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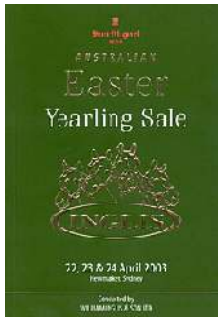
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**SARS OUTBREAK DAMPENS EXPECTATIONS
FOR INGLIS EASTER SALE**

The Severe Acute Respiratory Virus (SARS) outbreak in Southeast Asia is expected to impact negatively on Australasia's most important yearling sale this week as Hong Kong purchasers cancel travel plans. Many long-time purchasers and their families have scrapped plans to visit Sydney for the Inglis sale from April 22-24, although purchasers such as agent Apollo Ng and trainers David Hayes and Ivan Allen will attend. Australian-bred horses win almost 50 percent of the races in Hong Kong, which is a crucial export market. "We're definitely concerned," said Widden Studs Antony Thompson. "We have had a number of our good clients who have attended Easter for the last few years certainly cancel their bookings and let



us know they won't be attending the sale, and those type of buyers simply won't buy because they are not here," he said. "When they are here, they may come to buy one horse to fill one permit, but invariably they'll buy three or four," he continued. "This year they'll look for a tried horse to fill the permit, and colts in the \$100,000-to-\$250,000 bracket will be under pressure because there are fewer buyers." Arrowfield's John Messara said he was guarded about the outcome of the sale, primarily because of the impact of the SARS virus on travelers. "We have such a dependence on Asia; we do need the full agent contingent here to ensure a buoyant market, but I guess it will open up opportunities in other buyers," he said. Prominent agent Anton Koolman, whose successes in Hong Kong include the Danehill colt Hidden Dragon (Aus), a A\$700,000 purchase, said, "If the sale aggregate holds up, it will be an enormous positive for the industry, considering a range of global issues at present." Inglis & Son managing director Reg Inglis said he was disappointed some regulars would not be attending the sale. "There are still a number here, and they are concerned they might be shunned if they come to the sales, restaurants and hotels, and we have assured them that won't be the case, and we will look after them," he said.

An Ounce of Prevention..

New South Wales Health Department Director of Communicable Diseases Dr. Jeremy McAnulty said although Australia had avoided SARS to date, it was inevitable that the disease would appear in Australia, but he urged people to keep the SARS outbreak in perspective. "There is a high-level awareness about this. If people traveling from countries where there have been cases of SARS develop any symptoms--such as coughing, fever, or shortness of breath--it's important to see a doctor and to exclude yourself from public activities," McAnulty said. Australia has introduced stringent airport measures in a bid to prevent the virus, believed to incubate between two and seven days, from entering Australia.

The show goes on..

Despite the worries over SARS, there are several entrants in the sale that promise to generate excitement. [Lot 511](#), a Danehill--Bonanova (Aus) filly from



Lot 288 *Inglis.com*

Jim Flemings Tyreel draft, is expected to be among the top sellers, with Fleming advising potential purchasers he is willing to retain a share in the filly from the family of Octagonal (NZ). Respected judges, including agent James Bester, have rated [Lot 288](#), a Danehill--

Procrastinate (Aus) colt from Coolmore's draft, among the top colts. "Either one of these yearlings is capable of winning the Golden Slipper," Bester enthused. In 2002, the sale average dipped by 3.8 percent to \$160,780 for 404 sold at a gross of A\$64,955,000.

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BUDDY GIL CLEARED FOR DERBY.....p3



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☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

SINGAPORE CUP CANCELLED The G1 Singapore Airlines International Cup and the G3 Singapore KrisFlyer Sprint, which were scheduled to be run May 17 at Kranji, have been cancelled due to concerns over the Severe Accute Respiratory Virus (SARS). A joint statement by the Singapore Turf Club and sponsor Singapore Airlines read, "The Club and Singapore Airlines deeply regret that the current situation arising from the SARS outbreak in the region has made this decision necessary. We seek the understanding of our business partners associated with the event, as well as the racing fraternity." Godolphin's Grandera (Ire) won the Cup last year on his way to winning the World racing Series. "All of us are naturally extremely disappointed," commented Mr. Yu Pang Fey, president and chief executive of the Singapore Turf Club. "It was a very difficult decision to make, but we believe it was appropriate under the circumstances."

☆ AUDEMARS PIGUET QE II CUP ☆

EVENTUAIL READIES FOR QE II CUP South African challenger **Eventuail (Arg)** (Candy Stripes) worked towards Sunday's G1 Audemars Piguet QE II Cup, covering his final 400 meters in :22.7 seconds. Owned by Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Jaffee, Eventuail most recently ran fourth to Ipi Tombe (Zim) in the G1 Dubai Duty Free at Nad al Sheba Mar. 29. "That was his first real workout since he arrived here [on Apr. 17]," said assistant trainer Steven Jell. "He's done plenty of work in Dubai since his last races. Everything's gone well with the horse, he's a good traveller and he's been eating and drinking well. Hopefully he'll come on for the race in Dubai." Hong Kong-based **Self Flit (NZ)** (Cicerao {Ire}) also worked 800 meters over the course; his final 400-meter split was :22.7.

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☆ RESULTS ☆

Sunday, Nakayama, Japan
SATSUKI SHO (JAPANESE 2000 GUINEAS)-G1-JRA, ¥234,980,000, Nakayama, 4-20, 3yo, 2000mT, 2:01.20, fm.
 1--▲**NEO UNIVERSE (JPN), 125, c, 3, by Sunday Silence**
 1st Dam: Pointed Path (GB), by Kris (GB)
 2nd Dam: Silken Way (Fr), by Shantung (Fr)
 3rd Dam: Boulevard (Ire), by Pall Mall (GB)
 O-Shadai Race H.; B-Shadai Farm; T-Tsutomu Setoguchi; J-Mirco Demuro; ¥132,196,000. Lifetime Record: 6-5-0-1. *Full to Chokai Ryoga (Jpn), SP-Jpn, \$940,290; half to Fairy Path (Irish River {Fr}), GSW-Fr.
 2--**Sakura President (Jpn), 125, c, 3, Sunday Silence--** Sedan Forever (Jpn), by Maruzensky (Jpn). O-Sakura Commers; B-Tanioka Stud; ¥49,056,000.
 3--**Eishin Champ, 125, c, 3, Mi Cielo--Eishin Michigan,** by Manila. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Columbiana Farm; ¥29,028,000.
 Margins: HD, 3 1/2, NK. Odds: 3.60, 4.30, 6.10.
 Sent off as the post-time favorite in one of Japan's premier races for three-year-olds, Shadai Farm's Neo Universe lived up to the expectations of both the crowd and his breeding to take Sunday's Satsuki Sho (Japanese 2000 Guineas). From the family of MGISW Street Cry (Ire), Neo Universe came off a November debut victory to be third in the Chukyo Nisai S. a month later. Undefeated in 2003, the bay had knocked down victories in the G3 Kisaragi Sho and the G2 Spring S. and was the public's choice here to earn his first Group 1 success. Neo Universe was settled well off the pace through the early going, progressed into contention nearing the top of the stretch and exploded through a hole under jockey Mirco Demuro. Sakura President gave good chase late, but couldn't get to the winner. "I trusted his power," said Demuro. "I was supposed to settle him in a more favorable position, but [another] horse was coming down from his position, so I had to set him back. However, when I asked him, he answered strongly to fend off the late challenge." Last year's champion juvenile colt Eishin Champ ran a solid race to be third.

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Saturday, Hanshin, Japan

YOMIURI MILERS CUP-G2-JRA, ¥115,500,000,

Hanshin, 4-19, 4yo/up, 1600mT, 1:31.90, fm.

1--**LOHENGRIN (JPN)**, 128, c, 4, by **Singspiel (Ire)**

1st Dam: **Carling (Fr) (MG1SW-FR & GSP-Can, \$708,631)**, by **Garde Royale (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Corraleja (Fr)**, by ***Carvin II**

3rd Dam: **Darling Dale (Ire)**, by **Tyrant**

O-Shadai Race H.; B-Shadai Farm; T-Masanori Ito;

J-Hiroki Goto; ¥61,050,000. Lifetime Record:

G1SP-Jpn, 15-8-2-1.

2--**Kiss Me Tender (Jpn)**, 125, h, 7, Sunday Silence--

Letkiss, by Lyphard. O-Katsumi Yoshida; B-Northern Farm; ¥24,300,000.

3--**T.M. Ocean (Jpn)**, 125, m, 5, Dancing Brave--River

Girl (Jpn), by Rivlia. O-Masatsugu Takezono;

B-Toshiki Kawagoe; ¥15,150,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 1 1/2, NK. Odds: 2.00, 9.50, 3.40.

Lohengrin earned his second consecutive graded stakes win and proved the second big winner for his sire in less than a month. Singspiel also sired Moon Ballad (Ire), hero of the G1 Dubai World Cup at Nad al Sheba Mar. 29. Lohengrin was runner up in the G3 Tokyo Shumbun Hai in February before taking the G2 Nakayama Kinen in his latest. A tracking second here, the chestnut took control turning for home and proved too much for the old war horse Kiss Me Tender in the closing stages. "My horse was in good form, and the track condition was good, so I was content to relax him off the pacesetter," said Goto. "He is a Group 1-caliber animal, and I'm looking forward to his next race."

☆ SOPHOMORE SCENE ☆

Green Light for Buddy Gil

Santa Anita Derby winner **Buddy Gil** (Eastern Echo) was cleared for the Kentucky Derby May 3 with a sharp six-furlong work at Churchill Monday. Under jockey Gary Stevens, the gelding completed his task in 1:11 4/5. On the bleeders list in California after blood was discovered in his nostrils, the bay registered an internal five-furlong fraction of :59 3/5, thus making him eligible to run for the roses. Under California rules, Buddy Gil had to work five furlongs in at least 1:03 without bleeding. "I wasn't worried about it," said trainer Jeff Mullins. "The bleeding wasn't as bad as everybody made it sound. I don't think the horse actually bled in the race." He added, "I think he bled when he went into that coughing spell when he took all that dirt."

Ats' Works at Churchill Downs

B. Wayne Hughes and Biscuit Stables' **Atswhatimtalknabout** (A.P. Indy), second in the GII San Felipe S. Mar. 16, worked a mile in 1:41 2/5 after the renovation break over a track labeled fast Monday at Churchill Downs. "I wanted him to go between 1:40 and 1:42," trainer Ron Ellis said. "With the rain [Sunday night] it is hard to tell if the track was fast or slow. I had the first half in 52, and 49 and 2 for the last half. I was looking for the last half to be better than the first." The trainer added, "He galloped out in the same time [1:56 1/5] that Affirmed [1978 Derby victor] worked in." The colt, with exercise rider in the irons, was out-fitted in a shadow roll, but did not have blinkers that he wore in his first work at Churchill, a :49 3/5 half-mile move Apr. 6. "If the blinkers are going to help him, they will when he is in company," said Ellis. "He has the tendency to pay attention to other horses. I could tell the other day the way he worked that they are not going to help him at all when he is by himself."

PEDIGREE INSIGHTS
BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

Saturday, Keeneland

COOLMORE LEXINGTON S.-GII, \$363,675, KEE, 4-19, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:45 2/5, ft.

1--**@#SCRIMSHAW**, 116, c, 3, by **Gulch**

1st Dam: **Rogue Girl**, by **Sham**

2nd Dam: **Office Visit**, by **First Dawn**

3rd Dam: **Breezing Home**, by **Raise a Native**

(\$125,000 yrl '01 KEEJAN; \$550,000 2yo '02 KEEAPR). O-Robert B & Beverly J Lewis; B-Stan & Ingrid Stefanski (KY); T-D Wayne Lukas; J-E S Prado; \$225,479. Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$308,879.

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You will hardly need me to tell you that the Mr. Prospector male line has been the dominant force in the Kentucky Derby in recent times, supplying five of the last eight winners, and there appears to be every chance that this year's race will add another to the collection. We already had Mr. Prospector's great-grandsons Empire Maker and Peace Rules at the head of affairs and now his grandson Scrimshaw--another graduate of the two-year-old sales--has forced his way into the reckoning with his decisive victory in the GII Coolmore Lexington S.

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As Scrimshaw has yet to tackle a distance longer than 1 1/16 miles, he still has plenty to prove about his suitability for the Derby distance. He showed a lot of speed at around six furlongs late last year and he is also a son of a champion sprinter in Gulch.

Of course, Gulch wasn't a sprinter pure and simple. His action-packed racing career of 32 starts nearly divides neatly into two halves. Seventeen of those 32 starts came in races at up to a mile, with the other 15 being at distances ranging from 1 1/16 to 1 1/2 miles. Perhaps his connections were misled into thinking that he had more stamina than was actually the case by his victory over Gone West (another doubtful stayer) in the Wood Memorial over a mile and an eighth. They no doubt also drew encouragement from the fact that Gulch's dam, Jameela, had gained two of her three Grade I wins over 1 1/4 miles.

These ventures beyond a mile weren't a total waste of effort, as Gulch finished sixth in the Kentucky Derby, fourth in the Preakness and third, beaten some way, in the Belmont. He also finished second in four Grade I events over a mile and an eighth, but there is no escaping the truth that his Wood Memorial victory was his only success from those 15 starts at beyond a mile.

Compare that to Gulch's achievements at up to a mile and it becomes crystal clear where his true ability lay. His excellent record as a two-year-old, when he won five times from five to seven furlongs, went hand in hand with his two victories in the Met Mile and his successes in the Carter H. and Breeders' Cup Sprint, which earned him the title of champion sprinter. His final record at up to a mile was a highly impressive 12 wins and three seconds from 17 starts.

Those glimpses of stamina shown by Gulch made it inevitable that he would occasionally sire animals with more stamina than himself, given mares with some staying blood. Of course, he hit the Derby and Belmont S. jackpot with Thunder Gulch, a colt whose second dam was a daughter of the excellent stayer High Line. Thunder Gulch in turn was probably unlucky that his son Point Given did not win the Kentucky Derby prior to his victories in the other two legs of the Triple Crown.

The Versatility of Gulch

Gulch has also sired Wallenda, winner of the Super Derby over 1 1/4 miles, and he is also responsible for several Group winners at 1 1/4 miles or more in Europe, headed by the top-class Nayef, whose broodmare sire, Bustino, was another very good stayer.

The question now is whether there is enough stamina in the bottom half of Scrimshaw's pedigree to suggest that he has a realistic chance of finding the necessary improvement when he steps up to the Derby distance.

It has to be in his favor that he finished strongly at Keeneland and that his dam Rogue Girl, a multiple minor winner, is by Sham. This big horse had the misfortune to be born in 1970, the same year as the incomparable Secretariat. Had Secretariat not been in the field, Sham would have won the Kentucky Derby and the Preakness. Sham proved to be just an average sire, but his broodmare daughters have had their moments, producing Dixie Brass, Defensive Play, Lovellon, Sham Say, Odyle and Owsley. Defensive Play, a Grade I winner at up to 1 3/8 miles, was by Fappiano, another of Mr. Prospector's Met Mile winners.

I have to admit that First Dawn, the sire of Scrimshaw's second dam, Office Visit, was an unfamiliar name to me. This minor winner was a very well-connected horse, though. With Bold Ruler as his sire and a daughter of Misty Morn as his dam, he was bred along similar lines to Bold Lad, Successor and What a Pleasure.

Office Visit is best known as the dam of Rogues Walk, a winner at Grade II and Grade III levels at a little more than a mile. Although neither of her parents achieved a great deal, Office Visit is a member of a very good family. Her second dam, Slapton Sands, produced the very good European winners Riboboy and Sea Sands, and the next dam is Legendra, who numbers Mizzen Mast, Shareef Dancer and Radar Ahead among her many stakes-winning descendants.

Scrimshaw is inbred 3x4 to Raise a Native, whereas Real Quiet, the 1998 Derby hero, is inbred 4x3, so the precedent is there. But is he quite good enough?

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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

OBS TWO-YEAR-OLD SALE BEGINS TODAY The Ocala Breeders' Sale Company's Spring Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training begins its four-day run today in Ocala, Florida with bidding on the first of 1236 juveniles on offer starting at 10:30 a.m. Among the stallions represented at the auction are: Artax, Banker's Gold, Belong to Me, Cape Town, Carson City, Charismatic, Confide, Conquistador Cielo, Defrere, Distorted Humor, Dynaformer, El Prado, Forest Wildcat, Gentlemen (Arg), Grand Slam, Hennessy, Honour and Glory, Jade Hunter, Jules, King of Kings (Ire), Langfuhr, Real Quiet, Saint Ballado, Sea of Secrets, Smart Strike and Touch Gold. During today's bidding, two-year-olds scheduled to go through the ring include [Hip 158](#), **King's Coronation** (Red Ransom), whose dam Coronation Cup (Chief's Crown) is a half sister to Kentucky Derby winner Sea Hero and is a half sister to Victoria Cross, dam of European champion sprinter Mozart (Ire). [Hip 172](#), **Cricket Storm** (Future Storm), is out of Cricketonthehearth (Pentelicus), a half sister to the dam of Grade I winner Outofthebox. [Hip 223](#), **Grand Slam Girl** (Grand Slam), is out of Destiny Now (Jebbar), a half sister to Frisk Me Now and [Hip 231](#) is by Runaway Groom out of Diamond Sunjet (Sunny Clime), a half sister to MGISW Wekiva Springs (Runaway Groom). [Hip 294](#), Southern Glory (Southern Halo), is a half brother to GISW Honour and Glory. The sale continues through Friday, beginning each day at 10:30 a.m.

 **SPRING SALE OF TWO-YEAR-OLDS**
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111, 115, 116, 117, 139, 151, 152, 160, 166, 177, 180, 189, 210,
214, 215, 221, 232, 238, 240, 242, 243, 249, 251, 258, 270,
272, 282, 284, 287, 291, 305.

★ **EAST** ★

Yesterday's Results:

8th-PHA, \$26,400, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:18 4/5, ft.

TIGRESS BYTHETAIL (f, 3, Unaccounted For--Empress Sirrima, by Waquoit), a \$5,500 FTMOCT yearling, romped home a 12 1/2-length winner of her debut at Penn National Apr. 4. The even-money pick to go two-for-two, the filly moved between rivals to reach contention on the turn and was drawing away late to score by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$24,678. O-Moving Cloud Farm Inc & Martin Sandee. B-Moving Cloud Farm Inc & W S Farish (PA). T-Todd M Beattie.

★ **NEW YORK** ★

NYTB Dinner to Focus on Foal Leg Problems:

The New York Thoroughbred Breeders' will host a dinner meeting Apr. 29 at Red's Restaurant in Cossackie. Following the dinner, equine orthopedic specialist Dr. Norm Ducharme and nationally certified farrier Michael Wildenstein will present a program called, "So Your Foal is Not Perfect," which is designed to help owners understand angular limb deformities and to discuss options for dealing with them. Reservations for the dinner, which begins at 6 p.m., are necessary and can be made at (518) 587-0777. The deadline for reservations is Apr. 25.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23:

5-4 \$100,000a **Railbird-III, Hol**, 3yo, f, 7f (100)

5-10 \$150,000a **Eclipse-III, Wo**, 4/up, 8.5f (150)

5-11 \$150,000 **George C. Hendrie-III, Wo**, 4yo/up, f/m, 6.5f (150)

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IN JAPAN:

- Incredible**, c, 3, **Afternoon Deelites**--Holy Speed, by Afleet. Hanshin, 4-19, Novice Race, 6f, Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$46,750. O-Takeshi Fujita; B-Brereton C Jones; T-Kazuya Nakatake. * \$26,000 wnlg '00 KEENOV; \$110,000 yrl '01 FTKJUL; \$200,000 2yo '02 FTFEB.
- Botschafter**, c, 3, **French Deputy**--Spilled Beans, by Secretariat. Hanshin, 4-20, Plate Race, 7f, Lifetime Record: 9-2-0-1, \$121,667. O-Carrot Farm; B-Dennis Drazin; T-Takayuki Yasuda. * \$100,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.
- Mambo Carnival**, f, 3, **Kingmambo**--Shahpari (Chi) (G1SW-Chi), by Winning. Nakayama, 4-19, Novice Race, 6f. Lifetime Record: 7-1-0-0, \$46,750. O/B-Grand Farm; T-Kuni Takamatsu.
- Happy Tomorrow**, c, 3, **Mt. Livermore**--Northern Emerald (GISW, \$435,775), by Green Dancer. Hanshin, 4-20, Kunshiran Sho, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$193,083. O-Koji Maeda; B-Dr Hiram Polk & Dr J David Richardson; T-Masatoshi Ando. * \$120,000 2yo '02 KEEAPR.
- Sweet Deja Vu**, f, 3, **Seeking the Gold**--Nureyev's Park, by Nureyev. Fukushima, 4-19, Novice Race, 6fT, Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$60,833. O-Koji Maeda; B-Cashmark Farm; T-Masamichi Wada. * 1/2 to Wasatch (Time for a Change), GSW, \$246,050. ** \$335,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.
- Endless Desert**, c, 4, **End Sweep**--Sweet Nena (MSP), by Gate Dancer. Nakayama, 4-19, Keiyo Stakes, 6f, Lifetime Record: 16-5-2-0, \$689,083. O-Makoto Kaneko; B-Pedro Maestre; T-K Sumii. * \$37,000 yrl '00 OBSAUG; \$115,000 2yo '01 OBSFEB.

AMERICAN-SIRED WINNERS IN JAPAN:

- Meiner Morgen (Jpn)**, c, 3, **Mt. Livermore**--Morningtide, by Seeking the Gold. Nakayama, 4-19, Benjamin Stakes, 9fT, Lifetime Record: 11-3-1-3, \$606,333. O-Ruffian Thoroughbred Club; B-Matsuura Farm; T-Masahiro Horii. * MSP-Jpn.

IN BRITAIN:

- Namroud**, g, 4, **Irish River (Fr)**. See "European Breeders' Edition" for more info.
- Tedstale**, g, 5, **Irish River (Fr)**--Carefree Kate, by Lyphard. Newcastle, 4-21, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-Gaineway Thoroughbreds Limited. * Ir£65,000 yrl '99 GOFORB.

★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

- MAGNOLIA S.**-Listed, £32,000, Kempton, 4-21, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:04.49, gd/fm.
- 1--**PARASOL (IRE)**, 126, c, 4, **Halling--Bunting (GB) (G1SP-Ity & SP-GB)**, by Shaadi. O/B-Mohammed Jumah Al Nabouda; T-David Loder; J-Frankie Dettori; £18,560. Lifetime Record: GSP-GB, 11-5-2-1, £121,019. * 1/2 to Mot Juste (GB) (Mtoto {GB}), SW-GB, G1SP-Fr, GB & US, \$301,958.
- 2--**Nysaeen (Ire)**, 126, c, 4, **Sadler's Wells--Irish Arms (Fr)**, by Irish River (Fr). £7,040.
- 3--**Bourgainville (GB)**, 123, g, 5, **Pivotal (GB)--Petonica (Ire)**, by Petoski (GB). £3,520.
- Margins: 1HF, 3, 1. Odds: 7-4, 6-1, 9-1.
- Also ran: Rawyaan (GB), Island House (Ire), Tamiami Trail (Ire), Tikkun (Ire).
- Given his size, it was a surprise that Parasol turned out to be a sharp two-year-old, finishing second in the Listed Chesham S. at Royal Ascot in June 2001. After a low-key sophomore campaign with Godolphin, the half-brother to Mot Juste (GB) has found a new lease of life with David Loder, taking his tally to three-for-three, including a win in the Listed Winter Derby on Lingfield's polytrack last time Mar. 15. Characterised by his front-running before this contest, Parasol was amenable to jockey Frankie Dettori's new approach of holding the giant colt back in third off the sensible early tempo. Allowed his head on the turn into the straight, he quickened decisively clear and was always holding the challenge of Nysaeen in the drive to the line. Parasol will now be aimed at the Listed Huxley S. at Chester May 6 before a tilt at the GI Arlington Million in August.

4.05 Warwick, Cond, £21,300, 4yo/up, 7f 26ydsT, 1:23.06, gd/fm.

- VICIOUS KNIGHT (GB)** (g, 5, **Night Shift--Myth {GB}**, by Troy {GB}), third in the Listed Sovereign S. at Salisbury last term, was made the 6-4 punters' choice. Positioned in fourth for his seasonal debut, he made his main effort after turning for home, led approaching the final furlong and was driven out late on to defeat Granny's Pet (GB) (Selkirk) by a length. He is a full to Midnight Legend (GB), MSW & MGSP-GB, \$296,170. Lifetime Record: SP-GB, 17-3-2-3, £46,618. O-D Metcalf; B-Limestone Stud; T-Luca Cumani.



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2.45 Kempton, Cond, £14,595, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:11.83, gd/fm.

DANGER OVER (GB) (h, 6, Warning {GB}--Danilova, by Lyphard), winner of the Listed Prix Cor de Chasse and placed twice in G3 company last season, raced in second on the far side for his new stable. The 5-2 joint-favourite was ridden to challenge at the quarter-mile marker, led approaching final furlong and ran on strongly to safely account for The Tatling (Ire) (Perugino) by 1 ½ lengths. Lifetime Record: GSW-Fr, 19-5-4-2, £138,601.

O-Paul J Dixon & Mountgrange Stud; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Jamie Osborne.

1.45 Newcastle, Cond, £7,240, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.03, gd/fm.

MARCUS EILE (IRE) (c, 2, Daggers Drawn--Sherannda, by Tremolino), who took a Beverley maiden five days ago, was sent off the 5-2 second favourite. Stalking the early pace, he was driven to lead with 200 yards remaining before holding off the strong challenge of Fiore di Bosco (Ire) (Charnwood Forest {Ire}) by a short head. He will now be aimed at the six-furlong Listed Woodcote S. at Epsom June 7. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, £9,672.

O-Denis Fehan; B-Churchtown Stud; T-Karl Burke.

4.25 Kempton, Mdn, £8,400, 3yo, 11f 30ydsT, 2:23.45, gd/fm.

+ MIDSUMMER (GB) (f, 3, Kingmambo--Modena, by Roberto), a beautifully bred newcomer, soon raced in second position until taking the lead approaching the home turn. The 5-1 chance was ridden along with 1 ½ furlongs remaining and was pushed out inside the final furlong to defeat Gold Medallist (Zilzal) by 2 1/2 lengths. The chestnut filly is a half to Elmaamul (Diesis {GB}), Hwt. 3yo Colt-Ire, G1SW-GB & Ire, \$758,832; Modernise (Known Fact), GSW-US, \$162,976; Modern Day (Dayjur), GSW-SAF; Reams of Verse (Nureyev), Hwt. 2yo Filly-GB, MG1SW-GB, \$539,039; and High Walden (El Gran Senor), SW & GSP-US, GSP-GB, \$250,674. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £5,460.

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-Henry Cecil.

3.00 Warwick, Mdn, £5,900, 3yo, 7f 26ydsT, 1:24.06, gd/fm.

CANDELABRA (GB) (f, 3, Grand Lodge--Chatterberry {GB}, by Aragon {GB}), unplaced in two juvenile maidens last season, was sent off at 11-8. Tracking the leaders in third, the 80,000gns TATOCT yearling challenged at the quarter-mile marker, was sent to the front approaching the final furlong and was driven out to deny the front-running Phantom Flame (Mt. Livermore) by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, £3,835. O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing Ltd; B-D A & Mrs Hicks; T-Sir Michael Stoute.

2.50 Newcastle, Mdn, £5,830, 3yo/up, 12f 93ydsT, 2:40.55, gd/fm.

+ HEISSE (GB) (c, 3, Darshaan {GB}--Hedera {SP-GB}, by Woodman), sent off the 1-2 favourite to continue David Loder's fine run of form, raced in a stalking fourth early off the generous pace. Making smooth progress to lead approaching the quarter-mile marker, he quickened clear from there to beat Sahem (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) by six lengths. Heisse is a half to Ivy League (Ire) (Doyoun {Ire}), SW & GSP-Fr. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,789.

O/B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; T-David Loder.

2.30 Warwick, Mdn, £5,825, 2yo, 5fT, 1:01.50, gd/fm.

+ MAJESTIC DESERT (GB) (f, 2, Fraam {GB}--Calcutta Queen {GB}, by Night Shift) made a tardy start, but soon raced in fifth and was ridden along at the top of the stretch run. The 8-11 favourite made his bid at the eighth pole and was pushed out in the closing stages to assert a 1 1/4-length superiority over Fishlake Flyer (Ire) (Desert Style {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,786. O-Jaber Abdullah; B-Bloodhorse International Ltd; T-Mick Channon.

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3.20 Newcastle, Mdn, £5,800, 3yo/up, f/m, 10f 32ydsT, 2:12.96, gd/fm.

DISCREET BRIEF (IRE) (f, 3, Darshaan {GB}--Quiet Counsel {Ire}, by Law Society) didn't have to face anything here the calibre of Godolphin acquisition Echoes In Eternity (Ire), who beat her by 3½ lengths in a Newmarket maiden in September. She would have had far harder tasks on the home gallops than she did in brushing aside Silk St Bridget (GB) (Rock Hopper {GB}) at the quarter-mile marker before quickening to an eight-length score as the 1-40 favourite. The easy winner was a 100,000gns TATDEC weanling purchase. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-1, £7,939.

O-Sonia Rogers; B-Regulus Bloodstock Co and Hammarsfield Bloodstock Co; T-Ed Dunlop.

4.00 Yarmouth, Mdn, £4,610, 2yo, 5f 43ydsT, 1:05.09, gd/fm.

+ **CLIFDEN (IRE) (c, 2, Gold Away {Ire}--Romora {Fr}, by Sillery)**, sent off the 9-4 second favourite, showed early dash to sit on the heels of the leaders before quickening when finding room inside the final 1½ furlongs. Despite running greenly, he hit the front with 50 yards before holding Green Ridge (GB) (Muhtarram) by 1 1/4 lengths. Clifden, an 8,000gns DONSEP yearling, is the second winner from the first crop of his sire (by Goldneyev). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,227.

O-R G Hillen; B-G Deacon and S Duckett; T-M Wallace.

★ GERMANY ★

Yesterday's Results:

56TH KOLNER FRUHJAHR-SUTEN-PREIS-Listed, €20,000, Cologne, 4-21, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:40.24, gd.

1--**MERIDIANA (GER)**, 130, f, 3, by Lomitas (GB)

1st Dam: Monbijou (Ger) (SP-Ger), by Dashing Blade (GB)

2nd Dam: Meerdunung (Ger), by Tauchsport (Ger)

3rd Dam: Meernymphe (Ger), by *Imperial II

O-Stall Lucky Owner; B-Gestut Etzean; T-Hans Blume; J-Terence Hellier; €13,000. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 1 place, €35,500.

2--**Aubonne (Ger)**, 128, f, 3, Monsun (Ger)--Anna Maria (Ger), by Night Shift. €4,000.

3--**Next Gina (Ger)**, 128, f, 3, Perugino--Night Petticoat (Ger), by Petoski (GB). €2,000.

Margins: 3/4, HF, HF. Odds: 6.00, 10.80, 0.70.

Also ran: Caluna (Swi), Morbidezza (Ger), White Rose (Ger), Ripley (Ger), Bellacoola (Ger), Rosina (Ger), Karlita (GB). Scratched: Chapada (Ger).

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★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

CORK S.-Listed, €48,000, Cork, 4-21, 3yo/up, 5fT, 0:57.50, fm.

1--**REPERTORY (GB)**, 133, g, 10, Anshan (GB)--Susie's Baby (GB), by Balidar (Ire). (8,500gns HRA '96 TATAUT). O/T-Malcolm Saunders; B-W H Joyce; J-Tom McLaughlin; €32,500. Lifetime Record: MGSW-Fr, GSP-Ire & Ity, MSP-GB, 80-12-12-9, €482,958.

2--**Osterhase (Ire)**, 137, g, 4, Flying Spur (Aus)--Ostrusa (Ata), by Rustan (Hun). €9,500.

3--**Final Exam (Ire)**, 133, g, 6, College Chapel (GB)--It Takes Two (Ire), by Alzao. €4,500.

Margins: SHD, 2HF, 1HF. Odds: 1-1, 8-1, 7-2.

Also ran: Carallia (Ire), Gotarapofahames (Ire), Minashki (Ire), Release.

Repertory has demonstrated on many occasions that he possesses more early speed than anything in training in Europe. Two years ago he burned off Mozart (Ire) for the first three furlongs of the G1 Nunthorpe S. at York and that initial dash has been enough to capture four stakes races, including two renewals of the G3 Prix du Petit Couvert at Longchamp. Warming up for this with a battling second in a Newbury handicap Apr. 11, he burst into his customary lead under Tom McLaughlin. Tackled by Osterhase and Michael Kinane inside the final quarter, he fought determinedly to gain the upper hand in the final stride.

4.10 Cork, Mdn, €15,360, 3yo, 1mT, 1:39.30, fm.

EVOLVING TACTICS (IRE) (c, 3, Machiavellian--Token Gesture {Ire} {GSW-Ire}, by Alzao), third in the competitive Curragh maiden won by Dalcassian (Ire) Apr. 6, was sent off the 7-4 second favourite to provide a further boost to that form. Settled in a stalking role throughout the early stages, he challenged long-time leader Sharesha (Ire) (Ashkalani {Ire}) inside the final 1 ½ furlongs before asserting in the closing stages to win by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, €1,280. O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd; T-Dermot Weld.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

Dear Diary (Ire), f, 3, **Desert Prince (Ire)**--Brief Lullaby (Ire), by Brief Truce. Hanshin, 4-20, Novice Race, 11fT. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$83,417. O-Kazuko Yoshida; B-Mrs C L Weld; T-Kunihide Matsuda. *Ir£120,000 yrl '01 GOFORB.

EUROPEAN-SIRED WINNER IN JAPAN:

Fight Club (Jpn), c, 3, **Halling--Fanjica (Ire)** (GSW & GISP-US, GSW-Eng, GSP-Ity & Fr, \$468,656), by Law Society. Nakayama, 4-20, Novice Race, 8fT, Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$71,667. O-Hiroyoshi Usuda; B-Shadai Farm; T-Yokichi Okubo.



BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-HAW, \$30,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:49 2/5, ft.

EL COURAGEOUS (h, 5, **Classic Account--Forceful Command**, by **Silent Screen**) Lifetime Record: 30-4-3-3, \$104,720. O-Angelo Duvall. B-Angelo & Robert Duvall (IL). T-Ronald L Shenofsky.

7th-SUF, \$22,000, NW2\$R6MX, 4yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:47 2/5, ft.

PICTURE GALLERY (m, 5, **Allen's Prospect--Casanna**, by **Topsider**) Lifetime Record: 15-6-1-0, \$67,440. O-P Moseley. B-Mr & Mrs James Moseley (PA). T-J Hooper. *1/2 to Oswayo (Norquestor), MSW, \$113,845.

8th-SUF, \$22,000, NW2\$3MX, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13 4/5, ft.

BRUANNA (m, 5, **Housebuster--Jazzy One {MSW, \$249,148}**, by **Horatius**) Lifetime Record: MSW, 29-11-3-2, \$271,170. O-Old Coach Farm & John D Murphy. B-Anthony Morash (KY). T-Michael E Gorham.

9th-PHA, \$21,000, NW2X, 4/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, ft.

JOEY'S LAW (h, 7, **Sicilian Law--Tasha's Princess**, by **Marfa**) Lifetime Record: SP, 50-6-6-7, \$121,251. O/B-Joseph C Flaherty (NJ). T-Robert W Helmetag.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNER BY U.S. STALLIONS:

Ndereba (Aus), f, 2, **Spinning World**--Super Marathon (NZ), by Centaine (Aus). Newcastle (New South Wales), 4-19, 2yo, Mdn., 4 1/2fT. B-Lucky Chances International.

You're the Top (Aus), g, 3, **Belong to Me**--Joie de Vivre (Aus), by Vain (Aus). Caulfield (Melbourne), 4-19, 3yo, c/g, Hcp., 7fT. B-G Harvey.

Jarabu (Aus), g, 3, **Miesque's Son**--Fine Intent (Aus), by Squill. Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 4-19, 3yo, Hcp., 6 1/2fT. B-Glengarry Stud.

Pilsener (Aus), g, 3, **Thunder Gulch**--Amber (Aus), by Hula Chief (NZ). Canterbury (Sydney), 4-16, 3yo, c/g, Mdn., 6fT. B-Hobartville Stud.

Argegno (Aus), f, 4, **Unbridled's Song**--Prized Possession (Aus), by Canny Lad (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 4-16, 4yo/up, f/m, Hcp., 7 1/2fT. B-Millenium Thoroughbreds.

Coral Salute (NZ), g, 4, **Woodman**--Ethnic (GB), by Quest for Fame (GB). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 4-19, 3yo/up, Hcp., 7 1/2fT. B-A B Tall.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

GERMANY, Hannover, 4.35, Cond, €4,500, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:07.64, gd.

FRUHLINGSSTURM (GB) (c, 3, **Unfuwain--Fruhlingserwachen**, by **Irish River {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €5,750. O/B-Jan H A Baggen; T-Peter Rau.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Mac Love (GB), c, 2, **Cape Cross** (Ire)--My Lass (GB) (SP-Ire), by Elmaamul. Nottingham, Britain, 4-21, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 13ydsT. B-Kingwood Bloodstock. *45,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT. **First winner for freshman sire (by Green Desert).

Sophister (Ire), g, 3, **College Chapel** (GB)--Wing and a Prayer (Ire), by Shalford (Ire). Cork, Ireland, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT. B-Eamon Kelly.

Excalinor (GB), c, 3, **Inchinor** (GB)--Noble Story (GB), by Last Tycoon (Ire). Nottingham, Britain, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo, 5f 13ydsT. B-Deepwood Farm Stud.

Omando (Ger), c, 3, **Lando** (Ger)--Omega (Ger), by Dashing Blade (GB). Cologne, Germany, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/8mT. B-Klaus Laakmann.

Baladewa (Ger), f, 3, **Monsun** (Ger)--Bennetta (Fr), by Top Ville (Ire). Munich, Germany, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/8mT. B-Irmgard & Dieter Meinke. *1/2 to Banyumanik (Ger) (Perugino), Hwt. Older Horse-Ger at 7-9.5f, MGSW-Ger, GSP-Fr, \$182,060; and Banyu Dewi (Ger) (Poliglote {GB}), SW & GSP-GB.

Bi Polar (GB), c, 3, **Polar Falcon**--Doctor Bid, by Spectacular Bid. Kempton, Britain, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT. B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd. *1/2 to On Call (GB) (Alleged), SW & GSP-Ire. **31,000gns yrl '01 TATOCT.

Incita (Ger), f, 3, **Royal Solo** (Ire)--India (Ger), by Lagunas (GB). Hannover, Germany, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Wilfried Witte et al.

Key to Pleasure (Ger), c, 3, **Sharp Prod** (GB)--Key to Love (Fr), by Alzao. Munich, Germany, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT. B-Stall Calluna.

+ **Nureus** (Ger), c, 3, **Sternkonig** (Ire)--Nuas (Ger) (GSW-Ger), by Aspros (Ger). Cologne, Germany, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo, 9f 55ydsT. B-Gestut Rottgen.

Namroud, g, 4, **Irish River** (Fr)--Top Line (Fr), by Top Ville (Ire). Yarmouth, Britain, 4-21, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-Audley Farm Inc. *\$85,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **1/2 to Foolish Line (Foolish Pleasure), SP-Fr & US, \$163,548; Golden Post (Golden Act), SW & GISP, \$424,425; and Miss Union Avenue (Steinlen {GB}), GSW, \$336,608.

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SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRES:

French Bid (Aus), f, 2, **Anabaa--My Crystal Star (Aus)**, by Copper Kingdom. Caulfield (Melbourne), 4-19, 2yo, Hcp., 6fT. B-Heytesbury Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd & G Pugh.

Danzero (Aus), g, 3, **Danzero (Aus)--Ceres Mist (Aus)**, by Plush (NZ). Sandown (Melbourne), 4-16, 3yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Lakewood Stud & Mrs P M Liston.

Avignon (NZ), g, 3, **Entrepreneur (GB)--Boonoke (Aus)**, by Marscaj (Aus). Ellerslie (Auckland), 4-19, 3yo/up, Mdn., 1mT. B-Fairdale Stud Ltd.

Prince Baa Baa (Aus), g, 4, **Anabaa--Princess Pushy (Aus)**, by Cossack Prince (NZ). Sandown (Melbourne), 4-16, 4yo/up, Hcp., 7.5fT. B-Mornmoot Stud Pty Ltd.

Desert Bay (NZ), g, 4, **Desert Sun (GB)--Bay Folly (NZ)**, by Kingdom Bay (NZ). Ellerslie (Auckland), 4-19, 3yo/up, c/g, Hcp., 1mT. B-Mrs N J Hopson.

Medowie Emperor (Aus), g, 4, **Grand Lodge--Medowie Princess (Aus)**, by Clear Choice. Canterbury (Sydney), 4-16, 4yo/up, Hcp., 7f 165ydsT. B-T Ford.

Padlock (Aus), g, 4, **Grand Lodge--Private Stock (Aus)**, by Kaoru Star (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 4-19, 3yo/up, Hcp., 6 1/2fT. B-Woodlands Stud.

Harrier Run (NZ), g, 5, **Desert Sun (GB)--Ivoryine (NZ)**, by Ivory Hunter. Ellerslie (Auckland), 4-19, 3yo/up, Hcp., 1 1/4mT. B-A J & Mrs A M Bishop.

Grampians (Aus), g, 6, **Danehill--Balmoral (Aus) (SW & GSP-Aus)**, by Star Shower (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 4-19, Easter Cup-Listed, 3yo/up, 10f 140ydsT, A\$37,400 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes. * 1/2 to Craigisla (Aus) (Canny Lad {Aus}), SP-Aus.

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SEINITA (ARG), 13, Gold Trojan--Seine (Arg) (Logical) Foal born Mar. 7, a colt by Saint Ballado.

Will be bred back to El Corredor.

Owned by Hill 'n' Dale Farm, Josham Farms and San Gabriel Investments

Boarded at Hill 'n' Dale Farm, KY.

Accomplishments: MGSW-Arg; dam of Serenita (Arg) (Southern Halo), Ch. 2yo Filly-Arg, G1SW-Arg, MGISP-US.

PLENTY OF LIGHT, 6, Colony Light--Iceycindy (Northrop)

Foal born Mar. 7, a colt by Storm Cat.

Will be bred back to Gone West.

Owned by Aaron & Marie Jones.

Boarded at Taylor Made Farm, KY.

Accomplishments: GISW, \$510,420.

KNIGHT PROSPECTOR, 14, Native Prospector--Knights Crozier (Knights Choice)

Foal born Mar. 8, a colt by Golden Missile.

Will be bred back to Holy Bull.

Owned by Pegasus Bloodstock USA, Inc.

Boarded at Denali Stud, Ky.

Accomplishments: GSW of \$236,825.

DANDY PAT (BRZ), 12, Ghadeer (Fr)--Raising Pat (Brz) (Waldmeister {GB})

Foal born Mar. 9, a filly by Quiet American.

Will be bred back to Street Cry (Ire).

Owned by Old Friends Inc.

Boarded at Taylor Made Farm, KY.

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