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FUNNY CIDE SIZZLES IN BELMONT WORK

Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner **Funny Cide** (Distorted Humor) turned in a scorching five-furlong work of :57.82 at Belmont Park yesterday in preparation for his start in Saturday's G1 Belmont S. The chestnut gelding worked through fractions of :22 and :45 and galloped out six furlongs in 1:11 2/5. The drill was the fastest of 49 five-furlong works at Belmont yesterday. The next fastest time was the :59 2/5 turned in by G1 Jockey Club Gold Cup winner **Evening Attire** (Black Tie Affair {Ire}). "It was a little faster than I wanted but he came out of it well," said trainer Barclay Tagg. "He cooled out fast and blew out fast. I can't complain." Assistant trainer Robin Smullen, aboard for the work, added, "He was a little stronger than I wanted him in the first eighth. I gave him some rein and he settled nicely. He's much bigger and stronger than before the Derby. He's very egotistical. He wants to challenge you. He used to give in if you wanted him to slow down. Now he's like, 'I know what I'm doing.'" Yesterday's work was Funny Cide's second since winning the May 17 Preakness. He went five furlongs last Wednesday in :59 2/5.



Funny Cide Horsephotos

BLACK SAM BELLAMY SOLD

Black Sam Bellamy (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), a full brother to dual Derby winner and European champion Galileo (Ire), has been sold to leading German stud Gestut Fahrhof, owned by Andreas Jacobs, for an undisclosed fee. Jean-Pierre Deroubaix, of French Bloodstock Agency, was involved in the deal and succeeded in purchasing the horse before his eight-length triumph in the G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup at The Curragh May 25. Black Sam Bellamy is set to remain in training with Aidan O'Brien and will continue to run in the silks of Michael Tabor. His next target is this Friday's G1 Vodafone Coronation Cup at Epsom. The son of Sadler's Wells won last year's G1 Gran Premio del Jockey Club in Milan and also secured Italian highweight honors. No stud plans have been disclosed.

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Refuse to Bend Pleases

Despite drifting in ante-post betting lists recently, G1 Sagitta 2000 Guineas winner **Refuse to Bend (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) remains on target for Saturday's G1 Vodafone Derby after pleasing connections in his latest exercise on the Old Vic gallop at The Curragh yesterday. Refuse to Bend was described as "workmanlike" in his previous work last Friday, which caused his price to drift among British bookmakers. "Refuse to Bend did his exercise on The Curragh this morning and we're on target for Epsom," Stan Cosgrove, manager for owner-breeders the Moyglare Stud, told *PA Sport*. "He had a satisfactory blow over seven furlongs up the Old Vic Gallop with two others. We are happy with what we saw. Our one concern is about his stamina. He has so much pace that you wonder if he would get the mile and a half."

O'Brien Still Hopeful for Magnificent Seven

Ballydoyle conditioner Aidan O'Brien worked his seven Epsom possibles at his County Tipperary base yesterday and still hopes to be represented by **Brian Boru (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells), **Alberto Giacometti (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells), **Balestrini (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) and **The Great Gatsby (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) in the G1 Vodafone Derby; **Yesterday (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) and **L'Ancrese (Ire)** (Darshaan {GB}) in the G1 Vodafone Oaks; and **Black Sam Bellamy (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) in the G1 Coronation Cup. The champion trainer still has **Handel (Ire)** (Sadler's Wells) engaged in the Derby, but looks likely to send the colt to the G3 Gallinule S. at The Curragh on Sunday, as an alternative. "The Epsom seven plus Handel, which goes for the Gallinule S. at The Curragh next Sunday, all seem to be fine," O'Brien told *PA Sport*. "They only had a blow because our gallops are nearly flooded--it has been such a bad morning. All anyone wants is safe ground at Epsom. They've had nice ground the last couple of years and I'm sure they'll have the same again." Michael Kinane will ride Yesterday in the Oaks and Kevin Darley has been booked to ride L'Ancrese.

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☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

WAR EMBLEM TO INSURANCE COMPANIES

Last year's Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner **War Emblem** (Our Emblem) has been transferred to the insurance companies covering the stallion for the Yoshida family's Shadai Stallion Station, according to *The Blood-Horse*. The four-year-old stallion was sold to stand at stud in Japan, but has shown an unwillingness to cover mares. Three of the four companies that insured War Emblem agreed to pay ¥1.6 billion (approximately \$13.3 million) for the stallion, who was sold last year for nearly \$18 million. Shadai has express an interest in purchasing War Emblem back from the insurance companies.

CARSON HOLLOW SIDELINED Grade I winner **Carson Hollow** (Carson City) will miss the rest of the year and is scheduled to undergo surgery to repair a chip in her left knee, according to *Daily Racing Form*. The four-year-old filly won last year's GI Prioress S. and was second in the GI Test S. She ended 2002 with a disappointing run in the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint and returned to finish second behind Xtra Heat in the GII Barbara Fritchie before winning the GII Distaff Breeders' Cup H. In her most recent start, the filly was second in the May 11 GII Genuine Risk H. Trainer Richard Dutrow, Jr. noticed the injury two days after the filly worked six furlongs in 1:11.81 at Aqueduct last Friday. "If she doesn't come back 100 percent, then it's time to stop," Dutrow told the *Form*.

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☆ RESULTS ☆

Sunday, Scottsville, South Africa

GOLDEN HORSE SPRINT-G1, R400,000, Scottsville, 6-1, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:08.05, gd.

- 1--▲**AL NITAK (SAF)**, 125, g, 5, by **Al Mufti**
 - 1st Dam: **Jessamine (SAf)** (MGSW-SAf), by **Del Sarto**
 - 2nd Dam: **Try Your Best (SAf)**, by **Sun Monarch (NZ)**
 - 3rd Dam: **Amacuti (SAf)**, by **Ambiopoise**
O-Mrs M D J Liley; B-Dr M Thomson; T-Kevin Maroun; J-L Prestwood; R250,000. *Full to The Sheik, MG1SW-SAf.
 - 2--**National Currency (SAf)**, 120, c, 3, National Assembly--Enchanted Dollar, by Spend A Buck. O-A Christoforou, G J Beck, C W & Mrs N Hilt and J E R H Clarke; B-Highland Farms; R86,000.
 - 3--**Hinterland (SAf)**, 126, g, 4, Badger Land--Daunting (SAf), by Raise A Man. O-N Steinhoff, B Steinhoff & M J Jooste; B-Lammerskraal Stud; R42,000.
- Margins: NK, 1, SHD. Odds: 10-1, 4-5, 33-1.

Sunday, Scottsville, South Africa

GOLD MEDALLION-G1, R250,000, Scottsville, 6-1, 2yo, 6fT, 1:08.27, gd.

- 1--#@▲**ICE CUBE (SAF)**, 126, c, 2, by **Western Winter**
 - 1st Dam: **Annie (SAf)** (MGSW-SAf), by **Trigger Finger**
 - 2nd Dam: **Song of Peace (SAf)**, by **Peaceable Kingdom**
 - 3rd Dam: **Love Lyric (SAf)**, by **High Veldt (GB)**
O-R Muir Sr & R Muir Jr; B-Lammerskraal Stud; T-Geoff Woodruff; J-P Strydom; R156,250.
 - 2--**Golden Care (Zim)**, 126, c, 2, Goldkeeper--Care for Me (SAf), by Tilden (Ire). O-D G Stokes, J Kournides, Mr & Mrs R M Nicholas; B-D G Stokes; R53,750.
 - 3--**Groundsman (SAf)**, 126, g, 2, West Man--Erica Garden (SAf), by Harry Hotspur (SAf). O-Rakesh Pillay; B-Highlands Farms; R26,250.
- Margins: 1 1/4, NK, NK. Odds: 1-1, 10-1, 10-1.

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(Stakes results cont.)

Sunday, Scottsville, South Africa

SA FILLIES' SPRINT-G1, R250,000, Scottsville, 6-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:08.39, gd.

1--#**@ENCHANTRESS (SAf)**, 128, f, 4, by National Assembly

- 1st Dam: Enchanting (SAf), by Jungle Cove
- 2nd Dam: Lucky Libre (Ire), by Great White Way
- 3rd Dam: Vicuna (GB), by Off Key (GB)

O-Lammerskraal Stud (Nom: M L P Rattray); B-Highlands Stud; T-Mike Bass; J-G Hatt; R156,250.

* 1/2 to Harry's Charm (SAf) (Harry Hotspur {SAf}), Ch. 2yo Filly-SAf, Ch. 3yo Filly-SAf, Ch. Sprinter-SAf, MG1SW-SAf.

2--**Sunset Glow (SAf)**, 128, f, 4, Rocky Marriage--Sweet Sixpence (SAf), by Be Noble. O/B-G H Rowles; R53,750.

3--**Tara's Touch (SAf)**, 126, f, 3, Tara's Halls (SAf)--Best Gem (SAf), by Best By Test. O/B-R C Knappe; R26,250.

Margins: 1HF, NK, SHD. Odds: 10-1, 14-1, 7-2.

Sunday, Scottsville, South Africa

ALLAN ROBERTSON FILLIES' CHAMPIONSGIP-G1, R200,000, Scottsville, 6-1, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:08.22, gd.

1--#**@SILVER ARC (SAf)**, 126, f, 2, by Silvino

- 1st Dam: Lightning Sands (SAf), by Mullineaux
- 2nd Dam: Esteban (SAf), by Joy II (GB)
- 3rd Dam: Galicia (SAf), by Marcius

O-A L Crabbia; B-Ascot Stud; T-Alan Greeff; J-M Odendaal; R125,000. * 1/2 to Eastern Lights (SAf) (Dolpour {Ire}), GSP-SAf.

2--**Main Emblem (SAf)**, 126, f, 2, National Emblem (SAf)--Mahanna (Aus), by Bellotto. O-P G Greyling, L J Lindsay & Mrs N Laird; B-Pee Bee Stud; R43,000.

3--**Hello Margarita (SAf)**, 126, f, 2, Sportsworld--Hello Spain (SAf), by Cordoba. O-M D R & Mrs Gouveia; B-M D R Gouveia; R21,000.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, HF. Odds: 33-1, 12-1, 33-1.

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WEEKEND PEDIGREE PERSPECTIVES

by Alan Porter

Sunday, Woodbine

NASSAU S.-GII, \$296,700, WOX, 6-1, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5, gd.

1--**@STRAIT FROM TEXAS**, 119, f, 4, by Judge T C

1st Dam: Tellum Texan, by Eastern Echo

2nd Dam: Drone Qui, by Drone

3rd Dam: Qui Silent, by Silent Screen

(\$12,500 yrl '00 FTKOCT). O-James A Michael B-Robert H & Bea Roberts (KY); T-Paul M Buttigieg; J-R Dos Ramos; \$166,920. Lifetime Record: 21-7-5-2, \$542,678.

Judge T C has only been at stud for seven seasons, but has already stood at four different farms in three different states. In the midst of his peregrinations, Judge T C has established himself as an excellent young sire with 10 stakes winners in his first three crops, four of them graded-stakes winners, the latest of these being Strait From Texas, winner at the weekend of Woodbine's GII Nassau S.

Judge T C wouldn't have been the most obvious stallion prospect when he retired to stud. He had displayed very smart form, winning stakes events every year from two to five, including the GII Fayette S., GIII Rebel S. and GIII Clark H., and earning \$826,826. However, he was by the In Reality stallion Judge Smells, a horse who sired only two other graded-stakes winners and a seemingly unlikely sire of sires. The distaff side of Judge T C's pedigree did offer a little more encouragement, as his maternal grandsire Secretariat had also appeared as the broodmare sire of numerous major sires, such as Storm Cat, A.P. Indy, Gone West, Dehere, Summer Squall and Chief's Crown. Judge T C's second dam, Quite Me Not (by Bold Reason, also broodmare sire of Sadler's Wells), was half sister to Dr. Fager, earner of honors as Horse of the Year and four other Eclipse Awards on the track, and a Leading Sire's championship at stud. **Cont. p. 7**

Top Billing

Among Europe's Elite

Red Ransom

**Leading Sires in Europe
By Percentage of "ABC" Runners**

Red Ransom 40%

Sadler's Wells 34%
In the Wings 30%

"ABC" Runners: Top 10% of Earners

**Leading Sires in Europe
By Percentage of "AB" Runners**

Red Ransom 20%

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Pivotal 18%

"AB" Runners: Top 3.5% of Earners



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FROM THE DESK OF...

Bill Oppenheim



DECISIVE WEEKEND

There are four major three-year-old Classics this weekend, Saturday's Epsom Derby and America's Triple Crown finale, the Belmont S., bracketed by the Epsom Oaks on Friday and the French Oaks (Prix de Diane) on Sunday. Funny Cide (best Beyer 114, in the Preakness), who is probably helped by the slop, attempts to become the first Triple Crown winner in 25 years in what will be a small field for the Belmont. But two formidable contenders stand between him and history: Empire Maker and Dynever. Derby second Empire Maker (best Beyer 111, in the Florida Derby) has formidable credentials: by Unbridled, the fourth Grade I winner out of his dam, trained by Bobby Frankel, America's leading trainer, bred and owned by Juddmonte, arguably the world's leading breeder. He beat Funny Cide in the GI Wood Memorial and skipped the Preakness, so he doesn't have too much ground to make up off his Derby second. Dynever, bred and co-owned by prominent English breeder Dr. Catherine Wills and trained by French import Chris Clement, is the joker in the pack. His numbers in winning the Aventura S. at Gulfstream (formerly the Flamingo, when run at Hialeah) and the Lone Star Derby weren't very high (101 and 98, respectively), but he's looked very impressive and could still be improving. The Preakness was a walkover; this race looks a lot tougher.

The Auguries for Epsom...

Every horse quoted under 10-1 for the Epsom Derby right now is trained in Ireland. Two key auguries point to Alamshar: he's owned by the Aga Khan, whose Dalakhani stamped himself the top three-year-old colt in Europe with a decisive victory over Super Celebre in last Sunday's French Derby and he won the G2 Derrinstown Derby Trial, won by the last three Epsom Derby winners (Sinndar, Galileo, and High Chaparral). But he's not even the current favorite. That burden currently rests

with Brian Boru, the Aidan O'Brien-trained Sadler's Wells colt who won last year's Racing Post Trophy, but who was beaten 2 1/2 lengths when unfancied behind Alamshar at Leopardstown. He was giving the winner five pounds that day, and stable jockey Mick Kinane sticks with Brian Boru.

Two other colts by Sadler's Wells round out the only four entrants now quoted below 10-1. Refuse to Bend, the English 2000 Guineas winner, is still unbeaten and still the horse to beat. He has the best speed figure (Racing Post's 'postmark') in the field at 118. Aidan's second string, Alberto Giacometti, ran third behind Dalakhani and Super Celebre in the G1 Prix Lupin, their final prep for the French Derby. He will have the all-conquering Christophe Soumillon in the irons. Aidan will run at least two more: The Great Gatsby (Pat Eddery), another Sadler's Wells colt who was second, splitting Alamshar and Brian Boru, in the Derrinstown Derby Trial; and Balestrini (J.P. Spencer), a frontrunner by Danehill who stole the Ballysax S. (Listed), beating Alamshar and Alberto Giacometti back in March, then ran fourth in the Lupin.

It seems odd, but none of the top six British-trained contenders are shorter than 14-1. Their form is perfectly respectable, yet they just don't have the charisma of their Irish counterparts, it seems. Three of the six were £90,000 supplements earlier this week: English 2000 third (at 100-1) Norse Dancer (Halling); G3 Dee S. winner Kris Kin (Kris S.); and G3 Chester Vase winner Dutch Gold, a Lahib half brother to the top filly Crimplene. The other major British-trained contenders comprise: Franklins Gardens, a second Halling colt, and winner of the G3 Lingfield Derby Trial; Magistretti, by Halling's sire Diesis and winner of the Fielden S. (L) and the prestigious G2 Dante S.; and Shield, a Barathea colt who won the G3 Sandown Classic Trial. It seems that at least some of these are improving enough on their bare numbers to figure at the business end.

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LIL'S LAD IS THE SECOND LEADING FRESHMAN SIRE!

- **FIRST MONEY** – Wins 1st start at Churchill by 4
– In 2nd start, 2nd Kentucky Breeders' Cup S.-G3
- **VALIDA** – Wins by 4 at Arlington
- **LADITUDE** – Wins 1st start by 8 1/2 lengths
- **FRANTIC PACE** – On the board in 1st start at Keeneland
- **IRISH LADDIE** – Placed in 2nd start

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Oaks Form...

Irish 1000 Guineas winner Yesterday, a full sister to last year's triple Classic-placed Quarter Moon, is now the solid 2-1 favorite for Friday's Epsom Oaks. Godolphin's Hi Dubai, a full sister to Fantastic Light, is still second favorite in spite of being beaten in the G1 Prix Saint-Alary, while two fillies who finished ahead of Yesterday (8th) in the English 1000, also figure: Hanami (Hernando), who was fifth in the English 1000 but would probably have been third had she not been seriously hampered; and Casual Look, a Red Ransom filly trained by Andrew Balding for Ambassador Farish. She finished sixth in the English 1000, and neither she nor Hanami has run since Newmarket. I'd give them both big chances. Hammiya, a Darshaan filly of Sheikh Hamdan's trained by the shrewd Marcus Tregoning and winner of the Cheshire Oaks (L), is the other contender generally trading under 10-1.

Dual 1000 Guineas second Six Perfections is likely to make her third stab for Classic glory in Sunday's French Oaks. She's run like she could use a little further in her two defeats this year, if for no other reason than to extricate herself from trouble, and if she finally gets a

clean trip and gets the distance okay, she'll get her Classic win. G1 Prix Saint-Alary winner Fidelite beat Hi Dubai in that Longchamp race, with another Hernando filly, Arvada, third. So if Hi Dubai jumps up and wins the Epsom Oaks on Friday, that speaks well for Fidelite's chances, especially. And French 1000 winner Musical Chimes figures in the mix, too. Both the second (Maiden Tower) and the third (Etoile Montante) from the French 1000 have come back to win good races since.

Euro Sire Updates...

France's Irish 2000 Guineas second (the horse, not the country), combined with Kalanisi's half brother Kalaman's win in Kempton's Heron S. (L), finally propelled Desert Prince past Danetime in cumulative progeny earnings (excluding Japan and the like) among European second-crop sires. Europe's champion three-year-old miler of 1998 now has eight stakes horses. Also making a big move forward, into fourth, was 1997 Arc winner [Peintre Celebre](#), as a result of Super Celebre's French Derby second; and Groom Dancer, now back from Japan, continues to show well, with Maiden Tower's win in the G2 Prix de Sandringham on the same card. **Cont. p. 6**

LEADING SECOND CROP SIRES IN EUROPE
(In Order of Total Lifetime Earnings)

| Rnk | Sire (YOB) | Grandsire | Rnrs | Wnrs | Wins | Total £ | Black Type SW | SP |
|-----|--|-----------------|------|------|------|---------|---------------|----|
| 1 | DESERT PRINCE (1995) | Green Desert | 73 | 25 | 41 | 654,065 | 4 | 4 |
| 2 | DANETIME (1994) | Danehill | 69 | 28 | 56 | 616,953 | 3 | 1 |
| 3 | COMPTON PLACE (1994) | Indian Ridge 60 | 23 | 50 | | 572,497 | 1 | 1 |
| 4 | PEINTRE CELEBRE (1994) | Nureyev | 48 | 16 | 20 | 474,682 | 2 | 1 |
| 5 | AIR EXPRESS (1994) | Salse | 14 | 12 | 29 | 473,979 | 2 | 0 |
| 6 | *GROOM DANCER (1984) | Blushing Groom | 78 | 25 | 42 | 405,372 | 2 | 0 |
| 7 | AVERTI (1991) | Warning | 30 | 15 | 31 | 371,988 | 2 | 4 |
| 8 | TITUS LIVIUS (1993) | Machiavellian | 68 | 29 | 46 | 369,496 | 0 | 1 |
| 9 | DESERT STORY (1994) | Green Desert | 52 | 19 | 30 | 346,519 | 0 | 2 |
| 10 | STARBOROUGH (1994) | Soviet Star | 48 | 17 | 29 | 334,640 | 1 | 2 |
| 11 | MEDAALY (1994) | Highest Honor | 76 | 20 | 30 | 312,465 | 0 | 0 |
| 12 | BAHHARE (1994) | Woodman | 63 | 15 | 23 | 277,786 | 1 | 0 |
| 13 | VICTORY NOTE (1995) | Fairy King | 85 | 25 | 36 | 275,541 | 1 | 0 |
| 14 | KING OF KINGS (1995) | Sadler's Wells | 38 | 11 | 14 | 173,592 | 1 | 2 |
| 15 | SHANTOU (1993) | Alleged | 39 | 15 | 19 | 172,062 | 0 | 1 |

Includes European earnings of American stallions. Includes American earnings of European stallions. * First British crop in 1999
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(Bill Oppenheim cont. from p. 5)
The Freshman Class...

Among European freshman sires, Listed-stakes wins for **Fasliyev** and Dr Fong in the last two weeks have propelled them into the 1-2 spots among European freshman sires. Fasliyev, who as of today was less than £500 in front, has six winners from 23 starters. Dr Fong has two winners, from 16 starters. But it's all very early days yet. Intikhab, Daggers Drawn (now seven winners), French-based Verglas, and Cape Cross (six winners) come next.

 **FOALING NEWS**

TEXAS CINEMA, 13, Mt. Livermore--French Flick (Silent Screen)

Foal born Apr. 20, a filly by Deputy Minister.

Will be bred back to Thunder Gulch.

Owned by Land of Believe Farm.

Boarded at Ballyrankin Stud, Ky.

Accomplishments: Dam of Cinemine (Mining), GSW, \$506,681; Flick (Dehere), SW.

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LEADING FIRST CROP SIRES IN EUROPE

(In Order of Total European Earnings)

| Rnk | Sire (YOB) | Grandsire | Rnrs | Wnrs | Wins | Totalf | Black Type | |
|-----|--------------------------|----------------|------|------|------|--------|------------|----|
| | | | | | | | SW | SP |
| 1 | FASLIYEV (1997) | Nureyev | 23 | 6 | 7 | 70,327 | 1 | 0 |
| 2 | DR FONG (1995) | Kris S. | 16 | 2 | 3 | 69,845 | 1 | 1 |
| 3 | INTIKHAB (1994) | Red Ransom | 10 | 4 | 6 | 61,835 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | DAGGERS DRAWN (1995) | Diesis | 17 | 7 | 9 | 56,412 | 0 | 0 |
| 5 | VERGLAS (1994) | Highest Honor | 6 | 3 | 5 | 52,501 | 0 | 0 |
| 6 | CAPE CROSS (1994) | Green Desert | 13 | 6 | 6 | 45,296 | 0 | 0 |
| 7 | STRAVINSKY (1996) | Nureyev | 13 | 2 | 2 | 35,701 | 0 | 1 |
| 8 | ORPEN (1996) | Lure | 16 | 3 | 3 | 32,866 | 0 | 1 |
| 9 | *IMPERIAL BALLET (1989) | Sadler's Wells | 17 | 3 | 3 | 28,152 | 0 | 0 |
| 10 | GOLD AWAY (1995) | Goldneyev | 8 | 2 | 3 | 23,356 | 0 | 0 |
| 11 | SHINKO FOREST (1993) | Green Desert | 9 | 2 | 3 | 22,436 | 0 | 0 |
| 12 | *SOVIET STAR (1984) | Nureyev | 6 | 1 | 2 | 22,308 | 0 | 0 |
| 13 | REGAL ARCHIVE (1993) | Fairy King | 7 | 2 | 3 | 16,923 | 0 | 0 |
| 14 | MARATHON (1994) | Diesis | 5 | 1 | 1 | 14,448 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 | DOCKSIDER (1995) | Diesis | 9 | 2 | 2 | 13,187 | 0 | 0 |
| 16 | LORD OF MEN (1993) | Groom Dancer | 8 | 1 | 1 | 13,085 | 0 | 0 |
| 17 | ROI GIRONDE (1995) | Fairy King | 2 | 1 | 2 | 11,786 | 0 | 0 |
| 18 | DANZERO (1991) | Danehill | 8 | 2 | 2 | 11,729 | 0 | 0 |
| 19 | DUSHYANTOR (1993) | Sadler's Wells | 2 | 1 | 1 | 10,474 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 | SECOND EMPIRE (1995) | Fairy King | 7 | 0 | 0 | 8,903 | 0 | 0 |

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(Pedigree Perspectives cont. from p. 3)

Judge T C retired to the Upson Downs Farm of his owners and Bea and Robert H. "Country" Roberts in 1997 at a fee advertised as private. For 1998, his advertised fee was \$15,000, and for 1999 and 2000, that had risen to \$20,000. In reality, though, few outside mares were bred to him at those prices, and the majority of his support in these years came from his owners.

In 2001, Judge T C was standing at Airdrie Stud at \$3,500, and 12 months later he was at Reigle Heir Farms in Pennsylvania, at a fee of \$2,500. By the start of the most recent stud season, Judge T C's first two crops had already yielded 10 stakes winners, and he was initially advertised to return to Kentucky and stand at Wafare Farm for \$8,500, but eventually served at the same fee at McMahon of Saratoga in New York. Even before Strait From Texas's recent victory, Judge T C's offspring had displayed an affinity for Canada. Strait From Texas won the Ontario Colleen H. last year; Judge T C's daughter, Lady Shari, took last year's renewal of the GI Mazarine Breeders' Cup and defeated colts in the GIII Canadian Derby, earning honors as champion three-year-old filly in that country, while Zone Judge took another Canadian event, the GIII Play the King H. Judge T C's other stakes winners include The Judge Sez Who, winner of the GIII Oklahoma Derby and over \$700,000, and last year's good three-year-old Request For Parole.

Strait From Texas is the first foal of her dam Tellum Texan, a mare whom the Robertses claimed specifically to breed to Judge T C. A five-time winner, Tellum Texan is by the well-bred Damascus horse Eastern Echo, who has been in the news this year as sire of GI Santa Anita Derby winner Buddy Gil. Tellum Texas's dam Drone Qui didn't produce a stakes winner herself, but is a half sister to the dam of the Irish-bred Le Silencieux, a black-type winner in France and the U.S. The third dam, Qui Silent (by Silent Screen), was stakes placed, but the family gets far more imposing under Strait From Texas's fourth dam, Qui Blink. This daughter of Francis S. was only a minor winner, but she produced not only the GIII Lamplighter H. winner Qui Native, but also five daughters which bred stakes winners. The best one of these is the GIII Boiling Springs H. runner-up Qui Royalty, who is the dam of no less than seven stakes winners, including English champion two-year-old Bakharoff, and is also granddam of Que Belle, a champion and classic winner in Germany, and a stakes winner in the U.S.

Strait From Texas is the product of an In Reality/Damascus cross, a formula which has produced four other graded-stakes winners. The key to her success probably lies elsewhere in the pedigree, however. Earlier, we noted that Judge T C is one of a number of successful sires who are out of mares by Secretariat. Of course, Secretariat is out of Somethingroyal, also the dam of Sir Gaylord, and Sir Gaylord turns up in the pedigree of Strait From Texas as the sire of Drone, who is responsible for Strait From Texas's second dam, giving a double of Sir Gaylord.

Remarkably, there are at least 21 stallions with Secretariat as their broodmare sire and who have been represented by unrestricted stakes winners with Sir Gaylord in the dam. This includes Storm Cat (five stakes winners, one graded); A.P. Indy (three stakes winners, one graded); Gone West (seven stakes winners, four graded, including Grade I winner Johar, and hot young stallion Elusive Quality) and three of Gone West's brothers--Lion Cavern, Demidoff and Secret Claim; Chief's Crown (at least 13 stakes winners, including Grand Lodge and Be My Chief, both champion two-year-olds in England) and his unraced brother Akaaber (four stakes winners in Australia, three graded); Dehere (three stakes winners, and one graded); and Summer Squall (only two stakes winners, but one of those was GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness winner Charismatic).

Another famous female who plays a part in this pedigree is La Troienne. She is here five times, and what is intriguing is that, not only is she represented through three closely related individuals (Better Self, twice, Searching, and Blue Eyed Momo), but that those horses themselves appear via genetic relatives. One appearance of Better Self is as the broodmare sire of Judge T C's granddam Quit Me Not, who is by a son of Hail to Reason. Searching comes in through Admiring (third dam of Eastern Echo), who is by Hail to Reason himself, and Blue Eyed Momo is dam of Francis S. (sire of the fourth dam of Strait From Texas), who is by Hail to Reason's grandsire, Royal Charger.

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 **NORTH AMERICA** 

★ **EAST** ★

Yesterday's Results:

7th-DEL, \$40,000, Alw, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 1/5, ft.

JABIBTI (PER) (f, 4, Play the Gold--Wasabi {Per}, by Privato), a two-time stakes winner in her native Peru in 2002, finished fourth last time out in a six-furlong allowance event over this track May 19 and was given a 3-1 chance to record her first stateside victory here. In front early, the bay led through moderate early fractions of :23.82 and :47.24, maintained a comfortable 2 1/2-length cushion a furlong from home and continued to inch away late for a convincing 3 1/2-length score over Erimos (Ire) (Desert King {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, 33,231. O-Haras 12 de Octubre. B-Haras Monterrico Sa (Per). T-Ricardo Morales.

5th-PHA, \$25,916, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft. + HEIDI'S RUBY (f, 4, Rubiano--Lady Avie Jones, by Lord Avie) broke well to take an early lead, held the advantage all the way around and had enough left late to hold off Golddigger Beware (Prenup) by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,960. O-Heather P Dreyfuss. B-E & D Enterprises (PA). T-Scott A Lake.

★ **CENTRAL** ★

Monday Night Results:

4th-PRM, \$21,000, Msw, 2yo, 5f, :59 4/5, sy. + LAST TIME IN TOWN (c, 2, Cape Town--Last Splash, by Sky Classic), sent off an 8-1 chance for his debut, stalked the early pace in third, rallied through the final furlong and caught 9-5 second choice Hesaves (Big Splash) late to score by a length. The winner was a \$7,000 KEENOV weanling; and a \$9,000 IOWSEP yearling purchase. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,600. O-David D McShane, Don Fraizer & Toby Godfrey. B-Glencrest Farm LLC & Richard Trontz (KY). T-David D McShane.

★ **INDUSTRY INFO** ★

Meadowlands Offers 28 Days for Thoroughbred Meet:

The Meadowlands will offer a 28-day Thoroughbred meet in 2003, beginning Thursday Oct. 2 and concluding Saturday, November 8. Racing will take place on Tuesday afternoons in 2003 (first post 1:10 p.m.), a change which last year generated increased revenue for the track, and will continue Wednesday through Saturday evenings (first post 7:30 p.m.).

★ **ON THE RADAR** ★

WEDNESDAY'S ENTRIES

7th-MTH, Alw, 6f, post time: 3:55 p.m. EDT WILD SNITCH (f, 3, Forest Wildcat--Infomint {SW}, by Key to the Mint) B-New Farm (Ky).

A perfect two-for-two over this track last year, Wild Snitch broke her maiden with ease in her Aug. 7 debut before romping by 6 3/4 lengths in the Gill Sorority S. three weeks later. Tossed into the deep end against Storm Flag Flying in the GI Matron S. in mid-September, she did her best to keep up with that one through six furlongs before being outclassed by 12 3/4 lengths in the runner-up spot. Shelved since, the Ben Perkins Jr. trainee makes her seasonal debut off a razor-sharp four-furlong move in :46 4/5, the best of 84 works at Monmouth Park on the day. If she can build off last season's form, she'll be one to watch down the road.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4:

- 06-07 \$1,000,000 *Belmont-I, Bel, 3yo, 12f (100000s)*
- 06-14 \$350,000 *Charles Whittingham Mem'I-I, Hol, 3yo/up, 10fT (350)*
- 06-14 \$400,000 *The Californian-II, Hol, 3yo/up, 9f (400)*
- 06-14 \$200,000a *Hollywood Breeders' Cup Oaks-II, Hol, 3yo, f, 8.5f (200)*
- 06-14 \$175,000a *Chicago Breeders' Cup H.-III, AP, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f (125)*
- 06-15 \$150,000a *Sea O' Erin Breeders' Cup Mile, AP, 3yo/up, 8fT (100)*
- 06-22 \$250,000a *Nearctic-II, Wo, 3yo/up, 6fT (250)*

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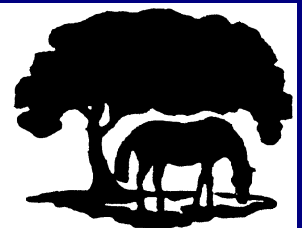
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★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

Lingfield, 2.15, Mdn, £4,400, 2yo, 5fT, :59.05, gd/fm.
HARRY UP (GB) (c, 2, Piccolo {GB}--Faraway Lass {GB}, by Distant Relative {Ire}), third on his debut at Nottingham Apr. 1, and second to Milk It Mick (GB) last time at Beverley May 10, soon assumed control and set a solid pace throughout. The 2-11 favourite was never seriously threatened and cruised to the wire under a hand ride for an unchallenged 2½-length success. He will now point to Royal Ascot's Windsor Castle (conditions) S. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, £5,213. O/B-John E Rose; T-James Given.

Wednesday, Beverley, post time: 7:10 p.m.

HILARY NEEDLER TROPHY-Listed, £25,000, 2yo, f, 5fT

| SC | PP | HORSE | SIRE | TRAINER | WT |
|----|----|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----|
| 1 | 9 | Caldy Dancer (Ire) | Soviet Star | A Berry | 129 |
| 2 | 4 | Parisienne | Good And Tough | Mourier | 125 |
| 3 | 8 | Attraction (GB) | Efisio (GB) | Johnston | 123 |
| 4 | 6 | Bella Tutrice (Ire) | Woodborough | Wood | 120 |
| 5 | 10 | Fabuco (Ire) | Mujadil | Keightley | 120 |
| 6 | 12 | Fiore Di Bosco (Ire) | Charnwood Forest (Ire) | Barron | 120 |
| 7 | 5 | Hillside Girl (Ire) | Tagula (Ire) | A Berry | 120 |
| 8 | 1 | Latin Review (Ire) | Titus Livius (Fr) | A Jarvis | 120 |
| 9 | 2 | Mirasol Princess (GB) | Ali-Royal (Ire) | K Ryan | 120 |
| 10 | 7 | Tolzey | Rahy | Channon | 120 |
| 11 | 3 | Under My Spell (GB) | Wizard King (GB) | Evans | 120 |
| 12 | 11 | Ann Summers Two | Elusive Quality | Meehan | 117 |

It looks like a competitive renewal of this precursor to Royal Ascot's G3 Queen Mary S. June 18. **Caldy Dancer** created a favourable impression when winning her debut at Haydock May 17, and impressed further when besting a competitive conditions field at Chester May 6. She can take advantage of her favourable draw here and use this as a stepping stone to Royal Ascot. The unbeaten **Attraction**, also well drawn, rates the main danger based on wins at Nottingham Apr. 29, and Thirsk May 17, where she safely accounted for **Mirasol Princess**. **Ann Summers Two** is an interesting newcomer who hails from the family of 1994 G1 Derby winner Erhaab. **Parisienne** traverses the Atlantic for trainer Franck Mourier and was successful in a three-furlong maiden special weight at Gulfstream Park Apr. 12.

CHILEAN CHAMPION DERBY LODGE DEAD

Derby Lodge (Chi) (Great Regent--Royal Story {Chi}, by Roy), named champion three-year-old colt in Chile for the 2001/2002 season, died May 31 after battling with colic, reports *Thoroughbred Times*. The five-year-old won consecutive renewals of the G1 Gran Premio Hipodromo Chile, including this year's event. His full brother, Villa d'Este (Chi), was multiple group stakes placed in Chile.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

Naples, 10.00, Cond, €13,005, 3yo/up, 1mT, time: n/a, gd.

MADRAS (IRE) (h, 5, Sri Pekan--Madam Caprice {GB}, by Salse) Lifetime Record: 40 starts, 9 wins, 20 places, €125,856. O-Marco Rossi; B-J Coburn; T-A Peraino.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Happy Flight (Ire)**, f, 2, **Titus Livius (Fr)**--Gezalle (GB), by Shareef Dancer. Naples, Italy, 6-3, Mdn, unraced 2yo, f, 5fT. B-Francesco Magliari.

FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Wednesday, June 4

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

SEA OF SECRETS (Storm Cat), Walmac, \$5K, 55/1/0
 4-BEL, Msw, 5f, +Clarksburg Queen, \$47K OBS APR 2yo

SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

First-time starters/stakes runners: Wednesday, June 4

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

TALE OF THE CAT (Storm Cat), Ashford, \$25K, 235/43/5
 4-BEL, Msw, 5f, +Feline Story, \$140K OBS MAR 2yo



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BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-MNR, \$41,600, 6-2, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 1/5, ft.
MARIAWORTH (m, 5, Diazo--Hollandia, by Strawberry Road {Aus}) Lifetime Record: 18-5-4-0, \$104,286.
 O-George Brunacini. B-Allen E Paulson (KY). T-Emilie Fojan. *\$8,000 yrl '99 KEESEP.

4th-MNR, \$31,700, 6-2, NW4L, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:24 3/5, gd.
LIL SCOUT (f, 3, Atticus--Spiritofpocahontas {GSP}, by Alleged) Lifetime Record: 9-4-1-0, \$81,991. O-Horned Owl Stable. B-Robert B Berger (KY). T-Austin Smith. *\$5,000 yrl '01 KEESEP. **1/2 to Irish Warrior (Irish River {Fr}), MSP, \$216,300.

9th-PRM, \$31,666, 6-2, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38 1/5, sy.
CANAVEROUS (c, 4, Canaveral--Best Ability, by Best Turn) Lifetime Record: SP, 9-4-0-1, \$85,852. O-Norman L & Pam Crossley. B-Norman L Crossley (IA). T-David D McShane.

5th-PRM, \$30,139, 6-2, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 4/5, sy.
RUBIANOS IMAGE (f, 3, Rubiano--Liba, by Conquistador Cielo) Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-2, \$60,690. O-Rockin River Ranch Inc & James & Phyllis Fox. B-Jeff & Karen Greseth (IA). T-Tim M Gleason. *1/2 to Fighting Fast (Fighting Fit), SW, \$106,120; Bobby's Buckaroo (Tricky Creek), SW, \$412,989.

9th-FEX, \$27,300, NW3L, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16 4/5, ft.
NOWYOUSEEIT (c, 4, All Gone--Stage Door Sal, by Stage Presence) Lifetime Record: SW, 7-3-0-1, \$91,824. O/T-Sean Hall. B-Albert & Louis Milano (FL).

5th-CRC, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:45, gd.
SOME CURVES (f, 4, Zafarrancho {Arg}--Miniriza {MSP}, by Minneapple) Lifetime Record: 12-2-1-2, \$52,265. O-Cecilia Dixon. B-E R & Cecilia Dixon (FL). T-Robert A Hale. *Full to Raponera, MSW, \$188,376.

A + will first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 5th Race at Hollywood, \$55,000 Allowance. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

1st-PRM, \$23,000, 6-2, NW1\$SX, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.
BIRDIE PUTT (m, 5, Gold Legend--Suzymatic, by Ace of Aces) Lifetime Record: 22-8-2-3, \$71,338. O-Double D Racing Stable. B-Mr & Mrs R M Clinkinbeard (KY). T-Stanley W Roberts. *\$9,500 HRA 2003 KEEJAN. **1/2 to My Caravann (Irish Tower), SW, \$284,471.

7th-PHA, \$20,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, a1 70m (off turf), 1:43 3/5, ft.
LET'S GET LUCKY (c, 4, Judge T C--Flowers and Vines, by Blushing John) Lifetime Record: 18-4-1-1, \$46,135. O-Winning Ways Thoroughbreds. B-Liberation Farm & Oratis Thoroughbreds (KY). T-Ramon Preciado. *1/2 to Un Fino Vino (Demidoff), MGSP, \$297,180.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Imperio, c, 3, Bold Executive--Sosaleta Sue, by Silver Deputy. FEX, 6-3, 5f, :58 2/5. B-Robert B Craig (On). *\$83,000 yrl '01 CBSSEP.
Yourloveisfadin, f, 3, Not for Love--Disguisedindeed, by Alydeed. MNR, 6-2, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Richard T Saxton & Doris L Farrar (NY).
I Ain't Pokeyman, f, 4, Our Gary--Our Alliance, by Grand Alliance. PRM, 6-3, (S), 6f, 1:13 1/5. B-Jerry Ayers & Marilyn K Young (Ia).

FOALING NEWS

FONTAL (ARG), 9, Southern Halo--Fontemar (Arg) (Babor {Arg})
 Foal born Apr. 21, a colt by Broad Brush. Will be bred back to Distorted Humor. Owned by and boarded at Cobra Farm, Ky. Accomplishments: GSW & G1SP-Arg, SW-US, \$192,039-US.

IDA'S IMAGE, 16, Alydar--Bendara (Never Bend)
 Foal born Apr. 21, a filly by Forestry. Will be bred back to Forest Camp. Owned by Aaron & Marie Jones. Boarded at Taylor Made Farm, Ky. Accomplishments: Dam of Victory Speech (Deputy Minister), GISW, \$1,289,020.

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CORRECTION: Incorrect sales information was provided in Tuesday's edition for **Beauty Contest (Ire)** (Singspiel {Ire}), winner of the 3:30 maiden at Naas Monday. The three-year-old filly is actually a homebred of Neil Jones' Abergwaun Farm. We regret the error.