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IT'S THE BLUES FOR CASH RUN

With Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies winner Cash Run (Seeking the Gold) in the field, as well as dual-stakes winner Classic Olympio (Olympio) and intriguing maiden winner Mean Imogene (Silver Deputy), nobody was expecting much from Penny Blues (Pentelicus), who was a neck winner of a Santa Anita allowance last out. Going off as the longest shot in the five-horse field at 15.10-1, Penny Blues sat along the rail in last, unhurried by jockey Eddie Delahoussaye. The pair stayed glued to the fence as they moved to the front in the stretch, and under Delahoussaye's urging, Penny Blues inched away for a 1 1/4-length win. "We were sure hoping it would set up the way it did," said Delahoussaye. "I sure didn't want to go out with horses up front." Cash Run, the 9-10 favorite, was up with the leaders, went four wide through the turn and had nothing in the stretch, fading to fourth, beaten 12 3/4 lengths. "I ran out of horse a lot sooner than I wanted to," said her rider, Jerry Bailey. "It was just a bad training job," said Cash Run's trainer, D. Wayne Lukas. "I left her short. We'll get them next time."

Sunday, Santa Anita Park SANTA YNEZ S.-GII, \$106,000, SAX, 1-23, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:23 1/5, ft.

1--#@PENNY BLUES, 118, f, 3, by Pentelicus
1st Dam: Milagro Blue, by Cure the Blues
2nd Dam: She's In Tune, by Tunerup
3rd Dam: Creme Chantilly, by Creme Dela Creme

O-Buffalo Wallet; B-James Gammon & Nancy Gammon (FL); T-Edwin Gregson; J-E Delahoussaye; \$63,600. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, \$123,600.

- 2--Classic Olympio, 121, f, 3, Olympio--Palm Beach Dewey, by Talc. (\$27,000 wlng '97 KEENOV). O-VHW Stables; B-Greg Peach (KY); \$21,200.
- 3--Mean Imogene, 117, f, 3, Silver Deputy--Raise a Dynasty, by Raise a Native. (\$25,000 yrl '98 KEESEP). O-Finley Jack L; B-Nuckols & Gross (KY); \$12.720.

Margins: 1 1/4, 8, 3HF. Odds: 15.10, 2.40, 3.30.

Also Ran: Cash Run, Gilded Diablo.

SABIN H.-GIII, \$75,000, GPX, 1-23, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:41 4/5, ft.

1--BRUSHED HALORY, 115, f, 4, by Broad Brush

1st Dam: Halory, by Halo

Sunday, Gulfstream Park

2nd Dam: Cold Reply, by Northern Dancer 3rd Dam: Respond, by Canadian Champ (\$440,000 yrl '97 KEESEP). O-James & Alice Sapara; B-Elmendorf Farm, Inc (KY); T-Josie Carroll; J-M E Smith; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 14-6-3-1, \$490,860. *1/2 to Prory (Procida), GSW, \$493,091; Key Lory (Key to the Mint), SW, \$139,611; Halory Hunter (Jade Hunter), GSW & GISP, \$713,119.

- 2--Roza Robata, 115, m, 5, Fire Maker--May Day Ninety, by Alydar. (\$12,000 2yo 1997 OBSAPR;). O-McKee Stables; B-Appleton Arthur I (FL); \$15,000.
- 3--Mop Squeezer, 113, f, 4; Roanoke--Honey League Girl, by Honey Jay. O/B-Gary L Aiken (OH); \$8,250. Margins: 3/4, 3 3/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 2.50, 1.90, 9.90. Also Ran: Could Be, Fortunate Smile.

Scratched: Affair With Molly.

Brushed Halory spent last winter in the Big Easy and finished second in the GIII Davona Dale and third in the GIII Fair Grounds Oaks to a filly named Silverbulletday. The bay returned from a three-month hiatus none the worse for wear to win the July 24 GIII Delaware Oaks by 3/4 of a length before finishing seventh to the champ in the GI Alabama. The one-length winner of the Indiana Breeders' Cup Oaks, Brushed Halory was the runner-up in the GIII Turnback The Alarm H. at Aqueduct, was away for two months and ran fifth in the GIII Ladies H. in her most recent effort. Mop Squeezer dictated a reasonable pace with favored Could Be (Geiger Counter) and Brushed Halory in striking range. The latter advanced between horses on the far turn to take control, was hooked by Roza Robata at the eighth pole and outgamed that foe to the line. "She's just a wonderful filly, as honest as they come," said winning trainer Josie Carroll. "I wasn't worried when they challenged her for the lead when I saw the way she responded." The GII Rampart H. Feb. 27 is under consideration for the winner, according to Carroll.

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Saturday, Wellington, New Zealand ARMSTRONG JONES NEW ZEALAND OAKS-G1, Trentham, New Zealand, 1-22, 3yo, f, 1 1/2m T, 2:29.8, fm. 1--#@ASHE'S COUNTRY (NZ), 123, f, 3, by Kenfair (NZ)

1st Dam: Cross Country, by Ben Fab
2nd Dam: Bye Bye Mercedes, by Roman Line
3rd Dam: Menedict, by Menetrier (Fr)

O-Tim Bodle; B-Whakanui Stud; T-Bruce Wallace; J-Opie Bosson; NZ\$150,000. Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-2, NZ\$173,625.

2--Hill Of Grace (NZ), 123, f, 3, Zabeel (NZ)--Carmel Valley (Aus) by Last Tycoon (Ire). O-Terry Jarvis; T-Robert Priscott.

3--You Beauty (NZ), 123, f, 3, Comet Shine--National Beauty (Aus) by Bellwater (Fr). O-K G Brodie, V R Lees, C W & D L Motion, G A Smolenski & H W Topia, T-Kevin Smith.

Margins: SHD, 2 1/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 15-1, 2-1, 40-1. Also ran: Giovana (NZ), Let's Cruise (NZ), Tycoon's Gold (NZ), Saint Cecile (NZ), Joan (NZ), Ziggy (NZ), Jessie (NZ), Sahalee (NZ), Two Time Tart (NZ), Ceresfield (NZ).

New Zealand's second Group 1 three-year-old fillies' race of the season went to another daughter of Kenfair, as Ad Alta (NZ) had already taken the New Zealand 1000 Guineas. She was close to being boxed in by Hill Of Grace, but showed a lot of fight to get herself into a gap in the stretch, where she produced a burst to take command, holding off a very game Hill of Grace. She's Country was bred by Whakanui Stud, as was Mythical Play (NZ) (Defensive Play), who won the G1 Paddock S. at Kenilworth in South Africa earlier this year. Cross Country, She's Country's dam, is a half-sister to GI Florida Derby winner Mercedes Won. Trainer Bruce Wallace said it was likely that She's Country would be set for an autumn campaign in Sydney, including the AJC Oaks April 29, a path that Hill Of Grace is also likely to follow.

CHESTNUT'S PROGNOSIS GUARDED South African champion Horse Chestnut (SAf) (Fort Wood), injured during a Saturday workout at Calder, is recovering in his stall at the Miami oval, his career still in the balance. "It's still too early to say that his career is over," trainer Michael de Kock said yesterday. "There is still a lot of swelling and it's hard to tell how much damage there is to his suspensory." De Kock characterized the injury as "not life-threatening" and suggested a rosy future for Horse Chestnut. "Even if we retire him as a race horse, he'll make a great stallion prospect. We might even think of standing him in America."

☆ WORLD-WIDE

INGLIS CLASSIC SALE PREVIEW

William Inglis and Son will hold its first yearling sale for 2000, The Classic Sale, over the next two days at its elegant Newmarket complex near Sydney's Randwick racecourse. While the sale average is likely to be roughly one-fifth the average of the blue ribbon Australian Easter Yearling Sale last April, the industry's major players can't afford to overlook the Classic Sale, which is fast garnering a reputation for producing winners. Three years ago, Inglis gave the sale a solid boost by creating the A\$610,000 Inglis Classic, exclusively for graduates of its sale. Inaugural winner Laurie's Lottery (Aus) (Sir Laurence {NZ}) cost only A\$17,000, but has won more than A\$1 million to date, including the G1 Doomben 10,000 H. last winter. "There are some nice horses here, they are not top-bred horses and they won't compare with Easter, but...there will be some racehorses come out of this sale," says Randwick trainer Graeme Rogerson, who last year was Australia's leading buyer. The Classic Sale average has risen from A\$12,557 in 1996 to A\$18,572 last year, and the sale's move back from the first week in January, when everyone scrambled back from holiday to the sale, has been well received. "This is the best catalogue we've ever put together for the Classic sale, there is real stallion strength and every major stud in New South Wales has supported the sale, along with the best of our smaller breeders," says Inglis associate director Jonathan D'Arcy. Star youngsters include Lot 456, a colt by Sillery out of Cowboy Kate (Aus) (Rancher {Aus}), and Lot 297, a Hurricane Sky (Aus) (Star Watch {Aus}) halfsister to stakes-winning Classic graduate Little Miss Marnie (Aus) (Danzero {Aus}), offered by Wakefield Stud. At Magic Millions earlier this month, buyers leaned toward stallions proven in Australian conditions, such as the Slipper-winning Danehill pair Flying Spur (Aus) and Danzero (Aus). "I think it is fairly indicative of the marketplace at the moment that buyers are out there looking for horses they know can handle our race conditions, and some of the stallions coming from overseas may not be capable of standing up," says Byron Rogers of Arrowfield Stud.

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A.P. ASSAY TO BREEDING SHED Six-year-old A.P. Assay (A.P. Indy), winner of the 1998 GII A Gleam H. at Hollywood Park, has been retired from racing and will be bred to Kingmambo this spring. The John Toffan and Trudy McCaffery homebred, fifth by 3 1/4 lengths in the 1998 Breeders' Cup Sprint, won the Desert Stormer H. to begin her five-year-old campaign, but was winless in five subsequent starts, including a seventh-place finish in Saturday's GI Santa Monica H. The dark bay ends her career with five wins from 14 starts for trainer Paco Gonzalez and earnings of \$381,691.

BARRETTS HOSTS MIXED SALE The two-day Barretts Winter Mixed Sale gets underway this morning at the Fairplex in Pomona, California, with a total of 515 horses scheduled to go through the ring. This morning's session begins at 11 a.m and features broodmares in foal to stallions such as Distorted Humor, Gilded Time, In Excess (Ire), Langfuhr and Siphon (Brz), as well as stallion prospects, stallion shares and horses of racing age. Tomorrow's session features two year olds and yearlings by leading 1999 first-crop sires Mr. Greeley and Thunder Gulch, as well as 1996 Kentucky Derby winner Grindstone and Tossofthecoin, half brother to 1999 Kentucky Derby winner Charismatic.

☆ FLORIDA ☆

Yesterday's Results:

8th-GPX, \$38,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:22 4/5, ft. DEEP GOLD (c, 4, Olympio--Distinctive Review, by Distinctive Pro) was winless since a 1/2-length victory at Churchill last May 19 and came into this heat on the heels of fourth-place finishes in the Kenny Noe Jr. H. two starts ago and in a local allowance test Jan. 9, beaten 6 1/4 lengths. The slight favorite busted out of the gate and set fast fractions for this surface, shook loose to lead by two past the midstretch marker then held on to win by a length from 1999 GIII Holy Bull S. winner Grits'n Hard Toast (Bates Motel), who was making his first start since finishing seventh in the Indiana Derby Oct. 2. Lifetime Record: MSP, 19-5-5-2, \$215,256.

O-Millan Joselito L & Chowhan Naveed. B-Nelson McMakin & Becky Thomas (KY). T-Bernard S Flint. 3rd-GPX, \$32,000, Alw, 3yo, f, 7f, 1:23 4/5, ft. PLENTY OF LIGHT (f, 3, Colony Light--Iceycindy {MSW, \$186,554}, by Northrop) was an impressive maiden winner across town at Calder Dec. 27 at this trip, taking over after a half mile and driving to a 2 1/2-length debut success. The 2-1 second choice in her first start against winners, the bay stumbled at the start but advanced to chase the leaders, engaged the pacesetter inside the final eighth and won going away by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$34,700.

O-J J Balsamo. B-J D Farm (FL). T-Leo Azpurua Jr.

7th-GPX, \$32,000, Alw, 3yo, f, a1 1/16T, 1:45 2/5, fm

TIPPITY WITCH (f, 3, Affirmed--Senora Tippy {SW-Fr, GSP-US, \$188,833}, by El Gran Senor), campaigned exclusively on the grass, broke her maiden at second asking Sept. 6 before a fifth in allowance company Nov. 10. The 9-10 choice off an even seventh in the Jan. 1 Tropical Park Oaks in her latest, the homebred filly, unhurried early on, advanced to engage long-time leader Ellesmere (Tabasco Cat) inside the eighth pole and got her nose down on the line for the victory. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$50,120.

O/B-Landon Knight (KY). T-William Badgett Jr.

6th-GPX, \$32,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, ft. GRIDIRON (g, 4, Tactical Advantage--Tropic Dreams, by Proud Birdie) made eight previous starts for trainer Robert Tiller, all at Woodbine and all resulting in on-the-board finishes, but was unraced since a third-place finish at this trip Aug. 6. Making his first outing for his new trainer, the gelding was taken in hand to trail early, shifted out four wide on the far turn, was still three lengths in arrears at the eighth pole but closed with a flourish to win by 1/2 length at 6-1. Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-5, \$69,435.

O-Walton H. B-Swift Creek Farms Inc. (FL). T-Anthony Mattine.

STAKES CLOSINGS

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Florida Report cont.

9th-GPX, \$32,000, Alw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5, ft. BARE OUTLINE (c, 3, Broad Brush--Ms. Margi {SW & GISP, \$247,915}, by Private Account), eighth in one-turn events in her first two career starts, improved marginally when stretched to a route at Keeneland Oct. 30 and broke out of the maiden ranks in a one-turn mile at Aqueduct Nov. 20. A 14-1 longshot off a seventh-place finish in his two-turn comebacker at Gulfstream Jan. 8, the 1/2 to Carreras (Seeking the Gold), MSP, \$181,230, stalked the pace, took over on the far turn and was kept to task to win by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$44,720.

O-William J Condren. B-E A Cox Jr. (KY). T-Nicholas P Zito.

11th-GPX, \$32,000, Alw, 3yo, f, a1 1/16mT, 1:45, fm. CHIEF GOSSIP (f, 3, Chief's Crown--Track Gossip {SW}, by Shahrastani) took seven tries to break her maiden, but showed some courage in doing so Dec. 16 at Calder after being steadied on the far turn. Her last was a troubled fourth in a Gulfstream allowance Jan. 5 and she went off as the 3.20-1 second choice. Once again, she had to be steadied, this time after being bumped at the start. The 1/2 to Crash Course (Holy Bull), SW & GSP, \$109,815, came out for her stretch run and drew clear for a 1 3/4-length win. Lifetime Record: 9-2-0-1, \$35,835.

O/B-Jesse M Robinson (KY). T-Frank Gomez.

2nd-GPX, \$30,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12, ft. + MINIZIG (f, 3, Danzig--Minidar {GSW, \$350,900}, by Alydar) sported some good gate works at Payson Park including a four-furlong bullet Jan. 6 in :50 over the deep surface. Debuting with Lasix, the even-money favorite chased the pacesetters while three wide, forged a short advantage at the furlong marker and withstood a late run from first-time starter Babala (Relaunch) to win by three parts of a length. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,000.

O/B-Edward P Evans (Ky). T-Mark Hennig.

Migliore Revels in Return to Winner's Circle:

"I'm overwhelmed," was the simple sentiment expressed by jockey Richie Migliore after his victory in Saturday's fourth race aboard the John Kimmel-trained Maundays Bay, his first victory since returning from a wrist injury sustained last July. "The release of energy and emotions I'm feeling now. It's been a long road but I'm just so happy to be back it's hard to describe."

Kip Aiming for Deputy Minister:

Kelly Kip (Kipper Kelly), a somewhat disappointing fourth in the Jan. 16 GIII Hallandale Beach H. in his first start in nine months, will make his next start in the GIII Deputy Minister H. at 6 1/2 furlongs Feb. 6, according to trainer Allen Jerkens. The six-year-old breezed four furlongs Saturday in a leisurely :49 4/5, a satisfactory work according to Jerkens. "It was what I wanted from him and he's doing fine."

Lemon Drop Kid Breezes:

Last year's GI Belmont and Travers S. winner Lemon Drop Kid (Kingmambo) went three furlongs Saturday morning in :36 2/5 in his first work since returning to trainer Scotty Schulhofer's barn from a brief respite on the farm. "We're going slow with him and he's still a ways away from the races, but he might be ready for something during the later part of this meeting," Schulhofer commented. Schulhofer, a month after triple bypass heart surgery, is now spending several days a week at his barn.

☆ NEW YORK ☆

Yesterday's Results:

BUSANDA S., \$83,350, AQU, 1-23, 3yo, f, a1m70yd, 1:45 3/5, ft.

- 1--#QUIT COMPLAINING, 114, f, 3, Lil E. Tee--Broad Avenue, by Broad Brush. (\$1,100 yrl '98 FTKOCT). O-Pez Stable; B-Cal Partee (KY); T-Steve Klesaris; J-S X Bridgmohan; \$50,010. Lifetime Record: 6-3-1-1, \$103,700.
- 2--Fiesty Countess, 118, f, 3, Count the Time--Poqito Polly, by Ogygian. (\$12,000 yrl '98 KEESEP; \$14,000 yrl '98 OBSJAN; \$5,200 2yo 1999 OBSAPR). O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable. \$16,670.
- 3--Yahk Forty, 114, f, 3, Lear Fan--Another Notch, by Cox's Ridge. (\$37,000 yrl '98 KEESEP). O-Rova Farms. \$9,169.

Margins: NK, 2 1/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 2.15, 1.95, 13.30.

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Quit Complaining was second and third in her first two career starts before going to the sidelines and returned from 2 1/2-month rest to break her maiden at Delaware Park Aug. 29. The bay led through the opening half mile of the Blue Hen S. at Delaware Sept. 18 before tiring to fifth and did not race again until airing by six against an Aqueduct allowance field Dec. 8 in her first attempt at a route with Lasix and front wraps added. Sent off the second favorite off that effort, the \$1,100 FTKOCT yearling purchase attended slow fractions, took over on the far turn and repulsed a stretchlong challenge from favored Fiesty Countess to score the victory. Yakh Forty, widest into the stretch, rallied gamely for the show. Said winning trainer Steve Klesaris, "I wanted her to just sit comfortably off the lead. It worked out well. We'll evaluate her before deciding what's next, but it'll be here in New York."

FRED CAPPY CAPOSSELA S., \$81,075, AQU, 1-23, 3yo, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

- 1--#MAX'S PAL, 117, c, 3, Marquetry--Singin Up a Storm, by Storm Cat. (\$23,000 yrl '98 KEESEP; \$120,000 2yo 1999 OBSMAR). O-Dweck Raymond; B-Parrish Hill Farm (Ky); T-Ben W Perkins Jr; J-D V Beckner; \$48,645. Lifetime Record: 6-4-0-0, \$115,995.
- 2--Citizen, 115, c, 3, Citidancer--M. J. Bean, by Cormorant. (\$50,000 yrl '98 FTNAUG). O-Flying Zee Stable. \$16,215.
- 3--Rich Down, 115, c, 3, Rizzi--First Down, by Oh Say. (\$65,000 yrl '98 OBSAUG). O-Sunny Meadow Farm.

Margins: 2, 2 1/4, 3 1/4. Odds: 1.55, 4.40, 4.30. Max's Pal took a Delaware Park maiden event by a nose in his career bow Aug. 4 and shipped up to Monmouth Park to make it two-for-two with a 1 1/4length victory Aug. 27. A pace-pressing fourth in the Dover S. back at Delaware Sept. 19, the chestnut ended his two-year-old season when fifth in the Morven S. over the Meadowlands turf Oct. 1. Favored here off a neck victory Jan. 2, Max's Pal disputed the early pace three deep with Lord Of Time (Gilded Time) and Rich Down, accelerated away from those two entering the lane and held Citizen at bay for his first stakes score. "It didn't look like there was alot of speed in the race and he'd be able to dictate the pace," said winning trainer Ben Perkins Jr. "He looks like a real nice sprinter. I'm not sure if we'd stretch him out," he added.

8th-AQU, \$48,000, Alw, 4/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, ft. NOT SO FAST (h. 6. Double Negative--Timeless Affect, by Timeless Moment) is another one of a string of fantastic claims. Taken for just \$35,000 from a two-length victory at Belmont July 14, the bay was second for \$50,000 before getting a break. A 5 1/2-length winner in his Nov. 19 comebacker, he was third Dec. 3 before dropping into state bred stakes company to win the Alex M Robb H. in his last start Dec. 31. A 9-2 shot despite these successes. Not So Fast raced two deep on the backstretch, angled out in upper stretch and ran down favored Noteasybeingreen (Distninctive Pro) to win by 1/2 length. Lifetime Record: SW, 37-9-8-5, \$259,831.

O-Double T Stable. B-Phillips Stephanie (NY). T-Bruce N Levine.

10th-AQU, \$46,000, Alw, 4/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51 2/5, ft. ORGANIZED (g. 4, Meadowlake--Uncluttered, by Silent Screen) skimmed the rail to win a Belmont allowance heat Oct. 22, but was out of the money in thee subsequent starts, including a fifth-place finish in his first-ever start over the inner track Dec. 26. Let go at 10-1 off his suspect form, the gelding was reined in to run last for four furlongs, rallied stoutly into contention on the far turn, engaged Blacksage Alley (End Sweep) at the eighth pole and got the nod. He is a 1/2 to Irish (Melyno {Ire}), GSW, \$279,335. Lifetime Record: 16-4-1-1, \$118,340.

O-Fernung Brent. B-Hartland Farm (KY). T-William Badgett Jr.

5th-AQU, \$44,000, Alw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft. BUTTON RAISE (c, 3, Crafty Prospector--Annual Report, by Seattle Slew) broke his maiden by a pole when tried around two turns Dec. 9 and was taken from that race for \$40,000 from trainer Mark Hennig. Eighth in an Aqueduct sprint next out, the dark bay found himself routing Jan. 5 and finished a much-improved second. The 8-1 shot was kept close to the early pace, took over on the far turn and drew off to win by six widening lengths. Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-0, \$56,900. O-R Kay Stables, B-Overbrook Farm (KY), T-Rene A Araya.

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2nd-AQU, \$41,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft. BEAM US UP (c, 3, You and I--Beamy, by Forty Niner) was a late running second in his Aqueduct main track debut Nov. 18, missing by just a nose, but was compromised by a wide draw in his latest on the inner Dec. 30. He raced five wide that day en-route to a third-place finish by 3/4 of a length at 8-5. Favorably drawn this time around, the 7-5 choice alternated on the lead for a half, disposed of a challenge from firster Shutter Speed (Jolie's Halo) at midstretch and held Flying Baron (Deputy Minister) safe to win by 1 1/4 lengths. The latter is a three parts brother to 1997 Belmont winner Touch Gold. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$37,310. O-Jayeff B Stables. B-Jayeff B Stables & Barry Weisbord (Ky). T-Alan E Goldberg.

Toscano Undergoes Surgery:

Jockey Paul Toscano, injured during the running of Saturday's sixth race at Aqueduct, was to undergo surgery yesterday morning at Jamaica Hospital in New York. "He severed the bone in his left arm in a few places," said Toscano's father, John Toscano Jr. "They are going to have to put a plate in his left arm and a couple of screws." The elder Toscano also said that there was the possibility that the rider had also fractured his pelvis, which could also require surgery. The jockey is expected to be out from four to six months, according to Toscano Jr.

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Saturday's Late Results:

MAXXAM GOLD CUP H., \$100,000, HOU, 1-22,

3vo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:49 2/5, ft.

- 1--ALLEN'S OOP, 117, g, 5, Nines Wild--Silhouette, by Star Choice. (\$10,000 yrl '96 KEESEP). O-Jackson James D; B-Thomas Hudgins, II & Robert Fox (KY); T-Dallas E Keen: J-W Martinez; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 18-4-5-5, \$299,278.
- 2--Vilaxy, 115, h, 5, Vilzak--J. D.'s Galaxy, by Buffalo Lark. \$20,000.
- 3--Chief Three Sox, 117, h, 5, Chief Honcho--Ramona Kay, by Our Native. \$11,000.

Margins: NK, 4 3/4, 4 1/4. Odds: 0.90, 3.30, 6.30.

Allen's Oop punched his ticket to the GIII New Orleans H. at the Fair Grounds Mar. 5 with a gritty victory as the odds-on favorite. The gelding, winner in his last start of the seven-furlong Sam Houston Sprint H. Jan. 1, prompted the pace outside Chief Three Sox, overtook that rival at the eighth pole and held off Vilaxy for the victory. "He's a very versatile horse, he has got that kind of speed and can still carry the distance," said winning trainer Dallas Keen.

DIPLOMAT WAY H., \$75,000, FGX, 1-23, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44, sy.

- 1--#PIKEPASS, 111, c, 4, Forty Niner--Deanna's Special (SP), by Storm Bird. O/B-E W Jiles (KY); T-Kenny P Smith; J-T T Doocy; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$86,763. *1/2 to Patrick (Risen Star), SW, \$185.725.
- 2--Phil the Grip, 113, g, 6, Crafty Prospector--Ionian Bride, by Icecapade. (\$62,000 yrl '95 KEESEP; \$160,000 HRA '97 FTNNOV). \$15,000.
- 3--Desert Air, 117, h, 5, Manzotti--Desert Angel, by Desert Wine. (\$8,000 wlng '95 KEENOV). \$8,250. Margins: 5HF, HD, 5. Odds: 8.00, 3.50, 3.00.

Pikepass certainly doesn't need, or even have, a home track. He won at first asking Aug. 28 at Remington Park and followed that up with an allowance score Oct. 16 at Keeneland. His last was a game second in a Churchill allowance Nov. 26, trying to go wire-to-wire. Sent off as the second-longest shot in this five-horse field at 8-1, Pikepass quickly opened up two lengths out of the gate. Desert Air closed on the leader turning for home, but Tim Doocy asked Pikepass for more and he kicked clear, romping home by 5 1/2 lengths. "I wanted to keep him in allowance company," said trainer Kenny Smith, "but [owner] Mr. Jiles wanted to start running him in stakes. We just hope he continues to progress." Take Note of Me (Notebook), the 7-10 favorite off of several stakes wins at the Fair Grounds, never put in a run and finished last.

8th-FGX, \$30,000, Alw, 3yo, f, 1m (off turf), 1:40 4/5,

REACH (f, 3, Dynaformer--Northabout, by Northern Dancer), second in her first two starts, was fifth in a Churchill maiden Nov. 25 before switching to the turf to graduate in her last start over the local green Dec. 27. The 3-1 second choice in this off-the-turfer, the homebred saved ground, angled outside on the turn and back to the inside for the stretch run then drew off to win by 3 1/2. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$53,840. O/B-Claiborne Farm (KY). T-Frank L Brothers.

3rd-HOU, \$11,500, Msw, 1-22, 3yo, f, 1:12 1/5, ft. + LOVES A FIGHT (f, 3, Fit to Fight--Police Scout {MSP}, by Police Inspector), a \$9,000 KEESEP yearling, raced in midpack through the opening furlongs, swung six wide turning for home and was along in the final jumps to win by a neck at odds of 6-1. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,900.

O-Janet H & Kenneth A Love. B-Nancy C Shuford (NC). T-William B Calhoun.



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Midwest Report cont.

Margie Peters Passes Away:

Margie Peters, who with her husband Bill operated Thunderhead Farm in Des Moines, Iowa, passed away Saturday after a two-week bout with double pneumonia. She was 69 years old. The couple had nine horses, including the stakes winners Lady Gin and Battle Mountain and also raced MGSW Mariah's Storm, whom the couple sold at the Keeneland November sale for \$2.6 million in foal to Storm Cat. Services are to be held tomorrow at the Hamilton Funeral Home in Des Moines.

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Yesterday's Results:

3rd-SAX, \$58,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:34, fm. CENTRAL LOBBY (IRE) (h, 5, Kenmare {Fr}--Style of Life, by The Minstrel) was the winner of his initial American effort last February, but had not been able to win in seven straight starts until his last effort Dec. 26, when he took a one-mile turf allowance by three lengths. The 7-5 favorite settled in sixth just off the rail, advanced along the inside, moved out leaving the turn then closed along the wood in the stretch to win by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 16-3-5-4, \$155,893. O-Juddmonte Farms Inc. B-Mrs C L Weld (IRE). T-Robert Frankel.

6th-SAX, \$47,000, Msw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft. TRIBUNAL (c, 3, Deputy Minister--Six Crowns {SW & GISP, \$136,274}, by Secretariat), a \$1.8 million Keeneland July yearling, was a half-length second Jan. 1 at Santa Anita in his last. The half to Chief's Crown (Danzig), Ch. 2vo Colt, MGISW, \$2,191,168; and Classic Crown (Mr. Prospector), MGISW, \$535,919, saved ground here, moved between horses into the stretch and showed a devastating kick to pull away to a fivelength win as the 9-10 favorite. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$37,600.

O-Lewis Robert B & Beverly J. B-Rosen Associates Carl (KY). T-Bob Baffert.

9th-SAX, \$45,625, Msw, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:17 1/5, ft. STORMY MONDAY (f, 3, Storm Cat--Bright Asset, by Private Account) led but faded to third at 9-10 in her lone start, a maiden special Jan. 1 at Santa Anita. She was beaten that day by Mean Imogene (Silver Deputy), third in yesterday's GII Santa Ynez, and Due at Dawn (Meadowlake), who went off as the 3-2 choice here. But it was Stormy Monday, the 19-10 second choice, who controlled this affair, leading throughout and opening up in the stretch for a 1 1/2-length win. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$32,400.

O/B-B W Hughes (KY). T-Ronald W Ellis.

FOREIGN

U.S.-BRED WINNER IN DUBAI:

Blue Snake, c, 4, Gone West--Dabaweyaa (Ire) (SW & G1SP-GB, \$120,918), by Shareef Dancer. Nad al Sheba, 1-23, Cond., 4yo/up, 1 1/16m. O-Mohammed Abdulla bel Obaida; B-Gainsborough Farm Inc (KY); T-Saeed bin Suroor. *1/2 to Magellan (Hansel), GSW-US, GSP-GB, \$461,441. **Stablemate Bahamian Bounty (GB) was pulled out of the race at the 1,000meter mark due to a slipped saddle, but it would have made no difference as Blue Snake led throughout for a dominating nine-length win. Bathwick (Ire) finished second with UAE newcomer Moutahddee (Ire) another three lengths away in third. Out of the 1000 Guineas placegetter Dabaweyaa, the second leg of the Listed Maktoum Challenge early next month is a likely target.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S.-BASED STALLIONS: Sudden Hope (Aus), g, 2, Personal Hope--Sans Averti (Aus) (GSP-Aus), by Tumbledownwind (Ire). Wyong (New South Wales), 1-23, Hahn Premium Light H., 2yo, 5fT, \$3,113 to winner. B-Mr J R Cribb, Mrs P D Cribb & A L Garling: T-Neil Godbolt.

Ooh La La (Aus), f, 3, Brocco--Patin Noir (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Wyong (New South Wales), 1-23, Halekulani Bowling Club Maiden, 3yo/up, 6f 165ydsT, \$2,583 to winner. B-R F Thompson; T-N McBurney.

Deadly (Aus), g, 4, Royal Academy--Our Lucky Change (NZ), by Danzatore. Caulfield (Melbourne), 1-23, Franklins Pty Ltd Plate, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, \$10,764 to winner. B-Entreaty Breeding Venture; T-T Noonan.

BREEDERS' EDITION

STAKES RESULTS:

JAMEELA S., \$60,000, LRL, 1-23, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11, ft.

- 1--CASE OF THE BLUES, 119, f, 3, In Case--Musical Cure, by Cure the Blues. (\$20,000 yrl '98 FTMOCT). O-Skeedattle II; B-Acorn Hill Farm Inc (Md); T-Hamilton A Smith; J-M T Johnston; \$36,000. Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-0, \$138,339.
- 2--Beda Maria, 115, f, 3, Compelling Sound--Tough to Touch, by George Navonod. (\$11,000 wlng '97 FTMDEC). \$12,000.
- 3--Logan's Press Card, 115, f, 3, Press Card--Adellino, by Robellino. (\$4,200 yrl '98 FTMOCT). \$6,600. Margins: 2 1/4, 3/4, 6HF. Odds: 0.50, 4.40, 4.00.



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1st-AQU, \$44,000, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48 1/5, ft

IMPULSE SHOPPER (f, 4, Dr. Blum--Instant Shopper, by D'Accord) Lifetime Record: 23-3-1-2, \$109,110.

O-Bertha D Cub Farm. B-New River Stable Partnership (NY). T-Kenneth A Nesky.

3rd-AQU, \$44,000, (S), 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:47 4/5, ft. D J'S GIRL (f, 3, Hay Halo--Changeable Queen, by Noble Nashua) Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0, \$78,000. O-Sepler David & Novak Jay. B-Brendan Mullery (NY). T-L Rice.

7th-AQU, \$44,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft. CHARLES NOTCHARLIE (h, 5, Super Who--Biarritz, by Bold Forbes) Lifetime Record: 32-3-7-7, \$124,414. O-Wagner R S. B-Wise Kriston Von (FL). T-Reade Baker.

8th-BMX, \$37,500, 4yo/up, Opt Clm, 1m, 1:34 4/5, sy. WEGOTOHAVEHARTE (g, 5, Houston--Seldom Seen Sue {GISW, \$334,150}, by Lines of Power) Lifetime Record: 20-5-4-5, \$120,070. O-J Edwards & J Hollendorfer. B-Chris Drakos (KY). T-Jerry Hollendorfer. *Won by 12.

4th-GPX, \$34,000, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft. MAC'S RULE (c, 4, Ruhlmann--Amber's Kandi, by Jumping Hill) Lifetime Record: GSP, 16-3-2-1, \$62,805. O-M H Stable. B-Kim & Eve Kuhlman (CA). T-Rick Hiles.

7th-FGX, \$32,000, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, sy. KUTSA (c, 4, Stuka--Spankey's Seconds {MSW, \$100,972}, by Wig Out) Lifetime Record: MGSP, 13-3-3-4, \$120,580. O-West Point Thoroughbreds. B-Mike & Jeanne L Owens (KY). T-Dallas Stewart. *1/2 to Barefoot Dyana (Dynaformer), MSW & GSP, \$411,933.

9th-TPX, \$29,600, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:35 4/5, ft. SILKS (c, 4, Thirty Six Red--Irish Carey, by Conquistador Cielo) Lifetime Record: 18-5-1-1, \$72,437. O/B-Tom Winters & Giles B Brophy (KY). T-Norman D Miracle Jr.

5th-LRL, \$26,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:54 1/5, ft. WHINALY (f, 4, Alysheba--Whinheny {SP}, by Great Above) Lifetime Record: 13-3-3-1, \$46,395. O-Navair Stable. B-C A Hill Jr. & G S Hodgson (KY). T-G McCarron.

7th-LRL, \$26,000, 4yo/up, 7f, 1:24 4/5, ft. FINISTERRE ROCK (c, 4, Miner's Mark--Centennial Time {SP}, by Storm Bird) Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-2, \$52,080. O/B-Dumbarton Farm (MD). T-James W Murphy.

8th-PHA, \$19,628, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:50 3/5, ft. T BISCUIT (c, 4, Badger Land--Oka No Rogers, by Entitled To) Lifetime Record: 26-4-4-3, \$71,679. O-Rhodyo Stable. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). T-Anthony Correnti.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ Minizig, f, 3, Danzig--Minidar (GSW, \$350,900), by Alydar. GPX, 1-23, 6f, 1:12. B-Edward P Evans (Ky).

Tribunal, c, 3, Deputy Minister--Six Crowns (SW & GISP, \$136,274), by Secretariat. SAX, 1-23, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5. B-Carl Rosen Associates (Ky). *\$1,800,000 yrl '98 KEEJUL. **1/2 to Chief's Crown (Danzig), Ch. 2yo Colt, MGISW, \$2,191,168; Classic Crown (Mr. Prospector), MGISW, \$535,919.

+ Loves a Fight, f, 3, Fit to Fight--Police Scout (MSP), by Police Inspector. HOU, 1-22, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Nancy C Shuford (NC). *\$9,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.

Ticket to Tokyo, f, 3, Jolie's Halo--Ticket to Paradise, by Alydar. LRL, 1-23, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5. B-Arthur I Appleton. *1/2 to Theophanu (The Minstrel), GSW-Ger, \$127,448.

Conspiracy Theory, c, 3, Mr. Greeley--Freedom Breeze (SP), by Ack Ack. BMX, 1-23, 6f, 1:10 3/5. B-W D Rowzee & N O Kile (Ky).

+ Tigere, c, 3, Orbit Dancer--Mia Secretia, by Special Secret. HOU, (S), 1-23, 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-B L Littleton (Tx).

Barberilla, f, 3, Rajab--Jeunesse Yukon, by Yukon. PHA, 1-23, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-John S Scott (FI).

Resent, f, 3, Repriced--Vetch, by Monteverdi (Ire). TAM, 1-23, 7f, 1:27 2/5. B-J Ryan Enterprises Inc (Ky).

Freestone, c, 3, Safe Prospect--A Jersey Peach (SW, \$125,466), by Miteas Well Laff. LRL, 1-23, 1 1/8m, 1:53 1/5. B-Stanley Panco & Celeste Tracy (NJ). *1/2 to Son of Savage (Great Prospector), SP, \$153,270.

Session, f, 3, Seeking the Gold--Court (SW-GB), by Devil's Bag. HOU, 1-23, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Claiborne Farm (Ky). *Full to Attorney, GSP, \$202,819.

Stormy Monday, f, 3, Storm Cat--Bright Asset (SW, \$193,725), by Private Account. SAX, 1-23, 6 1/2f, 1:17 1/5. B-B Wayne Hughes (KY).

Ty's Little Man, c, 3, Winter Halo--Magic Tracy (MSW, \$152,070), by Giuseppe. FGX, 1-23, (S), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Shelton Sonnier (La). *Won in dead heat.

Beam Us Up, c, 3, You and I--Beamy, by Forty Niner. AQU, 1-23, 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Jayeff B Stables & Barry Weisbord (Ky).

Hartwell, g, 4, American Chance--Daisy Trimmer, by Bold Discovery. TPX, 1-23, 6 1/2f, 1:18 3/5. B-Hartland Farm (Ky). *\$16,000 wlng '96 KEENOV; \$33,000 yrl '97 FTMSEP. *1/2 to Wolfie's Rascal (London Company), MGISW, \$321,061.

Tonga Boy, c, 4, Miswaki--Lucky State, by State Dinner. SAX, 1-23, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:45 3/5. B-Societe Aland (Ky). *\$42,000 wlng '96 KEENOV.

Pappy's Native, c, 4, Spellbound--Native Foot, by Pacific Native. FGX, 1-23, (S), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-J Adcock (La). *Won in dead heat. **1/2 to Part Native (Partez), SW, \$146,202; Pappy Dark (Meshach), SP, \$167,825.



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★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Result:

2.45 Leopardstown, AIG Champion Hurdle-G1, Ir£73,500, 4yo/up, 2mT, 3:53.90, yl.

ISTABRAQ (IRE) (g, 8, Sadler's Wells {USA}--Betty's Secret {USA}, by Secretariat {USA}), the best hurdler of recent times, suffered a shock defeat by Limestone Lad (Ire) (Aristocracy (GB)) over 21/2 miles at Fairyhouse Nov. 28, but got back to winning ways with a comfortable win at Leopardstown Dec. 29. Bidding to secure a third successive Irish Champion Hurdle en route to a possible record-equalling third victory in the G1 Champion Hurdle at Cheltenham March 14, he was always traveling supremely as Limestone Lad led from the start into the straight. Jockey Charlie Swan only asked for minimal effort as Istabraq readily cruised into the lead approaching the final flight and he sauntered four lengths clear of Stage Affair (USA) (Theatrical {Ire}) on the run-in for another impressive win as the 2-9 favorite. Lifetime Record: 23-20-3-0, Ir£853,702. O-J P McManus; B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd; T-Aidan O'Brien; J-Charlie Swan.

* ITALY *

Yesterday's Results:

2.25 Pisa, Premio Fiera Stalloni (Cond.), L26,775,000, 3yo, 6½fT, 1:16.40, hy.

BLUE MELODY (ITY) (f, 3, Bluebird {USA}--Treasure Hope {Ire} {GSW-Ity}, by Treasure Kay {GB}). Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, L35,445,000. O-A & S Botti; B-J.J.M.R.; T-A & G Botti; J-C Fiocchi.

3.55 Pisa, Premio Hid Corse (Cond.), L19,125,000, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:28.50, hy. PRIWINGS (IRE) (h, 5, In The Wings {GB}--Primisca {Ire} {SW & MGSP-Ity}, by Double Form {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 27 starts, 4 wins, 20 places, L216,185,000. O-Razza Giallorossa; B-Scuderia Three Foxes; T-I Tellini; J-A Paraavani.

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★ U.S. PREMIERES

How They Fared:

9th-Santa Anita Park, 1-22, \$54,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.26, fm.

THE SEVEN SEAS (USA) (f, 4, El Gran Senor {USA}-Tiffany's Gem {USA}, by Effervescing {USA}) had only
three career starts for Jean de Roalle, winning her last,
an allowance event at Clarefontaine Aug. 25. She was
off slowly, saved ground, moved four wide into the lane
and rolled to a three-length win at 6.50-1.

O-3 Plus U Stable; B-La Jolla Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Bobby Frankel; J-Alex Solis.

9th-Santa Anita Park, 1-22, \$54,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.26, fm.

ARES VALLIS (IRE) (f, 4, Caerleon {USA}--Hoedown Honey {USA}, by Country Light {USA}) had been 1-2-3 in all six of her starts before a 10th in the G1 Prix Vermeille in her last Sept. 12 for Andre Fabre. Sent off as the 2.10-1 favorite, she broke slowly, came four wide into the stretch and rallied for sixth.

O-Gary Tanaka; B-Barronstown Stud, Katom & Raffin Stud; T-Ben Cecil; J-Brice Blanc.

9th-Santa Anita Park, 1-22, \$54,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48.26, fm.

SILVER WHALE (FR) (f, 4, Highest Honor {Fr}--Silver Cobra {USA}, by Silver Hawk {USA}) sat in mid-pack, split horses around the turn, but lacked a rally, running eighth at 13.10-1. She had won at first asking for Nicolas Clement, taking a maiden Oct. 19, 1998 at Le Pin-Haras.

O-Fanning, Travato & Villa Vista; B-Symboli & Co Ltd; T-Jerry Fanning; J-Chris McCarron.

3rd-Santa Anita Park, 1-23, \$58,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:34, fm.

CHELSEA BARRACKS (GB) (g, 4, Deploy {GB}--Hymne d'Amour {USA}, by Dixieland Band {USA}) had been running in handicap company for John Dunlop, without much success, albeit at 10 1/5 furlongs and up. He was dismissed at 33-1, was last for the first half, but rallied for a good second.

O-Red Baron's Barn LLC; B-Lord Chelsea; T-Darrell Vienna; J-Pat Valenzuela.

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3rd-Santa Anita Park, 1-23, \$58,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:34, fm.

RED SEA (GB) (c, 4, Barathea {Ire}--Up Anchore {Ire}, by Slip Anchor {GB}) made a memorable appearance in the 1998 Breeders' Cup Juvenile when he broke through the gate. Sent off as the 3-1 second choice, he made a four wide move down the backstretch and into the turn, but lacked a late rally, finishing fourth. He had won the G3 Coventry S. June 16, 1998 for Paul Cole, who was unable to win another race with Red Sea. O-Prince Fahd Salman; B-Newgate Stud Company; T-Neil Drysdale; J-Kent Desormeaux.

7th-Santa Anita Park, 1-23, \$56,000, Clm (\$80-70,000), 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:35, fm.

CLAPHAM COMMON (IRE) (h, 5, Common Grounds {GB}--West Of Eden {Ire}, by Crofter {USA}) pulled his way early, went four wide into the turn, and faded to last of 10th. He was last of six in the G3 Gordon S. at Goodwood July 28, his most recent start for Luca Cumani. Before that, he won three straight, including a pair of Listed races in Italy and a Newbury allowance. O-Ronald Charles & Clear Vally Stud; B-Ballysheehan Stud; T-Sandy Shulman; J-Luis Jauregui.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

Sovereign Abbey (Ire), f, 4, Royal Academy (USA)--Elabella (Ire), by Ela-Mana-Mou (Ire). Wolverhampton, England, Provincial Racing Throughout The Midlands Maiden S. (Class D), 1-22, 4yo/up, 9f 79yds (AWT), £2,614 to winner. B-G S Shropshire. *50,000gns yrl '97 TAHOU.

★ BRITAIN ★

WILLIAM HILL MAY GO PUBLIC

William Hill, Britain's second biggest bookmaker, is contemplating floating on the London Stock Exchange to take advantage of the interest in companies with internet businesses. William Hill last year started three internet gambling sites and is about to, closely followed by rivals, offer tax-free betting to British bettors via the 'net. The bookmaker is considering either floating the whole company or the telephone and internet betting interests. Chief executive John Brown said, "We'd be floating an internet company that actually made money from the very start."

NEWBURY APPOINTS HERBERT DIRECTOR

Newbury Racecourse will announce today the appointment of Harry Herbert as a non-executive director. He is best known as managing director of Highclere Thoroughbred Racing Ltd, founded in 1992, which has raced some outstanding horses, including the champion sprinters Lake Coniston (Ire) and Tamarisk (Ire). He also acts as racing consultant to Cartier and manages the successful Royal Ascot Racing Club.

ELSWORTH TO LEAVE JUMPING

One of Britain's leading dual-purpose trainers, David Elsworth, announced yesterday that he is withdrawing from jump racing to concentrate on the flat at the end of the season in June. "I am not enjoying it any more," he said. "What is the point in doing something you don't enjoy? We have got 100 horses for the flat and they are the best bunch we have ever had." He has won nearly all the top jump races and is best known for training Desert Orchid (GB), one of the most popular horses ever to race in Britain.

★ AUSTRALIA ★

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS:

Grand Anchor (Aus), c, 3, Grand Lodge (USA)--Marinella (Aus) (MGSP-Aus), by Red Anchor (NZ). Caulfield (Melbourne), 1-23, Neutrality Plate, 3yo, c/g, 7f 45ydsT, £6,533 to winner. B-Wood Nook Farm Pty Ltd; T-Lee Freedman.

Stormont (Aus), g, 4, Brief Truce (USA)--Blixen (Aus) (GSW-Aus), by Mighty Avalanche (Aus). Kembla Grange (New South Wales), 1-22, Greg Anderson Farewell H., 3yo/up, 6fT, £1,890 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes.

Mr. Selby (Aus), c, 4, Tirol (Ire)--Volitic (Aus), by Noalcoholic (Fr). Morphettville (Adelaide), 1-22, New Year's Gift (Listed), 3yo/up, 1mT, £10,775 to winner. B-Membeli Pty Ltd; T-Daniel O'Sullivan. *Full to Alpiner (Aus), MSP-Aus.

II Poggione (Aus), g, 5, Shalford (Ire)--Olympus Gold (Aus),
 by Morn Piper (Aus). Goulburn (New South Wales),
 1-21, Tobermory Stud H., 3yo/up, £1,447 to winner.
 B-M Taylor; T-Graeme Rogerson.

★ UNITED ARAB EMIRATES **★**

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS:

Jamrr (Ire), c, 4, Barathea (Ire)--Ela Romara (GB) (MGSW & G1SP-GB), by Ela-Mana-Mou (Ire). Nad al Sheba, 1-23, Hcp., 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT. O-Sheikh Rashid bin Mohammed al Maktoum; B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; T-Nick Robb. *1/2 to Foyer (GB) (Sadler's Wells {USA}), GSW-GB, \$115,870. **Jamrr made it two wins from two starts in the Emirates with his narrow half-length win over Swadene (USA).

Muchtarak (Ire), h, 8, Try My Best (USA)--Secret Hideaway (USA), by Key to the Mint (USA). Nad al Sheba, 1-23, Hcp., 4yo/up, 1m. O-Hamad Amer Humaid al Mansoori; B-E O'Leary; T-Kiaran McLaughlin. *25,000gns yrl '93 TAOCT.

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