





RUMOR HAS IT IN THE LAS FLORES

Rumor (Indian Charlie) overtook a game Teddy's Promise (Salt Lake) in deep stretch to secure a half-length victory in Sunday's GIII Las Flores S. at Santa Anita. Sent off at 6-1, the bay mare settled into a



Rumor Benoit

stalking position along the rail as Shumoos (Distorted Humor) led the field through an opening quarter in :22.11. Teddy's Promise spurted to the lead leaving the backstretch, had a two-length advantage after a half in :44.64 and looked likely to give trainer Ron Ellis a birthday graded stakes victory. But Rumor was finding her best gear late and she surged to the lead in the dying strides, completing the 6 1/2 furlongs in 1:15.44. "She had a perfect trip," trainer Richard Mandella said of the winner. "I didn't really think we'd

beat Teddy's Promise, because she's such a good mare, but my mare ran her heart out today. She's not the best mare in the world, but she's not far off." *Cont. p3*

Sunday, Santa Anita Park LAS FLORES S.-GIII, \$100,250, SAX, 3-10, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:15 2/5, ft.

1--@RUMOR, 118, m, 5, by Indian Charlie
1st Dam: Mini Chat, by Deputy Minister
2nd Dam: Phone Chatter, by Phone Trick
3rd Dam: Passing My Way, by Pass the Glass
(\$440,000 yrl '09 KEESEP). O-Ramona Bass,
Claiborne Farm & Adele Dilschneider; B-Stonerside
Stable, Marula Park Stud & Dr & Mrs Walter Zent
(KY); T-Richard E Mandella; J-Mike E Smith. \$60,000.
Lifetime Record: 14-6-4-1, \$384,438. *1/2 to Dixie
Chatter (Dixie Union), GISW, \$464,606. Werk Nick
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- 2--**Teddy's Promise**, 123, m, 5, Salt Lake--Braids and Beads, by Capote. O/B-Ted & Judy Nichols (CA); T-Ronald W Ellis. \$20,000.
- 3--Shumoos, 118, f, 4, <u>Distorted Humor</u>--Wile Cat, by Storm Cat. (\$375,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Fawzi Abdulla Nass; B-Brushwood Stable (PA); T-Ben D A Cecil. \$12,000.

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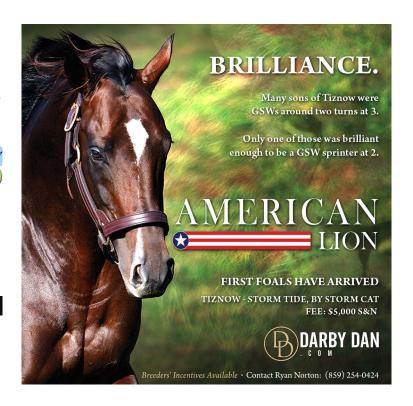
GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner Fort Larned (E Dubai), who fell out of the starting gate and lost jockey Brian Hernandez, Jr. in Saturday's GII Gulfstream Park H., appears to have escaped major injury in the mishap. "He's walking good this morning," trainer Ian Wilkes

reported yesterday. "We'll keep a close eye on him a couple more days to make sure nothing else comes up. Otherwise, he looked good this morning. He grabbed a quarter. It wasn't too bad. It could have been a lot worse." Despite the incident, Wilkes was feeling lucky. "How lucky do we get," he asked. "The horse fell on his head; he's lucky he didn't really hurt himself. He could have ripped



Fort Larned A Coglianese

his whole heel off or he could have broken his leg. The way he fell, his whole head hit the ground." Wilkes said he would continue to watch Fort Larned for the next few days before making a plan for a future race. Hernandez was uninjured in the incident and was back riding at Fair Grounds Sunday. "I'm fine today," said Hernandez. "I didn't get hurt at all. The only thing that was bruised was my pride. Now my only concern is for the horse. I hope he comes out of the race without any problems."



In This Issue

Action Heats Up at OBS

Steve Sherack is on the ground at OBS where he caught up with "the Sarge" Nick Hines. Hines sold Kentucky Derby contender Itsmyluckyday (Lawyer Ron) at last year's March sale and has high expectations for this year's auction which begins Tuesday in Ocala. Coverage begins page 3



Hip 333, a flashy gray colt by Smart Strike - Mini Sermon from the consignment of King's Equine, Agent II, worked a co-bullet :9 4/5 during Friday's OBSMAR breeze show

Sherackatthetrack

Golden Mystery set for return

During a tumultuous two days, Golden Mystery (Awesome Again) won the GIII Hurricane Bertie S. at Gulfstream before shipping to Kentucky where she sold for \$625,000 at the FTKFEB sale. She returns to the racetrack for new owner Regis Farms next Saturday.

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Stopping Traffic

Cross Traffic (Unbridled's Song) became the newest **Unbridled's Song** became the newest **Unbridled's Song** with a 7 1/2-length victory at Gulfstream Sunday.

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Rumor Has It (cont. from p1)

Rumor, a **O "TDN Rising Star" O**, was already a two-time stakes winner over this track and trip, but was seeking her first graded stakes tally. She won the L.A. Woman S. last October before concluding the 2012 season with a fifth-place effort behind champion Groupie Doll (Bowman's Band) in the Nov. 3 Gl Breeders' Cup F/M Sprint. In her 2013 debut, Rumor was seventh over the turf in the Feb. 10 Wishing Well S. "She never looked like she really extended herself down the hill," trainer Richard Mandella said of that most recent effort. "I don't think she liked it."

Mike Smith could tell Rumor was ready to give a better effort this time around. "Last time I rode her, she was just quiet, really, really quiet," Smith explained. "Today, I said, 'I really want to warm her up,' at least, at some point, get her into the race and see what would happen. When I did, she just locked on, and once she did that, I knew she was going to run, it was just a matter of being good enough. I'm not too sure Teddy's Promise ran her race today, but when I saw that she wasn't really 'kickin' on, I thought I had a shot to win it. Once I got her clear, she went on about her business. She went to the front a little sooner than you would want, but like I said, you never know with 'Teddy;' she might fire a big one on us. You got to get her when you can, and that's what we did. She kind of loafed a little at the end and she won well within herself."

As for where the 5-year-old mare might start next, Mandella said, "She runs well enough on synthetic. We might look at the [Apr. 13 Gl] Madison at Keeneland. If she had run poorly, she's done enough to be a broodmare, but the gals [owners Ramona Bass and Adele Dilschneider] have said, if she's doing well, we can keep her racing. We'll see how it goes, but obviously we're in pretty good shape right now."

Ron Ellis wasn't overly disappointed with the runner-up effort of favored Teddy's Promise. "[Victor Espinoza] had a lot of horse and kind of had to let her go," Ellis said. "She just got run down, but we were eight, 10 lengths in front of the rest of the field. Rumor ran a huge race today." As for what is next for the Gll Santa Monica winner, Ellis added, "I don't know. The [May 4 Gl] Humana Distaff [at Churchill Downs] was a consideration had she won this race easy, but we'll have to see what the owners want to do."



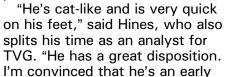
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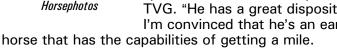
Walking Around Lucky...

After successfully pinhooking a pair of Lawyer Ron colts at the 2012 OBS March Juvenile Sale--including GI Kentucky Derby hopeful Itsmyluckyday--former-trainer-turned-bloodstock-agent Nick Hines marches

back to Ocala with another set of promising prospects on behalf of his growing list of clientele.

First up to bat for "the Sarge" is hip 135, a Horse Greeley half-brother to Strike the Bell (Mizzen Mast), GSW, \$301,112.
Consigned by Eisaman Equine, the \$95,000 KEESEP yearling breezed in :10 2/5, and galloped out in fractions of :11.57 and :12.67, per Hines.





horse that has the capabilities of getting a mile. Personally, I think he's a star."

Hines continued, "He got a little aggressive prior to his work. It's just one of those things. He did everything right up until that day, then he kind of goofed off a little bit and it may've cost him a 1/5 or 2/5 of a second. But he's a wonderful specimen, has a beautiful walk, and Barry Eisaman has done a wonderful job with him."

Hip 327, a Latent Heat colt out of the stakes-placed Fred Astaire mare Mesabu, sells during the second session. The dark bay, consigned by Paul Sharp, worked in :10 1/5 and was caught galloping out by Hines in splits of :11.07 and :12.86. He was acquired for \$37,000 at last year's KEESEP sale. *Cont. p4*



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"He's an albatross and makes it look easy," the 42year-old commented. "He's a two-turn colt with a nice turn of foot and he has a great mind. He reminds me a lot of Itsmyluckyday, but he's stretchier and has more scope. He's shown the proper development since the fall. Paul Sharp thinks he's just starting to come around now."

Hines added, "When he breezed Friday, he looked like an aircraft carrier. He's got a huge stride on him."



Hip 135 Sherackatthetrack

Itsmyluckyday, last seen dethroning champion juvenile Shanghai Bobby (Harlan's Holiday) in the GIII Holy Bull S. at Gulfstream Jan. 26 (video), brought \$110,000 from trainer Eddie Plesa at last year's OBSMAR sale. Hines plucked him out of the 2011 Keeneland September sale for \$47,000.

"Itsmyluckyday displayed something that you don't normally see with yearlings,"

the Las Vegas native explained. "When he came across, he looked like a horse that had an old soul and appeared to have the potential to be any kind. His walk and overall aptitude were beyond his years."

The GI Florida Derby-bound Itsmyluckyday has won five of nine career starts, including four stakes races, and has posted \$425,600 in earnings.

"He's definitely a throwback--he's not your 2000s type animal," Hines offered. "He's already run nine times, and he's done everything that Eddie Plesa felt he

could do and probably more. It's been a magical ride."

Will True Up, the other son of the ill-fated 2007 GI Whitney H. and GI Woodward S. hero, also proved popular in the **OBSMAR** ring for Hines and company last spring, attracting a \$165,000 bid from trainer/juvenile sales



Itsmyluckyday **Horsephotos**

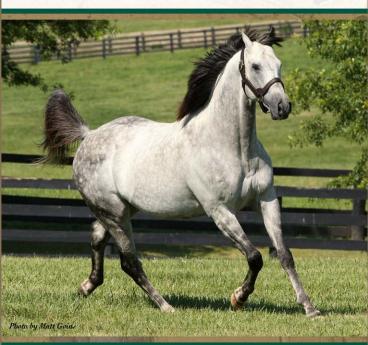
sharpshooter Peter Miller. The \$65,000 KEESEP yearling was recently a rallying second in the grassy Baffle S. going down the hill at Santa Anita Mar. 2.

"Prior to buying Itsmyluckyday and Will True Up on behalf of my clients, I probably only purchased three yearlings in my life," Hines revealed. "They are really the first two pinhooks that I ever got involved with."

Hines, a former racing manager for Michel Moreno's high-powered Southern Equine Stables, is quick to pay tribute to owner Mike Shustek for helping him launch his career as a bloodstock consultant.

"He was the first one who stepped up and said, 'I want you to find me a Derby horse,' and the first big horse that I bought for him [\$140,000 OBSJUN 2-yearold purchase Behindatthebar] became Derby eligible by winning the [GII] Lexington S. [at Keeneland]," Hines said. "I'll never forget him for that." Cont. p5





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ENCE BEAUTY (JPN), by Sunday Silence. Placed at 2 in Ireland. Dam of-TALE OF EKATI (c. by Tale of the Cat). Black-type winner, see record. Ya Gotta Have Soul (r. by Perfect Soul (IRE)). 2 wins at 4, placed at 6, 2012, \$102,650.

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2nd dam

MAPLEJINSKY, by Nijinsky II. 5 wins in 9 starts at 3, \$293,196, Alabama S. [G1], Monmouth Oaks [G1], 4th Gazelle H. [G1]. Half-sister to DAYJUR [G1] (Total: \$750,770, horse of the year in England, sire). Dam of-SKY BEAUTY (f. by Blushing Groom (FR)). 15 wins in 21 starts, 2 to 5, \$1,336,000, champion older mare, Filly Triple Crown, Coaching Club American Oaks [G1], Acorn S. [G1], etc. Dam of HURRICANE CAT (c. by Storm Cat, Total: \$73,640, Stan James Horris Hill S. [G3], etc., sire). Our Country Place. Unraced. Dam of 6 foals, 5 to race, 3 winners—PLEASANT HOME (f. by Seeking the Gold). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$1,378, 1070, Breeders' Cup Distaff [G1] (BEL, \$1,040,000), etc. Producer. COUNTRY HIDEAWAY (f. by Seeking the Gold). 10 wins to 5, \$762,568, First Flight H. [G2] twice, etc. Dam of BOCA GRANDE [G2] (f. by A.P. Indy, \$515,570), VACATION [G3] (c. by Dynaformer, Total: \$340,019). Mattlacha Pass. 2 wins, \$59,400. Dam of POINT OF ENTRY [G1] (c. by Dynaformer, to 4, 2012, \$1,294,490, set nor at Keeneland). PINE IS-LAND [G1] (f. by Arch, \$666,800), Chili Cat (f. by Storm Cat, \$96,361), Home Sweet Home. Dam of BIRDIE BIRDIE (c. by Brian's Time, 6 wins to 5, 2012, Total: \$2,685,730, in Japan, Unicorn S. [G3], etc.). K. G. Beauty. Unraced. Producer. Granddam of K.G. Fuji Kiseki (c. by Fuji II Kiseki, 4 wins, Total: \$715,291, in Japan, 3rd Wakaba S.). MILLION SELLER (f. by A.P. Indy). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$164,012, Rosenna S. (DEL, \$30,000).

RACE RECORD: At 2, two wins (Futurity S. [G2] (BEL, \$150,000)), once 2nd (Sanford S. [G2] (SAR, \$30,000)) in 4 starts; at 3, three wins (Wood Memorial S. [G1] (AQU, \$450,000), Hill 'n' Dale Cigar Mile H. [G1] (AQU, \$180,000), Jerome H. [G2] (BEL, \$95,700)); at 4, unplaced. Totals: 5 wins, once 2nd. Earned \$1,182,992.



Made a splash on the Derby trail, defeating champion War Pass in the Wood Memorial (G1).



Became a top miler, winning the Jerome H. (G2) before defeating older horses in the Cigar Mile (G1).



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In addition to selling, Hines is also keeping his eyes open for potential acquisitions. He's had some good luck at this sale before, advising on the purchase of subsequent 2011 GIII Hollywood Juvenile Championship S. hero and GI Dixiana Breeders' Futurity runner-up Majestic City (City Zip) (\$180,000 2yo '11 OBSMAR). Hines also bought last month's GIII El Camino Real Derby hero Dice Flavor (Scat Daddy) privately off Eddie Woods during last year's OBS April Sale before pinhooking him through the Stephens Thoroughbreds consignment for \$100,000 at BESMAY.

"We're scouting--I've got various clients and I'm just trying to build my business," Hines concluded. "It's a work in progress. It really comes down to the opportunity of a client having faith in you, and in that regard in a short amount of time, I've been quite blessed." -Steve Sherack

(obs **OBS MARCH** Selected Sale of Two-Year-Olds

2012 LEADING CONSIGNORS	HEAD	AMOUNT (\$)
De Meric Sales	23	1,969,000
Wavertree Stables	12	1,902,000
Niall Brennan Stables	11	1,715,000
Eddie Woods	10	1,700,000
Eisaman Equine	17	1,662,000
Ocala Stud	6	1,545,000
Hartley / De Renzo	6	1,430,000
Halcyon Hammock Farm	8	1,427,000
Harris Training Center	3	1,365,000
Sequel Bloodstock	8	1,025,000

Bringing the Thunder to OBS March...

Randy Bradshaw--one of most respected names in the breaking-and-training game--returns to the sales' scene with a five-horse draft courtesy Everett Dobson's Cheyenne Stables at this year's OBS March Sale.



Randy Bradshaw rkbbreakingandtraining.com

Dobson, a minority owner in the NBA franchise Oklahoma City Thunder, is best known for racing millionaire and MGISW Caleb's Posse (Posse) in partnership.

"Everett and I got together last fall and talked about doing a 2-year-old consignment," said

Bradshaw, who helped facilitate the former Adena juvenile auctions during his tenure with Frank Stronach's operation. "We specifically went to the sales and tried to find yearlings that would fit in the \$100,000 or less range, and ones that we thought we could make some money with. It's a nice group--we have five really good horses. They are all quality." Cont. p6



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Bradshaw's consignment consists of:

Hip 90, f, It's No Joke
Starinthemeadow; :10 1/5
1/2 to Weemissfrankie (Sunriver), MGISW, \$559,920
(\$50,000 yrl '12 KEESEP)

• <u>Hip 113</u>, c, <u>Tale of the Cat</u> - Tizmeanttobe; <u>:10 2/5</u> (\$110,000 yrl 12 KEESEP)

• Hip 184, c, Yes It's True - Bootery; :10 1/5

*1/2 to Neck 'n Neck (Flower Alley), MGSW, \$676,856 (\$80,000 yrl '12 KEESEP)

• <u>Hip 196</u>, c, <u>Grand Slam</u> - Cat and the Hat; <u>:10 3/5</u> (\$75,000 yrl '12 KEESEP)

• Hip 269, f, Colonel John - Good and Hot; :10 1/5

*1/2 to Feisty Suances (Suances {GB}), SW & GSP, \$222,234

(\$90,000 yrl '12 FTKJUL)

"I have one colt that really stands out, the Yes It's True half-brother to Neck 'n Neck," Bradshaw continued. "He's a second foal and is a big colt--he's about 16.1 hands--and he's extremely fast for a big horse. He's impressed me since day one."

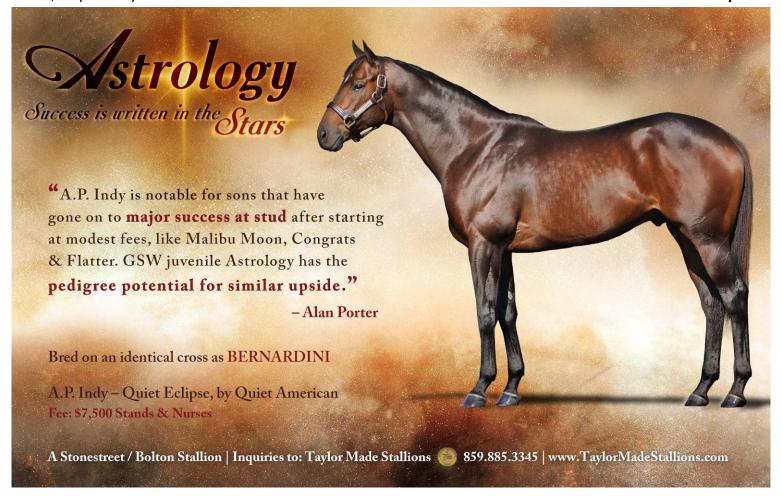
Bradshaw certainly has the credentials to recognize a good one when he sees it. The native of Wyoming's 35 + years of training experience includes a pair of invaluable stints as an assistant under Hall of Famer D. Wayne Lukas in the 1980s and late '90s. He has also overseen the breaking and training of champions Vindication (Seattle Slew) and Ginger Punch (Awesome Again) while at the helm of Satish Sanan's Padua Stables in Florida and Frank Stronach's Adena Springs South, respectively.

Bradshaw has done it on his own on raceday, too. He trained millionaires Artax and Urbane, multiple graded stakes winner Petionville and also tightened the girth on six-furlong world-record holder Petro D. Jay back in 1982. Does Bradshaw get the same rush in his current role behind the scenes?

"I do enjoy it," he replied. "I have the opportunity to go at a steady pace and not get in a hurry [training wise], and with young horses, it's all about letting them develop. Sometimes, at the racetrack, you have outside pressure and that can make you do things that you really don't want to do. I'm very fortunate to have quality people and clients that are very patient and allow me to do the right thing by the horse. That's always been the bottom line, and if you could do that, you can put out a good product."

Bradshaw breaks and trains approximately 75-85 head per year for a high-profile list of clients at his Adena South, Williston, Florida, base, including the aforementioned Dobson, Bobby Flay, Hidden Brook Farm, Irving Cowan, Marylou Whitney, et al. The latest big-name graduate to make headlines from his program was 2011 Gl Kentucky Derby hero Animal Kingdom (Leroidesanimaux {Brz}).

"We want to keep it select and boutique," Bradshaw said of his fledgling pinhooking venture. "Keep the quality up and the numbers down. I also have five for OBS April, including a couple that I bought for myself. It's just something that we can supplement our income with and have some fun at the same time." *Cont. p7*





Bradshaw Brings Thunder to OBS (cont. from p6)

Bradshaw concluded, "I don't want to get too big [consigning] because my main focus is breaking these yearlings. We have such great clients and I want to make sure that they feel comfortable and know that I'm always on the job. That's the main thing."

-Steve Sherack



Randy Bradshaw & Hip 196 take a break from the action at the OBS March Sale Sunday

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OBS MARCH -- TUESDAY'S OUTS

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OBS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Monday, OBS, post time: 2:00 p.m.

OBS CHAMPIONSHIP S. (Fillies), \$100,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	Wickapeko	Corinthian	Rocco	Margolis
2	Cotton Pickin	High Cotton	Allen	Ryan
3	One Eye Cap	Proud Accolade	no rider	Maestre
4	Cupids Messenger	Gottcha Gold	Leyva	Kaplan
5	Spring Venture	Spring at Last	Saez	Casse
6	Toasting	Congrats	Rosario	Albertrani
7	Time is Forever	The Cliff's Edge	Gonzalez	Hayford-Quinones
8	Spring in the Air	Spring at Last	Husbands	Casse

Monday, OBS, post time: 2:30 p.m.

OBS CHAMPIONSHIP S. (Colts), \$100,000, 3yo, c, 1 1/16m

LIFETIME'

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	Sky Commander	Sky Mesa	Husbands	Casse
2	Hesa Big Dude	Fusaichi Pegasus	Campbell	Nixon
3	Indiano Jones	A.P. Indy	Rosario	Casse
4	Michael With Us	Bluegrass Cat	Prado	Dimauro
5	Rico Suave	Suave	Allen	Slomkowski
6	Brazilian Court	Harlan's Holiday	Rosario	Maker
7	Uptown Anthem	Gottcha Gold	Leyva	Kaplan
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7	Dreamlicious	Ecclesiastic	Leyva	Kaplan	
8	Leinan	Ready's Image	Rosario	Carroll	
9	Bwana Go Fast	Bwana Charlie	J Bridgmohan	Chapman	
All c	arry 120 pounds.		-	•	

Monday, OBS, post time: 1:30 p.m. OBS SPRINT S. (Colts), \$50,000, 3yo, c, 6f

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PP.		SIRE	JOCKEY	IKAINEK
1	Capital City	City Place	Prado	Green
2	Rammer	Pomeroy	Garcia	Stewart
3	Dixie Deputy	Dixie Union	Saez	Hamm
4	Pro Prospect	Henny Hughes	Prado	Plesa
5	Mind Spell	Proud Accolade	Saez	Dacosta
6	Conquestor	Broken Vow	Boulanger	Casse
7	King Solomon	Double Honor	Mata	Lee
All d	carry 122 pounds.			

NEWS TODAY

DOMINGUEZ NEARS RETURN

Jockey Ramon Dominguez, sidelined since a spill at Aqueduct Jan. 18, visited the track Sunday and said he is hopeful his return to the saddle is imminent. The 36-

year-old could receive the ok to start exercising horses at a Mar. 25 doctors appointment. "I'm pretty optimistic that he will find me good enough to come back," said Dominguez. "From that point on, if he OKs me, it will just be a matter of getting fit again, and that shouldn't take too long. I'm speculating, but it depends on what they say, and on the 25th we'll see."

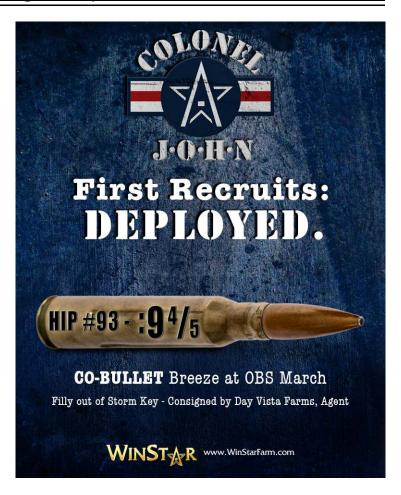
Dominguez, a three-time Eclipse Award winner, fractured a skull in a spill the day before this year's championship ceremony.



Dominguez talks with Mike Luzzi Sunday. NYRA photo

"Unless they're lying to me, everyone is happy, not only with my condition, but with the progress I've made in a short period of time," said Dominguez. "In the beginning, I felt like, 'I'm OK! I don't need this,' but right away I realized I was getting a lot of help from all of the different types of exercises."

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RACETRACK ROUND-UP

GOLDEN MYSTERY RETURNS FOR NEW OWNER

Golden Mystery (Awesome Again), last seen on the racetrack winning the Feb. 10 GIII Hurricane Bertie S., will make her first start since being sold to Regis Farms for \$625,000 out of the Fasig-Tipton February Winter Mixed Sale in next Saturday's GII Inside Information S. at Gulfstream. The 7-year-old mare shipped to Kentucky for the sale the day after her Hurricane Bertie victory and had returned to the Calder barn of Marty Wolfson by the end of the week.

"I had hoped they [Regis Farm] would send her back to me," said Wolfson Saturday. "She's just doing so well this winter. She's in the best form of her career. She worked good [Saturday, a half-mile in 48 1/5]. She only missed training for about five days, which is as long as she would have had off anyhow after a race, even without going through the sale. I think seveneighths is probably her best distance."

Wolfson has five fillies nominated to the Inside Information and said, "Actually I could enter up to four in there. If one of the others hits the board in a graded stakes it could possibly double their value."

One of Wolfson's five nominees is Spectacular Sky (Sky Mesa), owned by Golden Mystery's previous owners Farnsworth Stables.



MORE CHOCOLATE FIRES BULLET

Michael Talla's **More Chocolate** (Malibu Moon) worked a bullet six furlongs at Santa Anita Sunday in 1:12. The 4-year-old filly won the Jan. 20 GII La Canada S. in her most recent start and goes postward in next Saturday's GI Santa Margarita S. "She went beautiful," Larry Benavidez, assistant to trainer John Sadler, said of the work. "She galloped out strong. She was about eight [lengths] behind a workmate and did it the right way. She's ready to go."



Triple Threats

CARVE BEATS THE RAIN FOR REBEL WORK

Michael Langford's **Carve** (First Samurai), claimed for \$30,000 out of a debut win at Oaklawn Jan. 25, tuned up for the Mar. 16 GII Rebel S. with a half-mile breeze in :50.40 Sunday at Oaklawn. He completed the drill just before heavy rain left the track sloppy. "All's well and the work went as planned," said trainer Steve Asmussen. "We got a little lucky that this was his normal set and we were able to get him out and back without any problem. We feel good about where he's at. That's what we were looking at today and he's on the way to the Rebel, like we'd been pointing him." Carve was claimed from his breeder Claiborne Farm and Adele Dilschneider. He returned to take a 1 1/16-mile Oaklawn allowance Feb. 17.

JAPANESE RESULTS

Sunday, Nakayama, Japan LAUREL R.C. SHO NAKAYAMA HIMBA S.-G3, ¥67,430,000, Nakayama, 3-10, 4yo/up, f, 1800mT, 1:48.50, fm.

- 1--MEINE ISABEL (JPN), 123, m, 5, by Telegnosis (Jpn) 1st Dam: Meine Regina (Jpn) (MSP-Jpn), by Sunday Silence
 - 2nd Dam: Fuminosky (Jpn), by Maruzensky (Jpn) 3rd Dam: Vend UFO (Jpn), by Die Hard (GB)
 - O-Thoroughbred Club Ruffian; B-Osamu Takahashi; T-Takahiro Mizuno; J-Masami Matsuoka; ¥35,581,000. Lifetime Record: 19-4-2-1. Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus*. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.
- 2--Smart Silhouette (Jpn), 119, m, 6, Falbrav (Ire)--Ms. Strike Zone, by Deputy Minister. O-Toru Okawa; B-Shadai Farm; ¥14,160,000.
- 3--All That Jazz (Jpn), 123, m, 5, Tanino Gimlet (Jpn)--Diamond Pisa (Jpn), by Sunday Silence. O-Yoshimi Ichikawa; B-Fujiwara Farm; ¥8,883,000.

Margins: 3/4, Nk, 1 1/4. Odds: 11.70, 5.00, 3.90. Click for the JRA video and chart.



Sunday, Hanshin, Japan

HOCHI HAI FILLIES' **REVUE-G2**, ¥97,140,000, Hanshin, 3-10, 3yo, f, 1400mT, 1:22.10, fm.

- 1--MEISHO MAMBO (JPN), 119, f, 3, by Suzuka Mambo (Jpn)
 1st Dam: Meisho Momoka (Jpn), by Grass Wonder
 2nd Dam: Meisho Ayame (Jpn), by Jade Robbery
 3rd Dam: Will Moon (Jpn), by Mill George
 - O-Yoshio Matsumoto; B-Kosho Farm; T-Akihiro lida; J-Yuga Kawada; ¥51,148,000. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0. Werk Nick Rating: D+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.
- 2--Nancy Shine (Jpn), 119, f, 3, Black Tuxedo (Jpn)--Darling Tosho (Jpn), by Tosho Boy (Jpn). O-Mitsuya Union; B-Shigemasa Shimomura; ¥20,328,000.
- 3--Tiz Tremendous, 119, f, 3, Tiz Wonderful--Proof Positive, by Editor's Note. (\$27,000 wnl '10 KEENOV; \$15,000 yrl '11 KEESEP). O-Makio Okada; B-Morgan's Ford Farm; ¥13,164,000. Margins: 1 1/4, 1/2, Ns. Odds: 3.40, 9.10, 37.40. Click for the JRA race video and chart or the free

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SO. HEMISPHERE RESULTS

Sunday, Palermo, Argentina GRAN PREMIO SATURNINO J. UNZUE-G1, Ar\$232,500, Palermo, 3-10, 2yo, f, 1200m, 1:09.81, ft.

1-- WANNA DANCE (ARG), 121, f, 2, by The Leopard
1st Dam: Wannabe (Arg), by Mutakddim
2nd Dam: Wally (Arg), by Southern Halo
3rd Dam: Welcome (Arg), by Logical

O/B-Haras La Quebrada; T-Isidoro San Millan; J-Jorge G. Ruiz Diaz. Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-1. Ar\$150,000. Werk Nick Rating: A+. Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--Norina (Arg), 121, f, 2, Exchange Rate--Nearly Mad (Arg), by Careafolie (Ire). O/B-Stud Los de Areco; T-Jorge Mayansky Neer; Ar\$37,500.

3--Emirate's Girl (Arg), 121, f, 2, Lizard Island--Embrasable (Arg), by Equalize. O-Stud Chopp; B-Haras Abolengo; T-Roberto Pellegatta. Ar\$22,500. Margins: 4, 4, 2. Odds: 3.65, 14.85, 2.15. Click for the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.



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Sunday, Palermo, Argentina
GRAN PREMIO SANTIAGO LURO-G1, Ar\$232,500,
Palermo, 3-10, 2yo/c, 1200m, 1:11.52, ft.
1--ATODO TANGO KEY (ARG), 121, c, 2, by Key
Deputy

1st Dam: La Mistonga (Arg) (MGSP-Arg), by Tempranero (Chi)

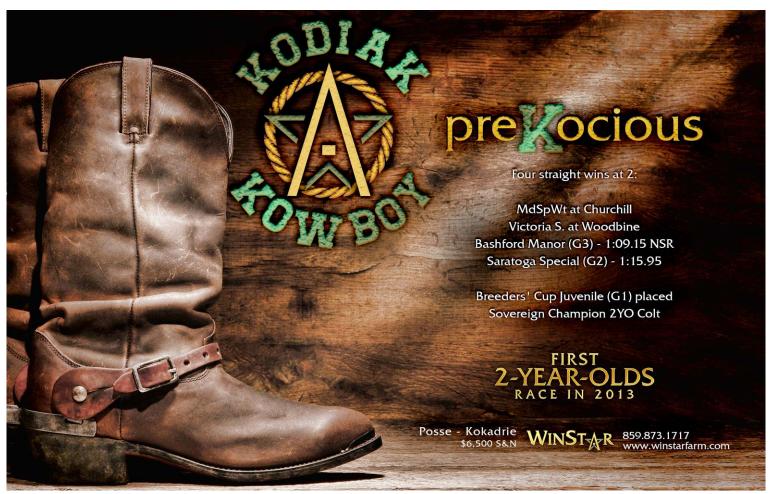
2nd Dam: Comedianta (Arg), by Combe (Arg)
3rd Dam: Sugary (Arg), by World Cup (GB)
O/B-Haras El Alfalfar; T-Jorge Dulom; J-Rodrigo
Blanco. Lifetime Record: 4-4-0-0. Ar\$150,000. *1/2
to Amarrete Bay (Arg) (Corwyn Bay {Ire}), GSW-Arg;
Tango Viejo Cat (Arg) (Easing Along), MSW & MGSP-Arg. Werk Nick Rating: A + + + *Triple Plus*. Click
for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--Saharien (Arg), 121, c, 2, Sebi Halo (Arg)--La Seduccion (Arg), by Interprete (Arg). O-Stud S. de B.; B-Haras El Paraiso; T-Hector C. Farias; Ar\$37,500.
- 3--Rio Gurupi Key (Arg), 121, c, 2, Key Deputy--Brasilera Bay (Arg), by Corwyn Bay (Ire). O/B-Haras El Alfalfar; T-Maria F. Alvarez. Ar\$22,500.

Margins: 1 1/2, 1 1/2, 3. Odds: 1.35, 23.00, 1.35. Click for the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.

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Florida

Yesterday's Results:

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8th-GPX, \$43,500, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1\$X, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:35, ft.

CROSS TRAFFIC, 119, c, 4, Unbridled's Song

1st Dam: Stop Traffic (MGISW, \$864,518), by Cure the Blues 2nd Dam: Save My Soul, by I'ma Hell Raiser 3rd Dam: Somethingexciting, by Disguised

Cross Traffic earned the prestigious **TDN Rising Star"** Stinction, going two-for-two with this impressive performance. In his only previous start, the \$300,000 FTSAUG yearling graduated by 1 3/4 lengths going 6 1/2 panels at this track, earning a 94 Beyer



Cross Traffic

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Speed Figure, Jan. 24. Wickersheim (Unbridled's Song), who was runnerup that day, came back to romp by 11 lengths and earn a 96 Beyer Feb. 17 before facing off with Cross Traffic again in this contest. Backed at evenmoney in this one, Cross Traffic broke well and chased the pace set by

Wickersheim off the rail down the backside. He moved up to challenge on the turn and pulled away down the stretch to finish 7 1/2 lengths in front of last year's GI Travers S. third-place finisher Fast Falcon (Awesome Again). Wickersheim was third. The winning time of 1:35.17 matched the clocking for Cross Traffic's stablemate Discreet Dancer (Discreet Cat)'s win in Saturday's GII Gulfstream Park H. His dam Stop Traffic was purchased for \$300,000 at the 1996 Keeneland November sale by Gerald Ford of Diamond A Racing after finishing third in that year's GI Acorn S. Kept in training and transferred to Richard Mandella, she took the 1998 GI Ballerina H. and 1999 GI Santa Monica H. for Diamond A. She had a full-sister to Cross Traffic sell for \$500,000 as a yearling at the 2011 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga sale, and an Indian Charlie filly go for \$350,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale-both were purchased by Tom McGreevy for Fox Hill Farm. Stop Traffic produced a Medaglia d'Oro colt in 2012. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$51,300. Click for the brisnet.com chart, VIDEO or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree.

O-GoldMark Farm LLC. B-Diamond A Racing Corp (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

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3rd-GPX, **\$43,500**, **Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:43 2/5, ft.

CLOSE HATCHES (f, 3, First Defence--Rising Tornado, by Storm Cat) earned the TTDN Rising Star" Staring distinction for a seven-length romp from off the pace going seven panels here Jan. 26, and was made the 4-5 choice on the stretch-out having scratched from the previous day's Suncoast S. at Tampa. Right to the front

this time from her rail draw, Close Hatches doled out opening splits of :24.24, :48.51 and 1:12.61 while pursued by Montana Native (Yes It's True). She shook free from that foe



Close Hatches

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at the top of the lane, and had enough left in the tank to hold Kimberly Jean (More Than Ready) at bay by a measured 1 1/4 lengths. Montana Native held third. With vesterday's score, Close Hatches increased trainer Bill Mott's next-out record to 4-3-1-0 with his guartet of sophomore fillies tabbed 'Rising Stars' this meet, following Tapicat (Tapit)'s score in Tampa's GIII Florida Oaks Feb. 2; Calistoga (Speightstown)'s facile allowance tally Thursday; and Flashy Gray (Flashy Bull)'s runner-up finish in Saturday's GIII Honeybee S. "They're all nominated for the [May 3 GI Kentucky] Oaks," Mott said of his formidable group of 3-year-old fillies, which also includes fellow Juddmonte colorbearer Emollient (Empire Maker), runner-up in the GII Demoiselle S. in November and a Gulfstream allowance winner Feb. 16. "There are good races for them about every two weeks and we'll see which one's up for which races as they come along. It is a good position to be in." Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$51,300. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO. O-Juddmonte Farms Inc. B-Millsec Ltd (KY). T-William I Mott.

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6th-GPX, \$44,100, Msw, 3yo, f, 7 1/2fT, 1:28 2/5, fm. + PINK TRILLIUM (f, 3, Unbridled's Song--Amandola, by El Prado {Ire}) was given a 3-1 chance off a lengthy set of unassuming drills mostly on the Palm Meadows main track. The homebred stalked from the pocket through the early stages and moved up to sit just behind the leaders entering the turn. Calling out for a seam in the lane, she squeezed through the top two at the first sign of daylight past the sixteenth pole to run down fellow firster Daddy Loves Gold (Scat Daddy) for a 3/4-length success. The winner is out of a half-sister to G1 Deutschland-Preis winner Anzillero (Ger) (Law Society). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,200. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-Chad C Brown.

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4th-GPX, \$42,000, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:50 4/5, ft. FREEDOM CHILD (r, 3, Malibu Moon--Bandstand, by Deputy Minister), eighth in his career bow at Belmont in September, was runner-up to subsequent GII Besilu Stables Fountain of Youth S. winner Orb (Malibu Moon) at Aqueduct Nov. 24. Most recently, he completed the trifecta routing here Feb. 9. The 5-2 second choice set the pace and lengthened his advantage down the lane to finish 5 1/4 lengths clear of Bellarmine (Magna Graduate). Sales history: \$350,000 yrl '11 FTSAUG. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$43,072. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O-West Point Thoroughbreds, St Elias Stable & Spendthrift Farm LLC. B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY). T-Thomas Albertrani.

9th-GPX, \$42,000, Msw, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft. GRAND JETSETTER (c, 4, Empire Maker--Costume Party, by Storm Cat), a half-brother to Veiled Profit (Kingmambo), SP, \$288,755; and Equestrio (Elusive Quality), GSP, \$158,576, was third on debut at Calder Nov. 16, and was off at 7-2 from an 8-1 morning line with an upbeat worktab in Miami Gardens on display since his last start. Kept out wide in midpack early, the \$250,000 KEESEP yearling swooped up to put his head in front at the top of the lane. He was soon confronted by a green Grand Cicero (Corinthian), but dug in to deny that foe by the narrowest of margins. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$27,700. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O-Live Oak Plantation. B-G Watts Humphrey Jr & Louise Ireland Humphrey Revocable Trust - 2008 (KY). T-Edward Plesa Jr.

LANE'S END Sales Graduate





Saez, Lezcano Recovering from Saturday Spill:

Jockeys Luis Saez and Jose Lezcano were both recovering Sunday from a spill in Saturday's fifth race at Gulfstream Park. Saez was resting at Memorial Regional Hospital with what agent Richard DePass called "a very small hairline fracture of the hip, pelvis area." DePass added, "He's going to be out between three and five weeks, according to the doctors. They think because of his age, and the fact he's an athlete, he will heal a lot quicker. Considering what happened, he's doing very well." Lezcano was released from the hospital Saturday evening. He suffered a sprained ankle and was off his mounts Sunday. Jockey Francisco Torres walked away from the spill. The three horses involved in the incident were also uninjured.

New York

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-AQU, **\$60,760**, **Alw**, NW2L, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.

GLORIOUS VIEW (f, 4, Pleasant Tap--Cayuga's Waters {SW, \$194,422}, by Langfuhr) had been knocking on the door for a while, and finally broke through last time over track and trip by 6 1/4 lengths here Feb. 15. Favored at 4-5 to start a streak, the homebred bided her time along the inside before splitting horses at the top of the lane and blowing by pacesetter Hold It (Forestry) to best that foe by five lengths. The winner is a half to Cascadilla Falls (E Dubai), SW, \$140,310. Lifetime Record: 10-2-4-1, \$144,790. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O-Laue Ranch. B-Brant Laue (KY). T-William I Mott.

4th-AQU, **\$53,900**, **Msw**, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:46 1/5, ft.

CITY GONE WILD (f, 3, City Zip--Eishin Houlton, by Wild Again), fourth first out here Jan. 6, was third stretching out at this track Feb. 1 and again Feb. 18. Sent off at 2-1, she pressed the pace set by Chloe Bear (Macho Uno) from the two path down the backstretch. City Gone Wild moved up to bid on the turn, battled with Chloe Bear and took a narrow advantage in the stretch to hit the wire a half-length in front. The winner is 3/4-sister to City Bird (Carson City), MSP, \$160,835. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, \$45,500. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O-John A Witte Sr & Darlene Bilinski. B-Dr Jerry Bilinski & John Arnold Wit (NY). T-Linda Rice.

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Eastern U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

5th-PRX, \$47,500, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft. HEAT PRESS (c, 3, Malibu Moon--Princess Birdeye {SP, \$115,740}, by Indian Charlie) graduated by 14 lengths at Laurel two back Dec. 8, and was third of three last time behind subsequent Miracle Wood S. winner Dynamic Strike (Smart Strike) back in Maryland Jan. 24. The 8-5 shot attended the pace and had a 1 1/2-length edge on Exchange Partners (Exchange Rate) at the line. Sales history: \$145,000 RNA yrl '11 FTMOCT. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$67,240. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O-Sagamore Farm. B-Mr & Mrs Bayne Welker Jr & Lo Farm (KY). T-H Graham Motion.

Central U.S.

Yesterday's Results:

7th-OPX, \$**55,000**, **Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$45,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 4/5, my.

DEVIOUS INTENT (f, 4, Dixie Union--Hafifah, by Machiavellian), winner of last year's Genesis S. at Delta Downs for owners Wayne Sanders and Larry Hirsch and trainer Brett Calhoun, was third last out in an optional claimer at the Fair GroundS Jan. 18 in her first start since being privately purchased and transferred to the Kellyn Gorder barn. The 5-1 chance set the pace here, kept ahead throughout and finished 3 1/4 lengths clear of Trans Continental (E Dubai). Sales history: \$45,000 yrl '10 KEESEP; \$75,000 HRA '12 KEENOV. Lifetime Record: SW, 11-3-3-1, \$172,909. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O-TK Stables LLC. B-Robert S & Kimberly W Bain (KY). T-Kellyn Gorder.

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8th-OPX, **\$54,000**, **Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW1X, 3yo, 6f, 1:11 2/5, my.

FEVERNTHEFUNKHOUSE (c, 3, Henny Hughes--Wicked Wish, by Gold Case) graduated in his second attempt at Churchill Downs Nov. 7 and finished second in an optional claimer there Nov. 24. He returned from a layoff to place second in a sloppy allowance here Feb. 18 and was bet down to 8-5 off that performance. Fevernthefunkhouse set the pace along the rail and made every pole a winning one, hitting the wire four lengths ahead of Mico Margarita (Run Away and Hide). Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, \$88,600. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O/B-ThornDale Stable LLC (KY). T-Kenneth G McPeek.

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Saturday Night's Results:

PELICAN S., \$75,000, DED, 3-9, (S), 3yo, 7 1/2f, 1:33 1/5, ft.

1--HERO FORCE, 122, c, 3, Political Force--Doubtless, by Grand Slam. (\$8,000 yrl '11 OBSJAN; \$60,000 2yo '12 OBSAPR). O-Robbie Norman; B-Roy Zuppardo (LA); T-W Bret Calhoun; J-Colby J Hernandez. \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 7-4-2-1, \$233,710.

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- 2--**Heitai**, 119, c, 3, <u>Fusaichi Pegasus</u>--Sparkles of Luck, by Mr. Sparkles. O-Rowell Enterprises Inc. \$15,000.
- 3--Unbridled's Score, 120, g, 3, Even the Score--Belle De Soleil, by Darn That Alarm. (\$22,000 yrl '11 TEXAUG). O-Don Childers. \$7,500.

Margins: 2 1/4, NK, 4. Odds: 1.60, 2.90, 27.50.

Hero Force has been on a successful stakes run as of late, taking the Louisiana Juvenile S. at the Fair Grounds Dec. 8; hitting the wire third but placed second through disqualification in the sloppy Big Drama S. here Jan. 5; and winning the Prince S. over a similar track and trip Feb. 2. The favorite drafted in behind the leader through the first turn, and moved out to press Heitai from the two path down the backstretch. He gained command on the turn and cleared down the stretch to finish under a hand ride. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

California

Yesterday's Results:

2nd-SAX, \$59,044, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), NW1\$X, 3yo, 6f, 1:09, ft.

LET EM SHINE (c, 3, Songandaprayer--Justaspell, by Johannesburg) was third behind Saturday's GII San Felipe S. winner Hear the Ghost (Ghostzapper) on debut in Inglewood Dec. 15, and showed off his extremely quick early foot to earn the **O** "TDN Rising Star" **O** distinction for a 7 1/2-length drubbing over track and trip Jan. 19. Flattered by two fast-figure next-out winners from that heat in Govenor Charlie (Midnight Lute) and Salutos Amigos (Salute the Sarge), the bay was backed down to 2-5 with a :59 flat bullet work over the strip Mar. 4 on display. Looking like a candidate for the All American Futurity early, Let Em Shine built up a large advantage through a half in :43.88. He showed no signs of stopping in the lane, and cruised home a 4 1/2-length winner from MGSP Special Jo (Johannesburg) in a jaw-dropping display of speed. The winner's third dam is a full-sister to the dam of Unbridled's Song, the sire of Songandaprayer. Sales history: \$10,000 yrl '11 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo '12 BESMAR. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$73,800. Click for the brisnet.com chart or VIDEO.

O-William R Peeples. B-Mr & Mrs Stephen McDonald (KY). T-Adam Kitchingman.

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ROOKIES

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Monday, March 10 Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2008 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/ BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available) AIR COMMANDER (Point Given), 23/2/1 10-HOU, Msw, 1m, Mister Ricky, 9-2 BIG BROWN (Boundary), Three Chimneys, \$65K, 151/21/1 4-OTC, Stk, , Brown Almighty, \$22K OBS APR 2yo CIRCULAR QUAY (Thunder Gulch), Journeyman, \$13K, 89/17/1 1-OTC, Stk, 6f, Circular Rainbow, \$8K RNA OBS WIN yrl COUGAR CAT (Storm Cat), 10/0/0 1-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Turf Ruler, 6-1 DRUMS OF THUNDER (Concerto), 6/0/0 10-HOU, Msw, 1m, Witt's Chrome, 20-1 GOTTCHA GOLD (Coronado's Quest), Ocala Stud, \$5K, 60/12/0 3-OTC, Stk, Cupids Messenger, \$25K OBS APR 2yo 4-OTC, Stk, Uptown Anthem, \$37K OBS OPN 2vo J BE K (Silver Deputy), 35/10/0 1-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, El Bagre, \$14K RNA OBS OPN 2yo, 3-1 MAJESTIC WARRIOR (A.P. Indy), Ashford, \$20K, 175/37/3 1-OTC, Stk, 6f, Over the Counter, \$130K OBS APR 2yo READY'S IMAGE (More Than Ready), Walmac, \$13K, 71/9/1 1-OTC, Stk, 6f, Leinan, \$150K RNA OBS MAR 2yo RUN AWAY AND HIDE (City Zip), Darby Dan, \$8K, 95/12/1 1-MNR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Gotta Runaway, \$2K FTK FEB 2yo, 10-1 SPRING AT LAST (Silver Deputy), WinStar, \$15K, 126/19/4 3-OTC, Stk, Spring Venture, \$320K OBS OPN 2yo 3-OTC, Stk, Spring in the Air, \$130K OBS MAR 2yo

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IN ITALY:

Shirley's Kitten, f, 3, Kitten's Joy. See "Italy."

Italy

Yesterday's Results:

Rome, 14.40, Cond, \in 22,500, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:42.50, hy.

SHIRLEY'S KITTEN (f, 3, Kitten's Joy--La Cat, by Mr. Greeley), who suffered her only defeat when third in the Oct. 21 G3 Premio Dormello at Milan last time, was steadied off the pace in fourth for most of this sophomore bow. Making smooth headway in the long straight, the 3-4 chalk was ridden along to challenge passing the two pole and drew off late under continued urging to score by 2 1/2 lengths from Savana Pearl (Ire) (Byron {GB}). The winner is a half to Picou (With Approval), MSW, \$244,872. Lifetime Record: GSP, 4-3-0-1, €33,660.

O/B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey; T-Gianluca Bietolini.



Italian Report cont.

Rome, 16.15, Cond, €22,500, 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:41.10, hv.

BEST TANGO (ITY) (c, 3, Mujahid--Nikita Tango {Fr}, by Sicyos), a last-out fourth going an extra panel here in the Nov. 1 G3 Premio Guido Berardelli, broke well from the outside box and bounded to the fore after the initial strides of this seasonal return. Unflustered when headed by Rock of Malta (Ire) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) with three furlongs remaining, the 2-1 second choice regained control inside the final quarter mile and was driven out to repel that persistent rival by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-0, €33,762. O/B-Elia Tanghetti; T-Gianluca Bietolini.

Australasia

MULAAZEM RETIRED

G2 MRC Autumn S. winner **Mulaazem (Aus)** (Dubai Destination--Watchful {Aus}, by Danehill), a half-brother to Australian 2-year-old and sprint champion Sepoy (Aus) (Elusive Quality), has been retired to stud at Emirates Park Digger's Rest in Victoria, Australia. He will stand for A\$7,700, with a limited number of lifetime breeding rights available. A winner of three of seven starts, Mulaazem was last seen finishing eighth of 10 in the G2 Hobartville S. at Rosehill Mar. 2, where he sustained a career ending injury.

ON THE WORKTAB

BELMONT PARK

Caixa Eletronica (Arromanches), 4f, :49.35, 31/85

FAIR GROUNDS

Mylute (Midnight Lute), 7f, 1:27.40, 1/1
Sum of the Parts (Speightstown), 4f, :50.00, 38/84
Willcox Inn (Harlan's Holiday), 4f, :47.80, 1/84

Abaco (Giant's Causeway), 5fT, 1:00/63, 1/3 loya Bigtime (Dynaformer), 6f, 1:15.50, 1/1 Teaks North (Northern Afleet), 5f, 1:02.12, 13/21

PALM MEADOWS

Balance the Books (Lemon Drop Kid), 4f, :49.96, 20/39 Capo Bastone (Street Boss), 5f, 1:01.48, 6/26 Channel Lady (English Channel), 4f, :51.30, 32/39 Disposablepleasure (Giacomo), 5f, 1:03.60, 25/26 Doubles Partner (Rock Hard Ten), 4f, :50.20, 24/39

Dreaming of Julia (A.P. Indy), 4f, :50.03, 22/39 Graydar (Unbridled's Song), 5f, 1:03.44, 22/26

Live Lively (Medaglia d'Oro), 4f, :50.04, 23/39

Normandy Invasion (Tapit), 4f, :48.01, 2/29 Palace Malice (Curlin), 4f, :49.40, 13/39

Pants on Fire (Jump Start), 4f, :47.40, 13/39

Revolutionary (War Pass), 5f, 1:01.48, 6/26

Shanghai Bobby (Harlan's Holiday), 5f, 1:01.48, 18/26 Take Charge Indy (A. P. Indy), 4f, :52.80, 39/39

Unlimited Budget (Street Sense), 4f, :49.77, 18/39

SANTA ANITA

Den's Legacy (Medaglia d'Oro), 5f, :59.80, 2/52 More Chocolate (Malibu Moon), 6f, 1:12.00, 1/12 Take Control (A.P. Indy), 4f, :48.60, 15/49 Super Ninety Nine (Pulpit), 5f, :59.80, 2/52

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-SAX, **\$74,258**, NW1\$X, 4yo/up, a6 1/2fT, 1:12 4/5, fm.

SILVER DRAGON (g, 5, Suances {GB}--Storm Heiress, by Illinois Storm) Lifetime Record: 13-3-4-1, \$158,546. O-Robert Tobler. B-Applebite Farms (CA). T-Dennis Ekins. *\$1,500 yrl '09 BESOCT.

8th-PRX, \$63,040, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft.

WHAT'SMINEISMINE (f, 4, Mineshaft--Spring Star, by Deputy Minister) Lifetime Record: 13-4-5-3, \$184,270. O-Mary A Kernan. B-George Strawbridge Jr (PA). T-Keith W LeBarron. *\$47,000 yrl '10 FTMOCT.

10th-FGX, **\$41,000**, Opt. Clm. (**\$**12,500), NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, a1mT, 1:40 4/5, fm.

FRIEND OF INDY (g, 5, Wire Me Collect--Nike's Friend, by Crafty Friend) Lifetime Record: 28-5-6-3, \$121,222. O-Maggi Moss. B-Clyde Taylor (LA). T-Thomas M Amoss.

4th-GGX, **\$37,800**, Opt. Clm. (**\$**32,000), NW1**\$**X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:47, ft.

RUNFASTERELSE (f, 4, Unusual Heat--Come to Light {Saf} {SW & GSP-SAf}, by National Assembly) Lifetime Record: 13-4-4-1, \$76,560. O-Rancho San Miguel & Mike Adams. B-Run for the Roses LLC (CA). T-Aggie Ordonez.

7th-HAW, \$34,000, C, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10, sy. HOGY (g, 4, Offlee Wild--Floy, by Petionville) Lifetime Record: MSW, 14-8-2-2, \$245,902. O-William Stiritz. B-Dr John E Little (KY). T-Scott Becker. *\$17,000 yrl '10 KEEJAN.

8th-GGX, \$32,774, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 4yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09 3/5, ft.

MOONSHINE BAY (g, 5, Kela--Long For, by Langfuhr) Lifetime Record: SP, 28-13-6-4, \$208,167. O-Jerry Hollendorfer, Marvin Kirsner, Al Morrison & George Todaro. B-Raymond Kolar (KY). T-Jerry Hollendorfer. *\$1,000 RNA yrl '09 FTKOCT.

9th-SUN, \$32,200, Alw, C, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

MARTINI TO GO (f, 4, Premeditation--Whatmoneycantbuy, by Open Forum) Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-1, \$61,259. O/B-Miles Childers & Ed Wright (NM). T-Joel H Marr.

5th-HAW, **\$32,000**, NW2\$X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, sy.

REAL POWER (g, 4, Powerscourt {GB}--Real Deal, by Unreal Zeal) Lifetime Record: SW, 21-3-5-5, \$176,718. O/B-Virginia H Tarra Trust (IL). T-Chris M Block.

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8th-MNR, \$22,200, 3-9, NW2L, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, 1:01 1/5, gd.

FREE SONG (f, 3, Hat Trick {Jpn}--Altos De Chavon, by Polish Numbers) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$38,920. O/B-James C Chandley (PA). T-Todd Freeman.

3rd-HOU, **\$21,500**, 3-9, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:46 2/5, fm.

REILLY'S MAGIC (f, 4, City Street--Little Riley, by Commanchero) Lifetime Record: 9-4-0-1, \$29,505. O-Champion Equine Performance Horses. B-Bullard Farms (TX). T-Danny Pish.

6th-HOU, \$21,000, 3-9, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

MISS OOPS (m, 6, Olmodavor-Blue Begonia {MSW & GSP, \$224,859}, by Seeking the Gold) Lifetime Record: 32-13-8-4, \$180,581. O-Raymond Marchand. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Dallas E Keen. *\$3,000 yrl '08 KEESEP. Another Winner bred ADENA ADVANTAGE www.AdenaStallions.com

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- + Luke Bopin Prophet, g, 3, Bop--Nickneye, by Polish Numbers. CTX, 3-9, (S), 4 1/2f, :53 3/5. B-Ralph S Havens (VA).
- **Bobo**, g, 3, **Council Member**--Bella Queen, by Olympio. SAX, 3-10, (S), a6 1/2fT, 1:13 3/5. B-Rich Fontana (CA).
- Ms Battle Cat, f, 3, Proud Citizen--Twisted Tale (SP), by Tale of the Cat. MNR, 3-9, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:08 3/5. B-T F VanMeter (KY). *\$18,000 wlng '10 KEENOV.
- Noble Exchange, g, 5, Exchange Rate--Social Scene, by Tabasco Cat. SAX, 3-10, (C), 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Eddie G & Kim James (FL). *\$87,000 yrl '09 OBSJAN; \$325,000 2yo '10 OBSMAR. **1/2 to Winsome Charm (Silver Charm), SP, \$287,434.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, **Mont-de-Marsan**, 16.00, 3-10, €18,000, 3yo, 6fT, 1:16.50, gd/sf.

ARTPLACE (IRE) (c, 3, Teofilo {Ire}--Ginostra {GB}, by Oasis Dream {GB}) Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, €21,300. O/B-Aleyrion Bloodstock Ltd; T-Christophe Ferland.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- + Royal Law (Ire), c, 3, Lawman (Fr)--Queen of the Game (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire). Senonnes Pouance, France, 3-10, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 5/16mT. B-Enrico Ciampi & Paul Nataf.
- + Bijou Plage (Fr), f, 3, Martaline (GB)--Onciale (Fr), by Ultimately Lucky (NZ). Saint Brieuc, France, 3-10, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/2mT. B-F Dufaut & D Roussel.
- + Fulgetta (Ity), f, 3, Masterful--Lodgetta (Ire), by Grand Lodge. Rome, Italy, 3-10, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT. B-Azienda Agricola Antezzate SRL. *1/2 to Lolamar (Ity) (Martino Alonso (Ire)), GSP-Ity, \$193,351.
- Medical Kiss (Fr), f, 3, Medicean (GB)--Katelyns Kiss, by Rahy. Auch, France, 3-10, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT.
 B-Select Bloodstock Ltd. *€14,000 RNA wnlg '10 ARQDEC; €52,000 yrl '11 ARQAUG.
- Attacarfirio (GB), c, 3, Mount Nelson (GB)--Orange Walk (Ire), by Alzao. Rome, Italy, 3-10, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-W G H Barrons & Newsells Park Stud. *2,000gns yrl '11 TATDEC.
- Chiriqui (Fr), f, 3, Trempolino--Chenoa (GB), by Red Ransom. Senonnes Pouance, France, 3-10, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 5/16mT. B-Haras de la Perelle.

