream and Sir Edwin Landseer despite carrying a three-pound penalty for winning the Listed National S. at Sandown June 4.

CURRENCY CONVERSIONS

	Unit/US\$	Unit/GB£
British pound	1.56345	1.00
Euro	0.976956	0.624872
U.S. dollar	1.00	0.639607

Thursday, Goodwood, Britain, post time: 3:50 p.m.

KING GEORGE 200TH ANNIVERSARY S.-G3, £50,000, 3yo/up, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	9	Repertory (GB)	Anshan (GB)	Saunders	130
2	3	Jessica's Dream (Ire)	Desert Style (Ire)	Given	127
3	11	Porlezza (Fr)	Sicyos	de Nicolay	127
4	7	Indian Prince (Ire)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Meehan	125
5	4	Rudi's Pet (Ire)	Don't Forget Me (Ire)	Nicholls	125
6	6	The Trader (Ire)	Selkirk	Blanshard	125
7	13	Misty Eyed (Ire)	Paris House (GB)	Dutfield	122
8	12	Olivia Grace (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Mills	122
9	10	Red Millennium (Ire)	Tagula (Ire)	Arbuthnot	122
10	8	Rozel (Ire)	Wolfhound	Guest	122
11	1	Whitbarrow (Ire)	Royal Abjar	Millman	122
12	14	Agnetha (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Weld	119
13	2	Dragon Flyer (Ire)	Tagula (Ire)	McCourt	119
14	5	Keepers Hill (Ire)	Danehill	Halford	119

Sunday, Monmouth Park

HASKELL INVITATIONAL H.-GI, \$1,000,000, 3yo, 9f

Puck (Mr. Greeley), winner of the Gill Long Branch Breeders' Cup H. at Monmouth July 13, put in his final work ahead of Sunday's race, covering a half mile in a sharp :48 2/5 for trainer Bill White. "He was on cruise control," said Juan Duarte Arias, assistant to Florida-based trainer Bill White and exercise rider for the gray colt. "He would have gone :45, :44 if I asked. But Bill wanted him to do a half in about :49, so that's what I tried to do. I don't care who else is coming, he's ready for anything."

☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

NO INTERNATIONAL FOR HAWK WING Hawk Wing (Woodman), who was being readied for a tilt at the Juddmonte International S. at York Aug. 20, was yesterday ruled out of the race after trainer Aidan O'Brien reported the colt was suffering to a virus which has affected many of the sophomores at his Ballydoyle HQ. Plans for dual G1 Derby winner **High Chaparral (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells), who is currently enjoying a mid-season break, remain fluid before he embarks on an autumn campaign. O'Brien told *PA Sport*: "[Hawk Wing] won't run at York. A lot of our horses are coughing so we'll play it by ear, day by day. In the last few days it has just taken over. The majority of the three-year-olds have it at the moment, but we will wait and see how long it lasts."

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DR. PATCHES EUTHANIZED Dr. Patches (Dr. Fager--Expectancy, by Intentionally), the 1978 co-champion sprinter, was euthanized Tuesday at Tartan Farms. The 28-year-old, bred and raced by Tartan Farms, was buried in the Tartan/Mockingbird Farm cemetery. Dr. Patches won 17 of 47 starts and earned \$737,612. During his championship season, the gelding won the GII Vosburgh H., set a track record while winning the Meadowlands Cup and defeated 1977 Triple Crown winner Seattle Slew to take the Paterson H. He retired to Tartan Farms in 1982. "He had been doing well right up until the end," said farm manager Bryan Howlett. "With the sale of the Tartan Farms property, he was the only horse still on the place. It won't be the same without him."

Street Cry Tunes Up For Whitney:

Godolphin's **Street Cry (Ire)** (Machiavellian) breezed five furlongs in 1:03 over the Belmont main track yesterday morning as he completed his preparations for Saturday's GI Whitney H. "He was nice and relaxed," said assistant trainer Tom Albertrani. "I caught him the last three-eighths in :36." The winner of this year's G1 Dubai World Cup, the four-year-old is coming into Saturday's race off a monster win in the GI Stephen Foster H. at Churchill June 15.

Saratoga Breezes:

Michael Tabor's **Mayakovsky** (Matty G) drilled a half mile yesterday morning in :46 flat and will have the services of leading rider Jerry Bailey for Saturday's GII Amsterdam S. at six furlongs. The Florida-bred made a Saratoga splash about a year ago when he broke his maiden in a track-record setting 1:03 1/5. Second to Came Home in the GI Hopeful S., the dark bay returned this season to add the GIII Gotham S. to his resume. Unraced since a fourth-place effort in the GI Santa Anita Derby Apr. 6, Mayakovsky is using the Amsterdam as a prep for the GI King's Bishop S. Aug. 24.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, THURSDAY, AUGUST 1:

- 08-10 \$150,000 **Sorrento-II, Dmr, 2yo, f, 6.5f** (150)
- 08-11 \$300,000 **Clement L Hirsch H.-II, Dmr, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5f** (300)
- 10-12 \$250,000 **Cup and Saucer, Wo, 2yo, ♀, 8.5fT** (300)
- 10-13 \$250,000 **Princess Elizabeth, Wo, 2yo, ♀, 8.5f** (200)
- 11-02 \$250,000 **Coronation Futurity, Wo, 2yo, ♀, 9f** (300)



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Congratulations to the best customers in the world on THREE Grade I and Grade II winners last week!

SARAFAN, winner of the July 28 Eddie Read H. (GI)

O-Gary Tanaka; B-Stratford Place Stud (KY); T-Neil Drysdale
Sold Keeneland September 1998 for \$90,000; Earnings now \$1,027,778.
Consigned by Gainesway Farm, Agent; Purchased by Charles Gordon-Watson

YOU, winner of the July 28 Test S. (GI)

Keeneland September 2000, \$9,000; Earnings now \$1,168,545
O-Edmund A Gann; B-Dolphus Morrison (KY); T-Bobby Frankel
Consigned by Elm Tree Farm (Mr. and Mrs. Jody Huckabay)

WHYWHYWHY, Winner of the July 27 Sanford S. (GII)

Keeneland September 2001, \$27,000; Earnings now \$164,060
O-Biancone & Ouaki; B-James E Jones (KY); T-Patrick L Biancone
Consigned by Spendthrift Farm LLC (Bruce Kline, Agent)



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(Saratoga report cont.)

Yesterday's Results:

7th-SAR, \$52,000, Alw, NW3X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 3/5, fm.

1--**JUBILEO**, 119, g, 5, Cozzene--My Prayer, by Hero's Honor. O-Morgan's Ford Farm; B-Morgan's Ford Farm (KY); T-Thomas H Voss. Lifetime Record: SP, 9-4-3-2, \$132,330. * 1/2 to The Texas Tunnel (Ogygian), MSW, \$179,920; Kris's Prayer (Kris S.), SW & GSP.
2--**Aslaaf**, 117, c, 4, Quiet American--Ville D'Amore, by Irish River (Fr).

3--**Tap the Admiral**, 119, c, 4, Pleasant Tap--Polish Buck, by Polish Navy. (\$32,000 yrl '99 KEESEP). Margins: 1HF, HF, 2HF. Odds: 2.35, 2.25, 7.40.

Jubileo returned from a seven-month layoff to win a June 11 Delaware allowance at this distance before a runner-up finish in the Da Hoss S. over the Colonial turf June 29. The gray gelding settled along the inside off the pace, made a three-wide move on the final turn and drove clear for the win.

8th-SAR, \$47,000, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5, ft.

MAKE OUT (f, 2, **Out of Place**--Make the Cut {SW}, by **Cutlass**), a \$75,000 OBSMAR two-year-old purchase, was bet down to 8-5 for her July 10 debut at Belmont and did not disappoint, leading from flagfall to finish in a 2 1/2-length victory. No better than the 4-1 fourth choice in this field, the bay broke like a shot, set the pace in hand, opened up turning for home and reported home a four-length winner over Spinning Wind (Dehere). Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$54,000. O-Trackmen Golf Club Stable & Golden Dome Stable. B-Robert Ross (FL). T-Linda Rice.

3rd-SAR, \$46,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:53, ft.

ANNUAL DUES (f, 3, **Devil His Due**--Years, by **Secretariat**), claimed for \$50,000 out of a runner-up finish at Churchill Downs June 27, returned to run second against open company July 7. In her first start over a mile, the filly was sent off at 7-2. She was ridden to the front, opened a seven-length lead down the backstretch and scored by 5 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 7-1-3-0, \$49,760. O-Kenneth & Sarah Ramsey. B-Mr & Mrs Stephen E Johnson (KY). T-Charles Simon.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters.

6th-SAR, \$45,000, Msw, 2yo, 5f, :58 2/5, ft.
+ **MISTER DEUX** (c, 2, **Mister Jolie**--**Deux Amours**, by **Personal Flag**), a \$35,000 OBSOCT weanling and \$57,000 OBSAUG yearling, was sent off at 7-2 in his debut. The dark bay colt raced with the pacesetters early, took charge when asked and won by 2 1/4 lengths. The 4-5 favorite Pick'em (Valid Expectations) was second. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,000. O-Mike Tarp. B-Hidden Point Farm, Inc (FL). T-Dale Romans.

2nd-SAR, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11, ft.
+ **TOP SHOTER** (c, 3, **Ormsby**--**Rajadiddle**, by **Raja's Revenge**), sent off at 2-1, shot to the front, set all the fractions and drew clear down the lane to win by five lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,600. O/T-Charlton Baker. B-Michael Anchel (NY).

☆ FOREIGN ☆

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AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN IRELAND:

***Party Airs**, g, 3, **Geri**--Elegant Champagne (SP), by Alleged. Galway, 7-31, HP Remarketing Services Maiden, 3yo/up, 1m 100ydsT, \$9,782 to winner. O-Kenneth L Ramsey; B-Mrs Lewis C Ledyard; T-Dermot Weld. *\$8,500 yrl '00 KEESEP.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN BRITAIN:

***Wimple**, f, 2, **Kingmambo**--Tunicle, by Dixieland Band. Leicester, 7-31, EBF Edwin Starr/Rainbows Children's Hospice Maiden S., 2yo, 5f 2ydsT, \$7,354 to winner. O-Saeed Manana; B-Bayard Sharp; T-Clive Brittain. *\$50,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.

***Colourful Lady**, f, 2, **Quest For Fame (GB)**--Special Park, by Trempolino. Musselburgh, 7-31, CMYK Digital Solutions Maiden Auction S., 2yo, 7f 30ydsT, \$6,740 to winner. O-The Hopeful Flames; B-Matt Duffy; T-Peter Harris. *\$15,200 yrl '01 TATOCT.

Waraqa, f, 3, **Red Ransom**--Jafn (GB) (SW-GB), by Sharpo (GB). Leicester, 7-31, Leicester Sound Classified S. (Cond), 3yo/up, 5f 218ydsT, \$6,436 to winner. O-John Crook; B-Shadwell Farm LLC; T-Jamie Osborne. *\$6,080 2yo '01 TATAUT.

An (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races. A @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners.

BREEDERS' CUP STAKES CLOSINGS

CLOSES	TRACK	RACE	CONDITIONS	PURSE	RUNS
8-3	EMD	Washington Owners Breeders' Cup H.	3yo, c/g, 1 1/16m	\$65,000	8-11
8-3	MTH	Monmouth Breeders' Cup Oaks (GII)	3yo, f, 1 1/8m	\$250,000	8-17
8-3	SAR	Saratoga Breeders' Cup H. (GII)	3yo/up, 1 1/4m	\$300,000	8-17

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☆ EAST ☆

Defrere to Walford Farm:

Defrere (Deputy Minister--Sister Dot, by Secretariat), a full brother to champion Dehere, will stand the 2003 breeding season at Walford Farm in Allentown, New Jersey. The 10-year-old stallion began his stud career at Hill 'n' Dale Farm in Kentucky. He has sired graded-stakes winner Sister Fiona and stakes winners President Butler, Energized and Tabac. Defrere will stand for \$5,000 live foal.

Yesterday's Results:

7th-DEL, \$53,300, Alw, NW2\$6MX, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

SAY FLORIDA SANDY (h, 8, Personal Flag--Lolli Lucka Lolli, by Sweet Candy {Ven}) opened the year with a fourth-place effort in the GI Carter H. in April and a third-place finish in the GIII Bold Ruler H. in May. The hard-hitting New York-bred was coming off a half-length victory in a June 20 Belmont allowance. Sent off the 3-5 favorite, Say Florida Sandy was never far from contention, rallied three wide after half and finished strongly for a 3 1/2-length victory. The winner is a half brother to Dancin Renee (Distinctive Pro, GSW, \$497,546). Lifetime Record: MGSW, 85-30-15-11, \$1,860,353.

O-John Rotella. B-Bacon Sanford (NY). T-Victor Cuadra.

6th-DEL, \$41,500, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

BID WILD (h, 5, Once Wild--Come On Bid, by Spectacular Bid) debuted a winner for a \$16,500 tag over the Colonial turf just four weeks ago and returned to run fourth for \$25,000 July 14. Dismissed at 42-1 in his allowance debut, the gray jumped out to the early lead and was never challenged in a 5 3/4-length romp. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$31,290.

O-George Parrish. B-George Parrish (FL). T-George W Parrish Sr.

4th-MTH, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 4/5, fm.

+ RACEY DREAMER (c, 3, A.P. Indy--Dahlia's Dreamer {GISW, \$333,956}, by Theatrical {Ire}) was dismissed at 6-1 in his bow. The colt was allowed to settle off the pace, moved up four wide turning for home and got up late for a half-length tally over Sky Deputy (Sky Classic). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,200.

O/B-Jayeff B Stables (KY). T-Alan E Goldberg.

☆ MIDWEST ☆

Silva Rides His 3000th:

Jockey Carlos Silva became the 101st rider in history to reach the 3000-win plateau when he guided Buba's Caper to a neck victory in yesterday's third race at Arlington Park. The 46-year-old journeyman has been riding in the United States since 1978 and ranks fifth on the list of all-time leading riders at Arlington with 923 victories. "I'm so glad I did this here at Arlington, it's such a beautiful place," Silva said. "I want to thank all the trainers and owners that I have ridden for, all the jockeys I've ridden with and most of all my family."

Late Tuesday Results:

5th-PRM, \$22,000, Alw, NW2L, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:03 2/5, ft.

FLY HONOR FLY (c, 2, Double Honor--Dove, by Silver Hawk), an \$18,000 OBSAUG yearling, debuted a 5 3/4-length winner for his freshman sire sprinting 4 1/2 furlongs at this track June 1 and returned to run second after setting the pace in the July 4 Prairie Meadows Gold Juvenile S. last time out. The even-money favorite went right to the front and scored a wire-to-wire 3 3/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: SP, 3-2-1-0, \$37,800. O-Mario Silva. B-Sherry R Mansfield & Kenneth H Davis (FL). T-Tim M Gleason.

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-ELP, \$25,500, Msw, 2yo, 1mT, 1:39 2/5, fm.

+ BUCKNER BERT (c, 2, Afternoon Deelites--Quarrel Over {MGSP, \$151,472}, by One for All), favored at 7-5 in his debut, was allowed to settle well back early while racing wide. He swept to the front and powered clear to an eight-length victory over Celtic Fire (Alphabet Soup). The \$45,000 FTKJUL yearling is a half brother to Suivi (Diesis {GB}, GSW & GISP, \$244,750). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,847.

O-Richard Bertram & Elaine Klein. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). T-Steven B Flint.

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Congaree Set For San Diego 'Cap:

Congaree (Arazi), third in the Kentucky Derby and Preakness a year ago, zipped five furlongs in :59 2/5 yesterday at Del Mar ahead Sunday's GII San Diego H. Injured during the running of the GI Jim Dandy S. last year at Saratoga, the chestnut, owned by Stonerside Stables, was impressive in winning the GIII Lone Star Park H. in his return to the races May 27, but disappointed in his latest when a distant sixth to Street Cry in the GI Stephen Foster H. at Churchill June 15.

Yesterday's Results:

GRADUATION S., \$125,000, DMR, 7-31, (S), 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:03 1/5 (NSR), ft.

1--**#ICECOLD BEER AT REDS**, 117, c, 2, by In Excess (Ire)

1st Dam: **Guided Times**, by Crafty Prospector

2nd Dam: **Our Mahney**, by Olden Times

3rd Dam: **Likely Mite**, by Mito

O/B-Michael E Pegram; T-Bob Baffert; J-D R Flores; \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$100,800. *Full to Controlled, MSW & GSP, \$325,248

2--**Jury Box**, 117, c, 2, In Excess (Ire)--Right Smart Girl, by Smarten. (\$10,000 yrl '01 BESOCT). O-Clinton C & Susan A Atkins; \$25,000.

3--**Expression**, 117, c, 2, In Excess (Ire)--Emerald Express, by Falstaff. O-Keith & Lockhart; \$15,000. Margins: 3HF, 3, NO. Odds: 2.30, 1.30, 5.10.

It was as easy as one-two-three for California sire In Excess as his three juveniles led completed the trifecta in yesterday's feature at Del Mar. Icecoldbeeratreds could hardly have been more impressive in his Apr. 27 debut versus Cal-breds at Hollywood, leading every step of the way to win very handily. The second choice in the wagering behind 11-length maiden winner Jury Box, the Pegram homebred was quickest into stride and set fractions of :21 4/5 and :44 4/5 while pursued by the favorite. Hand ridden into the stretch, the dark bay cruised clear en route to a new stakes record. "I was worried he might be a bit short," commented winning trainer Bob Baffert, who was winning this for the third straight year. "We lost some time with him after his first race. His shins were bugging him so we backed off of him for a while. We don't know where we'll go next with him." The final time shaved 3/5 of a second off the previous record set by Baffert trainee Arabian Light in 2000.

Click [here](#) for the video race replay.

3rd-DMR, \$49,294, Msw, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:36 3/5, ft. INFINITE FAITH (g, 4, [Dixieland Band](#)--**Gift to the World**, by **His Majesty**) posted back-to-back third-place finishes in Santa Anita maidens Jan. 27 and Feb. 27 before getting some time off. The gelding returned to be fifth in a highly-rated race at Hollywood May 11 and was most recently a distant third in Inglewood June 20. Off at 10-1, the dark bay chased a fast pace from midpack, rallied two deep into the stretch, overtook favored Hecandigit (Marlin) at the eighth pole and inched clear to win by 1/2 length. Tizbud (Cee's Tizzy), the full brother to Tiznow, was fifth in his two-turn bow. Lifetime Record: 10-1-1-4, \$62,140. Click [here](#) for a video race replay.

O-Margaret T Siemon. B-William & Margaret T Siemon (KY). T-D Wayne Baker.

BREEDERS' EDITION

STAKES RESULTS:

OMAHA H., \$100,000, HPO, 7-21, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft.

1--**#CATNIRO**, 118, h, 5, [Rubiano](#)--**Simply Catty**, by **Storm Cat**. O-Robert Mitchell; B-Mereworth Farm (Ky); T-Randy Morse; J-Terry Thompson; \$58,800. Lifetime Record: 37-6-6-6, \$206,734.

2--**Baker Road**, 125, h, 5, Rubiano--Victor's Prize, by Victoriante. (\$3,500 HRA '00 OBSJAN). O-R Nykaza H. Hughey & L & H Kempler; \$19,600.

3--**Miner's Prize**, 125, h, 5, Miner's Mark--Can't Be Late, by Seattle Slew. (\$35,000 yrl '98 KEESEP). O-Mary Proctor; \$11,760.

Margins: HF, HF, 5. Odds: 5.80, 2.70, 3.30.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-WOX, \$72,200, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000-\$75,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:08 2/5, fm.

ZONE JUDGE (c, 4, **Judge T C**--**Frigid Zone**, by **Procida**) Lifetime Record: 13-4-3-0, \$178,527. O-Penny Winston W; B-Robert H & Bea Roberts (KY). T-David Dwyer. * \$145,000 2yo 2000 KEENOV.



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Storm Cat-Aliata, by Mr. Prospector (\$15,000 Live Foal)

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1st-DMR, \$57,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42, fm.

I'M THE BUSINESS (NZ) (m, 5, Spectacularphantom--Ruakiwi Sunshine, by Sun and Shine {GB}) Lifetime Record: MSP-NZ, 20-2-2-9, \$95,857. O-Doll, Kadner, Shapiro, et al. B-B J Tapp (NZ). T-Roger M Stein.

8th-DEL, \$46,900, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45, ft.

CAPOTE SUN (g, 5, Capote--Keep Happy {SP}, by Key to the Mint) Lifetime Record: 30-6-3-6, \$164,080. O-P T K Racing Ltd. B-M Little Jr, James Iselin & R McKee (KY). T-A Ferris Allen III. *\$77,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.

8th-APX, \$45,000, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), NW2\$6MX, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, ft.

EXTENDED VIEW (f, 4, Allen's Prospect--View the Sunrise, by Rise Jim) Lifetime Record: SW, 16-7-1-1, \$161,095. O/T-Louie J Roussel III. B-Patricia L Duffy & Rodney Jenkins (VA). *\$22,000 wlng '98 FTMDEC; \$145,000 2yo 2000 OBSFEB.

9th-SAR, \$44,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 1/5, fm.

LITTLE ME TOO (c, 4, Belong to Me--Found Our Star, by Greinton {GB}) Lifetime Record: 23-3-5-6, \$149,600. O-Ronald D & Alice M Schmidt. B-Gail A Suozzo (NY). T-Michael E Gorham. *\$40,000 yrl '99 FTMOCT

8th-MTH, \$43,750, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, a1m70yd, 1:42 3/5, ft.

TWILIGHT INTERVIEW (c, 4, Private Interview--Ruby Sunset, by Red Attack) Lifetime Record: 28-3-4-4, \$131,602. O-Frank S Vigilante. B-LDJR Stable (NJ). T-Mary Hartman.

5th-SAR, \$43,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16 1/5, ft.

A ONE ROCKET (c, 3, Abaginone--Mylittlerocket, by Star de Naskra) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$64,000. O-Mark Schlesinger, Terri Gay & Skip Ebel. B-Betty Powell & Joseph Lacombe (NY). T-William I Mott. *\$12,000 wnlng '99 KEENOV; \$37,000 yrl '00 FTNAUG.

6th-APX, \$37,000, NW2X, (S), 3/up, 1m, 1:38 1/5, ft.

HAPPINESS (c, 3, Home At Last--Believable, by Ferdinand) Lifetime Record: 14-3-3-2, \$84,852. O-Russell L Reineman Stable. B-Charles Nuckols Jr & Sons (IL). T-Harvey L Vanier.

7th-LRL, \$33,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5, fm.

TROOPER RED (h, 6, Olympio--Sweet Mary B., by Stalwart) Lifetime Record: SW, 26-5-6-5, \$139,020. O-Ralph A Sheraine. B-Hart Farm, Inc (FL). T-Ronald A Clarke. *\$7,500 yrl '97 KEESEP; \$7,500 2yo 1998 OBSAPR.

9th-FEX, \$28,500, NW4L, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:39 4/5, gd.

MY GABRIELLE (f, 3, Hazaam--Dance in Heaven, by Seattle Dancer) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-0, \$56,320. O/B-Frank A Roberts (FL). T-Nicholas Gonzalez.

6th-LRL, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:47 2/5, ft.

CHEVALIER BAY (f, 3, Mister Jolie--Recital P. R. {MGSW-PR}, by High Tribute) Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-0, \$45,930. O/T-Donald E Souder. B-Dunnhall & John F Dunn (FL). *\$11,000 yrl '00 OBSAUG

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Buckner Bert**, c, 2, **Afternoon Deelites**--Quarrel Over (MGSP, \$151,472), by One for All. ELP, 7-31, 1mT, 1:39 2/5. B-Brereton C Jones (Ky). *\$45,000 yrl '01 FTKJUL.

She's the Ticket, f, 2, **Conquistador Cielo**--Adelphi, by Danzig. MTH, 7-31, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5. B-Kennelot Stables, Ltd (Ky). *\$18,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.

Favorite One, c, 2, **Favorite Trick**--Prissy One (MSP, \$153,243), by Black Tie Affair (Ire). LRL, 7-31, (C), 7f, 1:27 3/5. B-J TI Jones Jr & Joseph Lacombe (Ky). *\$8,000 yrl '01 KEESEP. **First winner for freshman sire (by Phone Trick).

+ **Semifinal**, f, 2, **Gold Case**--In the Round, by With Approval. APX, 7-31, (C), 5f, :59 3/5. B-Anthony Caliva (Ky). \$11,000 yrl '01 FTMOCT; \$75,000 2yo 2002 OBSMAR.

Rouge Sensation, c, 2, **Gorky Park (Fr)**--Second Notice, by Apalachee. LRL, 7-31, 1mT, 1:39 1/5. B-Dresden Farm (Va).

+ **Mister Deux**, c, 2, **Mister Jolie**--Deux Amours, by Personal Flag. SAR, 7-31, 5f, :58 2/5. B-Hidden Point Farm, Inc (Fl). *\$35,000 wlng '00 OBSOCT; \$57,000 yrl '01 OBSAUG.

Jiffyjimmygee, c, 2, **Rebmec**--Blue Bess, by Badger Land. NPX, 7-31, 5 1/2f, 1:06 3/5. B-Heath Underwood (Ab). *\$6,819 yrl '01 ALBAUG. **1/2 to Nuclear Explosion (Beau Genius), SW-Jam; and La Belle Bleu (Beau Genius), SW, \$167,636.

Hot Jelly Jam, f, 2, **Red Scamper**--A. J.'s Hot Shot, by Explodent. RKM, 7-31, 4 1/2f, :54 4/5. B-Peter Fuller (Fl). \$1,200 wlng '00 OBSOCT; \$15,500 2yo 2002 FTMMAY.

WHAT'S NEW AT THE TDN?

As of the edition of Wednesday, July 31, you will notice that allowance results now include the conditions of the race using the same abbreviations you are familiar with from other industry publications. Additionally, we are for the first time providing sales information for allowance winners, as well as maiden winners. We hope this added information is of interest and use.





Kid Semoran, c, 2, **Semoran**--Hopeful Liaison, by Current Hope. ELP, 7-31, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 4/5. B-Brent Fernung (Fl). *\$20,000 wlng '00 OBSOCT. **Third winner for freshman sire (by Phone Trick). ***1/2 to Enticing Miss (Premiership), SP, \$153,160.

Rose of Edmore, f, 2, **Service Stripe**--Rose of Clare (SW), by Isopach. GLD, 7-30, (S), 4f, :48 4/5. B-Mr & Mrs Rick L McCune (Mi).

+ **Hard Card**, c, 2, **Shuailaan**--Chingudy Bay, by Marquetry. DEL, 7-31, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06. B-Rita Cowley (Fl). \$1,200 yrl '01 OBSAUG.

Jimmy O, c, 2, **Stormy Atlantic**--Pat On the Back, by Unreal Zeal. DMR, 7-31, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5. B-Meadowbrook Farm, Inc (Fl). *First winner for freshman sire (by Storm Cat).

She Is a Wild One, f, 2, **Wild Zone**--Regal Swan (SP), by Regal Affair. WOX, 7-31, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:21. B-James T Sabiston (On). \$30,000 yrl '01 CBSSEP.

+ **Racey Dreamer**, c, 3, **A.P. Indy**--Dahlia's Dreamer (GISW, \$333,956), by Theatrical (Ire). MTH, 7-31, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 4/5. B-Jayeff "B" Stables (Ky).

Be Sovereign, c, 3, **Belong to Me**--Eastern Sovereign, by Sovereign Dancer. PEN, 7-31, 5fT, :56 2/5. B-R B Collier Farm Corp (Fl).

Blushing Rainbow, f, 3, **Boundary**--Technicolour (Ire), by Rainbow Quest. DEL, 7-31, (C), 1mT, 1:36 3/5. B-Indian Creek (Ky). *\$47,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

Crusader Jo, c, 3, **Crusader Sword**--Another Jo, by Transworld. APX, 7-31, (S), 1 1/8mT, 1:50 4/5. B-Lawrence Karp (Ill).

Annual Dues, f, 3, **Devil His Due**--Years, by Secretariat. SAR, 7-31, 1 1/8m, 1:53. B-Mr & Mrs Stephen E Johnson (Ky).

Excessive Warrior, f, 3, **In Excess (Ire)**--War Commandress, by Lord at War (Arg). DMR, 7-31, (S), (C), 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5. B-Vessels Stallion Farm (Ca). *1/2 to Suspicious Minds (Paranoide {Arg}), MSP, \$264,209. **\$30,000 2yo '01 BESMAY.

Raquette Lake, f, 3, **Langfuhr**--Fappies Cosy Miss (MGSP, \$304,885), by Fappiano. MTH, 7-31, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:47 4/5. B-R Alex Rankin, Richard M Lenihan & Plenihan (Ky). *\$35,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

O'Malley, c, 3, **Langfuhr**--Miss Ireland, by Caro (Ire). RKM, 7-31, 1 1/16mT, 1:46 4/5. B-Penn Farm & Gustav Schickedanz (Ky). *\$7,500 yrl '00 KEESEP. **1/2 to Judge Carson (Magesterial), SW, \$199,358.

+ **Top Shoter**, c, 3, **Ormsby**--Rajadiddle, by Raja's Revenge. SAR, 7-31, (S), 6f, 1:11. B-Michael Anchel (Ny).

Broke But Happy, f, 3, **Pembroke**--All in Mist, by The Minstrel. PRM, 7-30, (S), (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5. B-Jon L Starr (Ar).

Ahhsome Explosion, c, 3, **Time to Explode**--Slightly Risque, by Brave Regent. FEX, 7-31, 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5. B-James T Sabiston (On).

Adoring, f, 3, **Wekiva Springs**--Wolf Trail (MSP, \$127,725), by Superbity. RKM, 7-31, 1 1/16mT, 1:47 2/5. B-Donald R Dizney (Fl). *1/2 to Dustin's Dream (Quiet American), SW, \$347,248.

Infinite Faith, c, 4, **Dixieland Band**--Gift to the World, by His Majesty. DMR, 7-31, 1m, 1:36 3/5. B-William & Margaret T Siemon (Ky).

Affirmed Future, f, 4, **Future Storm**--Affirmed Legacy, by Affirmed. DEL, 7-31, (C), 1mT, 1:36 2/5. B-Whisper Hill Farm (Fl).

Seven Counties, f, 4, **Wayne County (Ire)**--Seven Steps, by Thirty Eight Paces. LRL, 7-31, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5. B-William R Harris (Md).

FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Thursday, Aug. 1

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1999 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)
ARCH (Kris S.), Claiborne, \$, 40/2/0
 7-SAR, Alw, 5 1/2f, Admiralty Arch, \$660K FTF FEB 2yo, 7-5
AWESOME AGAIN (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$50K, 74/3/0
 7-SAR, Alw, 5 1/2f, Awesome of Course, 10-1
CAPE TOWN (Seeking the Gold), Overbrook, \$10K, 62/1/0
 8-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Cape Good Hope, \$275K FTF FEB 2yo, 3-1
DEPUTY COMMANDER (Deputy Minister), Airdrie, \$20K, 97/2/0
 5-AP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Bayani, \$77K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1
SKIP AWAY (Skip Trial), Hopewell, \$50K, 94/4/0
 8-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Reynoldsrap, \$50K OBS FEB 2yo, 20-1
SOUVENIR COPY (Mr. Prospector), Hopewell, \$20K, 105/3/0
 8-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Mount Suribachi, \$28K EAS OCT yrl, 8-1
TOUCH GOLD (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$30K, 86/1/0
 6-SAR, Msw, 5f, Our Nancy Lee, \$190K FTF FEB 2yo, 15-1
YARROW BRAE (Deputy Minister), Murmur, \$6K, 34/0/0
 8-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Stylish Brae, 6-1

SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

First-time Starters & Stakes Progeny: Thursday, Aug. 1

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)
TAMAYAZ (Gone West), Northview, \$5K, 100/14/0
 8-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Quillo's Prince, 15-1

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IRISH NATIONAL STUD BUYS INTEREST IN

MEDECIS The Irish National Stud announced yesterday that they have purchased an interest in G3 Prix de la Jonchere winner **Medecis (GB)** (Machiavellian {USA}--Renashaan {Fr}, by Darshaan {GB}). "As a high class son of sire of sires Machiavellian, from a great family and a most impressive individual, Medecis should be a wonderful addition to our roster of sires headed by Indian Ridge," said Chairman of the Irish National Stud, Lady O'Reilly. The three-year-old, who was undefeated as a juvenile and ran second in the G1 Gainsborough Poule d'Essai des Poulains May 12, is slated to make his next appearance in the G1 Prix Jacques Le Marois at Deauville Aug. 18.

★ **FRANCE** ★

Thursday, Deauville, post time: 4:00 p.m.

PRIX DU CERCLE-Listed, €41,000, 3yo/up, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
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2	3	Hothaifah (GB)	Green Desert (USA)	F Head	122
3	10	General Ridge (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Rob Collet	122
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NEW RACECOURSE REJECTED

The new £100 million London racecourse has been turned down by Government at the planning stage. Britain's Government has rejected an appeal by developers of the proposed site which was 15 miles to the east of the city at Fairlop Waters. The project had the support of the British Horseracing Board, but was opposed by local residents as well as Redbridge Borough Council and a number of other groups. "The Government has refused the appeal, so in short there will not be a racecourse there," said a spokesman for the Government News Network told *PA Sport*. "There were four appeals that the Secretary of State had to consider and he has refused all of them. The local council, Redbridge, had refused the original application. There was an appeal that went to a public inquiry in which the chairman of the inquiry, a planning inspector, gave his views, which was for planning permission to be granted and the Secretary of State for Planning John Prescott has decided to reject the inspector's recommendation and dismissed the appeal. They have a right of appeal if they believe the decision has been taken outside of the Town And Country Planning Acts or if they believe that some other procedure has not been complied with then they can challenge the decision in the High Court within six weeks of the date of the letter which is today." BHB spokesperson Alan Delamonte added, "We will not be making a statement until we have time to consider the Government's report, hopefully that will be tomorrow."

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ROBERTS RETURNS AS TEAM CAPTAIN

Retired jockey Michael Roberts, who hung up his tack earlier this season on medical advice, returns to Ascot racecourse this month when he captains the Dubai Duty 'Free Rest Of the World' team against the HOK Design Team Great Britain & Ireland at this year's Blue Square Shergar Cup on Aug. 10. The British & Irish team will be captained by former World Snooker champion and TV Celebrity John Parrott, who is an avid racefan and all six races will be screened live by BBC Television. There have been further changes to the format of the ever-evolving competition including the selection process where each team manager will take alternate choices of horse before the draw takes place Aug. 8. "Having John and Michael on board is going to make the managers' role really hands-on this year," Ascot's clerk of the course Nick Cheyne told *PA Sport*. "Everything is in place now for Blue Square Shergar Cup day and we're thrilled that the HOK Design Team will be sponsoring the Great Britain & Ireland squad. This is the third year that we've hosted the event and the increase in its profile each year is something we're very proud of. We've already had over 8,000 advance bookings for the day, compared with just under 6,000 at this point last year."

TATTERSALLS HOUGHTON CATALOG AVAILABLE

Tattersalls announced yesterday that the catalogue for the Oct. 2-3 Houghton Yearling Sale is presently available online at www.tattersalls.com. The sale will feature 193 yearlings, including a half brother (by Nashwan) to two Irish Guineas winners Barathea (Ire) and Gossamer (GB); a half sister (by Sadlers Wells {USA}) to a trio of Classic/Group winners Sleepy Time (Ire), Ali Royal (Ire) and Taipan (Ire); and a half sister (by Danehill {USA}) to Arc winner Sagamix (Fr). Danzig (USA), Sadler's Wells (USA), Machiavellian (USA), Seeking the Gold (USA) and Storm Cat (USA) are among the leading stallions represented this year. Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony said: "This is an exciting catalogue. We have seen some very high class yearlings this spring and in a year when we have dual Derby winner High Chaparral flying the Houghton flag it is great to have put together a sale with such strength and depth. As ever there are any number of colts with proper stallion's pedigrees, and we have not seen such a quality collection of fillies for many years."

Yesterday's Results:

3.50 Goodwood, Tote Gold Trophy H. (Class C), £70,000, 3yo, 1 1/2mT, 2:40.14, gd/fm.

DAWN INVASION (IRE) (c, 3, Common Grounds {GB}--Princess Of Zurich {Ire}, by Law Society {USA}) was positioned in a close second as Waverley (Ire) (Catrail {USA}) led and closed in on the leader once into the home straight. The 12-1 chance was ridden along to challenge approaching the final quarter mile, got on terms with Waverley at the distance and ran on well for his rider's urging late to assert a neck superiority over his game rival in the final strides. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, £54,520.

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Yeomanstown Stud; T-Amanda Perrett; J-Richard Hughes.

5.00 Goodwood, Lady Of The Month Champagne Victor Maiden Fillies'S. (Class D), £10,600, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:13.11, gd.

JUDHOOR (GB) (f, 2, Alhaarth {Ire}--Almurooj {GB}, by Zafonic {USA}) moved smoothly in second as the fast-breaking Garmoucheh (USA) (Silver Hawk {USA}) set the pace and cruised into a challenging position at the quarter-mile marker. The 2-5 market choice quickened to the front approaching the final furlong and was pushed clear in the latter stages to defeat her foe by an impressive five lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £8,975.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; T-Barry Hills; J-Richard Hills.

6.30 Kempton, EBF Irish Night Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), £7,520, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:30.76, gd/sf.

+HUJA (IRE) (f, 2, Alzao {USA}--Nasanice {Ire}, by Nashwan {USA}) was positioned behind the front rank in fifth as Triphibious (GB) (Zafonic {USA}) led and took closer order as the field turned for home. The 4-1 second choice was pushed along to challenge at the quarter-mile marker as Tadriz (USA) (Red Ransom {USA}) led, was ridden stronger at the distance and was driven out late to deny the battling Tadriz by a short head in the final strides. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £4,888.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Richard Hills.

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6.10 Leicester, EBF Edwin Starr/Rainbows Children's Hospice Maiden S. (Class D), £7,300, 2yo, 5f 2ydsT, 1:03.30, sf.

WIMPLE (USA) (f, 2, **Kingmambo {USA}**--**Tunicle {USA}**, by **Dixieland Band {USA}**), a \$50,000 KESEEP yearling, broke smartly from the gate and went straight to the front in advance of **Blonde En Blonde (Ire)** (**Hamas {Ire}**) and still moved sweetly beyond the half-way. The piping hot 2-11 favourite was pushed along approaching the final furlong and was ridden out under a hand ride to safely account for **Don't Tell Rosey (GB)** (**Barathea {Ire}**) by 1 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-0, £6,617.
O-S Manana; B-B Sharp; T-Clive Brittain; J-P Robinson.

7.50 Musselburgh, CMYK Digital Solutions Maiden Auction S. (Class F), £6,660, 2yo, 7f 30ydsT, 1:32.40, gd/sf.

COLOURFUL LADY (USA) (f, 2, **Quest For Fame {GB}**--**Special Park {USA}**, by **Tremolino {USA}**), a 10,000gns TATOCT yearling, broke smartly from the gate and disputed the early lead with **Assuage (GB)** (**Wolfhound {USA}**) before edging ahead at the entrance to the straight. The 6-1 chance was ridden when headed by **Dark Champion (GB)** (**Abou Zouz {USA}**) at the quarter-mile marker, rallied to regain the lead at the eighth-pole and ran on in determined fashion to beat 4-6 favourite **Dark Champion** by a half length. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, £4,329.
O-The Hopeful Flames; B-Matt Duffy; T-Peter Harris; J-Michael Fenton.

8.10 Leicester, EBF Rainbows Children's Hospice Median Auction Maiden Fillies' S. (Class E), £6,480, 2yo, f, 5f 218ydsT, 1:16.00, sf.

AIRWAVE (GB) (f, 2, **Air Express {Ire}**--**Kangra Valley {GB}**, by **Indian Ridge {Ire}**), a 12,000gns DONSEP yearling purchase, settled in second going well as **Java Dawn (Ire)** (**Fleetwood {Ire}**) set a considerate pace and made her challenge soon after the half-way. The 2-5 punters' pick edged into a slight lead at the quarter-mile marker, quickened clear approaching the final furlong and was ridden out to safely account for the running on **Aegean Line (GB)** (**Bijou D'Inde {GB}**) by a length. The filly becomes the fifth winner for her freshman sire (by **Salse {USA}**). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £5,580.
O-Henry Candy & Partners; B-R T & Mrs Watson; T-Henry Candy; J-Chris Rutter.

2.25 Carlisle, Abbeytown Maiden Auction S. (Class E), £5,600, 2yo, 5f 193ydsT, 1:15.60, sf.

MAUNBY ROCKER (GB) (g, 2, **Sheikh Albadou {GB}**--**Bullion {GB}**, by **Sabrehill {USA}**), a 15,000gns TATDEC yearling purchase, tracked the leaders in third as **Skymaite (GB)** (**Komaite {USA}**) led from **Manx Fizz (GB)** (**Efisio {GB}**) and was ridden along at the half-way. The 50-1 outsider challenged at the quarter-mile marker, was ridden to a slight lead at the distance and was driven out in the closing stages to deny even choice **And Toto Too (GB)** (**Averti {USA}**) by a short head. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, £3,640.
O-PA Hill-Walker & Mrs C Barclay; B-Bearstone Stud; T-Pat Haslam; J-Lee Enstone.

6.50 Musselburgh, EBF Median Auction Maiden Fillies' S. (Class E), £5,550, 2yo, f, 5fT, 1:01.10, gd/sf.

FOOLHARDY (GB) (f, 2, **Primo Dominie {GB}**--**Rash {GB}**, by **Pursuit Of Love {GB}**) settled in third as **G I Bride (Ire)** (**General Monash {USA}**) made the running and went into second at half-way. The 8-15 market choice challenged at the quarter-mile marker, was ridden to the front approaching the final furlong and kept on well in the closing stages to hold off **Shouting The Odds (Ire)** (**Victory Note {USA}**) by a cozy half length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £4,097.
O/B-Cheveley Park Stud; T-William Haggas; J-Wendyll Woods.

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

5.35 Galway, HP Remarketing Services Maiden, €13,920, 3yo/up, 1m 100ydsT, 1:54.60, yl/sf.
PARTY AIRS (USA) (g, 3, **Gerri {USA}**--**Elegant Champagne {USA}** {SP}, by **Alleged {USA}**), an \$8,500 KESEEP yearling purchase, tracked the leaders in fourth as **Polonaise (GB)** (**Pivotal {GB}**) set the pace and was ridden along with three furlongs remaining. The 4-1 chance was driven along to challenge as **Persian Knight (Ire)** (**Persian Brave {Ire}**) led approaching the final furlong and was all out in the closing stages to deny that rival by a head on the line. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, €10,985.
O-Kenneth L Ramsey; B-Mrs Lewis C Ledyard; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat Smullen.

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★ ITALY ★

Tuesday's Late Results:

9.25 Naples, Premio Mercadante (Cond), €9,180, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, time: n/a, gd.
STONE TYCOON (IRE) (c, 4, Bigstone {Ire}--Not Too Bad {Ire} {MSP-Swe}, by Simply Great {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 26 starts, 6 wins, 13 places, €89,974. O-S Bartolomei; B-Bo Helander; T-A Peraino; J-A Monteriso.

7.20 Sassari, Premio Lions Club Sassari (Cond), €6,120, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, time: n/a, gd.
ARABIAN ADVENTURE (IRE) (f, 3, Beat Of Drums {GB}--Danzig Times {USA}, by Danzig Connection {USA}) Lifetime Record: 11 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €6,838. O-G Chironi; B-Riccardo Delfino; T-M Migheli; J-F Migheli.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

Airwave (GB), f, 2, Air Express (Ire)--Kangra Valley (GB), by Indian Ridge (Ire). Leicester, Britain, 7-31, EBF Rainbows Children's Hospice Median Auction Maiden Fillies' S. (Class E), 2yo, f, 5f 218ydsT, £4,212 to winner. B-R T & Mrs Watson. *12,000gns yrl '01 DONSEP. **Fifth winner for freshman sire (by Salse {USA}).

Judhoor (GB), f, 2, Alhaarth (Ire)--Almurooj (GB), by Zafonic (USA). Goodwood, Britain, 7-31, Lady Of The Month Champagne Victor Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), 2yo, f, 6fT, £6,890 to winner. B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd.

+ **Huja (Ire), f, 2, Alzao (USA)--Nasanice (Ire), by Nashwan (USA).** Kempton, Britain, 7-31, EBF Irish Night Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), 2yo, f, 7fT, £4,888 to winner. B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd.

Wimple (USA), f, 2, Kingmambo (USA)--Tunicle (USA), by Dixieland Band (USA). Leicester, Britain, 7-31, EBF Edwin Starr/Rainbows Children's Hospice Maiden S. (Class D), 2yo, 5f 2ydsT, £4,745 to winner. B-Bayard Sharp.

Foolhardy (GB), f, 2, Primo Dominie (GB)--Rash (GB), by Pursuit Of Love (GB). Musselburgh, Britain, 7-31, EBF Median Auction Maiden Fillies' S. (Class E), 2yo, f, 5fT, £3,575 to winner. B-Cheveley Park Stud.

Colourful Lady (USA), f, 2, Quest For Fame (GB)--Special Park (USA), by Tremolino (USA). Musselburgh, Britain, 7-31, CMYK Digital Solutions Maiden Auction S. (Class F), 2yo, 7f 30ydsT, £4,329 to winner. B-Matt Duffy. *10,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT.

Luth Royal (Ire), f, 2, Royal Abjar (USA)--Imperial Graf (USA), by Blushing John (USA). Naples, Italy, 7-30, Premio San Carlo (Mdn), 2yo, f, 7fT, €6,375 to winner. B-Francesco Magliari.

Maunby Rocker (GB), g, 2, Sheikh Albadou (GB)--Bullion (GB), by Sabrehill (USA). Carlisle, Britain, 7-31, Abbeystown Maiden Auction S. (Class E), 2yo, 5f 193ydsT, £3,640 to winner. B-Bearstone Stud. *15,000gns yrl '01 TATDEC.

Party Airs (USA), g, 3, Geri (USA)--Elegant Champagne (USA) (SP-US), by Alleged (USA). Galway, Ireland, 7-31, HP Remarketing Services Maiden, 3yo/up, 1m 100ydsT, €10,005 to winner. B-Mrs Lewis C Ledyard. *\$8,500 yrl '00 KEESEP.

★ AUSTRALASIA ★

ON-LINE AUCTION CONTINUES

EquineUnited has extended its online auction of unborn foals from July 31 to August 6, with a catalogue including fetuses by sires such as Fusaichi Pegasus, Carnegie and Gilded Time among 47 lots. "The unborn foal auction enables purchasers to get in on the ground floor. We believe there is a huge future for this concept," said EquineUnited director Niall Power. The auction is at www.unbornfoalauction.com website, or via the www.equineunited.com website. Power said the buyer would have the same knowledge of the foal as the purchaser. "Selling unborn foals is an established industry practice in Japan. By setting up an online auction facility, EquineUnited and Yahoo are bringing the already proven concept to a far wider market," he said.

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