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### REBEL REBEL

When he steps onto The Curragh today, Phil Cunningham's **Cockney Rebel (Ire)** (Val Royal {Fr}) will attempt to follow in some hallowed hoofprints as he bids to complete the English-Irish 2000 Guineas double. Don't Forget Me (Ire), Tirol (Ire), Rodrigo de Triano and Rock of Gibraltar (Ire) have all succeeded in pulling off the feat since 1987, and there was nothing in Cockney Rebel's dazzling performance in the May 5 Newmarket Classic to suggest he cannot add his name to that honor roll. Connections are hopeful that he can strike for a second time. "I went onto the gallops to watch him on Saturday morning and it was absolutely unbelievable,"



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Cunningham told *PA Sport*. "Before the English Guineas he was impressive, but [last week] was just amazing--it was as if he was just cantering down to the start all the way. It's scary to think he's improved after Newmarket, and [trainer] Geoff [Huffer] thinks he's come on seven pounds after the English Guineas."

### Live Outsiders...

Francis Ennis may be a stranger to this territory, but he fields a live duo in Leopardstown 2000 Guineas Trial runner-up **Confuchias (Ire)** (Cape Cross {Ire}) and G3 Ballysax S. second **Ferneley (Ire)** (Ishiguru). "Confuchias has a lot of speed, whereas Ferneley is more of a relentless galloper," Ennis told *PA Sport*. "They are both in good form, and I am expecting a good run from each. I think a mile up The Curragh will really suit Ferneley; there is improvement in both of them." David Wachman also saddles a pair in **Followmyfootsteps** (Giant's Causeway), sixth in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains, and G3 Craven S. fourth-place finisher **He's a Decoy (Ire)** (In the Wings {GB}). **Cont. p2-3**

### THE TIN MAN BACK IN ACTION

Sidelined since taking the Sept. 30 GI C.L. Hirsch Memorial Turf Championship S. at the Oak Tree meeting, **The Tin Man** (Affirmed) will make his return in Monday's GI Shoemaker Breeders' Cup Mile at Hollywood. Why did trainer Richard Mandella opt to give the veteran a nine-month vacation? "He was tired, period," Mandella said. The nine-year-old drew post six in the 10-horse field, and will have regular rider Victor Espinoza in the irons. **Field, p7**



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### PEERESS RETIRED

Cheveley Park Stud's **Peeress (GB)** (Pivotal {GB}--Noble One {GB}, by Primo Dominie {GB}), sixth as the 11-8 favorite when defending her title in Saturday's G1 Juddmonte Lockinge S. at Newbury, has been retired. The six-year-old homebred heads to the paddocks with seven wins from 18 starts and £504,361 in prizemoney. "I think it was right to take another chance on her this year, but she just didn't sparkle as we had hoped at Newbury, so we've decided to call it a day," the stud's Managing Director Chris Richardson told *Racing Post*. Trained by Sir Michael Stoute throughout her career, the chestnut rose to prominence with a success in the 2005 G2 Windsor Forest S. at Royal Ascot at York before adding the G1 Sun Chariot S. to her tally at Newmarket in October of that year. She bested Majors Cast (Ire) in last year's Lockinge and ran third to Librettist in the G1 Prix Jacques le Marois before concluding 2006 with a second to Red Evie (Ire)--this year's Lockinge heroine--in the G1 Matron S. at Leopardstown Sept. 9. She was the highweight older mare at a mile in Great Britain for 2006. Richardson added, "Peeress owes us absolutely nothing and has been a great servant to the stud. Hopefully, she will do just as well in her new career." Breeding plans for 2008 have not yet been determined, but Cheveley Park's stallion Medicean (GB) is under consideration.

## 5 GSW'S IN 2007

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Saturday, Curragh, Ireland, post time: 3:45 p.m.

**BOYLESPORTS IRISH 2000 GUINEAS-G1, €400,000, 3yo, c/f, 1mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	OWNER	BREEDER	TRAINER/JOCKEY
1	7	Cockney Rebel (Ire) <i>(Val Royal {Fr}--Factice, by Known Fact)</i>	Phil Cunningham	Oak Lodge Bloodstock	Huffer Peslier
2	4	Confuchias (Ire) <i>(Cape Cross {Ire}--Schust Madame {Ire}, by Second Set {Ire})</i>	Annette O'Callaghan	Vanessa Hutch	Ennis McDonogh
3	8	Creachadoir (Ire) <i>(King's Best--Sadima {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells)</i>	Mrs J S Bolger	Frank Dunne	Bolger Manning
4	12	Duke of Marmalade (Ire) <i>(Danehill--Love Me True, by Kingmambo)</i>	Susan Magnier & Michael Tabor	Southern Bloodstock	A O'Brien Heffernan
5	6	Excellent Art (GB) <i>(Pivotal {GB}--Obsessive, by Seeking the Gold)</i>	S Magnier, M Tabor, D Smith & M Green	Cheveley Park Stud Ltd	A O'Brien O'Donoghue
6	9	Ferneley (Ire) <i>(Ishiguru--Amber Tide {Ire}, by Pursuit of Love {GB})</i>	Plantation Stud	Mount Coote Stud & Richard Pegum	Ennis Supple
7	11	Fleeting Shadow (Ire) <i>(Danehill--Rain Flower {Ire}, by Indian Ridge {Ire})</i>	Lambe, Smurfit, Keough & Mulryan	King Bloodstock & Swettenham Stud	Weld Smullen
8	5	Followmyfootsteps <i>(Giant's Causeway--Lady Carson, by Carson City)</i>	Michael Tabor & Susan Magnier	Kathleen Ann Schonefeld	Wachman Lordan
9	3	He's a Decoy (Ire) <i>(In the Wings {GB}--Allegheny River, by Lear Fan)</i>	Joseph Joyce	Holborn Trust Co	Wachman Kinane
10	2	Kingsdale Orion (Ire) <i>(Intikhab--Jinsiyah, by Housebuster)</i>	Jacinta Devey	Myles & Mrs Joan Doyle	F Mills Shanahan
11	13	Traffic Guard <i>(More Than Ready--Street Scene {Ire}, by Zafonic)</i>	Mrs Fitri Hay	Frank Penn & John R Penn	S Moore Egan
12	10	Trinity College <i>(Giant's Causeway--City College, by Carson City)</i>	S Magnier, D Smith & M Tabor	Marion G Montanari	A O'Brien McCabe
13	1	Vital Equine (Ire) <i>(Danetime {Ire}--Bayalika {Ire}, by Selkirk)</i>	Premspace Ltd	John Costello	O'Neill Catlin

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Irish 2000 Guineas cont.

**Vitality...**

Connections are optimistic that Newmarket runner-up **Vital Equine (Ire)** (Danetime {Ire}) can make up the 1 1/2-length deficit on Cockney Rebel today. "He took the journey well and we're hoping for another big run," trainer Eoghan O'Neill told *PA Sport*. "Everything's been fine, and he's actually improved quite a bit since Newmarket. His work has been very good, so we're very happy." Jim Bolger bids to win his first Irish Guineas with **Creachadoir (Ire)** (King's Best), a colt who has been a revelation this term. Successful in the G3 Leopardstown 2000 Guineas Trial Apr. 7 and G3 Tetrarch S. at The Curragh May 7, he was second by a half-length to Astronomer Royal in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains six days later. The hard-luck story of that race was arguably Susan Magnier, Michael Tabor, Derrick Smith and Matthew Green's **Excellent Art (GB)** (Pivotal {GB}), whose troubled passage led to Jamie Spencer's current lengthy suspension. Astronomer Royal's pilot Colm O'Donoghue picks up the mount in his bid for a Classic double. "He ran a great race in France and it was just unfortunate what happened there," O'Donoghue said. "Jamie looked after him when things weren't going to go his way and he's come out of the race well, so we're hoping for a good run."

# Irish 1000 Guineas



## THE FINSCEAL FACTOR

Electric at Newmarket before being shocked at Longchamp, **Finsceal Beo (Ire)** (Mr. Greeley) is back in the ring again tomorrow for the third leg of her Classic journey in the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas. Michael Ryan's sensation smashed the race record when beating **Arch Swing** (Arch) in the May 6 G1 1000 Guineas, but failed by a head to hold Darjina (Fr) in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulaches a week later. The Curragh is the arena for her latest bout as she bids to become only the second filly to complete the English-Irish 1000 Guineas double following Attraction (GB) in 2004. "She's very well and has just done a nice bit of exercise since France and a little piece of work," trainer Jim Bolger told *PA Sport*. "You have to keep her on the move, as otherwise she puts on weight. The ground will hopefully be fine, and I am very happy with her."

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**BOYLESPTS IRISH 1000 GUINEAS-G1**, €400,000,  
3yo, f, 1mT

**SC PP HORSE**

**SIRE**

**1 7 Alexander Tango (Ire)** [Danehill Dancer \(Ire\)](#)  
(56,000gns wnl '04 TATDEC)

O-Noel O'Callaghan; B-Philip Brady; T-Tommy Stack;  
J-Wayne Lordan; Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, €100,245.  
*Last Start--1st May 13 G3 1000 Guineas Trial S.*

**2 2 Arch Swing** **Arch**  
(55,000 wnl '04 KEENOV; 45,000 yrl '05 GOFORB)

O-Pat Garvey; B-T L Folkerth; T-John Oxx; J-Michael  
Kinane; Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, €229,347.  
*Last Start--2nd May 6 G1 1000 Guineas*

**3 3 Diamond Necklace** **Unbridled's Song**  
(51,150,000 wnl '04 KEENOV)

O-S Magnier & M Tabor; B-Brilliant Stable; T-A O'Brien;  
J-C O'Donoghue; Lifetime Record: 5-0-0-1, €6,970.  
*Last Start--9th May 16 G3 Blue Wind S.*

**4 11 Dimenticata (Ire)** **Danetimo (Ire)**  
(50,000 yrl '05 TATIRE)

O-Lady O'Reilly; B-Mrs John McEnery; T-K Prendergast;  
J-Chris Hayes; Lifetime Record: 9-1-4-0, €61,813.  
*Last Start--2nd May 6 Listed Victor McCalmont Memorial S.*

**5 8 Finsceal Beo (Ire)** [Mr. Greeley](#)  
(340,000 yrl '05 GOFORB)

O-Michael A Ryan; B-Rathbarry Stud; T-Jim Bolger;  
J-Kevin Manning; Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-0, €644,467.  
*Last Start--2nd May 13 G1 Poule d'Essais des Pouliches*

**6 1 Gaudeamus** [Distorted Humor](#)  
(60,000 yrl '05 KEESOP)

O-Mrs J S Bolger & Ennistown Stud; B-Manganaro LLC;  
T-J Bolger; J-D Moran; Lifetime Record: 9-3-0-1, €141,424.  
*Last Start--10th May 13 G3 1000 Guineas Trial S.*

**7 4 Offbeat Fashion (Ire)** [Rock of Gibraltar \(Ire\)](#)

O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld; J-Pat  
Smullen; Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €13,020.  
*Last Start--6th May 7 G3 Athasi S.*

**8 5 Peeping Fawn** [Danehill](#)

O-Michael Tabor & Susan Magnier; B-Barnett Enter-  
prises; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Seamus Heffernan; Lifetime  
Record: 4-1-1-2, €17,293.  
*Last Start--1st May 16 Naas maiden*

**9 10 Silk Dress (Ire)** [Gulch](#)  
(110,000 yrl '05 GOFORB)

O-J P Kelly; B-Swordlestown Stud; T-John Joseph  
Murphy; J-D Grant; Lifetime Record: 5-0-1-0, €17,600.  
*Last Start--7th May 6 Listed Pretty Polly S.*

**10 9 Treat (GB)** **Barathea (Ire)**  
(39,000gns wnl '04 TATDEC; 80,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT)

O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing XXXVI; B-A J  
Coleing; T-Mick Channon; J-Johnny Murtagh; Lifetime  
Record: 4-1-1-0, €107,948.

*Last Start--4th May 6 G1 1000 Guineas*

**11 6 Truly Mine (Ire)** [Rock of Gibraltar \(Ire\)](#)  
(200,000 yrl '05 GOFORB)

O-Mrs C L Weld; B-Sir Edmund Loder; T-Dermot Weld;  
J-Pat Shanahan; Lifetime Record: 3-0-2-1, €18,000.

*Last Start--2nd Apr. 9 Cork maiden*

All carry 126 pounds.

**Takes Two to Tango...**

Tommy Stack, who saddled Tarascon (Ire) to win this in 1998, puts forward a live contender in Noel O'Callaghan's **Alexander Tango**. The filly established her credentials with a three-length win in the G3 Derrinstown Stud 1000 Guineas Trial at Leopardstown May 13, and Stack's son and assistant James "Fozzy" Stack is hoping that the chestnut can make her mark Sunday. "She did it well stepping up to a mile last time and needs a strong gallop the whole way, which she got that day," the younger Stack said. "She can quicken very well off a fast pace and hopefully they will go a good gallop tomorrow. She definitely wouldn't want soft ground, and Finsceal Beo and Arch Swing will be very hard to beat." Dermot Weld, who captured his third renewal courtesy of Nightime (Ire) a year ago, relies on two dark horses in Moyglare Stud Farm's **Offbeat Fashion**, who was sixth in the G3 Athasi S. here May 7, and Gita Weld's maiden **Truly Mine**, third in the G3 Park Express S. at this track Mar. 25 before finishing second in a Cork maiden Apr. 9. "Once again, it is a very good Guineas; they are outsiders, but they are both entitled to take their chance and they are both working well," Weld told *PA Sport*.

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**Saturday, Doomben, post time: 3:50 p.m.**  
**CARLTON DRAUGHT DOOMBEN 10,000-G1,**  
A\$650,000, 3yo/up, 1350mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	7	Takeover Target (Aus)	Celtic Swing (GB)	Janiak	130
2	1	Mitanni (Aus)	Danewin (Aus)	Walter	130
3	4	Malcolm (Aus)	Snippets (Aus)	Hawkes	130
4	9	Hard to Catch (Aus)	Dodge (Aus)	Duff	130
5	2	Black Ink (Aus)	Snippets (Aus)	Kelly	130
6	6	Royal Ida (Aus)	Star Pyramul (Aus)	O'Leary	130
7	10	Any Suggestion	Lion Hunter (Aus)	Richards	130
8	3	Media (Aus)	Gilded Time	Freedman	124
9	8	Gee I Jane (NZ)	Jahafil (GB)	Couchman	124
10	5	Gold Edition (Aus)	Lion Hunter (Aus)	Maund	120

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GII Sheepshead Bay H.  
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Doomben 10,000 cont.

**Takeover Target**, who travelled to Royal Ascot last year to annex the G2 King's Stand S. and run third in the G1 Golden Jubilee S., will tune up here for another around-the-world journey.

The seven-year-old ran second last out in the G1 BTC Cup over this course May 12. The likely favorite will be the swift **Gold Edition**, who is bidding to become the first three-year-old filly to capture this historic contest. In spite of their age difference, Gold Edition has more career starts--27--than her veteran rival (25).



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The grey has captured eight out of her last 11 trips postward, including the G1 Gold Coast Guineas May 5 and the G1 BTC Classic May 19 over this course and distance. Trainer Ron Maund thinks his charge can handle the quick turnaround. "It was an unseasonally hot day last Saturday and the travelling probably took a bit out of her," Maund told *Daily Telegraph*. "But she has an amazing capacity to get over hard runs within 24 hours and she does look superb this week." He added, "I'd say she has improved a length, maybe two lengths, and I hope that is good enough to beat Takeover Target. I'll have no excuses if she's beaten."

**Saturday, Belmont Park, post time: 4:45 p.m. EDT**  
**SHEEPSHEAD BAY H.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m,**  
1 3/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Cliffrose (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Sheppard	30-1
2	La Dolce Vita	Quiet American	Hennig	10-1
3	Moon Dolly (GB)	Kris S.	Duggan	50-1
4	Hostess	Chester House	Bond	12-1
5	Honey Ryder	Lasting Approval	Pletcher	8-5
6	Factual Contender	Thunder Puddles	Tagg	6-1
7	Safari Queen (Arg)	Lode	Pletcher	5-2
8	Barancella (Fr)	Acatenango (Ger)	Frankel	5-1
9	Wait It Out	Swain (Ire)	Cedano	15-1

**NOMINATE FOR BELMONT WEEKEND STAKES!**

- GIII HILL PRINCE S., \$100,000a, 3yo, 1 mile (turf) (June 8)**
- GI MANHATTAN H., \$400,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m (turf) (June 9)**
- GI ACORN S., \$250,000, 3yo, fillies, 1 mile (June 9)**
- GII JUST A GAME H., \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (turf) (June 9)**
- GII TRUE NORTH H., \$200,000a, 3yo/up, 6f (June 9)**
- GII WOODY STEPHENS BC S., \$250,000, 3yo, 7f (June 9)**
- MOUNT VERNON H. (NYB), \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 9f (turf) (June 10)**

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**Sheepshead Bay cont.**

Trainer Todd Pletcher sends out the two favorites in MGISW **Honey Ryder** and MGSW **Safari Queen**. Honey



**Safari Queen**

*Equi-Photo*

Ryder, winner of this contest last year, will race with blinkers off in her first start since finishing 11th in the Mar. 31 G1 Dubai Sheema Classic. Safari Queen has won four of her last five appearances, including the Mar. 31 GIII Orchid H. at Gulfstream and the Apr. 25 GIII Bewitch S. at

Keeneland, both at a mile and a half. "I hate to run two nice mares like this against each other, but the options are limited this time of year," Pletcher said. **Hostess**, winner of a 1 1/2-mile allowance test on the grass at Gulfstream Mar. 21, closed to be second behind **Factual Contender** in the 10-furlong Destiny Dance S. at Belmont May 3. She will appreciate the added ground.

**Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 5:51 p.m. EDT**

**LOUISVILLE H.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Murch	Mr. Greeley	Pitts	113
2	Always First (GB)	Barathea (Ire)	Voss	118
3	I Believe in Me	Giant's Causeway	McGee	113
4	Transduction Gold	Formal Gold	Glenney	114
5	Hotstufanthensome	Awesome Again	Pointer	117
6	Cloudy's Knight	Lord Avie	Kirby	116
7	Louve des Reves (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Biancone	111
8	Royal Assault	Kris S.	McKeever	112
9	Ramazutti	Honor Grades	Pletcher	115
10	Drilling for Oil	Giant's Causeway	McPeek	114
11	Fri Guy	Theatrical (Ire)	Romans	113
12	Embossed (Ire)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	O'Callaghan	115

**Saturday, Arlington Park, post time: 5:00 p.m. CDT**

**HANSHIN CUP H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1m (AWT)**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Throng	Silver Deputy	Pletcher	114
2	Fort Prado	El Prado (Ire)	Block	117
3	Buddy Got Even	Stephen Got Even	Maker	116
4	Star by Design	Distorted Humor	Hazelton	114
5	Connections	Unbridled	Dini	114
6	Gouldings Green	Charismatic	Reinstedler	120
7	Lewis Michael	Rahy	Catalano	118
8	Spotsgone	Bright Launch	Fires	113
9	Barbican	A.P. Indy	Harty	113
10	High Expectations	Peaks and Valleys	Janks	113
11	Purim	Dynaformer	Proctor	118

**CORRECTION:** According to *Daily Racing Form*, MGISW **Showing Up** (Strategic Mission) suffered a torn suspensory ligament in his left front leg, not a torn tendon, as reported yesterday.

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**Saturday, Curragh, Ireland, post time: 4:50 p.m.**

**RIDGEWOOD PEARL S.-G3, €100,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	6	Ardbrae Lady (GB)	Overbury (Ire)	J G Murphy
2	9	Eastern Appeal (Ire)	Shinko Forest (Ire)	Halford
3	11	Anna Karenina (Ire)	Green Desert	Wachman
4	5	Blessyourpinksox (Ire)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Casey
5	7	Bon Nuit (Ire)	Night Shift	Harrington
6	10	Cheyenne Star (Ire)	Mujahid	F Crowley
7	3	Dancing Sky (Ire)	Polish Precedent	Weld
8	2	Dani's Girl (Ire)	Second Empire (Ire)	Fahy
9	8	Deauville Vision (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Halford
10	4	Heaven Sent (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Stoute
11	1	Modeeroch (Ire)	Mozart (Ire)	Bolger

All carry 124 pounds bar Ardbrae Lady & Eastern Appeal, 127.

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**Saturday, Curragh, Ireland, post time: 3:10 p.m.**

**WEATHERBYS IRELAND GREENLANDS S.-G3,**  
€80,000, 3yo/up, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	6	Moss Vale (Ire)	Shinko Forest (Ire)	Nicholls	140
2	2	An Tadh (Ire)	Halling	Lyons	138
3	1	Benbaun (Ire)	Stravinsky	Wallace	138
4	7	Ashdown Express (Ire)	Ashkalani (Ire)	Wall	135
5	8	Majestic Times (Ire)	Bluebird	McAteer	135
6	9	Absolutelyfabulous (Ire)	Mozart (Ire)	Wachman	132
7	5	Leitra (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Halford	132
8	4	Silver Touch (Ire)	Dansili (GB)	Channon	132
9	3	Facchetti	Storm Cat	A O'Brien	126
10	10	Flash McGahon (Ire)	Namid (GB)	Oxx	126
11	11	Theann (GB)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	A O'Brien	123

**Monday, Hollywood Park**

**SHOEMAKER BREEDERS' CUP MILE S.-GI,** \$300,000,  
3yo/up, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	Right Special (Brz)	Special Nash (Ire)	Blanc
2	Charmo (Fr)	Charnwood Forest (Ire)	Pedroza
3	Kip Deville	Kipling	Migliore
4	Becrux (Ity)	Glen Jordan (GB)	Flores
5	Willow O Wisp	Misnomer	Talamo
6	The Tin Man	Affirmed	Espinoza
7	Chinese Dragon	Stravinsky	Smith
8	Vega's Lord (Ger)	Lord of Men (GB)	M Baze
9	Get Funky	Straight Man	Valdivia
10	Fast and Furious (Fr)	Singspiel (Ire)	Solis

All carry 124 pounds.

**Monday, Hollywood Park**

**GAMELY BREEDERS' CUP S.-GI,** \$300,000, 3yo/up,  
f/m, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Price Tag (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Solis	123
2	Three Degrees (Ire)	Singspiel (Ire)	Espinoza	117
3	Charm the Giant (Ire)	Giant's Causeway	M Baze	117
4	Citronnade	Lemon Drop Kid	Flores	119
5	Soghol (Ire)	Singspiel (Ire)	Blanc	117
6	Vacare	Lear Fan	Valdivia	123

**TODAY'S FORECAST**

**Arlington:** Scattered thunderstorms. High 75F.  
Chance of rain 50 percent.  
**Belmont:** Mostly sunny. High 86F.  
**Churchill:** Isolated thunderstorms. High 88F.  
Chance of rain 30 percent.

**Sunday, Curragh, Ireland**

**TATTERSALLS GOLD CUP-G1,** €300,000, 4yo/up,  
1 5/16mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	5	Arch Rebel	Arch	Berry
2	7	Danak (Ire)	Pivotal (GB)	Kinane
3	3	Dylan Thomas (Ire)	Danehill	Heffernan
4	2	Fracas (Ire)	In the Wings (GB)	Lordan
5	4	Heliostatic (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Manning
6	6	Mustameet	Sahm	McDonogh
7	9	Notnowcato (GB)	Inchinator (GB)	Murtagh
8	8	Youmzain (Ire)	Sinndar (Ire)	Hughes
9	1	Nighttime (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Smullen

All carry 126 pounds bar Nighttime, 123.

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**Cecil Hopes Impress...**

Henry Cecil's two contenders for Friday's G1 Epsom Oaks came through their final serious workouts with flying colors yesterday at Newmarket. Khalid Abdullah's G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud and G3 Musidora S. heroine **Passage of Time (GB)** (Dansili {GB}) and the Niarchos Family's Listed Cheshire Oaks winner **Light Shift** (Kingmambo) delighted their conditioner, who is looking to take his eighth renewal of the 12-furlong Classic. "I was very satisfied and both fillies worked nicely," Cecil told *Racing Post*. "Passage of Time did all that was asked, and there is no sign of anything problematic. At the moment, touch wood, everything is going the right way and she is on schedule."

**Aqaleem Firing on All Cylinders...**

Trainer Marcus Tregoning reported Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's **Aqaleem (GB)** (Sinndar {Ire}) on course for Saturday's G1 Epsom Derby. Despite weather forecasts suggesting that significant rain may fall before the Classic, the Lambourn conditioner is hopeful the impressive G3 Lingfield Derby Trial victor will handle easy ground. "It's all systems go and he's in pretty good shape," Tregoning said. "He cantered this morning and will do his last bit of work around the middle of next week, very much as Sir Percy did. The ground is going to change dramatically according to the forecast, but I think he'll handle soft ground, as he is by Sinndar out of a Sadler's Wells mare, and he'll certainly get the trip. If we do get rain, that will matter."

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**R.C. DURR PASSES AWAY** Owner/breeder R.C. Durr, long an esteemed member of the Northern Kentucky Thoroughbred community, passed away Monday, May 21, just a week after his 88th birthday. The owner of Richwood Manor in Boone County, Durr sold



R.C. Durr *Cincinnati Enquirer*

Richwood Farm to friend and business partner George Budig in the 1990s. He also held a share in Fayette Farm in Lexington with Budig, and Doug and Kerry Cauthen. Among the stakes winners that Durr bred and/or raced were Bluffing Girl, Dim Lights, Prince Wild and Savedbythelight. He

also bred and sold Your Tent or Mine, winner of the Gill Hollywood Prevue S. and runner-up in the GI Hollywood Futurity. A native of Attwood, Kentucky, Durr was given \$500 by an aunt after graduating from high school, but instead used the money to buy a car and went right to work. He operated a construction company that built many of Kentucky's interstate roadways, and also was involved in land development and banking. He served on the Kentucky Racing Commission for 12 years, and was a strong supporter of the Kentucky Equine Education Project. In addition to his many anonymous acts of charity, he was also the founder of the R.C. Durr Foundation, which supplies grants for social services, scholarships and YMCA programs, and was one of Kentucky's top 50 in terms of total giving in a 2000 study. Durr, whose first wife, Katherine, died in 1992, is survived by his second wife, Deborah Jo, whom he wed in 2002.

**NORTHERN AFLEET SHUTTTLING TO BRAZIL'S**

**TNT** Taylor Made Farm has announced that **Northern Afleet** (Afleet--Nuryette, by Nureyev), sire of champion Afleet Alex, will stand the 2007 Southern Hemisphere breeding season at Stud TNT in Brazil, according to a press release. The 14-year-old stallion, who is currently covering mares for a \$15,000 stud fee, stands in Kentucky as part of a Taylor Made/WinStar partnership. His shuttle season is part of a joint venture between Stud TNT, Haras Santa Maria de Araras and Haras Old Friends. "I am very excited about having a horse the quality of Northern Afleet to stand in Brazil," said Goncalo Torrealba of Stud TNT. "He will cover the best mares that the joint venture owns and will be very popular here in Brazil. Like other stallions that have stood at Stud TNT, the best of his runners here we will bring back up to North America to race." Graded-stakes placed at two and Grade I-placed at three, the bay captured three graded stakes as a four-year-old in 1997. He retired to stud in Florida and stood there from 1999 through 2004, but then moved to Kentucky following a promising start to his breeding career. In addition to Afleet Alex, Northern Afleet has been represented by graded winners Saint Afleet and G P Fleet from six crops to race. "Goncalo, Mr Bozano and Old Friends have a wonderful breeding program in Brazil and we are very excited that Northern Afleet will have the opportunity to serve some outstanding mares in that country," said Taylor Made Stallions' Ben Taylor. "Following the success of Afleet Alex, G P Fleet and Saint Afleet, we are looking forward to his first Kentucky crop hitting the sales rings around North America this year. The best is yet to come."

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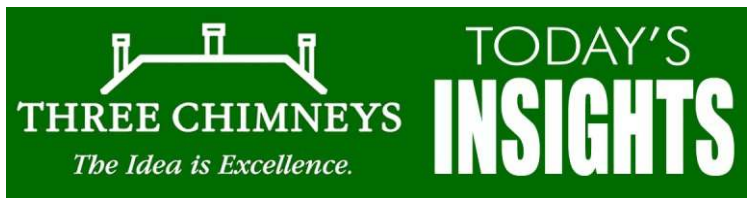


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**FINAL BLOWS FOR U.S. HORSE SLAUGHTER?**

America's three horse slaughter plants appear likely to remain closed after the industry was dealt a series of fatal setbacks this week. The United States Supreme Court denied the slaughter industry's final appeal of a federal appeals' court ruling upholding a Texas ban on the sale of horsemeat for human consumption, according to a press release issued by The Humane Society of the United States. The plants had argued the Texas law at issue was somehow unconstitutional or preempted by federal law, arguments that failed to sway the Fifth Circuit in its January opinion. The Supreme Court's denial of the plants' petition renders the Fifth Circuit's decision final. "This is the end of the line for the horse slaughter industry in Texas," said Michael Markarian, executive vice president for the HSUS. The only other plant in the U.S. which still slaughtered horses was the Cavel International plant in DeKalb, Illinois. Friday, Governor Rod Blagojevich, signed legislation banning the slaughter of horses in Illinois for human consumption, according to the *Associated Press*. "It's past time to stop slaughtering horses in Illinois and sending their meat overseas," Blagojevich told the *AP*. "I'm proud to sign this law that finally puts an end to this practice." Chris Heyde, deputy legislative director for the Society for Animal Protective Legislation, told the *AP*, "Hereafter, may we only hear of horse slaughter recounted in history books as a sign of how we have progressed in our treatment of these majestic animals."

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- 1:32p TVG **2nd-BEL, \$44K, Msw, 3yo/up, 1m**  
**PERUSAL (Dynaformer)** didn't do much running in his Mar. 3 bow at Gulfstream, but made amends in his latest, finishing a wide fourth over the Keeneland Polytrack Apr. 13. The Janney homebred is out of a half-sister to MGISW Coronado's Quest. **Impossible (Tiznow)**, a son of MGISW Critical Eye, was vanned off from his Apr. 21 debut, but came back two weeks later to finish third in a local maiden May 5. [brisnet.com pps](http://brisnet.com pps)
  
- 4:12p TVG **7th-BEL, \$45K, Alw (N1X), 3yo/up, 7f**  
 Juddmonte Farm's **FIRST DEFENCE (Unbridled's Song)** graduated by 8 1/4 lengths over this main track Oct. 13, but was last seen finishing second to subsequent GISP Zanjero in a two-turn Churchill allowance Nov. 2. The son of GISW Honest Lady faces New York-bred **Grand Refer (Grand Slam)**, winner of three straight who tries open company for the first time. [brisnet.com pps](http://brisnet.com pps)
  
- 5:23p TVG **10th-MTH, \$60K Elkwood S., 3yo/up, 1mT**  
 Monmouth hosts its first turf racing of the meet, highlighted by this competitive heat. **HOST (CHI) (Hussonet)**, a Grade I winner at this trip, makes a fairly quick return off a 12th in the G1 Dubai Sheema Classic. He likely found the 12-furlong distance of that affair too long and will appreciate the cutback. **Park Avenue Ball (Citidancer)** tries the turf for the first time.

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Yesterday's Results:

**CARESS S.**, \$68,650, BEL, 5-25, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:08, fm.

1--**#BRUSHED BAYOU**, 116, f, 4, Broad Brush--Omi (GSW, \$319,718), by Wild Again. (\$400,000 yrl '04 FTSAUG). O-Rayzin the Bar Stables; B-Donald R Dizney (FL); T-Christophe Clement; J-Javier Castellano; \$41,190. Lifetime Record: 14-4-4-2, \$182,709.

2--**Queen Amira (GB)**, 116, f, 4, Forestry--Lady Gin, by Saint Ballado. (\$50,000 yrl '04 KEESEP; \$75,000 2yo 2005 OBSMAR). O-Zayat Stables LLC. \$13,730.

3--**Runaway Cat**, 116, f, 4, Forest Wildcat--Runaway Spy, by Mt. Livermore. (\$90,000 wlng '03 KEENOV). O-Luis De Hechavarria. \$6,865.

Margins: 1 1/4, NO, 1 1/4. Odds: 3.45, 7.90, 12.50.

Sixth in a one-mile event over the Gulfstream turf course Jan. 25, Brushed Bayou cut back to five-eighths and posted back-to-back successes in South Florida Feb. 11 and Mar. 26. Shipped to Tampa for the May 5 Lightning City S. over five grassy furlongs, she raced evenly while a non-factor fifth. Adding an extra panel for this, Brushed Bayou was well-placed as Runaway Cat cut out the early fractions. Steered off the rail into the stretch, she took aim on the pacesetter leaving the eighth pole and was going away late. Queen Amira outfinished Runaway Cat for second money while favored Lemon Drop Gal (Lemon Drop Kid) flattened out to be fourth after looming boldly into the lane. *TDN* Insights horse Mohegan Sky (Straight Man) was scratched. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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**8th-BEL (Caress S.)** Brushed Bayou (Broad Brush) registers her first stakes victory.

**5th-BEL (Alw \$46K)** Drama Lady (Tale of the Cat) prevails in a driving finish.

**2nd-WOX (Msw \$61K)** Serenading (A.P. Indy) storms home to lead an A.P. Indy exactor.

**6th-CDX (Msw, \$46K)** Slammingpartygirl (Grand Slam) slams the door on her rivals.

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**3rd-BEL, \$56,840, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$100,000), C, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 4/5, fm.

1--**SHAKIS (IRE)**, 120, h, 7, Machiavellian--Tawaaded (Ire), by Nashwan. O-Shadwell Stable; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited (IRE); T-Kiaran P McLaughlin. Lifetime Record: MGSP-Fr, GSP-UAE, 24-5-4-2, \$328,889.

2--**Interpatation**, 120, g, 5, Langfuhr--Idealistic Cause, by Habitony. (\$31,000 wlng '02 KEENOV).

3--**Minister's Joy**, 120, h, 5, Deputy Minister--Meghan's Joy, by A.P. Indy.

Margins: 3/4, NO, NO. Odds: 2.65, 4.80, 2.60.

Shakis took a Nad al Sheba handicap on the turf in March 2006, but was shelved 10 months following a 11th-place finish in the G1 Dubai World Cup. He resurfaced to be 10th in a Jan. 18 handicap, improved to fourth in a similar test Feb. 9 and was most recently a distant 10th in the G2 Jebel Hatta S. Mar. 1. The third betting choice sat a pocket trip as Classic Campaign (Rahy) set a pedestrian pace. Switched out for the drive, he displayed a quick turn of foot to inhale the frontrunner and held sway late.

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5th-BEL, \$46,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:42 4/5, ft.

**DRAMA LADY** (f, 3, [Tale of the Cat](#)--Gift of Dance, by **Tremolino**), a half-sister to Round Pond (Awesome Again), MGISW, \$1,998,700; and Tropical Wave (With Approval), SW-Jam, was second in her Mar. 11 bow at Gulfstream, but graduated by 1 1/2 lengths at that track Apr. 8. A stubborn third in her first local try going a flat mile May 4, she was the 7-2 second choice while adding a bit more ground. Sent up to dispute the early pace between rivals, Drama Lady made the lead nearing the quarter pole and stayed on dourly to score by a head from Pleasant Rhapsody (Pleasant Tap). The winner, a \$75,000 KEENOV weanling, blossomed into a \$250,000 KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$62,600. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Lee Lewis. B-Fox-Straus Lines LTD (KY). T-M Hennig.

**Saratoga Group Comes Out Against Franchise Split:**

The Concerned Citizens for Saratoga Racing, a group of businessmen, civic leaders and horsemen formed in 2005 in an effort to protect the future of Saratoga Race Course, Wednesday voiced its disapproval of a rumored plan to split the franchise that runs the three major racetracks in New York. Published reports have stated that Gov. Eliot Spitzer is considering a plan that would award the franchise to run Saratoga to the New York Racing Association, and give the franchise to run Belmont Park to a different entity. Under the proposal, Aqueduct would be sold, and Belmont would host both winter racing and video lottery terminals. "You will lose breeders, [you] lose horsemen when you have that competition," Joe Dalton, a member of the CCSR, told *Capital 9 News*. "Someone is running nine months, and someone is running three months. You don't have a job for someone." Explaining that he has yet to hear a convincing argument in favor of the plan, Assembly Minority Leader Jim Tedisco added, "It's not something I'm supporting right now, [but] I'd be willing to listen to conversations about that--how that plan would be workable, how it would protect the integrity of Saratoga. It doesn't look like it is going to balance out to that." Tedisco has the Saratoga Race Course in his district.

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NTRA REPORT FROM  
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**Immigration, Jockey Safety Top DC Agenda**

The Senate has begun debate on immigration, a process that is expected to continue for at least a week after the Memorial Day recess. A bipartisan group of Senators, including Jon Kyl (R-AZ), Edward Kennedy (D-MA), Arlen Specter (R-PA), Dianne Feinstein (D-CA), Lindsey Graham (R-SC), Mel Martinez (R-FL) and Ken Salazar (D-CO), is at work on the legislation. NTRA's lobbying team is meeting with key Members to discuss racing's concerns regarding backstretch and farm labor.

The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) held a public meeting on Safety and Health in the Horse Racing Industry and Best Practices on Tuesday, May 22. Officials from NTRA, the Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation, Del Mar, MEC and RMTC were among the presenters. NIOSH is expected to submit a briefing on the issues to Reps. Ed Whitfield (R-KY) and Bart Stupak (D-MI) sometime this summer.



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**Capital OTB Loses Rebate Approval:**

Capital District OTB Corp., which last year began offering a rebate program to its customers under provisional approval from the New York State Racing and Wagering Board, will suspend the program May 30, the *Daily Racing Form* reports. During a meeting Thursday, the NYSRWB declined to give permanent approval for the rebates, citing concerns including the possibility that more than one person could be betting through individual accounts. The board also noted that Capital OTB had failed to provide detailed quarterly financial statements on the program, and had not audited the program since it was instituted. But Capital OTB will have the opportunity to address the NYSRWB concerns and to reapply for approval in the future. "They have a chance to look into these findings and apply again, as long as a number of these problems are fixed," NYSRWB spokesman Dan Toomey told *DRF*.



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## ★ EAST ★

### Chelokee to Skip Belmont:

Barbaro S. winner **Chelokee** (Cherokee Run) returned to the track at Fair Hill Thursday, but trainer Michael Matz said yesterday the colt is unlikely for the June 9 GI Belmont S. "He looks good, but I don't think we're going to run," Matz said. "There's still a lot of racing to go this year and I want to try and keep this horse going the right way." It has not yet been decided where the Centennial Farm colorbearer will go next.

## ★ CENTRAL ★

### Graham Wins Six at Arlington:

Jockey James Graham picked up six winners on Thursday's 10-race card at Arlington Park. The 28-year-old Irishman has been a regular on the Arlington circuit since he began riding in 2003. "I thought they all had a shot, but that I needed one or two to step up and surprise me to have a day like this," said Graham, who now has 12 winners at the meet. He is second in the standings behind four-time Arlington champ Rene Douglas, who had 16 winners through Thursday.

### Prom Shoes to Await Northern Dancer:

Trainer William Fires said Thursday that **Prom Shoes** (Include), beaten a nose in last Sunday's GII Peter Pan S., will not return to New York for the June 9 GI Belmont S., and will instead be pointed for the June 16 GIII Northern Dancer BC S. at Churchill Downs. Jockey Edgar Prado will have the mount. "He's gotten better every time we've sent him out," Fires said. "I started messing with him as a two-year-old and he just never trained any good. I sent him back home for a while, brought him back and then turned him back out. That was the best move I made, because he came back a different horse." Also possible for the Northern Dancer is **Sahara Heat** (A.P. Indy), winner of the May 19 GIII Marine S. at Woodbine.

### Houghton Files Lawsuit Against Arlington Park:

According to published reports, jockey Terry Houghton, banned from riding at the current Arlington Park meeting, has filed a lawsuit claiming that the track has violated his rights, damaged his reputation and caused him to lose income. The suit was filed Friday in the Circuit Court of Cook County in Illinois. Houghton is one of 10 riders linked to an ongoing investigation by the Thoroughbred Racing Protective Bureau into alleged suspicious betting patterns. While some tracks have opted to ban the jockeys involved, others have not, and Houghton is currently riding at Indiana Downs, where, through Thursday, he had won with 12 of his 100 mounts. The Illinois Racing Board is scheduled to hear the case at its June 14 meeting.

### Churchill to Offer Racing Camps for Kids:

Churchill Downs will offer racing camps for children ages 5 through 12 during the month of June. The two-day camps will be held on Mondays and Tuesdays, June 4-5, 11-12, 18-19 and 25-26, and will give the kids the chance to go behind the scenes to see the care and training of the Thoroughbreds. The sessions, including breakfast and lunch, will run from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m., and the fee will be \$150 per child. For more information, contact Lee Ann Shellman at (502) 636-4447 or via e-mail at [leeann.shellman@kyderby.com](mailto:leeann.shellman@kyderby.com).

### Yesterday's Results:

**9th-CDX, \$46,585, Alw, Opt. Clm.** (\$80,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 3/5, fm.

- 1--**FLOW CHART** (UAE), 120, f, 4, **Jade Robbery--Kartajana** (Ire) (Hwt Older Mare-Fr at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Fr & Ger, MGSW & G1SP-GB, MGISP-US, \$527,168), by **Shernazar** (Ire). (€420,000 HRA 2006 DEADEC). O-Dream With Me Stable, Inc; B-Darley (UAE); T-Patrick L Biancone. Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 10-4-2-1, \$99,143.
- 2--**Praia Da Pipa**, 120, m, 5, Dynaformer--Wise Bride, by Blushing Groom (Fr).
- 3--**Almonsoon**, 120, f, 4, Giant's Causeway--Garimpeiro, by Mr. Prospector.
- Margins: 2HF, 1HF, NK. Odds: 3.60, 9.50, 0.60.

Flow Chart was runner-up in a Listed event at Lion d'Angers in France last August, but failed to hit the board in that company in her next three starts and was shipped to the U.S. She made her stateside debut after a 6 1/2-month absence, taking an allowance test on the Keeneland all-weather Apr. 22, and was off at 7-2 to repeat on the Churchill lawn. The chestnut rated in behind the leader early and was forced to check when lacking room on the turn. She shot through when pacesetter Praia Da Pipa came off the rail in the stretch and opened up for a handy score. Lemons Forever (Lemon Drop Kid), making her turf bow, had a wide trip and never threatened, finishing fifth.

**6th-CDX, \$46,280, Msw, 3/up, f/m, 1m, 1:35 2/5, ft. SLAMMINGPARTYGIRL** (f, 3, **Grand Slam--I'm in Celebration**, by Copelan) showed ample promise with a runner-up finish to subsequent GSW Silverinyourpocket at Gulfstream Feb. 4, but she faltered to be sixth at odds-on in a Mar. 11 maiden in Hallandale. The dark bay improved to be fourth going three-quarters of a mile over this dirt Apr. 29 and was a 3-1 chance on the stretchout to a mile. With the pace three wide, the \$370,000 FTSAUG yearling geared it up at the quarter pole and sprinted clear to score by eight easy lengths. Favored Ms. Sabbatical (Malibu Moon) was second. The winner is a half to Nice to Know (Known Fact), SW & GSP, \$421,656; and to Cheers and Tears (Bold Ruckus), SW & GSP, \$170,184. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-1, \$44,698. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Eldon Farm Equine LLC & John K Luke. B-Miller Thoroughbred Farm (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.



Central Report cont.

**2nd-LAD, \$26,450, Msw, 2yo, f, a5fT, :58 3/5, fm.**  
 + **GONE DIXIE (f, 2, Macabe--Raise a Rascaly, by Raise a Rascal)** was sent off the 5-2 favorite at first asking and did not disappoint. Just off the early pace, the bay came out for the drive and outfinished My Girl Bess (More Than Ready) for a 1 3/4-length victory. The \$19,500 TEXAUG yearling is the first winner for her freshman sire (by Gone West--Laguna Seca). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,000.  
 O-Dan W White. B-David Thompson & Mark Toothaker (AR). T-Morris G Nicks.

★ CANADA ★

Yesterday's Results:

**4th-WOX, \$64,810, Alw, NW1LX, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 2/5, fm.**

**RED BIRKIN (f, 3, Belong to Me--Kelly Bag {MSP}, by Devil's Bag)**, in the frame in each of her previous three turf tries, graduated in her turf bow at Gulfstream Feb. 19 and followed with a runner-up effort in Hallandale allowance company Mar. 29. The homebred got tested for class in the Apr. 22 Appalachian S. over the Keeneland turf and acquitted herself well, finishing third by a half-length. Sent off at 3-5, the chestnut was held up off the strong early tempo, closed four wide on the turn and was along late to best Storm Royale (Storm Cat) by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-1-1, \$86,944.

O/B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras SA (FL). T-R Attfield.

**7th-WOX, \$63,428, Alw, Opt. Clm.**

(\$62,500-\$60,000), NW2LX, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:24 2/5, ft.  
**SAIL FROM SEATTLE (c, 4, Gone West--Seattle Classic, by Seattle Slew)**, second in his career debut at this track in June 2005, went missing for 22 months thereafter, returning to take a Fair Ground turf sprint maiden Mar. 23. The dark bay, a half-brother to Hello Seattle (Deputy Minister), Ch. 2yo Filly-Can, GISW, \$149,699, made it two straight with a half-length score over the Keeneland Polytrack Apr. 20 and was the 2-1 chalk to make it three on the bounce. Heads apart for the early lead here, the homebred assumed command on the turn and went on to take it by 2 1/4 lengths. Lake Secret (Greenwood Lake) was best of the rest. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$110,637.

O-Sam-Son Farms. B-Sam-Son Farm (ON). T-M Frostad.

**2nd-WOX, \$61,583, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48, ft.**

**SERENADING (f, 3, A.P. Indy--Daijin {MSW & GISP, \$164,044}, by Deputy Minister)**, a full sister to Hand-painted, MSW & GISP, \$435,406, had a pair of runner-up efforts under her belt, in a six-furlong maiden at the Fair Grounds Mar. 11 and in a similar event over 6 1/2 panels of this Polytrack Apr. 6. Trying two turns for the first time, the homebred filly caboosed the field for the opening half-mile and began picking off horses one-by-one entering the far turn. She struck the front in upper stretch and scooted home a 7 3/4-length winner. Dance With Doves closed late to made round out an A.P. Indy exactor. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$56,033.

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O-John & Glen Sikura. B-Hill 'n' Dale Farm & NETP (KY). T-Josie Carroll.

**5th-WOX, \$31,622, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 4/5, ft.**

**HOLY ROSE (f, 4, Touch Gold--Holy Blitz {SW}, by Holy Bull)** attended the pace in her lone previous race-track appearance, a Nov. 19 maiden at this venue, but weakened to be fourth. Dismissed at 11-1 for this comebacker, the Stronach colorbearer raced four wide on the turn, assumed control in upper stretch and edged away late to take it by two lengths. Silver Pizzazz (Our Emblem) was second best. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$20,121.

O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Sean Smullen.

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 4:50 p.m. PDT

**ALYDAR S., \$75,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m**

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Leesider	Bertrando	Gallagher	119
2	Tap It Light	General Meeting	O'Neill	119
3	Mostacolli Mort	Hold for Gold	J Canani	117
4	Awesome Gambler	Coronado's Quest	Dominguez	117
5	Pirates Deputy	Betrando	Baffert	119
6	Freesgood	Free House	Currin	119
7	Level Red	Aptitude	Hofmans	119
8	Cobalt Blue	Golden Missile	O'Neill	123

**Cobalt Blue** won three of his first four starts, including a front-running score in the Mar. 17 GII San Felipe S. He faltered to be seventh as the even-money chalk in the Apr. 7 GII Illinois Derby, however, and was taken off the Triple Crown trail. The chestnut colt adds blinkers in his first start since his Hawthorne sojourn, and prepped with a bullet six panels in 1:12 4/5 at Hollywood May 17.

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**Career Victory**  
**#2,500**

Who: Jockey Eusebio Razo Jr.  
 When: Friday, May 25  
 Where: 1st race, Arlington Park  
 With: Pocket Bandit (Time Bandit)

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**So. Cal Report cont.**

**Lava Man Tunes Up for Return:**

MGISW **Lava Man** (Slew City Slew) breezed five furlongs in 1:00.60 under exercise rider Tony Romero yesterday at Hollywood Park. It was the six-year-old's second workout since his last-place finish in the Mar. 31 G1 Dubai Duty Free H. "He worked fantastic," trainer Doug O'Neill said. "He galloped out in 1:12. Tony was really happy--everybody was happy." As for where the Cal-bred will make his return, O'Neill said, "If all goes well, Lava Man will work again next Friday, and then we'll decide whether to go in the [June 9 G1 Charles Whittingham Memorial H at Hollywood]." Lava Man will then go after his third straight victory in the G1 Hollywood Gold Cup, set for June 30.

**Cal-bred to Race for Charity:**

**Oldtophatandtails** (Old Topper) will be racing for the charity For The Children when he makes his debut at Hollywood Park next month. Former jockey Donald Stover purchased Oldtophatandtails privately as a yearling, then donated the Cal-bred to For The Children, an organization founded in 2005 that unites children in foster homes with their birth families. The faith-based charity also provides single mothers with housing, training and other services needed to recover their children from the foster-care system. Stover, 52, once worked for New Life Beginnings, For The Children's sister charity, and he will manage the colt's career. Paula Capestro, who has trained the three-year-old for nearly two years, as well as vets, blacksmiths and horse transportation companies have also donated their services for free. "I was a little surprised that so many people helped," Capestro said. "But that's one of the things we need to do more in racing, reach out to help charities." Oldtophatandtails's earnings will be used purchase a resident facility. He is expected to make his first start June 2.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

**IN AUSTRALIA:**

**Blue Grouse**, f, 4, **Maria's Mon**--Enrich (GSP-Ire), by Dynaformer. Ballarat (Victoria), 5-23, Hcp, 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT. B-Darley.

**IN BRITAIN:**

**Camps Bay**, c, 3, **Cozzene**--Seewillo (GSW, \$129,730), by Pleasant Colony. Salisbury, Britain, 5-24, Hcp, 3yo, 9f 198ydsT. B-Kidder, Cole, Marnakos, Graves & Beck. \*\$130,000 yrl '05 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Perfect Copy (Deputy Minister), GSP-US & SP-Fr, \$123,455.

**Scarlet Flyer**, g, 4, **Gilded Time**--Tennis Partner, by Northern Dancer. Goodwood, Britain, 5-25, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7fT. B-Gary & Mrs Middlebrook.

**Rayhani**, g, 4, **Theatrical (Ire)**--Bahr Alsalaam, by Riverman. Newmarket, Britain, 7-25, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-Darley.

**Newtonian**, g, 8, **Distant View**--Polly Adler, by Housebuster. Southwell, Britain, 5-24, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT). B-Jonabell Farm Inc, J Bell III & B Williams. \*\$160,000 yrl '00 KEESEP; 6,000gns HIT '02 TATAUT. \*\*1/2 to Yoursmineours (Belong to Me), MSW, \$143,290.

**IN IRELAND:**

**Arcadius**, c, 3, **Giant's Causeway**. See "Ireland."

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

ARLINGTON PARK

**Dreaming of Anna** (Rahy), 4f, :49.60, 14/32

BELMONT

**Sports Town** (Belong to Me), 3f, :37.02, 2/6

CALDER

**Imawildandcrazyguy** (Wild Event), 1m, 1:47.60, 1/2

HOLLYWOOD PARK

**A.P. Xcellent** (A.P. Indy), 7f, 1:30.40, 5/6

**After Market** (Storm Cat), 7f, 1:29.00, 4/6

**Boboman** (Kingmambo), 1m, 1:38.80, 1/1

**Designed For Luck** (Rahy), 6f, 1:18.00, 15/15

**Lava Man** (Slew City Slew), 5f, 1:00.60, 5/41

**Molengao (Brz)** (Royal Academy), 4f, :48.80, 11/34

**Your Tent Or Mine** (Forest Camp), 5f, 1:02.60, 25/41


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**Bushfire** (Louis Quatorze), 4f, :49.40, 18/21

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**First-crop starters to watch: Saturday, May 26**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2004 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW  
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**DESERT WARRIOR** (Deputy Minister), McMahon, \$3K, 45/0/0  
5-DEL, Msw, 4 1/2f, Gregg W., \$3K EAS SEP yrl, 4-1

**HOLD THAT TIGER** (Storm Cat), Ashford, \$15K, 147/0/0  
6-CD, Msw, 4 1/2f, Old Man Buck, \$13K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1  
6-CD, Msw, 4 1/2f, Seaside Storm, \$3K KEE SEP yrl, 20-1

**INDY KING** (A.P. Indy), Adena South, \$2K, 21/0/0  
2-DEL, Msw, 2f, Indy O., \$3K OBS WIN yrl, 3-1

**KAFWAIN** (Cherokee Run), Darley, \$10K, 95/0/0  
6-CD, Msw, 4 1/2f, Yonegwa, \$190K OBS MAR 2yo, 3-1

**LAKE WILLIAM** (Salt Lake), 40/1/0  
9-HOL, Msw, 5f, +Spontaneous Ana

**POSSE** (Silver Deputy), Vinery, \$10K, 74/0/0  
6-CD, Msw, 4 1/2f, Deputy Dance, 7-2

6-CD, Msw, 4 1/2f, Kodiak Kowboy, \$70K OBS AUG yrl, 9-2



**Rookies cont.**

**Second-crop starters to watch: Saturday, May 26**

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2003 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW  
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

- ARROMANCHES** (Relaunch), 17/0/0  
5-CRC, Msw, 5f, +Luxuaso
- CAT'S AT HOME** (Tabasco Cat), Windfields, \$7K, 92/7/1  
6-WO, Stk, 7f, River Barrow, 12-1
- CITY STREET** (Carson City), Bullard Farms, \$2K, 40/1/0  
3-LS, Msw, 6f, +City Girl Pearl, 6-1
- ERLTON** (Buckaroo), Red River, \$2K, 50/12/0  
3-EVD, Msw, 5f, +Cane River Belle, \$4K LTB AUG yrl, 10-1
- GRAEME HALL** (Dehere), Winding Oaks, \$8K, 115/28/2  
1-WO, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Summus, 10-1
- JOHANNESBURG** (Hennessy), Ashford, \$25K, 275/42/8  
6-CD, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Eaton's Gift, \$150K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1
- MAX'S PAL** (Marquetry), 86/17/0  
8-CT, Stk, 4 1/2f, Screamingtothemax, \$2K OBS AUG yrl, 10-1
- MILLENNIUM ALLSTAR** (Meadowlake), Road's End, 35/10/1  
5-WO, Msw, 6f, +Flashy Tattoo, 12-1
- MONSIEUR CAT** (Tabasco Cat), Rising Hill Farm, \$3K, 33/4/0  
5-CRC, Msw, 5f, +Kitty On the Keys
- OUTOFTHEBOX** (Montbrook), Ocala Stud Farm, \$8K, 149/20/0  
5-DEL, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Pro Box, \$5K OBS AUG yrl, 10-1
- POLISH MINER** (Danzig), Northview, \$4K, 70/6/0  
2-DEL, Msw, 2f, +Jab N Scoot, 8-1
- SILVADOR** (Silver Deputy), 6/1/0  
8-CT, Stk, 4 1/2f, Georgenator, 5-1
- WHAMBAM** (Lite the Fuse), Traders Rest Farm, \$1K, 6/0/0  
5-DED, Stk, , Pops Crimson Lady, 15-1
- WHEELAWAY** (Unbridled), 125/15/1  
4-BEL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Mr Bibbs



**Observations**  
on today's European  
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**1.45 Newmarket, Mdn, £7,000, 2yo, 6fT**  
**RIMROCK (IRE) (Royal Applause {GB})** makes a swift reappearance one week after finishing a first-up seventh in a hot conditions event over course and distance. The 120,000gns TATOCT yearling, a half-brother to last term's G1 Fillies' Mile victress Simply Perfect (GB), faces 18 rivals in a contest which has produced G1 1000 Guineas winner Cape Verdi (Ire). Notable opponents include Matthew Green's **Orientalist Art (GB) (Green Desert)**, a half-brother to GSW Always First (GB) who represents the in-form barn of Cape Verdi's trainer Peter Chapple-Hyam; and Liam Sheridan's **Generous Thought (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB})**, out of a half-sister to G1 Haydock Sprint Cup heroine Tante Rose (Ire) from the Paul Howling yard.

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## ★ BRITAIN ★

**Saturday, Newmarket, post time: 2:20 p.m.**

**FAIRWAY S.-Listed, £27,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	4	Hearthstead Maison (Ire)	Peintre Celebre	Johnston
2	5	Lucarno	Dynaformer	Gosden
3	2	Many Volumes	Chester House	Cecil
4	1	Monzante	Maria's Mon	Charlton
5	6	Mythical Kid	Lemon Drop Kid	bin Suroor
6	3	Supersonic Dave	Swain (Ire)	Meehan

All carry 126 pounds.

**Saturday, Newmarket, post time: 2:50 p.m.**

**KING CHARLES II S.-Listed, £27,000, 3yo, 7fT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	4	Mr Napper Tandy (GB)	Bahamian Bounty (GB)	Channon
2	6	Prince Forever (Ire)	Giant's Causeway	M Jarvis
3	2	St Philip	Dance Brightly	Beckett
4	5	Tariq (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	P Chapple-Hyam
5	3	Knapton Hill (GB)	Zamindar	Hollinshead
6	1	Mimisel (GB)	Selkirk	Guest

All carry 126 pounds bar Knapton Hill & Mimisel, 121.

**Saturday, Haydock, post time: 2:35 p.m.**

**SANDY LANE S.-Listed, £26,000, 3yo, 6fT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	5	Hoh Mike (Ire)	Intikhab	Bell	129
2	6	Prime Defender (GB)	Bertolini	B Hills	129
3	9	Aahayson (GB)	Noverre	Burke	126
4	1	Bazroy (Ire)	Soviet Star	Evans	126
5	7	City of Tribes (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Lyons	126
6	4	Invincible Force (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	Green	126
7	3	Northern Fling (GB)	Mujadil	Nicholls	126
8	2	Speed Dream (Ire)	Pivotal (GB)	Wachman	126
9	8	Apache Dream (Ire)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Meehan	121

**DETTORI INVOLVED IN SPILL**

Frankie Dettori narrowly avoided serious injury in a fall at Goodwood yesterday, which could have jeopardised his ride Saturday on G1 Epsom Derby favorite Authorized (Ire). Unseated from Fort Amhurst (Ire) in the three-year-old handicap on the card after his mount slipped on the first bend, the Italian stood himself down for the remainder of the card after partnering the maiden winner Jamboretta (Ire). "I have bruised my knee and my shoulder and they are very sore," Dettori told *PA Sport*. "I will see how I am feeling in the morning before deciding if I ride tomorrow."

**British Report cont. p9**



**British Report cont.**

**HANCOCK TO LEAVE HQ**

Newmarket's Managing Director Lisa Hancock has announced that she will step down at the close of the current season. Having occupied the post since October 2000, the former British Horseracing Board graduate has decided to spend more time with her family. "This has been an incredibly hard decision for me, because I love my job here at Newmarket and I have a fantastic team, but, quite simply, I want to spend more time with my family," she said. "I am really proud of the progress that we as a business have made over the last seven years and I shall miss my involvement and my superb team terribly, but I am also really looking forward to spending more time with my children as they grow up."

**Yesterday's Results:**

**FESTIVAL S.-Listed**, £26,000, Goodwood, 5-25, 4yo/up, 9f 192ydsT, 2:05.66, gd.

1--**#ILLUSTRIOUS BLUE (GB), 124, c, 4, Dansili (GB)--Gipsy Moth (GB) (SW-Ger), by Efisio (GB).**

(28,000gns yrl '04 TATOCT; 40,000gns HIT '05 TATAUT). O-Mr & Mrs I H Bendelow; B-B J & Mrs Crangle; T-William Knight; J-Paul Doe; £14,763. Lifetime Record: GSP-GB, 22-7-6-4, £144,146.

2--**Road to Love (Ire), 124, g, 4, Fruits of Love--Alpine Flair (Ire), by Tirol (Ire).** (€38,000 wnlg '03 GOFNOV; €70,000 yrl '04 GOFORB). £5,595.

3--**Imperial Star (Ire), 127, c, 4, Fantastic Light--Out West, by Gone West.** (220,000gns yrl '04 TATOCT). £2,800.

Margins: 3/4, HD, 6. Odds: 11-4, 11-2, 10-1.

Also Ran: Charlie Cool (GB), Into The Dark (GB), Hard Top (Ire), Championship Point (Ire).

Illustrious Blue, a course specialist here, confirmed his love of this unique terrain with his fifth win and a breakthrough at this level. Rising up the ranks with three handicap successes here last summer, the bay scored in a Dubai Carnival handicap Feb. 9 before filling third spot in the G3 Winter Derby on Lingfield's Polytrack Mar. 24. He put up a career best when fourth behind Manduro (Ger) in the G3 Earl of Sefton S. at Newmarket Apr. 19 before running into a peak-form Cesare (GB) when second in the Listed Paradise S. at Ascot on his latest outing May 2. Settled towards the rear off the generous early fractions carved out by Road to Love, he challenged wide to wrest the advantage from that rival passing the eighth pole and was game in the finish. "He's a well-balanced horse and the even gallop suited him," jockey Paul Doe explained. "He's just a great horse to be associated with and tries his heart out for you."

**Goodwood, 3.45, Hcp, £11,000, 3yo, 1 3/8mT, 2:26.22, gd.**

**RECORD BREAKER (IRE) (c, 3, In the Wings {GB}--Overruled {Ire}, by Last Tycoon {Ire})**, off the mark at Musselburgh Apr. 9, started as the 13-8 crowd's choice. The 3/4-brother to Vintage Tipple (Ire) (Entrepreneur), G1SW-Ire, \$312,528, soon led. Pressed late by Noticeable (Ire) (Night Shift), the €83,000 GOFNOV weanling and 110,000gns TATAPR two-year-old dug in to prevail by a head. The winner is also a half to Spettrio (Ire) (Spectrum {Ire}), G1SP-Ity. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, £10,519.

O-Leung Kai Fai & Vincent Leung; B-Sir E J Loder; T-Joe Fanning.

**Pontefract, 8.00, Hcp, £10,000, 3yo, 1m 4ydsT, 1:43.81, gd.**

**COLORADO RAPID (IRE) (c, 3, Baratheia {Ire}--Rafting {GB}, by Darshaan {GB})**, third in his handicap debut at Thirsk last time May 19, benefitted from different tactics this time to book a ticket to the June 21 Britannia H. at Royal Ascot. Reserved off the pace, but short of room when readied for his bid approaching the final furlong, the 11-10 favorite went through the gears once in the clear and quickened impressively to score by 2 1/2 lengths from Dream Lodge (Ire) (Grand Lodge). He was a 25,000gns TATOCT yearling and 40,000gns DONAPR juvenile. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, £11,642. O-Luke Lillingston; B-Mount Coote Stud & Mark Johnston; T-Mark Johnston.

**Pontefract, 7.30, Cond, £15,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:17.11, gd.**

**BURNWYND BOY (GB) (g, 2, Tobougg {Ire}--Cadeau Speciale {GB}, by Cadeaux Genereux {GB})**, a bargain 3,000gns TATOCT yearling, posted the upset when a first-up winner at Newcastle May 15 and repeated the dose in battling style here. Restrained in third off a smart break, the 7-2 chance challenged wide approaching the final eighth and was ridden out to deny Aaim to Storm (Storm Boot) by a head. Burnwynd Boy will now point to the June 19 G2 Coventry S. at Royal Ascot. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, £13,234.

O-Robert Reid; B-Mrs A F Tullie; T-Ian Semple.

**Newmarket, 2.55, Cond, £10,000, 3yo, 8fT, 1:39.45, gd/fm.**

**CHANTILLY TIFFANY (GB) (f, 3, Pivotal {GB}--Gaily Royal {Ire}, by Royal Academy)** took the Wood Ditton Conditions S. on debut here Apr. Apr. 19 before finishing fourth in the Listed Conqueror S. at Goodwood last time May 5. Always traveling easily in a close second, the 12-1 shot quickened clear after the quarter pole and had a 1 1/4-length buffer over Go On Be a Tiger (Machiavellian) at the line. "She didn't handle the track here and won well here," trainer Ed Dunlop commented. "The Wood Ditton hasn't thrown up winners, so we were a bit dubious, but she was impressive today and she could go for the Listed Sandringham H. [at Royal Ascot June 20]." Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, £14,350. O/B-Ballygallon Stud Ltd; T-Ed Dunlop.



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**Newmarket, 5.15, Mdn, £8,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:07.65, gd/fm.**

**TRANQUIL TIGER (GB) (c, 3, [Selkirk](#)--Serene View {MSP-Fr}, by Distant View)** was green when second at Windsor Apr. 23 and punters believed the homebred would know better this time, sending him off the even-money favorite. Always prominent, the chestnut tackled Purple Emperor (Red Ransom) entering the dip and was in front coming out of it before asserting to win by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £6,144. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd; T-H Cecil.

**Newmarket, 2.20, Mdn, £7,000, 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:13.74, gd/fm.**

**LIBERTY BELLE (IRE) (f, 2, [Statue of Liberty](#)--Enaya {GB}, by Caerleon)**, a creditable fifth on debut in York's Listed Marygate S. a week ago, started as the 5-2 favorite here. Keen early, the €48,000 GOFNOV weanling and €26,000 TATIRE yearling settled under cover off the pace set by Pixie's Blue (Ire) (Hawk Wing), angled off the rail and collared that rival in the final stride for a short-head success. The half-sister to Jila (Ire) (Kris {GB}), SW-US & SP-GB, \$156,931, is the fifth winner for her freshman sire (by Storm Cat). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £4,533. O-Heading for the Rocks Partnership; B-Dr Dean Harron; T-John Best.

**Haydock Park, 3.55, Mdn, £5,000, 3yo/up, 1m 30ydsT, 1:45.21, gd/fm.**

**FIFTY CENTS (GB) (c, 3, [Diesis](#) {GB}--Solaia {SW & GSP-GB}, by Miswaki)**, a half-brother to Olaya (Theatrical {Ire}), GSW-US & SW-Fr, \$300,405, was runner-up on his sole start at Newbury in September. Held up behind the early leaders, the 120,000gns TATOCT yearling grabbed the lead approaching the furlong marker and was driven out to best African Pursuits (Johannesburg) by a half-length as the red-hot 4-11 pick. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £4,972. O-Mountgrange Stud; B-Belgrave B'stock; T-R Charlton.

**Goodwood, 4.20, Mdn, £5,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:57.99, gd.**

**JAMBORETTA (IRE) (f, 3, [Danehill](#)--Jiving {GB}, by Generous {Ire})**, third on her racecourse bow at Nottingham May 2, started as the 5-6 favorite this time. Always prominent, the 575,000gns TATOCT yearling was committed on the front end before half-way and only needed to be kept up to her work to record a 3/4-length success from Zifaaf (Silver Hawk). The winner, a half-sister to Excusez Moi (Fusaichi Pegasus), GSP-GB, \$182,257, was produced by a daughter of Kerali (GB) (High Line {GB}), whose other foals include star broodmare Hasili (Ire) (Kahyasi {Ire}) and Dissemble (GB) (Ahonoora {GB}), the dam of champion Leroidesanimaux (Brz) (Candy Stripes). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £3,623. O-Cheveley Park Stud; B-Castleton Grp; T-Sir M Stoute.

**Goodwood, 5.25, Mdn, £4,500, 2yo, 6fT, 1:12.59, gd. + LINDORO (GB) (c, 2, [Marju](#) {Ire}--Floppie {Fr}, by Law Society)**, sent off at 5-1, was rushed along to keep tabs on the fast early tempo and responded by working his way into mid-division by halfway. Traveling strongly on the approach to the final furlong, the bay struck the front with 150 yards remaining before registering a 1 1/4-length success from King's Icon (Ire) (King's Best). The winner, a 60,000gns TATDEC weanling and 72,000gns TATOCT yearling, is a half-brother to Ringmoor Down (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), Hwt. Older Mare-Ire at 5-7f, GSW-GB & Ire, \$278,676; and Still Going On (GB) (Prince Sabo {GB}), GSP-Ire. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £2,914. O-Mrs P Harris; B-Pigeon House Stud; T-W Swinburn.

**Haydock Park, 5.40, Mdn, £4,350, 3yo/up, 11f 200ydsT, 2:30.14, gd/fm.**

**LION SANDS (GB) (c, 3, [Montjeu](#) {Ire}--Puce {GB} {SW & GSP-GB, SP-Ity, \$119,298}, by Darshaan {GB})** shaped with promise when third in a Newmarket maiden on debut in August, but disappointed when fourth at Yarmouth the next month and was shelved. Starting at 4-1 in this return, the 3/4-brother to Pongee (GB) (Barathea {Ire}), GSW & G1SP-GB, \$297,802, traveled sweetly in fourth until making his move in the stretch. Taking command passing the three-furlong marker, the 300,000gns TATOCT yearling maintained a relentless gallop to record a comfortable 3 1/2-length success from Samuel (GB) (Sakhee). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, £3,875. O-Stronach Stables; B-Fittocks Stud; T-Luca Cumani.

**Thursday Night's Results:**

**Salisbury, 8.10, Mdn, £7,500, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:15.42, gd/fm.**

**CARTIMANDUA (GB) (f, 3, [Medicean](#) {GB}--Agrippina {GB} {SW-GB}, by Timeless Times)**, far from disgraced when midway down the field in the G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket May 6, started as the 1-4 pick in this marked class drop. Always at the head of affairs, the homebred was not asked a serious question against overmatched rivals en route to recording a six-length success. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, £7,169. O/B-Fiona Williams; T-Ed McMahon.

★ IRELAND ★

**Saturday, Curragh, post time: 2:40 p.m.**

**ISABEL MORRIS EBF S.-Listed, €58,000, 2yo, 5fT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	1	Achilles of Troy (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	A O'Brien	127
2	2	Another Express (Ire)	Choisir (Aus)	Stack	127
3	7	Barraland (GB)	Compton Place (GB)	Channon	127
4	5	Pencil Hill (Ire)	Acclamation (GB)	T Collins	127
5	4	Inzone (Ire)	Fayruz (GB)	Condon	124
6	3	Tuscan Evening (Ire)	Oasis Dream (GB)	J J Murphy	124
7	6	You'resothrilling	Storm Cat	A O'Brien	124



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**Yesterday's Results:**

**Tipperary, 5.25, Mdn, €17,000, 2yo, 7f 100ydsT, 1:41.70, gd/fm.**

+ **REINE DE COEUR (IRE) (f, 2, Montjeu {Ire}--Tip Tap Toe, by Pleasant Tap)**, sluggish from the gate, raced in sixth for much off this affair. Angled off the rail inside the quarter-mile pole, the 7-1 chance swooped for the lead at the distance and coasted to the line for an easy 1 1/2-length success from Blood Diamond (Ire) (Mujadil). The winner's second dam is a full sister to 1984 G1 Epsom Derby hero Secreto. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €11,747.  
O-R Grehan; B-Richard Frayne; T-David Marnane.

**Tipperary, 5.55, Mdn, €17,000, 3yo/up, 7f 100ydsT, 1:40.40, gd/fm.**

**ARCADIUS (c, 3, Giant's Causeway--Unify {GSP}, by Farma Way)** was let go at 5-1 coming back from a debut seventh at Navan Apr. 29. Taking the lead after the initial strides here, the \$500,000 KEESEP yearling maintained control throughout and kept on with stretch-long coaxing to best Sinntaran (Ire) (Machiavelian) by a comfortable three lengths. The bay colt was produced by a half-sister to GSWs Della Francesca (Danzig), Bernstein (Storm Cat), Country Cat (Storm Cat) and Caress (Storm Cat). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €8,983.

O-Michael Tabor, Susan Magnier & Derrick Smith; B-Jayeff "B" Stables; T-Aidan O'Brien.

**Yesterday's Results:**

**Compiègne, 2.20, Mdn, €21,000, unraced 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:38.06, gd/sf.**

+ **HANDO (GB) (c, 3, Hernando {Fr}--Featherquest {GB}, by Rainbow Quest)** broke well to lead after the opening exchanges. Pushed along with 450 meters remaining, the 153-10 chance kept on relentlessly under whipless encouragement in the closing stages to account for Blue Rockies (GB) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) by three lengths. The Wertheimer homebred was produced by a 3/4-sister to G1SW Groom Dancer (Blushing Groom {Fr}). Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €10,500.  
O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Freddy Head.

**Compiègne, 1.50, Mdn, €21,000, unraced 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:39.71, gd/sf.**

+ **CLODOVINA (IRE) (f, 3, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Clodora {Fr} {GSW-Fr, \$125,861}, by Linamix {Fr})**, a €60,000 GOFORB yearling, raced keenly in a handy second through the early stages. Joining the leader at the top of the straight, the 6-5 choice found an extra gear with 300 meters remaining and was pushed clear from there to defeat pacesetter Ama (Storm Cat--Miesque) by two lengths. The Aga Khan's colorbearer is a 3/4-sister to Clodovil (Ire) (Danehill), G1SW-Fr, \$322,824, winner of the 2003 G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains and a freshman sire this season. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €10,500.

O-H H The Aga Khan; B-SNC Lagardere Elevage & Elite Bloodstock; T-Andre Fabre.

## ★ FRANCE ★

**Saturday, Bordeaux, post time: 4:05 p.m.**

**151TH DERBY DU MIDI-CASINO BARRIERE DE BORDEAUX-Listed, €52,000, 3yo, 1 1/2mT**

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	5	Friston Forest (Ire)	Barathea (Ire)	Fabre
2	3	Shujoon (GB)	Sakhee	Fabre
3	8	Dona (GB)	Anabaa Blue (GB)	Manceau
4	7	Sire de Berce (Fr)	Priolo	Baillet
5	9	Ombrageux (Ire)	Anabaa	Pantall
6	2	Reve Celeste	With Approval	Pantall
7	6	Gat (Fr)	Nombre Premier (GB)	Dufreche
8	4	Navio (Fr)	Priolo	Rouget
9	1	Atilano (Ire)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Martin-Sanchez

All carry 123 pounds bar Friston Forest & Shujoon, 128.

**TDN Euro is:**

**England:** Sean Cronin (*CAFE Racing*)  
Tom Frary (*CAFE Racing*)

**France:** Claude Beniada

**Germany:** Christa Riebel

**Ireland:** Dave Keena

**Italy:** Giorgio Barsotti

## ★ ITALY ★

**Yesterday's Result:**

**Rome, 3.55, Cond, €22,500, 2yo, 5fT, :58.30, gd.**  
**CITY ROMA (IRE) (c, 2, Mount Abu {Ire}--Tarrifa {Ire}, by Mujtahid)**, second at this track May 13, was out sharply to claim the early lead in this third attempt to become the first winner for his freshman sire (by Foxhound). Under a tight hold throughout, the €6,500 TATIRE yearling was never troubled and cruised to the wire in hand to dismiss Mister Spirit (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) by an easy four lengths as the 1-2 pick. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, €18,785.

O-Leonardi Partners; B-Aidan Sexton; T-A Peraino.

## BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**9th-LAD, \$41,560, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23 2/5, ft.**

**CARL'S FROSTY GIRL (f, 4, Pulling Punches--Winning Lady {MSP, \$131,330}, by Boyish Charm)** Lifetime Record: SW, 16-5-4-2, \$236,853. O-S B Seelig. B-J M Simon (LA). T-P Mouton. \*\$23,500 2yo '05 LOUMAR.



**8th-PIM, \$33,320**, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft.  
**BROADWAY BABY (f, 3, Gilded Time--Talent, by Cryptoclearance)** Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-3, \$79,660. O-Winners Circle Partners III. B-William M Backer (KY). T-Scott A Lake.

**9th-CTX, \$28,000**, 5-24, NW1X, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:27, ft.  
**SECOND COMING (g, 4, Favorite Trick--Blue Rosette, by Chief Honcho)** Lifetime Record: 19-6-0-2, \$69,680. O-High Goal Racing Stable LLC. B-Mr & Mrs M L Wood (KY). T-Keisy Cartagena.

**8th-CTX, \$28,000**, 5-24, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 4 1/2f, :52 3/5, ft.  
**SEMINOLE GALE (m, 6, Storm Creek--Groovy Heart, by Groovy)** Lifetime Record: 33-9-6-3, \$112,022. O-Kenneth E Rexroth Jr. B-Gay G & Rory C Miller (FL). T-Samuel L Williams.

**8th-CRC, \$26,000**, NW1X, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:24 3/5, ft.  
**SOPHISTICATEDEVENT (f, 3, Wild Event--Sophisticatedblend, by Silver Buck)** Lifetime Record: MSP, 18-3-4-2, \$104,900. O-Jose Pinchin. B-Shade Tree Thoroughbreds Inc & Diane Dodge (FL). T-Jose Pinchin. \*\$10,000 yrl '05 OBSJAN.

**8th-SRP, \$25,100**, 5-24, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:40, ft.  
**HAPPY JACK (g, 3, General Gem--You Who, by You and I)** Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-0, \$49,459. O/B-Dennis & Norine Grenier (NM). T-Jackie Payton.

**6th-LSX, \$25,000**, 5-24, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41 3/5, sy.  
**REAL SOUP (f, 3, Commanchero--Soup Line, by Alphabet Soup)** Lifetime Record: SP, 7-2-1-3, \$51,997. O-Jerry Durant & Bill Jordan. B-Tom Durant (TX). T-Tommie T Morgan.

**3rd-FLX, \$22,100**, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.  
**POKER JOE (g, 5, Danzatable--Liz Ficken, by Gallant Prospector)** Lifetime Record: 34-5-3-6, \$105,829. O-Stop Twenty Stable. B-Mina Equivest Inc (NY). T-Ralph D'Alessandro. \*\$3,200 yrl '03 FTMSEP.

**9th-EVD, \$21,750**, 5-24, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:24 1/5, ft.  
**SWEET RETTA BROWN (f, 3, Mazel Trick--Pacific City, by Carson City)** Lifetime Record: 9-3-0-1, \$46,390. O-Allen Ray Landry. B-Brilliant Stables Inc, Morris Brothers & Elliott Walden (KY). T-Paul Duhon. \*\$3,000 yrl '05 FTKOCT; \$17,000 2yo '06 OBSAPR. \*\*1/2 to Spirited Maiden (Saint Ballado), MSP, \$152,952.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

+ **Honour Thy Lover**, c, 2, **Honour and Glory**--Wedding Day Lover, by Friendly Lover. EVD, 5-24, (S), 4 1/2f, :52 4/5. B-Louis Smith (LA).

**Temperamental Miss**, f, 3, **Capote's Prospect**--Temper Tam, by State Dinner. LAD, 5-25, 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5. B-Steve & Caroline Hicks (TX).

Prom Dance, f, 3, **Citidancer**--Varsity Gold (MSP), by Transworld. BEL, 5-25, (S), 1mT, 1:36. B-Monhill Farm & Country Life Farm (NY).

**Dressed to Win**, f, 3, **Exchange Rate**--Jacket Required, by Black Tie Affair (Ire). BEL, 5-25, (C), 1mT, 1:35. B-Padua Stables (FL). \*\$52,000 yrl '05 FTKJUL; \$60,000 2yo 2006 OBSMAR.

**Grease Monkey**, g, 3, **Go for Gin**--Spotted Feather, by Meadowlake. CDX, 5-25, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:03 4/5. B-Lucky Shamrock (KY). \*\$25,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

**Beaming Babe**, f, 3, **Iron Cat**--Moon Beaming, by Gray Sleppy. GGX, 5-25, 6f, 1:10 3/5. B-Edward Allred (CA).

**Static Revenge**, c, 3, **Orbit's Revenge**--Static Free, by Dr. Dalton. LSX, 5-24, (S), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Hal Collins (TX).

**Veva E**, f, 3, **Roundup**--Lemonade Party, by Lucky North. CTX, 5-24, 4 1/2f, :53 2/5. B-Garvis V Williamson (GA). \*1/2 to Miss Hamma (Roaring Camp), MSW, \$301,028.

**My Rooster**, g, 4, **Belong to Me**--Chilly Chick, by Raise a Native. FLX, 5-25, 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5. B-Hobeau Farm Ltd (FL). \*1/2 to Rotsaluck (Rajab), MGSW, \$522,152; and Chilly Rooster (Arch), GSW, \$357,226.

**Wandaslittleangel**, f, 4, **Count the Time**--Paradise Won, by Leo Castelli. LAD, 5-25, (S), a1mT, 1:40 3/5. B-Namon & Brenda Bizzell (LA).

**Rally Catcher**, f, 4, **Greenwood Lake**--Line Shot, by Caller I. D. APX, 5-25, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:19 3/5. B-Team Block (IL).

**Polar Front**, g, 4, **Polish Numbers**--Chilling Prospect (SW), by Allen's Prospect. PIM, 5-24, 5fT, :57. B-Longwood Stables (MD). \*\$48,000 yrl '04 FTMOCT.

**Smart Punches**, g, 4, **Pulling Punches**--Sum Smart Lady, by Summing. LAD, 5-25, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06. B-J Minos Simon (LA).

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## BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

### CONDITIONS RESULTS:

**FRANCE, Compiègne, 2.50**, 5-25, €26,000, 4-5yo, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:49.65, gd/sf.

**BIRD OF PARADISE (FR)** (m, 5, **Highest Honor {Fr}**--**Kaldance {Fr} {SW-Fr}**, by **Kaldoun {Fr}**) Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 20 starts, 6 wins, 10 places, €131,720. O-Jean Luck; B-Haras de la Barbottiere; T-Eric Libaud.

**IRELAND, Wexford, 7.40**, 5-25, €11,000, 4yo/up, 1 5/8mT, 2:41.10, gd.

**SOUVENANCE (GB)** (f, 4, **Hernando {Fr}**--**Summer Night {GB}**, by **Nashwan**) Lifetime Record: G1SP-Ity, GSP-Fr & Ger, SP-US, 12-3-2-4, €164,691. O/B-Kirsten Rausing; T-Sir Mark Prescott. \*Full sister to Songerie (GB), GSW-Fr & GSP-GB, \$109,664.

**ITALY, Rome, 2.40**, 5-25, €10,800, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:14.00, gd.

**MAC LEADER (IRE)** (h, 5, **Sagamix {Fr}**--**Tigava**, by **Machiavellian**) Lifetime Record: SP-Ity, 26-7-3-6, €88,978. O-Antonino Bosco; B-Pat Beirne; T-Gianluca Bietolini. \*€25,000 yrl '03 TATIRE.

**ITALY, Florence, 4.00**, 5-24, €9,000, 2yo, 6fT, time: n/a, gd.

**CIPRIANO IL GRANDE (ITY)** (c, 2, **Daggers Drawn--Dunbrody Duchess {Ire}**, by **Muhtarram**) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, €8,500. O-Antonino Rubera; B-Giuseppe Quintale; T-Antonio Failla.

### ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Captain Dunne (Ire)**, c, 2, **Captain Rio (GB)**--Queen Bodicea (Ire), by Revoque (Ire). Haydock Park, Britain, 5-25, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Ballybrennan Stud Ltd.

\*€29,000 wnlg '05 GOFNOV; 30,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT. \*\*3rd winner for freshman sire (by Pivotal {GB}).

**Little Big Boy (Ire)**, g, 2, **Danetime (Ire)**--Beverley Macca (GB), by Piccolo (GB). Haydock Park, Britain, 5-25, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Tally-Ho Stud. \*15,000gns yrl '06 DONSEP.

**Outside Edge (Ire)**, c, 2, **Danetime (Ire)**--Naraina (Ire), by Desert Story (Ire). Goodwood, Britain, 7-25, Mdn, 2yo, 6fT. B-Tally-Ho Stud. \*30,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

+ **Joha Fong (Fr)**, f, 2, **Dr Fong**--Joha (Fr) (SW-Fr, \$124,485), by Johann Quatz (Fr). Marseille-Borely, France, 5-23, Cond, 2yo, 5 1/2fT. B-Jean-Claude Seroul.

**Shutterfly (Ity)**, c, 2, **Medecis (GB)**--Tintara (Ire), by Caerleon. Siracusa, Italy, 5-24, Cond, 2yo, 6fT. B-Francesca Blasi. \*€10,000 yrl '06 ITYSEP.

**Zonta Zitkala (GB)**, f, 3, **Daylami (Ire)**--Sioux Chef (GB), by Be My Chief. Pontefract, Britain, 5-25, Mdn, 3yo, 6fT. B-Lady Jennifer Green.

**Aljorien (Fr)**, c, 3, **Majorien (GB)**--Grace Royale (Ire), by Marignan. Marseille-Borely, France, 5-23, Mdn, 3yo, 7f 165ydsT. B-Claude le Lay, Mme Marinette le Lay & Mlle Alexandra le Lay. \*1/2 to Take Grace (Fr) (Take Risks {Fr}), SW-Fr, \$149,821; and full to Major Grace (Fr), MSP-Fr.

**Consulate (Ire)**, c, 3, **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)**--Soha, by Dancing Brave. Wexford, Ireland, 5-25, Mdn, 3yo/up, c/g, 1 5/8mT. B-Churchtown House Stud. \*1/2 to Gold Academy (Ire) (Royal Academy), SW & MG1SP-GB, \$202,964.



## FOALING NEWS

**SILVERY TOPPING**, 21, Damascus--Silvery Honey, by Silver Series

Foal born May 9, a filly by Include. Will be bred back to Eavesdropper. Owned by Cypress Creek, LLC. Boarded at Golden Eagle Farm, Ky. Accomplishments: MSW of \$150,540.

**SUCCESSFUL DANCER**, 18, Fortunate Prospect--Sera-glio, by Wavering Monarch

Foal born May 9, a filly by Tiznow. Will be bred back to Malibu Moon. Owned by Dark Hollow Farm & George I E Harris. Boarded at Dark Hollow Farm, Md. Accomplishments: Dam of Successful Appeal (Valid Appeal), MGSW & GISP, \$654,681.

**I.B. FORTY**, 19, Debonair Roger--High Pheasant, by Ack Ack

Foal born May 12, a colt by Taste of Paradise. Will be bred back to Taste of Paradise. Owned by David Bloom. Boarded at Columbiana Farm. Accomplishments: MSW of \$158,675. Dam of Skukuza (Lord Avie), GSP, \$158,551; Arroz Con Leche (Run-away Groom), SW-PR.

**J J'S DREAM**, 14, Glitterman--Thwack, by Fight Over

Foal born May 13, a colt by Maria's Mon. Will be bred back to Stormy Atlantic. Owned by Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc. Boarded at Hill 'n' Dale Farms, Ky. Accomplishments: MGSW & GISP of \$1,022,216.

**MISS WINESHINE**, 10, Wolf Power (SAf)--Miss Missis-sippi, by Cormorant

Foal born May 14, a filly by Roman Ruler. Will be bred back to Roman Ruler. Owned by Michael Pegram. Boarded at Hill 'n' Dale Farms, Ky. Accomplishments: SW & GISP, \$189,080.