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Monday, February 7, 2000

### TRIPLE CROWN NOMINATIONS RELEASED

GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner Anees (Unbridled), owned by Prince Ahmed Salman's The Thoroughbred Corporation, and Overbrook Farms' GI Hollywood Starlet winner Surfside (Seattle Slew) head the list of 387 early nominees to the VISA Triple Crown announced yesterday. A record 24 entries have been received from Europe and the Middle East, the most prominent of which is Breeders' Cup Juvenile runner-up Chief Seattle (Seattle Slew), recently purchased by Godolphin and one of 11 nominees from the Dubai-based operation. Satish Sanan's Padua Stables is the leading owner by number of nominees with 12, including GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies' heroine Cash Run (Seeking the Gold) and \$1.4 million yearling Exchange Rate (Danzig), second in the GIII Hollywood Juvenile Championship and GIII Best Pal S. last summer and a recent allowance winner on the turf at Santa Anita. D. Wayne Lukas is the trainer of 21 nominees, followed by his former protege Todd Pletcher with 15 and the Nick Zito barn with 13. Eclipse Award-winning conditioner Bob Baffert is represented by 10, most notably GI Hollywood Futurity winner Captain Steve (Fly So Free). Baffert is in pursuit of his third Kentucky Derby victory in four years. First-crop sire and 1994 Preakness winner Tabasco Cat, as well as Danzig, Deputy Minister and 1990 Kentucky Derby winner Unbridled, each have nine nominees, followed by Wild Again with eight. Perennial leading sire Storm Cat and Summer Squall, sire of 1999 Derby winner Charismatic, are each represented by seven runners. Ed Seigenfeld, executive vice president of Triple Crown Productions, commented, "It's especially gratifying to see our international horsemen show their interest in the VISA Triple Crown. The record turnout for nominations from overseas bodes well for the future of prestigious horse racing not only in this country, but also in Europe and the Middle East." Other prominent nominees include GI Champagne S. hero Greenwood Lake (Meadowlake), GI Futurity winner Bevo (Prospectors Gamble), GI Hopeful S. winner High Yield (Storm Cat) and More Than Ready (Southern Halo) and Summer Note (Notebook), deadheat victors of the GII Hutcheson S. at Gulfstream Park Jan. 29. This year's Kentucky Derby will be run May 6, followed by the May 20 Preakness and the June 10 Belmont S. Late nominations, accompanied by a \$6,000 payment, are due Saturday, Apr. 1.

#### THIS BUD'S FOR YOU

You have to root for Budroyale (Cee's Tizzy). Once a member of the claiming ranks, the seven-year-old gelding made it all the way to the top last season with a start in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic and proved he belonged with a second-place finish at 26-1 odds. He came back as the 13-10 favorite in the Jan. 16 GII San Pasqual H. and finished second, but made amends yesterday, closing from fourth in a tightly bunched fivehorse field to capture the GII San Antonio H. by 1 1/4 lengths over Classic hero Cat Thief (Storm Cat). "We've always had high hopes for Bud, but never this high," winning trainer Ted West said. "We never expected we might have the best horse in the country." As for what's next, West said, "We were considering Dubai earlier, but we're leaning toward staying here for the Santa Anita H. (GI, Mar. 4). He's run two great races over this track, and he's only getting better." Cat Thief, third in the Dec. 26 GI Malibu and second in the Jan. 15 GII San Fernando Breeders' Cup H., will also be back for the 1 1/4-mile Big 'Cap. "(Jockey Pat Day) said he was struggling with the racetrack," trainer D. Wayne Lukas said. "I still thought he might win, but it looks like he needs the whole mile and a quarter." (Chart, p2)

### **DUBAI WORLD CUP DAY LURES 649 ENTRIES**

With last week's close of second entries, the five stakes events scheduled for the Dubai World Cup card at Nad Al Sheba Mar. 25 have attracted a record 649 nominations. Handicappers from four continents will meet in London this week to analyze the entries and report their findings to the Dubai World Cup Committee, who will in turn determine who will be invited to run. The nominations come from 19 countries, including Argentina, Brazil and Chile; Saudi Arabia, Bahrain and the United Arab Emirates; Britain, France and Germany; Australia and New Zealand; Hong Kong, Japan and Singapore; and the United States. Les Benton, chairman of the Dubai World Cup Committee, said, "(This) is a record...that we are proud of, however we will not sit back, we will continue to work hard to ensure that the very best of the entries make their way to Nad Al Sheba on Mar. 25." The undercard to the \$6 million GI Emirates Dubai World Cup offers the \$2 million GIII Dubai Duty Free, \$2 million GIII Dubai Sheema Classic, \$1 million Golden Shaheen and \$500,000 UAE Derby.

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# **☆ RESULTS ☆**

Sunday, Santa Anita SAN ANTONIO H.-GII, \$300,000, SAX, 2-6, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:48 3/5, ft.

1--BUDROYALE, 121, h, 7, by Cee's Tizzy
1st Dam: Cee's Song, by Seattle Song
2nd Dam: Lonely Dancer, by Nice Dancer
3rd Dam: Sleep Lonely, by Pia Star

O-Sengara Jeffrey; B-Cecilia Straub Revocable Trust (CA); T-Ted H West; J-G K Gomez; \$180,000. Lifetime Record: MGISP, 46-18-11-2, \$2,649,810.

2--Cat Thief, 120, c, 4, Storm Cat--Train Robbery, by Alydar. O/B-Overbrook Farm (KY); \$60,000.

3--Elaborate, 116, h, 5, Gilded Time--Jeanie's Gift, by Gulch. O/B-J A Toffan & T McCaffery (KY); \$36,000. Margins: 1 1/4, 1HF, HF. Odds: 2.00, 1.70, 9.70.

Also Ran: Moore's Flat, Dixie Dot Com.

Sunday, Santa Anita LA CAÑADA S.-GII, \$200,000, SAX, 2-6, 4yo, f, 1 1/8m, 1:49, ft.

1--#@SCHOLARS STUDIO, 116, f, 4, by Bertrando
1st Dam: Inola Gray, by Graustark
2nd Dam: Indianola, by Turn and Count
3rd Dam: Rosette, by Military Plume

O-King Edward Racing Stable; B-Marshall Naify & Ed Nahem (CA); T-Martin F Jones; J-C S Nakatani; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$197,614.

2--Smooth Player, 117, f, 4, Bertrando--Shy Pirate, by Pirate's Bounty. O/B-Spohler & Wygod (CA); \$40,000.

3--The Seven Seas, 116, f, 4, El Gran Senor--Tiffany's Gem, by Effervescing. (\$185,000 yrl '97 KEESEP). O-4 Plus U Stable; B-La Jolla Thoroughbreds & Ashford Stud (KY); \$24,000.

Margins: 3/4, 3, 7. Odds: 4.70, 0.80, 4.70.

Also Ran: Dianehill (Ire), Flirtacious Girl.

Scratched: West to East.

Cal-bred Scholars Studio, winless in four starts at two, returned from an 11-month layoff to break her maiden against open-company sprinting on the turf at Hollywood Dec. 19 and added a state-bred allowance at a mile on the Santa Anita lawn last time out Jan. 13. Switching to the main track in search of her third straight, the gray went right to the front under jockey Corey Nakatani and cut out the fractions while tracked by 4-5 Smooth Player, then had enough left for the stretch drive to hold off the favorite despite drifting late. "She had a little crack in a hind pastern and we gave her some time off," trainer Marty Jones said. "It didn't need surgery, just time. She's really come back well.

Sunday, Gulfstream Park
DEPUTY MINISTER H.-GIII, \$100,000, GPX, 2-6,
3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15 4/5, ft.

1--#@DEEP GOLD, 112, c, 4, by Olympio
1st Dam: Distinctive Review, by Distinctive Pro
2nd Dam: Isle of Barataria, by Barachois
3rd Dam: Glad Janta, by For The Road
(\$87,000 yrl '97 FTKJUL). O-Millan Joselito L &
Chowhan Naveed (KY); B-Nelson McMakin &
Becky Thomas (KY); T-B S Flint; J-J R Velazquez;
\$60,000. Lifetime Record: 20-6-5-2, \$275,256.

2--Forty One Carats, 116, c, 4, Tactical Advantage--Aly's Jul, by Alysheba. O-Hammer J T & New Walter L; B-Paul R & Mary Anne Denes (FL); \$20,000.

3--Klabin's Gold, 114, g, 5, Strike the Gold--Splendid Launch, by Relaunch. O-Canzone Peter J & Eloise Sr; B-Caesar P Kimmel (KY); \$11,000.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, NK. Odds: 16.00, 2.30, 9.50. Also Ran: Bet Me Best, Lifeisawhirl, Silver Season, Mountain Top, Stormy Do.

Fourth in the Dec. 19 Kenny Noe Jr. H. at Calder and fourth again in his first start this season, a Gulfstream allowance test going seven furlongs Jan. 9, Deep Gold came back to lead every step en route to a one-length Gulfstream allowance score in his latest try Jan. 23, but was ignored at 16-1 with a jump into the graded-stakes ranks. The chestnut colt shadowed front-runner Lifeisawhirl (Island Whirl) through a half in :44 2/5, drove to the front at the top of the lane and was all out to turn back the late bid of favored Forty One Carats for a narrow decision. "We went to school the first couple of times we ran him down here," said assistant Steve Flint, son of Kentucky-based trainer Bernie Flint. "We tried to rate him and it was a tactical error. I told (jockey John Velazquez) to send him on out of there and give him a chance to win. Johnny rode him perfectly and this horse has a big heart; he really dug in through the stretch." The winner makes his next start in the Mar. 10 GII Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup Sprint Championship.

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### **☆ AMERICAN EDITION ☆**

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### VANDERBILT DISPERSAL BOOSTS MIDLANTIC

SALE Featuring the complete dispersal of the estate of the late Alfred G. Vanderbilt, yesterday's Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Winter Mixed Sale in Timonium, Maryland saw a 97-percent increase in gross sales and a 55-percent rise in average. The 10-horse Vanderbilt consignment, with Litz Bloodstock Services as agent, produced the two highest prices at the sale, with the three-year-old filly How Dry I Am (Belong to Me) fetching top bid of \$80,000. Second in her only start to date, the New York-bred was purchased by Barry K. Schwartz. The filly's full brother, Ewer All Wet (Belong to Me), brought the second-highest price, with Kathryn Clark going to \$70,000 for the stakes-winning four-year-old gelding.

### **TOP FOUR - FASIG-TIPTON MIDLANTIC**

Hip # Name Sold As Price

252 How Dry I Am Horse in Training \$80,000

(f, 3, Belong to Me--Tall Glass O'Water, by Thin Slice)

Consigned by Estate of Alfred G. Vanderbilt

(complete dispersal), Litz Bloodstock Services, agent

Purchased by Barry K. Schwartz

248 Ewer All Wet Horse in Training \$70,000
(g, 4, Belong to Me--Tall Glass O'Water, by Thin Slice)
Consigned by Estate of Alfred G. Vanderbilt
(complete dispersal), Litz Bloodstock Services, agent
Purchased by Kathryn Clark

88 Colonial Currency Broodmare \$55,000 (In foal to K.O. Punch)

(8, Pleasant Colony--My Buck, by Buckpasser)
Consigned by Rocky Hill Stables, Inc.,
Charlton (Mr. & Mrs. Rick Abbott), agent
Purchased by Greg Garafalo, agent

175 Palmbeachpussycat Broodmare \$55,000 (In foal to Boston Harbor)

(7, Storm Cat--Garbage Lady, by Fappiano)
Consigned by Charlton (Mr. & Mrs. Rick Abbott), agent
Purchased by Danielle Bishop Stables



# FASIG-TIPTON MIDLANTIC WINTER MIXED SALE

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### PENTELICUS COLT TOPS OBS UNDER TACK

SHOW A chestnut colt by Pentelicus out of Trithenia (Gold Meridian) zipped an eighth of a mile in :10 2/5 to top the works at yesterday's Under Tack Show for the Ocala Breeders' Sales Company's 2000 Sale of Selected Two-Year-Olds in Training at Calder Race Course in Florida. Consigned by Solitary Oak, agent for Foothills, LLC, the colt sells as Hip #82 during the one-day auction, which is set for Tuesday, Feb. 8. Out of a full sister to GSW Tee Kay, the April foal posted a rapid move in the Feb. 1 Preview as well, going one furlong in :10 4/5. A trio of two-year-olds tied for the fastest quarter yesterday, with Hip #23, a filly by Salt Lake out of Reiterate (Drone); Hip #148, a colt already named Rocky Appeal (Valid Appeal--Dame's Rocket, by Timeless Native); and Hip #160, a colt named Strategic Move (Tactical Advantage--Donna's Dolly, by Fire Dancer), all getting the distance in :21 3/5. The workouts from the Under Tack Show and from Tuesday's preview have been videotaped and will be available for viewing during the sale. Bidding begins at 10:30 a.m.

# **☆ FLORIDA** ☆

### Yesterday's Results:

3rd-GPX, \$32,000, Alw, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft. MT. BELLEWOOD (c, 3, Mt. Livermore--Bellewood {SP}, by Alydar) broke his maiden in his third career start at Keeneland Oct. 20 and was eighth when stretched to two turns for the first time at Churchill Nov. 10. Seventh over the local turf Jan. 9, the dark bay was a 5-1 chance in this spot. The homebred stalked the early pace from third, split horses entering the far turn and held favored Eli Lilliput (Summer Squall) safe for a 2 3/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$47,623. O/B-Edward P Evans (KY). T-Mark Hennig.

11th-GPX, \$32,000, Alw, 3yo, f, a8.5fT, 1:46 4/5, fm. SMALL VICES (f, 3, With Approval--Lubicon {Ch. 3yo Filly-Can, MSW, \$264,679}, by Apalachee) broke her maiden in her turf debut at Calder Dec. 29, but weakened trying allowance company at Gulfstream Jan. 13 and finished fifth. Overlooked at 7-1 this time, the gray went right to the front, set a pressured pace and edged clear late to win it by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$35,195.

O-Seltzer Marilyn & Edward. B-Live Oak Stud (FL). T-Martin D Wolfson.

Golden Weekend...1st Aqueduct's Correction, 1st Turf Paradise Derby, 2nd Santa's Anita's San Vicente-G2 and 3rd San Antonio-G2

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#### Florida Report cont.

9th-GPX, \$32,000, Alw, 4yo/up, a1mT, 1:37 2/5, fm. FRENCH ENVOY (c, 4, Deputy Minister--Princess Mitterand {MGISP, \$155,800}, by Seattle Slew), favored in each of his last three starts, was second sprinting at Belmont three starts back, then stretched out to 8 1/2 furlongs to finish fourth Oct. 22. The bay turned back to seven furlongs to score his maiden by a head at Aqueduct Oct. 30. Making his first start since while adding blinkers, trying two turns and trying turf for the first time, the colt was less than diplomatic with his rivals, sweeping to the lead four wide at the top of the turn and powering home to win by 9 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-1, \$67,030.

2nd-GPX, \$30,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft. + HEATHER LIGHT (f, 3, Colony Light--Surely Kris, by Kris S.), a \$22,000 OBSAPR two-year-old purchase, sported very solid local drills for the same connections which sent out Summer Note to win the GII Hutcheson S. The 5.70-1 fourth choice outfooted the field to lead early and drew off when asked to win at first asking by an impressive 10 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$18,000.

O/B-Irving & Marjorie Cowan (KY). T-Howard M Tesher.

O-G Besinger. B-J D Farm (FL). T-Randy L Morse.

7th-GPX, \$30,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. LAURICA (f, 3, Tactical Advantage--Aphrodissia {Fr}, by R B Chesne {GB}), fourth in two starts at two, came back after a two-month break to be second getting Lasix for the first time at Gulfstream Park Jan. 16. The 2-1 second choice this time, she battled 7-5 first-time starter Seattle Flower (Kingmambo) on the front end through fast fractions, was left alone on the lead when that one broke down and fell as they reached the eighth pole, then drew off from the rest of the field for a 4 3/4-length tally. The winner was a \$43,000 OBSAUG yearling and \$30,000 FTMMAY two-year-old. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, \$27,060.

O-Thompson Gil & Velsor Jim. B-Marablue Farm (FL). T-John H Forbes.

### **Ecton Park Preps at Payson:**

GI Super Derby winner Ecton Park (Forty Niner), unraced since a 12th-place finish in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic, worked six furlongs in 1:20 at Payson Park Saturday morning and could make his 2000 bow in the Feb. 26 GI Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup H. "That is an option," trainer Elliott Walden said, "but we're looking at a couple of things."

### Red Bullet to Take New York Road to Derby:

Undefeated three-year-old Red Bullet (Unbridled), winner of an allowance at Gulfstream Park Saturday for his second straight, will head to New York to join the Triple Crown trail. "Our plans are to run him in the Gotham Mile (GIII, Mar. 19) followed by the Wood Memorial (GII, Apr. 15) at Aqueduct," trainer Joe Orseno said. "Then, if everything goes right, it'll be on to the Kentucky Derby."

### Un Fino Vino Possible for Fountain of Youth:

Un Fino Vino (Demidoff), second by a head to Greenwood Lake in the Nov. 27 GII Remsen S. and a onelength allowance winner on his three-year-old debut at Gulfstream Park Jan. 29, could make his next appearance in the Feb. 19 GI Fountain of Youth S. "He came out of his race in fine shape and it'll either be the Fountain of Youth or a race in Arkansas," trainer Mitchell Friedman said. "We're definitely leaning towards the Fountain of Youth because he loves the Gulfstream track and is acclimatized to his surroundings. He has improved by leaps and bounds since he has been there. I'm going to work him (Feb. 13) and then I'll make a final decision on where I'm going to run him. Regardless, Jorge Chavez will ride him." Un Fino Vino, who was claimed for \$50,000 after winning his career opener, has now been first or second in all six starts.

#### Carterista to TRF's Florida Farm:

Eleven-year-old Carterista (Dr. Carter), a multiple graded-stakes winner of \$753,598 who set two course records at Calder, will become the first resident of the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation's Florida Division. The gelding, who won 27 of his 102 starts over nine seasons, is expected to arrive at the Ocala farm by the end of April. "Carterista defines what this project is all about," said Michael Cronin, chairman of the executive board of the TRF Florida Division. "This is a horse who gave it his all on the racetrack over the course of many years. He, like all Thoroughbreds, deserves a peaceful and dignified retirement."

#### Stronach to Add Hialeah to Stable?

Hialeah owner John Brunetti said yesterday that he and Frank Stronach, whose Magna International owns several racetracks including Santa Anita and Gulfstream Park, spoke Saturday about the possible sale of Hialeah, but Brunetti added, "We talked, but there was no conclusion. I'll let you know if anything happens."



# **MEADOWLAKE**

Sire of LUFTIKUS, second in Saturday's Grade II Strub S. and Saturday Stakes Winners DREAMY MAIDEN and NORTH LAKE JANE



### **☆ NEW YORK** ☆

Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$59,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:47 2/5, ft. 1--WILD IMAGINATION, 121, g, 6, Wild Again--La Fantastique, by \*Le Fabuleux. O-Quad Star Stable; B-Live Oak Stud (FL); T-Michael E Hushion. Lifetime Record: GSP, 32-9-8-1, \$352,849. \*1/2 to Nastique (Naskra), MGISW, \$843,121; and Dactique (D'Accord), SW & GSP, \$157,760.

- 2--Durmiente (Chi), 118, g, 6, The Great Shark--Doride (Chi), by Balcones.
- 3--Gold Star Deputy, 121, h, 6, Silver Deputy--Andrea Ruckus, by Bold Ruckus.

Margins: 3 3/4, 2HF, 3HF. Odds: 1.00, 5.60, 7.20. Claimed for \$100,000 at Saratoga last August, Wild Imagination took the lead late in the Nov. 11 GIII Stuyvesant H. before losing by a half length to Best Of Luck, and had been the runner-up in his two subsequent starts as well, finishing 8 1/2 lengths back in an Aqueduct allowance going a mile in the mud Nov. 27 and a length behind the winner in his latest at a mile and a sixteenth over the Big A inner track Dec. 27. Looking to break the streak in his Y2K debut, the bay sprinted right to the front, opened up a seven-length advantage at the top of the lane and cruised home an easy winner.

7th-AQU, \$48,000, Alw, 4yo/up, a1m70yd, 1:40 3/5, ft.

TARQUINIUS (c, 4, Broad Brush--Tarquina {SW-Fr}, by Niniski), the winner of an Aqueduct turf allowance Oct. 30, was sixth in the GIII Queens County H. over the inner two back before rallying late to clear his two-other-than condition Dec. 26 by a 1/2 length. The 6-5 favorite to make it two in a row, the homebred circled horses four wide on the turn and ran away to win by 6 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 12-4-0-2, \$120,560. O-Stronach Stable. B-Frank Stronach (KY). T-J Orseno.

9th-AQU, \$47,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft. DEVIL'S QUID (f, 4, Devil's Bag--Graceful Bid, by Loustrous Bid) won a pair of Aqueduct allowance events last November before dropping in to win her third in a row for a \$75,000 tag Dec. 2. Third and second in her last two starts, the bay was the 6-5 favorite and did not disappoint, setting all the pace en route to a power-house 7 1/2-length victory. Lifetime Record: 25-9-4-3, \$230,360.

O-Goldfarb Sanford. B-Mrs Henry D Paxson (KY). T-Richard E Dutrow Jr.

6th-AQU, \$42,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:46, ft. BLUSHING BROAD (f, 3, Broad Brush--Reina Terra, by Blushing Groom {Fr}) was third in her career bow going a mile at Monmouth Park Aug. 18, but went to the sidelines immediately thereafter. She returned to make her first start for trainer Jimmy Jerkens when third routing over the inner Jan. 9, beaten three lengths. The full to Blushing Groom, GSW, \$491,600; and 1/2 to Clash By Night (Conquistador Cielo), MSW & GSP, \$526,688, was rated in fifth early, came wide into the stretch and was a 1 1/4-length winner as the 5-2 second choice. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, \$33,180. O/B-Robert E Meyerhoff (MD). T-James A Jerkens.

2nd-AQU, \$41,000, Msw, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:12, ft. REBOUNDER (c, 4, Crafty Prospector--Tempest Hill, by Temperence Hill) was fourth in his first two career starts, improved to third over the Aqueduct main with Lasix added Apr. 11 and was third by a 1/2 length in his most recent effort Apr. 25 at Delaware Park with first-time blinkers. The 2-1 second choice off the layoff, he disputed the pace along the inside, shook loose entering the stretch and was 2 1/2 lengths clear under the line. The Illinois-bred is a 1/2 to Broken Code (Lost Code), MSP, \$303,129. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-2, \$36,760. O-Robert Triola & de Leo Stables. B-Richard Perkins & Edward Stewart (IL). T-Robert Triola.

### **Aqueduct to Accept Derby Future Wagers:**

The New York Racing Association has announced that New York racing fans will be able to make advanced wagers on this year's Kentucky Derby at Aqueduct Racetrack. The track will offer three separate future bet pools: Pool 1 will be open Feb. 17-20, Pool 2 will run Mar. 9-12 and Pool 3 is scheduled for Apr. 13-15. Each of the three pools will offer 24 betting interests, including a mutuel field which will encompass all three-year-olds not offered individually. The odds will change from one pool to the next, and the horses included in each pool may vary. The minimum wager will be \$2, and there is win betting only. There will be no refunds for horses which do not start in the Derby.

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### Yesterday's Results:

MARYLAND RACING WRITERS S., \$75,000, LRL, 2-6, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:50 2/5, ft.

- \*1--TOOKIN DOWN, 119, m, 5, Broad Brush--Daytime Princess, by Brent's Prince. O/B/T-Richard W Small (MD); J-N Goodwin; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 26-8-3-7, \$339,894.
- 2--Inn Between, 115, f, 4, Quiet American--Dintel, by Bates Motel. \$15,000.
- 3--Saratoga Friends, 117, f, 4, Valley Crossing--Saratoga Triple, by Saratoga Six. (\$22,000 yrl '97 FTMSEP). \$\$8,250.

Margins: (HF), HF, 3/4. Odds: 1.40A, 6.20, 6.70. \*Proud Owner (Proud Truth) finished first, but was disqualified and placed fourth.

Tookin Down made a pair of successful journeys to New Jersey last fall to win the off-the-turf GIII Violet H. and the Long Look S. at The Meadowlands. Second in the seven-furlong Stefanita S. Nov. 13, the bay closed the year with a third in the Carousel S. and a fourth in the Nellie Morse S. Tenth in the GIII Affectionately H. in her seasonal debut, she was sent off co-favored with stablemate Proud Owner. The homebred stalked the early fractions from just outside of the pacesetter and advanced to assume a short lead at midstretch, only to be overtaken by her stablemate, who bulled her way through from between horses late and crossed the wire first, but was disqualified and placed fourth for brushing Saratoga Friends lightly and carrying that one out.

10th-LRL, \$26,000, Alw, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft. CYCLONE CAT (c, 4, Storm Cat--Highland Crystal {MSW & MGSP, \$380,910}, by Raise a Man) was off the board in his first two lifetime outings, but returned from a nine-month hiatus to be third at Laurel Dec. 17 and most recently celebrated graduation day by a 1/2 length Jan. 14. A 9-1 chance to go back-to-back, the dark bay saved ground early, angled to the outside on the turn and split horses late to score by a 1/2 length. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$32,420.

O-Marathon Farms Inc. B-Dr. W Reed (KY). T-A Dutrow.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races. Purses for Canadian races are in Canadian dollars.

8th-LRL, \$26,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, ft. FINAL FLING (f, 4, Carr de Naskra--Dainty Dotsie {GSW, \$315,189}, by Olden Times) was second in her lifetime bow last Apr. 8, but went to the sidelines and did not return until her maiden-breaking victory over this course and distance Jan. 8. The 9-2 second choice settled off the rail, surged four wide into the stretch, took over at the sixteenth pole and inched clear to win by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$33,270. O/B-William M Backer (MD). T-Barclay Tagg.

# **☆ MIDWEST** ☆

### Yesterday's Result:

**CRABAPPLE S.**, \$40,000, OPX, 2-6, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:37 3/5, ft.

- 1--TEMPERENCE TIME, 113, c, 4, Temperence Hill--Jury's Still Out, by Dahar. O/B-Robert C Barker & Elmer Moses (AR); T-Kenny P Smith; J-T T Doocy; \$24,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 12-7-0-0, \$396,458.
- 2--Jim'smrtee, 113, c, 4, Lil E. Tee--Yuma Queen, by Advocator. (\$7,000 yrl '97 ARKFEB). \$8,000.
- 3--Magic Cat, 113, h, 5, Storm Cat--With a Twist, by Fappiano. (\$800,000 yrl '96 KEESEP). \$4,000. Margins: 4HF, 1 1/4, 1. Odds: 2.30, 17.50, 29.30.

Last year's GIII Remington Park Derby winner, Temperence Time was making his first start since finishing fourth in the GI Super Derby Oct. 2. The second choice in his return, the dark bay settled off the pace from the outside early, kicked it into gear as they headed into the far turn, came out of the turn with the lead and pulled away as much the best.

# **☆ SO. CALIFORNIA ☆**

#### Yesterday's Results:

REB'S POLICY H., \$76,500, SAX, 2-6, 4yo/up, a6 1/2fT, 1:12, fm.

- 1--FABULOUS GUY (IRE), 117, g, 6, Sharp Victor--Fabuleaux Gal, by \*Le Fabuleux. O/B-Malmuth Marvin (IRE); T-lan P D Jory; J-L Pincay Jr; \$45,675. Lifetime Record: GSP, 29-5-4-6, \$270,521.
- 2--El Cielo, 117, g, 6, El Prado (Ire)--Only Above, by Great Above. (\$13,000 wlng '94 KEENOV; \$200,000 2yo 1996 OBSFEB). O-Carr, Miller Trust & D & P Webber Trust. \$15,225.
- 3--Otavalo (Ire), 119, h, 5, Diesis (GB)--Lacovia, by Majestic Light. O-Always Believe Inc. \$9,135. Margins: NK, 1HF, NO. Odds: 14.40, 2.90, 3.80.



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### Reb's Policy S. cont.

Though winless in seven starts last year, Fabulous Guy did manage a third-place finish in the Turf Paradise Breeders' Cup in February, beaten only one length, and was fourth in the GIII San Simeon H. at this trip. Making his first start since a seventh-place finish in the June 13 GII Shoemaker Breeders' Cup Mile, the bay was angled in after the break to save ground off the suicidal pace of :21 and :42 4/5 set by Ex Marks The Cop (In Excess {Ire}). Fabulous Guy found a small seam to run through along the inside into the stretch, and was able to outfinish second choice El Cielo for the narrow victory. The 2.70-1 favorite Painter (Arg) (Robin des Bois) dropped back in the stretch to finish last of seven.

5th-SAX, \$52,500, Alw, 4/up, f/m, a6.5fT, 1:13 1/5, fm. PRIME HAND (GB) (m, 5, Primo Dominie {GB}--Rechanit {Ire}, by Local Suitor), a winner for a \$62,500 tag at Hollywood in April, went to the shelf for seven months following that victory and had been off the board in her three starts since, most recently running fourth after getting bumped around in a Santa Anita allowance Jan. 17. Let go at 11-1, the British-bred mare settled in seventh through a half in :43 4/5 and six furlongs in 1:07 1/5, then flew past the front runners as that pace took its toll and outfinished fellow closer She's Grand (Grand Flotilla) for a half-length score. Lifetime Record: 13-3-2-2, \$76,206.

O-Red Baron's Barn. B-P D Player & Mrs J Shipway-Pratt (GB). T-Darrell Vienna.

### Valenzuela Tests Positive:

Jockey Pat Valenzuela, who lost two years of his riding career to drug problems, reportedly tested positive for amphetamines Saturday morning and has been ordered off all of his mounts by the Santa Anita stewards pending a hearing on the matter. The hearing is scheduled for Wednesday. The postive test is in violation of the conditions set when Valenzuela was granted a one-year license last fall. Since returning to the saddle, he had finished second in the standings at the Hollywood Park fall meet and is currently sixth in the Santa Anita standings.

### **☆ FOREIGN ☆**

### AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN ENGLAND:

Desert Spa, g, 5, Sheikh Albadou (GB)--Healing Waters, by Temperence Hill. Wolverhampton, 2-5, Bet Direct From Littlewoods H., 4yo/up, 1 1/2m (AWT), \$3,860 to winner. O-D M Ahier; B-Robert White & Virginia White; T-Peter Makin. \*\$25,000 yrl '96 KEESEP.

#### AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN ITALY:

Golden Pirate, c, 3, Count The Time--Loot Fever, by Pirate's Bounty. Pisa, 2-6, Premio Cassa Du Risparmio Volterra (Cond.), 3yo, 7 1/2fT, \$7,557 to winner. O-Scuderia Cinque; B-Dr Harvey Liebeskind & Donald Dreyfuss; T-P Miliani. \*SP-lty. \*\*\$2,000 wnl '97 OBSOCT: \$5,000 vrl '98 OBSAUG.

### SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. STALLIONS:

Danarich (Aus), f, 3, Danehill--Rich Haul (Aus), by Haulpak (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 2-6, Oakford Thoroughbred Farm H., 3yo, f, 1mT, \$10,371 to winner. B-Mr R J & Mrs Y E Crabtree; T-Peter Hayes. \*1/2 to The Heavyweight (Aus) (Zeditave {Aus}), GSW & G1SP-Aus; Zedrich (Aus) (Zeditave {Aus}), MSW & GSP-Aus; Born Western (Aus) (Western Symphony), SW-Aus.

Dernier Tycoon (Aus), g, 4, Last Tycoon (Ire)-Coquelinotte (Fr), by Gift Card (Fr). Caloundra
(Queensland), 2-6, Love & Partners Chartered
Accountants H., 3yo/up, 5fT, \$2,340 to winner. B-Mr
B T Agnew; T-Trevor Miller. \*1/2 to Cross Border
(Aus) (Prego {Ire}), SW-Aus; Shadowy Outline (Aus)
(Kala Dancer {GB}), GSW-Aus.

Millais (Aus), c, 4, Royal Academy--New Acquaintance (NZ) (SW & GSP-Aus), by Kings Island (Ire). Caloundra (Queensland), 2-6, Naskam Security Services H., 3yo/up, 1mT, \$2,340 to winner. B-Mrs D O Redmond:

T-Lee Freedman. \*1/2 to Knowledge (Aus) (Last Tycoon {Ire}), G1SW-Aus.

# BREEDERS' EDITION

### STAKES RESULTS:

**FAIR GROUNDS SALES DERBY**, \$50,000, FGX, 2-6, (R), 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:45 1/5, ft.

- 1--DOCTOR MIKE, 122, c, 3, Autocracy--Run Prissy Run, by Bayou Hebert. O-Valene Farms; B-Valene Farms (LA); T-Troy Young; J-C J Woodley; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 14-5-4-2, \$200,584.
- 2--Privileged, 117, c, 3, Malagra--Bend the Times, by Olden Times. (\$40,000 2yo 1999 LOUMAR). \$10,000.
- 3--Colonial President, 115, c, 3, Colonial Affair--Greida, by Far North. (\$30,000 yrl '98 KEESEP). \$5,500.

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- 1--#CHANCE OF THUNDER, 116, g, 5, Jestic-Chancesome, by Somerset. O-Bryant Monte &
  Janese; B-Karry Freeman & Camille Freeman (ID);
  T-Michael Lenzini; J-O A Martinez Jr; \$19,140. Lifetime Record: 29-4-5-6, \$30,220.
- 2--Sword Arm (GB), 121, h, 6, Be My Guest--Gai Bulga (GB), by Kris (GB). \$6,380.
- 3--Iron Heart, 118, h, 5, Cesar Eduardo--Irma L'Douce, by L'Natural. \$3,190.

Margins: 1 3/4, 1 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 12.40, 0.50, 49.30.

**BUCHAREST S.**, \$25,000, HOU, 2-5, 3yo, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.

- 1--#NO LIMIT SOLDIER, 116, c, 3, War Deputy--Foxy Canadian, by Golden Reserve. (\$26,336 yrl '98 CBSSEP). O-Mcingvale James; B-Tod Mtn Thoroughbreds (BC); T-Laura Wohlers; J-N A Shim; \$15,000. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$37,460.
- 2--Canyoukeepasecret, 120, c, 3, Secret Hello--Persona Profit, by Bold Tropic (SAf). (\$21,250 2yo 1999 LOUMAR). \$5,000.
- 3--Buckner Park, 115, c, 3, Pancho Villa--Street Native, by Mr. Prospector. \$2,750.

Margins: NK, 3/4, NK. Odds: 12.40, 0.70, 12.70.

#### **ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

8th-SAX, \$55,620, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:34 4/5, fm. ROTAR (h, 5, Blushing John--Amore Cielo {SP}, by Conquistador Cielo) Lifetime Record: 15-3-1-5, \$92,400. O-Salih Ahmad. B-Allen E Paulson (KY). T-Ahmad S Salih. \*1/2 to Apak (Opening Verse), MSP, \$182,669.

3rd-AQU, \$46,000, (S), 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51, ft. RUMBLE ALONG (c, 4, Thunder Rumble--Dancing Quoit, by Waquoit) Lifetime Record: 7-3-2-0, \$96,000. O-Braeburn Farm. B-Braeburn Farm Corp (NY). T-John Morrison.

**8th-BMX**, **\$37,800**, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:46 2/5, sf.

BOULDER HWY (g, 4, Housebuster--Piling Up, by Secretariat) Lifetime Record: 13-6-1-1, \$91,579. O-WEW Consultores Racing & Hollendorfer. B-White Fox Farm (KY). T-J Hollendorfer. \*1/2 to Prudent

Leader (Mr. Leader), SW, \$120,625.

9th-FGX, \$34,000, 4yo/up, a5 1/2fT, 1:04 3/5, fm.

VINNIE'S BOY (c, 4, Sejm--Vincesca, by Darby Creek

Road) Lifetime Record: 12-4-2-3, \$79,070. O-Robert L

Beck. B-Campbell Gilbert G (FL). T-William Bret Calhoun.

\*1/2 to Garemma (Shananie), GSW, \$395,583; Marilyn's Magic (Shananie), MSP, \$209,698; and

Shananie's Wish (Shananie), MSW, \$130,126.

8th-FGX, \$32,000, 4yo/up, f/m, a1 1/16mT, 1:47 4/5, fm.

ANTOLOGICA (CHI) (m, 5, Torjoun--Alisarda {Chi}, by Cresta Rider) Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-0, \$27,110. O-M & M Racing Stables. B-Haras El Tambo (Chi). T-Michael Stidham.

8th-TPX, \$27,700, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:19 3/5, ft.
RUN DOT COM (c, 3, Numerous--My Miss Brooks {SW, \$114,830}, by Relaunch) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$35,354. O-Select Stable. B-Dr & Mrs Charles Martin (KY), T-Kenneth G McPeek.

9th-TPX, \$27,310, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48 4/5, ft. AUSTIN RUNNER (m, 5, Houston--Raven Runner {SP}, by Storm Bird) Lifetime Record: 19-4-3-2, \$69,386. O-Woods Edge Farm. B-K Kirk Ronald (KY). T-William N Million.

6th-LRL, \$26,000, 3yo, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft. IVARS WILD MOMENT (c, 3, Beau Genius--Betrothal {SP}, by Timeless Moment) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-2, \$45,805. O-Englander Richard A. B-Hedgestone Management (ON). T-Dale Capuano.

7th-LRL, \$26,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:53 3/5, ft. C'EST BIEN (f, 4, Bien Bien--Ridan Prospector {SP}, by Mr. Prospector) Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-2, \$43,040. O-Acorn Hill Farm. B-Sweeley Jess (KY). T-Mary E Eppler. \*1/2 to Snowberg (Seattle Sleet), SW & GISP, \$379,728.

9th-OPX, \$25,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft. TUFF IT (f, 4, Tricky Creek--Solohi, by What a Pleasure) Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-2, \$47,657. O-Charles O Viar. B-West Wind Farms (KY). T-Robert E Holthus.

8th-PHA, \$22,082, 3yo, 6f, 1:13, my. BENSALEM (c, 3, Judge Smells--Spring Chant, by Trenchant) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-2-1-2, \$40,852. O-John

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Von Bellinghausen, c, 3, Black Tie Affair (Ire)--Miss Demeanor, by Criminal Type. LRL, 2-6, 1 1/16m, 1:44

3/5. B-Nydrie Stud, Inc (Va). \*\$18,000 yrl '98 FTKJUL. Blushing Broad, f, 3, Broad Brush--Reina Terra, by Blush-

ing Groom (Fr). AQU, 2-6, 1 1/16m, 1:46. B-Robert E Meyerhoff (Md). \*Full to Blushing Groom, GSW, \$491,600; 1/2 to Clash By Night (Conquistador Cielo), MSW & GSP, \$526,688.

+ Alki Run, c, 3, Cherokee Run--Dancing Tricia (SW, \$115,011), by Ziad. BMX, 2-6, (C), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-Mel & Lori Mellick (Wa). \*\$52,000 yrl '98 WASSEP.

+ Heather Light, f, 3, Colony Light--Surely Kris, by Kris S.. GPX, 2-6, 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-J D Farm (FI). \*\$22,000 2yo 1999 OBSAPR.

Sly Smoker, c, 3, Crafty Prospector--Miss Iron Smoke (GISW, \$332,217), by Iron Constitution. TPX, 2-6, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:19 4/5. B-J & S Seigel (Ky).

Emerald Pendant, f, 3, Emerald Jig--Pin Account, by Private Account. SAX, 2-6, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:17 3/5. B-Tricar Stables Inc (Ca).

Shannons Inferno, f, 3, Naevus--Castle Baby, by Joe Vee. HOU, 2-6, 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5. B-Kenneth & Leslie Shufeldt (Tx). \*\$1,500 yrl '98 TEXAUG.

Laurica, f, 3, Tactical Advantage--Aphrodissia (Fr), by R B Chesne (GB). GPX, 2-6, 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-Marablue Farm (FI). \*\$43,000 yrl '98 OBSAUG; \$30,000 2yo 1999 FTMMAY.

Steimaway, c, 3, Temperence Hill--The Infidel, by Pappa Riccio. OPX, 2-6, (C), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Judy McDonald (Ar).

Here's Ya Mama, f, 3, Wavering Monarch--S. S. Sparkle, by Victorian Prince. AQU, 2-6, (S), a1m70yd, 1:43 1/5. B-Edna P Bensen (Ny).

+ Danni's Lil Girl, f, 3, Xenomania--Raefalina's Girl (MSP), by Distinctive Pro. TAM, 2-6, 6f, 1:13 1/5. B-Edward M Schau (FI).

Rebounder, c, 4, Crafty Prospector--Tempest Hill, by Temperence Hill. AQU, 2-6, 6f, 1:12. B-Richard Perkins & Edward Stewart (II). \*\$55,000 yrl '97 KEESEP. \*\*1/2 to Broken Code (Lost Code), MSP, \$303,129.

R J Solo Flight, f, 4, Gemini Dreamer--Tisheba, by Titanic. HOU, 2-5, 6f, 1:13 2/5. B-Roger & Jacqueline Lambert (Mn).

Dearest Gulch, f, 4, Gulch--Dear Birdie (SP), by Storm Bird. OPX, 2-6, 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-Mrs C V Whitney (Ky).

Rob Bob, g, 4, Medieval Man--D. Dela, by Embassy. SAX, 2-6, (C), 1m, 1:38 2/5. B-Sara Lynn & Fred Yutani (Fl). \*1/2 to John Adam (Thousandfold), MSW, \$237,201.

+ Keep the Gold, c, 4, Miswaki Gold--Key to the County, by Sauce Boat. HOU, 2-6, (S), 6f, 1:12. B-Richard A Mays DVM (Tx).

Harbor Jet, c, 4, Phantom Jet--Center Harbor, by Roanoke Island. TAM, 2-6, 1 1/16m, 1:46 4/5. B-Ann McAlpin Cain (Nj).

Pickright, f, 4, Prospector's Pick--Whirlright, by Native Royalty. SAX, 2-6, (C), 1m, 1:40. B-D Andrews (Ab).

Running Roo, c, 4, Roo Art--Running Rank, by Ahira. RPX, 2-6, 1m, 1:41 1/5. B-Duriel Scales (Ok).

Speedy Mark, h, 5, Cryptoclearance--Samra, by Solford. SUF, 2-6, 6f, 1:16. B-Palides Investments Nv Inc (Kv).

\*\$20,000 yrl '96 KEESEP.



# FOALING NEWS

WHATA ROCK, 8, Malagra--Miss Five Carat (Gallant Romeo)

Foal born 1-18-00, a filly by Kissin Kris.

Will be bred back to Lost Soldier.

Owned by John Franks.

Boarded at Franks Farm in Ocala, Fl.

Accomplishments: MSW, \$205,500.

**REGAL PENNANT**, 12, Banner Bob--Regal Relation (Kamaraan II)

Foal born 1-20-00, a filly by End Sweep.

Will be bred back to Wild Again.

Owned by Craig and Cathy Beam.

Boarded at Denali Stud in Paris, Ky.

Accomplishments: SW, \$162,412; dam of Regal Miss Copelan (Copelan), SW; Regally Appealing (Valid Appeal), GSW, \$269,895.

MAD 'BOUT YOU, 7, Skip Trial--Noontime Jet (Tri Jet) Foal born 1-21-00, a filly by Demaloot Demashoot. Owned by/boarded at Adena Springs, Fl. Accomplishments: SW.

SALTY PERFUME, 5, Salt Lake--Pretty Is (Doonesbury) Foal born 1-21-00, a filly by Silver Hawk. Will be bred back to Gone West. Owned by Robert and Beverly Lewis.

Boarded at Denali Stud in Paris, Ky.



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Monday, February 7, 2000

### RECORD FOREIGN ENTRY TO TRIPLE CROWN

A record total of 24 European- and Middle East-based three-year-olds have been nominated to the American Triple Crown, it was announced yesterday. Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum's Godolphin Racing has named 11 potential runners to the series including G2 July S. winner City On A Hill (USA) (Rahy {USA}), not to mention their recent acquisition of top American two-year-old Chief Seattle (USA) (Seattle Slew {USA}), who is expected to arrive in Dubai Feb. 14. Prominent European and American owner Michael Tabor has nominated nine horses, some of those in partnership with others, including his G1 Prix de la Salamandre hero Giant's Causeway (USA) (Storm Cat {USA}). Aidan O'Brien, who trains the aforementioned Giant's Causeway, is the trainer of six additional runners, including Mull of Kintyre (USA) (Danzig {USA}), who, unlike many of the other nominees, has experience over the main track. The bay, winner of the G2 Gimcrack S. at York on his last European racecourse appearance Aug. 18, made a favorable impression when fourth to fellow Triple Crown hopeful Anees (USA) (Unbridled {USA}) in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile at Gulfstream Park. Trainer Dermot Weld also has seven of his runners nominated. Those who believe that European grass form does not translate to U.S. dirt success need only look at the recent performance of The Deputy (Ire) (Petardia {GB}). The winner of an Epsom maiden event in his fourth career start, he was purchased privately by American interests and has since scored two victories in stakes company, including the GII Santa Catalina S. at Santa Anita, defeating top American runners High Yield (USA) (Storm Cat {USA}) and Captain Steve (USA) (Fly So Free {USA}). The Triple Crown begins with the May 6 Kentucky Derby, continues with the Preakness May 20 and concludes with the Belmont in New York June 10.

# **★ FRANCE ★**

Yesterday's Results:

2.50 Cagnes-Sur-Mer, Prix Firouzan (Cond.), 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:11.10, gd.

SHERICAINE (IRE) (f, 3, Shernazar {Ire}--L'Americaine {USA}, by Verbatim {USA}). Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 6 places, FF175,000. O-J P J Dubois;

B-Kildaragh Stud; T-Marc Pimbonnet; J-A Sanglard.

\*1/2 to Libria (Ire) (Bering {GB}), MSP-Fr.

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### **★ IRELAND ★**

Yesterday's Jumps Result:

3.40 Leopardstown, Hennessy Cognac Gold Cup Steeplechase-G1, Ir£101,750, 5yo/up, 3mT, 6:28.40, vi/sf.

FLORIDA PEARL (IRE) (g, 8, Florida Son {GB}--Ice Pearl {Ire}, by Flatbush {GB}), winner of this event last year and sent off the 8-11 favourite, had his odds for the Cheltenham Gold Cup March 16 cut to 6-1 after this emphatic victory. After racing in third early on, he grabbed the lead early on the second circuit and gradually asserted his superiority over the opposition, with only the veteran Dorans Pride (Ire) (Orchestra {GB}) making any sort of impression when closing at the second last fence. Once around the final turn, Florida Pearl went clear and won unchallenged by 5½ lengths to gain his third win in four starts this season. Lifetime Record: 13-9-2-1, Ir£377,697.

O-Mrs Violet O'Leary; B-Mrs Patrica Mackean; T-Willie Mullins; J-Paul Carberry.

# \* ITALY \*

Yesterday's Results:

T-Ferramosca; J-A Herrera.

3.10 Pisa, Premio Cassa Du Risparmio Volterra (Cond.), L26,775,000, 3yo, 7 1/2fT, time: n/a, sf. GOLDEN PIRATE (USA) (c, 3, Count The Time {USA}--Loot Fever {USA}, by Pirate's Bounty {USA}). Lifetime Record: SP-Ity, 13 starts, 4 wins, 4 places, L94,690,000. O-Scuderia Cinque; B-Dr Harvey Liebeskind & Donald Dreyfuss; T-P Miliani; J-P Agus.

4.05 Pisa, Premio Renzo Guidotti (Cond.), L26,775,000, 4yo/up, 1 3/8mT, time: n/a, sf. PANDOLFINA (ITY) (m, 5, Nijin {USA}--Abram's Delight {USA}, by Nebos {Ger}). Lifetime Record: 41 starts, 14 wins, 16 places, L163,557,000. O/B-M Bosi;

**4.15 Naples, Premio Ober (Cond.)**, L26,775,000, 3yo, 7fT, time: n/a, sf.

ALESSANDRO MAGNO (ITY) (c, 3, Tirol {Ire}--All Away {Ire}, by Glow {USA}). Lifetime Record: 17 starts, 5 wins, 7 places, L103,700,000. O-F Nassi; B-Razza Pian del Lago-Fatt.Marcianella; T-A Peraino; J-M Pasquale.

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2.25 Naples, Premio Olderigo (Cond.), L22,950,000, 4yo/up, 11f 60ydsT, time: n/a, sf.

MASSIPISAPIA (ITY) (h, 5, Tibullo {USA}--Gaby
Palazzolo {Ire}, by Classic Secret {USA}). Lifetime
Record: 33 starts, 10 wins, 12 places, L161,840,000.
O-Scuderia Chimax; B-Scuderia Italia; T-I Bugattella; J-A Arbau.

Saturday's Late Results:

**2.25 Siracusa, Premio Zetsun (Cond.)**, L7,650,000, 2-5, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, time: n/a, gd.

LOVE MAWAL (ITY) (f, 3, Love The Groom {USA}--Mawaal Habeebee {GB}, by Northfields {USA}). Lifetime Record: 11 starts, 4 wins, 2 places. L13,719,000. O-S.ra.V.Guastella; B-Az.Agr.Vico; T-M D'Aluisio; J-G Di Chio.

2.50 Siracusa, Premio Zipleton (Cond.), L7,650,000, 2-5, 4yo/up, 9f 110ydsT, time: n/a, gd. PACH ROYAL (ITY) (g, 7, Isopach {USA}--Real Groom {USA}, by Blushing Groom {Fr}). Lifetime Record: 46 starts, 10 wins, 19 places, L114,954,000. O-C Consiglio; B-Scuderia SIBA; T-R Festinesi; J-G Di Chio.

# **★ UNITED STATES ★**

### **EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS:**

Prime Hand (GB), m, 5, Primo Dominie (GB)--Rechanit (Ire), by Local Suitor (USA). Santa Anita Park, 2-6, Alw, 4yo/up, 6 1/2fT, \$30,000 to winner. O-Red Baron's Barn; B-P D Player & Mrs J Shipway-Pratt (GB); T-Darrell Vienna.

Fabulous Guy (Ire), g, 6, Sharp Victor (USA)--Fabuleaux Gal (USA), by \*Le Fabuleux (USA). Santa Anita, 2-6, Reb's Policy H., a6 1/2fT, \$45,675 to winner. O/B-Malmuth Marvin (Ire); T-lan P D Jory.

### **Today's Debuts:**

7th-Gulfstream Park, \$30,000, Maiden Special Weight, 4yo, f, 6f (dirt).

TOUCH OF TRUTH (USA) (f, 4, Storm Cat {USA}--Grenzen {USA}, by Grenfall {USA}), a Moyglare Stud homebred, never threatened in three European starts for Dermot Weld, finishing 11th and seventh respectively at Gowran Park in her first two career starts and was most recently fifth in a Galway maiden July 27. She switches to the main track for the first time for trainer Christophe Clement and adds Lasix.

7th-Philadelphia Park, \$23,000, Allowance, 4yo/up, one mile and 70 yards (dirt).

COOL SECRET (GB) (g, 5, Petong {GB}--Cool Run {Ire}, by Deep Run {GB}), one for 18 on the turf in his 27-race career, is a steady and hard-knocking performer on dirt and all-weather surfaces where he has won four times from nine starts, his last victory coming over the all weather at Wolverhampton last June 19, earning a Timeform rating of 100. Trained in Europe by Karl Burke, Cool Secret has been turned over to master U.S. conditioner Michael Dickinson. He adds Lasix as well for his stateside debut.

### ★ UNITED ARAB EMIRATES ★

#### **EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS:**

Steve's Hot (GB), g, 4, Terimon (USA)--Flammable (Ire), by Prince Rupert (Fr). Abu Dhabi, 2-6, Hcp., 11fT. O-Sheikh Rashid bin Ahmed al Mualla; B-Walter Grubmiller (GB); T-D Saif el Din. \*8,500gns yrl '97 TAAU2.

Chivalric (Ire), h, 6, Arazi (USA)--Air Distingue (USA) (GSW-Fr, SW & GISP-US, \$137,399), by Sir Ivor (USA). Abu Dhabi, 2-6, Hcp., 7fT. O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; T-D J Selvaratnam. \*1/2 to Vettori (Ire) (Machiavellian {USA}), G1SW-Fr, G1SP-GB, \$248,024.

### **★MAIDEN WINNERS★**

Fair Lady (GB), f, 3, Machiavellian (USA)--Just Cause (Ire), by Law Society (USA). Wolverhampton, England, Bet Direct Maiden S. (Class D), 2-5, 3yo, 9f 79yds (AWT), £2,614 to winner. B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd. \*1/2 to Jural (GB) (Kris {GB}), GSW & G1SP-GB, GSP-Ger, \$128,634.

Madda's Blueyes (GB), f, 3, Selkirk (USA)--Inquirendo (USA), by Roberto (USA). Pisa, Italy, Premio Swatch Store (Mdn.), 2-6, 3yo, f, 7 1/2fT, £4,074 to winner. B-Worksop Manor Stud Farm. \*27,000gns yrl '98 TAOCT.

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# **★ GERMANY ★**

# DARK HORSES FOR 2000--PART TWO by Christa Riebel

**SAMUM (GER)**, c, 3, Monsun (Ger)--Sacarina (GB), by Old Vic (GB). Trainer: Andreas Schutz. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, DM36,000.

A colt of highly classic potential and one of the sure G1 Deutsches Derby horses. After breaking his maiden, he scored in a leading conditions race at Cologne towards the end of the season, battling down his opponent with sheer will to win, and coming out of the ordeal in fine shape. His dam is by the high class Old Vic (Sadler's Wells {USA}) horse who is closely related to leading German sire Acatenango. Samum's pedigree shows elements of stamina mixed with miler blood and a classic German dam line.

**SINAMIX (GER)**, c, 3, Linamix (Fr)--Santa Clara (GB), by Star Appeal (Ire). Trainer: Heinz Hesse. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, DM6,000.

He ran only once, in a maiden last November, but this well made son of Linamix never minced about and quickly had things his way in the straight. His dam was a Classic-winning filly in Scandinavia with Star Appeal mares doing very well with sires from the Northern Dancer sire line.

SKY DANCING (IRE), f, 3, Exit To Nowhere (USA)--Saquiace (USA), by Sagace (Fr). Trainer: Andreas Wohler. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, DM26,000.

A pleasing winner on her debut, this elegant filly was always in the picture when stepped up in company. She is a half-sister to two solid winners in France with the dam herself being a multiple winner and Listed-stakes placed. Sky Dancing is closely related to numerous Classic and Group winners with this being the dam line of the famous broodmare Vali. Looking at her pedigree, Sky Dancing could be well suited by trips beyond the mile and could possess Group-stakes potential.

**SUBIACO (GER)**, c, 3, Monsun (Ger)--So Sedulous (USA), by Tap On Wood (Ire). Trainer: Andreas Schutz. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, DM13,100.

A late maturing sort, this strong and good looking individual finally broke his maiden in promising style. He is the second foal bred from the dual winning So Sedulous whose first produce was the Listed-winning colt Stachmo (Ger) (Surumu {Ger}). From the immediate family of champions Gala Event and Noble Dancer, Subiaco looks to have Classic potential and will be suited by longer distances.

TRES RAVI (GER), f, 3, Monsun (Ger)--Tres Magnifique (GB), by Gay Fandango (USA). Trainer: Harro Remmert. Lifetime Record: 4-0-0-1, DM25,600.

If there was an unlucky filly last year it was this daughter of Monsun. She had a long season, and she always gave her all, but she never once had a clear run. She still managed to finish in the frame or centre every time and that without losing any enthusiasm or showing any sign of stress the next time out. She is a half-sister to the dual Group-winning Tres Heureux (Ger) (Konigsstuhl {Ger}) and should do really well over middle distances.

**USTIMONA (GER)**, f, 3, Mondrian (Ger).-Ustina (Ger), by Star Appeal (Ire). Trainer: Hans-Albert Blume. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, DM11,700.

The winner of a valuable conditions race on her only outing, this strong young lady is of high Classic potential with the G2 Preis der Diana (German Oaks) within reach. A half-sister to the multiple Group One winning Ungaro (Ger) (Goofalik {USA}), the smart handicapper Upper Class (Ger) (Konigsstuhl {Ger}) and the late-maturing Universus (Ger) (Unfuwain {USA}), Ustimona has the ability and the potential to prove her worth at Pattern level.

**VALDINA (GER)**, f, 3, Lomitas (GB)--Val d'Etoile (Ger), by Big Shuffle (USA). Trainer: Uwe Ostmann. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, DM7,000.

This racy sort showed some promising acceleration when winning her debut, coming from behind to chase the leader and soar past. By the 1999 sire sensation Lomitas, she stems from a very solid German dam line which excelled over a mile. Her pedigree combines sheer class with toughness which could make her an interesting contender to watch.



FAIRY HEIGHTS (IRE), 9, Fairy King (USA)--Commanche Belle (GB) (Shirley Heights {GB})
Foal born 1-20-00, a filly by Storm Cat (USA).
Will be bred back to Silver Hawk (USA).
Owned by Brushwood Stable.
Boarded at Eaton Farms Management, LLC, Ky.
Accomplishments: G1SW-Eng, \$209,664.

EXACTLY LIKE YOU (IRE), 19, Sassafras (Fr)--Persian Apple (USA) (No Robbery {USA})
Foal born 1-23-00, a colt by Skip Away (USA).
Will be bred back to Skip Away (USA).
Owned by Richard S. Trontz.
Boarded at Hopewell Farm in Midway, Ky.
Accomplishments: Dam of Topsa (USA) (Topsider

{USA}), SW & MGSP, \$252,414.

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