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BREEDERS' CUP STEEPLECHASE REVIVED

After a six-year absence, the \$250,000 GI Breeders' Cup Steeplechase will return to the National Steeplechase Association racing schedule Saturday, Oct. 28 at the Far Hills Race Meeting in Far Hills, New Jersey. Re-established by the Breeders' Cup Limited, the Far Hills Race Meeting Association and the NSA, the 2 5/8-mile hurdle race will be part of the Oct. 29 ESPN "Breeders' Cup Special" broadcast. Open to four-year-olds and up, Breeders' Cup-nominated and highest-earning jumpers will have first chance at filling the field, which will be restricted to 14. With past winners including Eclipse Award-winning champions like Lonesome Glory, Highland Bud and Morley Street (Ire). Breeders' Cup officials are hoping once again to attract international fields. "With the recent creation of a steeplechase Triple Crown and the mounting interest in the sport," said D. G. Van Clief, Jr., president of Breeders' Cup Ltd., "we thought the timing was right to bring back the Breeders' Cup Steeplechase."

☆ PREVIEW ☆

Today, Leopardstown, Ireland, post time: 7:45 p.m. BALLYCORUS S.-G3, Ir£35,000, 3yo/up, 7fT

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SC	(PP)	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	(4)	Mitcham (Ire)	Hamas (Ire)	Mills	138
2	(2)	Tumbleweed Ridge (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Meehan	138
3	(3)	Major Force	Woodman	Weld	135
4	(8)	Tarry Flynn (Ire)	Kenmare (Fr)	Weld	135
5	(5)	Show Me The Money (Ire)	Mujadil	Meade	129
6	(1)	Bashkir	Nureyev	A O'Brien	122
7	(6)	Montecastillo (Ire)	Fairy King	C O'Brien	122
8	(9)	Poco A Poco (Ire)	Imperial Frontier	Lynam	119
9	(7)	Sand Partridge (Ire)	Desert Style (Ire)	Prendergast	119

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WEEKEND PEDIGREE PERSPECTIVES

by Alan Porter

BELMONT S.-GI, \$1,000,000, BEL, 6-10, 3yo, 1 1/2m, 2:31, ft.

1--#▲COMMENDABLE, 126, c, 3, by Gone West

1st Dam: Bought Twice, by In Reality

2nd Dam: Killaloe, by Dr. Fager

3rd Dam: Grand Splendor, by Correlation (\$575,000 yrl '98 KEEJUL). O-Robert B & Beverly J Lewis; B-Edward J Kelly Jr, Gregory W Kelly & Michael M Kelly (KY); T-D Wayne Lukas; J-P Day;

\$600,000. Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-0, \$688,470.

With Unshaded and Wheelaway to represent it, there seemed an excellent chance that the Fappiano male line would capture the GI Belmont S. on Saturday. Instead, the race went to Commendable, who is by a son of Fappiano's sire Mr. Prospector, out of a daughter of Fappiano's dam Killaloe.

Just as it was hard to predict that the miler Fappiano would begin a North American sire line noted for classic stamina, so too would few have marked that Commendable, a son of the miler Gone West, out of a mare by the miler In Reality, out of a mare by that greatest of all North American milers, Dr. Fager, would be the horse to triumph in the longest of the Triple Crown events.

That said, for all that it is run over a mile and a half, the Belmont is frequently not a true test of stamina. With so few North American dirt three-year-olds really capable of getting 12 furlongs at a true pace, the race is something of an anomaly. The field is so often intimidated by the distance that the early fractions are often sedate in the extreme. So ironically, the Kentucky Derby, run two furlongs shorter, is frequently a greater test of stamina.

Pedigree Perspectives cont. p. 2

What do these top 3 year olds of 2000 have in common?

COMMENDABLE CASH RUN FOREST CAMP
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Pedigree Perspectives cont.

Commendable, who was scoring for only the second time in his life on Saturday, is now a classic winner, and a very well-bred one to boot. By one of Mr. Prospector's most fashionable sons, he is as we have said out of a half sister to Fappiano. In addition to Fappiano, Commendable's dam Bought Twice is also a half sister to Group 1 winner Torrential (by Gulch, another son of Mr. Prospector); Portroe, a graded stakes winning full brother to Fappiano; stakes winner Jedina (dam of Clabber Girl and Famously Free; granddam of Keeper Hill and Golden Gear) and stakes winner Royal Troon. Since Bought Twice is by In Reality out of a daughter of Grand Splendor, she is also bred on rather similar lines to another excellent miler, the GI Metropolitan H. winner Honour and Glory, who is by a son of In Reality out of a granddaughter of Grand Splendor. Bought Twice is also notable for being inbred 3x3 to Rough'n Tumble through My Dear Girl and Dr. Fager.

The cross of Gone West over an In Reality mare gives a rather outcross mating (In fact, the closest inbreeding in Commendable's pedigree is a 5x5 cross of *Princequillo). It is, however, a fairly logical one. Gone West's dam Secrettame is a half sister to Known Fact, who on the basis of his win in the G1 2000 Guineas and his victory over Kris (GB) in the G2 Queen Elizabeth II S., probably ranks as In Reality's best colt. Secrettame is also a half sister to Tentam, a son of In Reality's sire Intentionally, and winner of the GI United Nations H. and the GI Met Mile.

PEDIGREE SHORTS

A new stakes winner with a well-planned mating is Crafty Toast (m, 5, Crafty Prospector--Give a Toast, by Storm Bird). Winner of the All Brandy S. at Pimlico, she is by a son of Mr. Prospector (by Raise a Native out of a Nashua mare) and her second dam is by Raise a Cup (also by Raise a Native out of a Nashua mare), giving her the three-parts genetic relatives Mr. Prospector/Raise a Cup 2x3.

CURR	CURRENCY CONVERSIONS		
	US\$/unit	GB£/unit	
British pound	1.50839	1.00	
Irish pound	1.21934	0.808544	
lrish pound U.S. dollar	1.00	0.662950	

Boy Genius (h, 6, Beau Genius--Splash Em Baby, by Buckpasser), who took his earnings to almost \$250,000 with a win in the Slipton Fell H. at Mountaineer Park, has a mating which might be described as ingenious. His sire is out of a mare by Viceregal (by Northern Dancer out of Victoria Regina). Boy Genius's broodmare sire Bucksplasher is out of Victoria Star, who is by Northern Dancer out of a mare by Victoria Park, a half brother to Victoria Regina.

It isn't often that we find a horse inbred to Fleet Nasrullah in the male line of the sire and dam, but that is the pattern which produced B. Mr. Lucky (h, 6, B. In Time--Miss Foolish Run, by Run of Luck), winner of the \$100,000 Silky Sullivan H. at Golden Gate. His sire is by Fleet Nasrullah's son Don B., and his maternal grandsire is by Fleet Nasrullah's son Coursing. The inbreeding to Fleet Nasrullah does have one additional twist: Fleet Nasrullah is out of a mare by Count Fleet, and in the fifth generation of his pedigree B. Mr. Lucky also has Count Fleet's full brother Count Speed.

2000 SIRE RANKINGS IN JAPAN (up to May 28)

201			
SIRE	RNRS	WNRS	EARNINGS
SUNDAY SILENCE (by Halo)	215	76	\$25,327,000
BRIAN'S TIME	94	41	\$8,764,000
(by Roberto)		1277795	
TONY BIN (IRE)	137	34	\$6,487,800
(byKampala)	100	2.4	¢E 000 000
JADE ROBBERY (by Mr. Prospector)	108	24	\$5,080,000
FUJI KISEKI (JPN)	96	28	\$4,983,000
(by Sunday Silence)			
COMMANDER IN CHIEF (GB)	81	15	\$4,958,500
(by Dancing Brave)			
DANCING BRAVE	34	13	\$4,757,700
(by Lyphard) OPERA HOUSE (GB)	36	12	\$4,219,000
(by Sadler's Wells)	30	12	V+,213,000
AFLEET	101	30	\$4,102,000
(by Mr. Prospector)			
DANEHILL	56	20	\$3,931,000
(by Danzig)			

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FROM THE DESK OF... Bill Oppenheim



CLASSIC WEEKEND: EXPERIENCE COUNTS

It was an interesting Classic weekend, and the thread that ran through it was experience. Henry Cecil won his SEVENTH Oaks, and his third with a daughter of Diesis. It was Cecil's fourth win in the Oaks in the last five years, and it represented back-to-back Oaks wins for Diesis, whose first Oaks winner, Diminuendo, was from his first crop, and really put him on the map as a sire. Henry Cecil, incidentally, also trained Diesis, who won the six-furlong Middle Park and seven-furlong Dewhurst in 1982, becoming the first horse to complete that double in 70-odd years.

Diesis has stood his entire career at Mill Ridge Farm, who bought into him as a two-year-old; and Mill Ridge scored a notable double when Commendable, by Mill Ridge's other veteran world-class sire, Gone West, won the Belmont.

The Belmont...

What can we say about the Belmont? Six weeks ago this looked a deep and talented crop of three-year-olds; now it looks very ordinary. Fusaichi Pegasus's towering Derby win scored a 108 Beyer figure, which is all right but far from sensational--his 111 in the Wood had been more like it. Red Bullet won the Preakness with a 109, when the Derby winner patently didn't run his race. Both these deserve to be considered very good horses but will have to improve when they tackle their elders.

In their absence, Wayne Lukas and Pat Day--winners of I'm not quite sure how many Grade 1 races between them--doped out the Belmont, and, at least from both their post-race comments, contrived a plan which Day executed to perfection. He stalked the lone speed at a leisurely pace, and kicked clear coming out of the turn. The logical horses ran 2-3-4, but could not make up the ground even though the winner was himself just plugging on. The final time was slow, and the figure was just a 102--which is about what most of those horses had run before. Lukas and Day won it with tactics.

Epsom Wrap-Up...

The Epsom Derby saw a first win for the respected Irish trainer-jockey duo of John Oxx and Johnny Murtagh, but Sinndar's gutsy victory over the equally gutsy Sakhee--really the form horse after winning the Sandown Classic Trial and the Dante--represented the fourth homebred winner of the Derby since 1981 for the Aga Khan. What a record in this day and age! Just in the last two years the Aga Khan's operation has produced Daylami, Sendawar, and Sinndar. And, as several of my brethren have noted, many of his greatest successes are by otherwise moderate sires, though Sinndar's sire, Grand Lodge, had been steadily gaining in credibility (his first crop, which includes Indian Lodge, are four-year-olds) anyway, and is now beginning to be considered a successful sire.

Second Crop Success Stories...

Derby second Sakhee is, you'll remember, from the first crop sired by Bahri, Sheikh Hamdan's Riverman colt who ran third behind Pennekamp and Celtic Swing in the 1995 English 2000 Guineas, and later benefited from a sensational Willie Carson ride "under the trees" at Ascot when he won the Queen Elizabeth S. later that year. He's one of no less than five 'F97' (first foals 1997) sires who have registered Classic wins or placings in Britain, Ireland, or France with three-year-olds from their first crops. The accompanying table (p. 4), supplied to us by Hyperion Promotions, summarizes this group of European sires (they're now called '2nd-crop' sires, because their second crop has reached racing age), plus the Americans who have had good success in Europe. There are three of these, really: Bahri, Distant View (who had top 1999 British two-year-old Distant Music), and Blush Rambler (sire of French Derby second Lord Flasheart, was transferred to France at the beginning of this year). Bill Oppenheim Cont. p. 4

LANE'S END IS THE LEADING CONSIGNOR OF GRADED STAKES WINNERS IN 2000

Grade 1 Winner **LEMON DROP KID** (\$1,839,970)

Grade 1 Winner **STEPHEN GOT EVEN** (\$1,019,200)

Grade 1 Winner **EAGLE CAFÉ** (\$1,520,733)

Grade 1 Winner **BLACK HAWK (GB)** (\$3,715,421)

Grade 2 Winner GLOBALIZE (\$621,130)

Grade 2 Winner **POSTPONED** (\$204,300)

Grade 2 Winner ITSARAHYTUNE (\$1,155,955)

Grade 3 Winner GO LIB GO (\$249,280)

Group 3 Winner MONASHEE MOUNTAIN (\$110,117)

Grade 3 Winner **LAGER** (\$365,647)



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(Bill Oppenheim cont.)

Besides Bahri and Blush Rambler, this group of sires also includes Desert Style, sire of Irish 2000 winner Bachir; Lammtarra, who had Oaks third Melikah; and, of course, Hernando, sire of French Derby winner Holding Court. Then, Germany has 1993 Deutches Derby 1-2-3 Lando, Monsun (five SW already), and Sternkoening, sire of Italian Derby winner Kallisto in his first crop. But none of these is the overall money leader: that is Coolmore's Sri Pekan, the very good 1994 two-year-old by Red Ransom, who was leading Euopean first-crop sire last year. He's looking pretty useful himself. Overall, this looks a pretty promising group--considering I haven't even mentioned Owington (unforunately died after siring just the one crop), Foxhound, Green Tune, Vettori, and Fraam yet this week...

LEADING SECOND CROP SIRES

(In Order of Cumulative Worldwide Earnings 1999-2000) through June 12

	Sire/Stud	Wnrs/Wins/SW/SP	Total (£)
1	SRI PEKAN (Ireland)	22/47/3/4	722,925
	1992, by Red Ransom		
2		10/20/2/0	708,975
2	1992, by Green Desert		565,577
3	*LAMMTARRA (Japan) 1992, by Nijinsky II	13/15/1/1	505,577
4	·	10/15/1/2	483,077
•	1992, by Riverman	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	,
5	· •	21/34/5/5	423,192
	1990, by Konigsstuhl		
6	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		415,132
_	1991, by Green Desert		000 407
7	HERNANDO (Great Brit	ain) 15/19/1/0	392,497
8	1990, by Niniski FOXHOUND (Ireland)	23/37/3/0	376,180
Ü	1991, by Danzig	20/07/0/0	0,0,100
9		tain) 16/27/0/1	342,598
	1989, by Alleged		
10	LAKE CONISTON (Ireland	nd) 18/32/1/3	306,077
	1991, by Bluebird	441041410	007.400
11	GREEN TUNE (France)	14/24/1/2	297,122
12	1991, by Green Dancel EMPEROR JONES (Great Brita		293,836
12	1990, by Danzig	iiiij 17/2//V/1	200,000
	, Joby by build		

42	Sire/Stud			Total (£)
13	PICCOLO 1991, by Warning	21/	32/0/2	286,950
14	STERNKOENIG (German	ny) 15/	27/4/1	283,541
	1990, by Kalaglow			
15	VETTORI (Great Britain) 1992, by Machiavellian	14/	27/3/1	277,981
16	DISTANT VIEW (USA)		2/1/1	255,642
4-	1991, by Mr. Prospecto		01010	055 450
1/	SON PARDO (Great Brit 1990, by Petong	ain) 8/1	6/0/0	255,459
18	BLUES TRAVELLER (Ire	land) 18	/25/0/2	229,791
	1990, by Bluebird			,
19	JOHANN QUATZ (France	e) 11/	24/1/3	228,119
	1989, by Sadler's Wells	3		
20	BLUSH RAMBLER (USA	•	/1/1	201,356
	1990, by Blushing Groo			
21	NICOLOTTE (Great Brita	in) 14/	27/1/0	168,822
	1991, by Night Shift			
22	PELDER (Great Britain)	5/8	/0/0	166,572
	1990, by Be My Guest	44	1401410	405.040
23	NEVERNEYEV (France)	11/	18/1/0	165,819
	1990, by Nureyev		4.0.10.10	400 040
24	FREEDOM CRY (France) 11/	16/0/0	138,910
٥.	1991, by Soviet Star	0//	12/0/2	120 702
25	WINGED LOVE (German 1992, by In the Wings	iy) 9/	12/0/2	120,782
26	FRAAM (Great Britian)	11/	19/0/0	116,216
20	1989, by Lead on Time	117	13/0/0	110,210
27	JEUNE HOMME (France) 6/8	/0/0	114,667
	1990, by Nureyev	, 0,0	, , , ,	,
28	EAGLE EYED (USA)	8/9	/1/2	112,273
	1991, by Danzig			•
29	BIN AJWAAD (Great Brita	in) 12/	14/0/0	108,278
	1990, by Rainbow Que	s <i>t</i>		
30	KALDOUNEVEES (France	e) 8/1	2/0/1	96,149
	1991, by Kaldoun			
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* Includes 4 winners of 7 races and £462,870 in Japan. Only European earnings are included for American sires.

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Multiple Grade I winner PERFECT STING is still perfect in 2000 with a determined victory in Saturday's Just a Game Breeders' Cup (G3)

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SPONSORSHIP FOR HASKELL Monmouth Park's premier event, the GI Haskell Invitational will be sponsored this year by Foxwoods Hotel and Casino, according to Thoroughbred Times. The \$1 million race will be held on Aug. 6. The Connecticut casino is run by the Pequot Indian Nation. "We will market it as the Haskell Invitational Handicap, presented by Foxwoods Hotel & Casino," Chris McErlean, vice-president of the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority, told the Times.

★ EAST

Yesterday's Results

9th-CRC, \$21,500, Alw, 2yo, 5f, :59 1/5, ft. **DEPUTY RUN (c, 2, French Deputy--Tappanzee {SP,** \$160,159} by Bet Big) broke his maiden by five lengths as the even-money chalk at Calder on June 3 after finishing second in his debut at Gulfstream. Off at even money again, the bay colt chased the pacesetter, took command at the eighth pole and dashed off by 3 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$28,480. O-Jesse M Robinson. B-Lothenbach Stables (KY). T-Frank Gomez.

1st-DEL, \$30,000, Msw, 2yo, 5f, :59 3/5, gd. MY NEW LOVE (c, 2, Not for Love--My New Pal, by Saratoga Six) battled gamely when second in his June 2 debut at Monmouth and was sent off at 3-5 to go one better here. Despite being reluctant to load, the bay colt dueled until midstretch, put his rivals away and drew off under a hand ride by 2 1/2 lengths.

Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$23,200.

O/B-Timber Creek Farm (NJ). T-Walter C Reese.

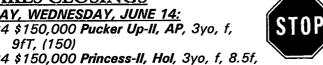
STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14:

06-24 \$150,000 Pucker Up-II, AP, 3yo, f, 9fT, (150)

06-24 \$150,000 Princess-II, Hol, 3yo, f, 8.5f,

06-25 \$300,000 Vanity H.-I, Hol, 3yo/up, f/m, 9f, (300) 06-25 \$100,000 Hanshin H.-III, AP, 3yo/up, 8f, (100) 07-01 \$150,000a Dominion Day H.-III, Wo, 3yo/up, 10f, (150)



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K One King Works:

Gl Oaklawn H. winner K One King (Apalachee) breezed four furlongs yesterday at Churchill in :47 2/5. The drill tied as the fastest of 27 at the distance. "I'm very happy with it," trainer Akiko Gothard said of the work. "He did it very easy, that's the main thing." The four-year-old starts in Saturday's GII Stephen Foster.

INDUSTRY INFO

New Orleans to Host Eclipse Dinner:

Next year's 30th Eclipse Awards dinner will be held at the Ritz-Carlton in New Orleans, Louisiana on Jan. 29. 2001. "We're very excited about hosting the Eclipse Awards in New Orleans, a city renown for its hospitality," said National Thoroughbred Racing Association Commissioner Tim Smith. "We hope that our guests will take advantage of this opportunity to visit Fair Grounds and experience racing at one of our leading winter meets."



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Wednesday, June 14

GOLDEN GEAR (Gulch)

5th-MTH, \$26,000, Msw, 5f - Face The Nation

HENNESSY (Storm Cat)

5th-MTH, \$26,000, Msw, 5f - Prestigious Prize

MEADOW FLIGHT (Meadowlake)

5th-MTH, \$26,000, Msw, 5f - Times Flight

MONTREAL RED (D'Accord)

5th-MTH, \$26,000, Msw, 5f - Invincible Spirit

SEA SALUTE (Danzig)

2nd-BEL, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 5f - Anchor Woman

STORM CREEK (Storm Cat)

5th-MTH, \$26,000, Msw, 5f - Stormy Pick

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AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN BRITAIN:

Zincalo, g, 4, Zilzal--Silver Glitz (SW), by Grey Dawn II. Nottingham, 6-12, 'Nottingham Racecourse And Conference Centre' H., 3yo/up, 14f 15ydsT, \$4,420 to winner. O/T-Clive Brittain; B-Eaglestone Farm Inc & Gainsborough Farm Inc.

BREEDERS' EDITION

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-DEL, \$32,300, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:11 3/5, wf.

MEMORY WORK (f, 3, Synastry--This Ole Queen {SP},
by Princely Native) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$46,730.

O-Joseph V Shields Jr. B-Elk Manor Farm (KY). T-Robert
F Connors.

7th-DEL, \$32,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, (off turf), 1:52 4/5. wf.

LADY DORA (f, 3, Lord At War {Arg}--Doradoradora {MSW, \$590,350}, by Runaway Groom) Lifetime Record: 7-2-4-0, \$61,300. O-Fitz E Dixon Jr. B-Dan Dixon (KY). T-Michael R Matz.

10th-CRC, \$22,500, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 1:31, gd. HE CAN EXPLODE (h, 5, Prospector's Halo--Exploding Bikini, by Explodent) Lifetime Record: 30-2-4-2, \$43,206. O/B-Robert Bakerman (FL). T-Ross B Wolfendale.

7th-PRM, \$21,735, 6-12, 3yo/up, a1m70yd, 1:45 3/5, ad

VRANCON (c, 4, Homebuilder--Dory Dory, by Mombo Jumbo) Lifetime Record: 23-5-4-5, \$61,525. O-Dilana Thilmony & Deanna Kirchoff. B-Bennett Stenberg M (KY). T-Randy Oberlander.

8th-PHA, \$18,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70yd, (off turf), 1:44 1/5, sy.

RISE AGAIN (m, 6, Wild Again--Rise and Sing, by The Minstrel) Lifetime Record: 29-5-4-2, \$89,405. O/T-Ronald S Glorioso. B-Mrs Richard C Dupont (MD).

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.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

My New Love, c, 2, Not for Love--My New Pal, by Saratoga Six. DEL, 6-13, 5f, :59 3/5. B-Timber Creek Farm (NJ).

+ Peace of Relic, f, 2, Relic Relic Relic--Elysian Peace, by Carnivalay. CRC, 6-13, (C), 4 1/2f, :53 4/5. B-John S Scott (FI).

Pipe Woman, f, 3, Deerhound--Dahlin, by Dahar. DEL, 6-13, 1 1/8m, (off turf), 1:54 1/5. B-Mrs Ronald B Houghton (Pa).

Precious Feather, f, 3, Gone West--Last Feather (GSW & GISP-GB), by *Vaguely Noble. CRC, 6-13, 6 1/2f, 1:17 3/5. B-John R Gaines Thoroughbreds Llc (Ky).

Confederate Symbol, c, 3, Personal Flag--Dancing
Jinsky, by Green Dancer. CRC, 6-13, (C), 1m, 1:42.
B-John E Smicklas & Barbara R Smicklas (Ky).
*\$1,500 yrl '98 TEXAUG.

Poppi's Matthew, c, 3, Sejm--Cool Lite, by Dr. Schwartzman. CRC, 6-13, 7 1/2fT, 1:31. B-Robert & Linda Pastor (FI). *\$14,000 yrl '98 OBSAUG.

Re's Princess Kiss, f, 4, Groovy--Mountain Kiss, by Mount Hagen (Fr). PHA, 6-13, 1 1/8m, (off turf), 1:57 2/5. B-Risa S Sitoski (Pa).

With Star Approval, c, 4, With Approval--Romantic Star, by Balzac. FEX, 6-13, 6f, 1:13. B-Frank Zupet (On).

2000 LEADING FRESHMEN SIRES OF 2YO WINNERS (through June 12)

<u>SIRE</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Foals</u> *	<u> 2yo</u>
Winners			
Honour and Glory (Relaunch)	Ку	57	4
Wild Zone (Wild Again)	Ky	35	4
Hennessy (Storm Cat)	Ky	81	3
Lite the Fuse (Buckaroo)	FI	56	3
Lit de Justice (El Gran Senor)	Ку	53	3
Foxtrail (Heading Back Home)	On	39	3
Bright Launch (Relaunch)	Ky	15	2
Lord Carson (Carson City)	Ky	43	2
Judge T C (Judge Smells)	Кy	51	2
Roar (Forty Niner)	Ky	31	2
*Named foals as of 6-12-200	00.		

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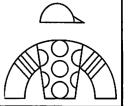


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★ AUSTRALIA ★

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MAGIC MILLIONS SALE

As winter approaches in the Southern Hemisphere, the Magic Millions Sales Company in Queensland is holding sales which began last Sunday, June 11.

Rory's Jester Colt Tops Yearlings

A colt by Rory's Jester (Aus) out of multiple stakes winner Total Whisper (Aus) (Total Look {USA}) was knocked down for a final bid of A\$65,000 to top the Magic Millions Winter Carnival Select Yearling Sale held this past Sunday. Catalogued as lot number 120 and consigned to the sale by Bridgeview Stud, the bay was purchased by Fred Sarina Bloodstock of New South Wales. The one-day sale saw 121 horses pass through the ring for a gross of \$1,894,000 and an average of \$15,653.

Lone Danehill the Tuesday Topper

The Winter Carnival Sale continued Tuesday morning with a mixed session including foals, yearlings, twoyear-olds and horses of racing age. Hip 349, the only weanling on offer by very successful shuttle stallion Danehill (USA), accounted for the afternoon's highestpriced offering when Mick Mair of Queensland went to A\$165,000 for the bay son of Wheatland Lady (Strawberry Road (Aus)). He was consigned by Strawberry Hill Stud and is the fifth foal out of a full sister to American stakes winner Strawberry A.O.K (USA). Danehill was also responsible for the afternoon's next highest-priced lot, the two-year-old filly Spy Hill (Danehill {USA}--Arrester Miss {NZ}, by Bletchingly {Aus}). Consigned by Ramsey Pastoral Company Pty Ltd, she brought a bid of \$60,000 from Gerald Ryan of Queensland. A total of 182 horses went through the sales ring, grossing \$1,595,900 for an average of \$8,769. The sale concludes today with broodmares and five shares in or nominations to stallions Special Dane (Aus), Desert Sun (GB), Festival Hall (Ire) and Gambler (Aus).

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★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

3.00 Salisbury, EBF Margadale Classified '85' S. (Cond.) (Class C), £12,080, 3yo, 9f 198ydsT, 2:07.86, gd/fm. STARLYTE GIRL (IRE) (f, 3, Fairy King {USA}--Blushing Storm {USA}, by Blushing Groom {Fr}) was well-backed from 12-1 into 8-1, and grabbed the lead from Polar Red (GB) (Polar Falcon {USA}) after a furlong of racing. She settled well in front and, after being challenged with a furlong remaining by Reflex Blue (GB) (Ezzoud {Ire}), she stuck her neck out in game fashion to go on and win by three-quarters-of-a-length. Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, £13,780.

O-Mohamed Suhail; B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd; T-Richard Hannon; J-John Reid.

LAHAN TO MISS CORONATION DATE

John Gosden was yesterday coming to terms with the fact that G1 1000 Guineas S. winner Lahan (GB) (Unfuwain {USA}) will miss the G1 Coronation S. at Royal Ascot June 23. The trainer announced yesterday, "She was cast in her box last week and we are unlikely to get her to Ascot, which is disappointing to put it mildly. It is somewhat of a body blow but we must be thankful for the Guineas win."

BHB CONTINUES ACTION

The British Horseracing Board is continuing its legal proceedings against William Hill Organization Ltd, following their use of pre-race data on internet betting sites. The case, which is likely to be heard later this year, also serves as a warning to other sites that use information from the BHB database. The BHB has asked them to enter into licence agreements, but with the exception of Victor Chandler, Sportingbet and a few others, they have so far refused. Tristam Ricketts, chief executive of the BHB, said, "BHB spends over £4 million annually in compiling and maintaining the database which ensures that the information on race fixtures, race participants and races generally is accurate and reliable. Licences for the use of this pre-race data are granted as a way of recovering this cost for the benefit of racing. How is it that bookmakers, who derive 70 percent of their turnover from British Horseracing, refuse to recognise BHB's rights in this data and vet are prepared to pay significant sums in copyright fees to the Football League for the use of their Fixture List?"



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British Report cont.

QUINN PATRON FOR CHARITY APPEAL

Jockey Richard Quinn, successful in Friday's G1 Epsom Oaks S., announced yesterday that he will be patron of Ascot Racecourse's Charity 2000 Appeal. The year-long appeal will benefit four charities supporting people with impaired sight and hearing. The racecourse has pledged to raise a minimum of £100,000 to be split equally between Action for Blind People, Fight for Sight, Deafblind UK and Sense, The National Deafblind and Rubella Association. Quinn said, "These four charities do some extremely vital work for people with sight and hearing problems, so I'm really pleased to be able to support them as patron of the Ascot appeal, particularly as I have been deaf in my right ear since an accident when I was a teenager."

FORTUNE FACES THE MUSIC

Jockey Jimmy Fortune has decided to go to Portman Square and face what could be a lengthy suspension. This decision comes after the mix-up which saw him handed a five-day ban instead of being referred by the Newmarket stewards, as should have been the case. The jockey's agent Tony Hind said, "Jimmy has acknowledged that a mistake has been made and he said he'll go down there." Jockey Club Press Officer John Maxse commented, "He's going to have it dealt with at Portman Square on Monday. He's not riding that day so the plan would be for any ban to kick in on the Thursday after."

* ITALY *

BLU AIR FORCE SETS SIGHTS ON ASCOT

Blu Air Force (Ire) (Sri Pekan {USA}) is due to run in the G3 Jersey S. at Royal Ascot June 21. The Daniel Wildenstein-owned horse had his final piece of work before being shipped over on Tuesday Morning at San Siro, where, partnered by Mirco Demuro, he went clear of his lead horse, the in-form Embody (GB). Grizzetti was satisfied with the work and is all set for Royal Ascot.

* PREVIEW *

Today, Maisons-Laffitte, post time: 2:55 p.m. PRIX LA FLECHE-Listed, FF260.000, 2vo, 5½fT

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1	(10)	Ozone Layer (GB)	Zafonic (USA)	Fabre	128
2	(3)	Noverre (USA)	Rahy (USA)	Loder	128
3	(2)	Neyev (Fr)	Neverneyev (USA)	F Head	128
4	(4)	Cupercoy (Fr)	Crack Regiment (USA)	Carlus	128
5	(6)	Never Loser (Fr)	Neverneyev (USA)	Rob Collet	128
6	(5)	Iron Mask (USA)	Danzig (USA)	C Head	128
7	(8)	Si Je N'Avais Plus (Ire)	Kaldoun (Fr)	Smaga	125
8	(7)	Vaillance (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Paul Eddery	125
9	(1)	Crackchope (Fr)	Crack Regiment (USA)	Dissaux	125
10	(9)	Fleur Charmante (Fr)	Beaudelaire (USA)	Nigge	125

Today, Leopardstown, post time: 8.15. p.m. GLENCAIRN S.-Listed, Ir£25,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT.

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1	(3)	Free To Speak (Ire)	Be My Guest (USA)	Weld	126
2	(1)	Atacat (Ire)	Catrail (USA)	Oxx	123
3	(5)	Mudaa-eb (GB)	Machiavellian (USA)	Prendergast	123
4	(2)	Rominten (USA)	Danzig (USA)	Grassick	123
5	(4)	Royal Command (Ire)	Green Desert (USA)	Weld	123
6	(6)	Annieirwin (Ire)	Perugino (USA)	Ennis	120

★ U.S. PREMIERES

Today at Churchill Downs

5th Race, \$47,200, allowance race, 3yo, f, 6f STYLISH BEAUTY (GB) (f, 3, Night Shift {USA}--Reine de Neige {GB}, by Kris {GB}) makes her first start since her last outing in the Jersey Lily Nursery H. at Newmarket last Sept. 28, where she placed ninth. Trained in Europe by Ed Dunlop, the filly hasn't seen the winner's circle since her maiden win last May. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$6,447.

O-Crescent Hill Farm. B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd (GB). T-Andrew McKeever.

Today at Hollywood Park

7th Race, \$48,000, allowance race, 3yo/up, 7f DETERMINATION (USA) (c, 3, Mystery Storm {USA}-Roxaneka {USA}, by Cox's Ridge {USA}), previously trained by Jim Bolger, started three times in Ireland, with a win two starts back and was most recently fourth in the G3 Beresford S. Oct. 16. The colt is making his first start on the main track and adds Lasix. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$7,788.

O-Michael Riordan. B-Hart Farm Inc (FI). T-Tim Pinfield.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

Shalimar (Ire), f, 3, Indian Ridge (Ire)--Athens Belle (Ire) (SW-GB), by Groom Dancer (USA). Salisbury, England, Laverstock Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo, 6f 212ydsT, £3,796 to winner. B-Irish National Stud. *73,913gns yrl '98 GOOC1.

Forbidden Pleasure (GB), f, 3, Pursuit Of Love (GB)--Jamaican Punch (Ire), by Shareef Dancer (USA). Ballinrobe, Ireland, F.B.D. Insurance Maiden, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, Ir£3,795 to winner. B-Hawkers Stud. *11,000gns yrl '98 TAOCT.

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WRITERS UP

DARK HORSES UPDATE

by Tom Frary

With the European flat season well underway, the omens are good for the *TDN dark horses*, who have already made a significant impact at the highest level.

The G1 Epsom Oaks and Derby saw Jeremy Noseda's Kalypso Katie (Ire) (Fairy King {USA}) meet one horse too good, while Henry Cecil's Beat Hollow (GB) (Sadler's Wells {USA}) belied a troubled preparation and lack of racecourse experience to finish third in the colts' Classic, Kalypso Katie now looks likely to head for the G1 Irish Oaks July 16 for a rematch with her conqueror Love Divine (GB), while Beat Hollow may be stepped back in trip. Sir Michael Stoute's Petrushka (Ire) (Unfuwain {USA}) was fourth in the G1 Epsom Oaks, and her connections feel she could be closer to the main principals in The Curragh version. Misraah (Ire) (Lure {USA}), from the same stable, is back in work after injuring himself when well-backed for the G1 2000 Guineas S. Angus Gold, racing manager to owner Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum, said recently, "We'll keep him at a mile, and the feeling was there is no doubt he is a good horse." Trainer James Fanshawe's Embraced (GB) (Pursuit Of Love {GB}), who took the Listed Swinley S. Ascot May 3, could be on course for the G1 Coronation S. at Royal Ascot June 23. "If conditions are right she could be supplemented for the Coronation S.," Fanshawe said. "She is a filly with a lot of class, and there are a lot of races where the ground will be right in the autumn." Godolphin's Inchlonaig (GB) (Nashwan {USA}) was unplaced on his return to racing here in the G1 Epsom Derby S., while Sir Michael Stoute's Delius (USA) (A.P. Indy {USA}) and Interlude (GB) (Sadler's Wells {USA}) are as yet unsighted, although the latter is showing up well on the Newmarket gallops.

The French contingent is headed by Kutub (Ire) (In The Wings {GB}), impressive winner of the G1 Prix Noailles at Longchamp Apr. 9, before finishing second in the G1 Prix Lupin at the Paris track May 14 and fourth in the G1 Prix du Jockey-Club (French Derby) at Chantilly June 4. He is well supported by Zarkiya (Ire) (Catrail {USA}), who followed an unlucky fourth in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches (French 1000 Guineas) at Longchamp May 14 with a success in Chantilly's G3 Prix de Sandringham June 4. She may now head for Royal Ascot for the G1 Coronation S.

These two are backed up by Hidalguia (Ire) (Barathea (Ire)), third in the G1 Prix Saint-Alary at Longchamp May 21, and conditions winner Polish Summer (GB) (Polish Precedent {USA}), who could come into his own in the later-season staying events.

In Germany, Samum (Ger) (Monsun {Ger}) was impressive when winning the G2 Grosser Muller Brot-Preis Munich May 21, while the Italian selection is headed by G2 Premio Parioli (Italian 2000 Guineas) (Rome Apr. 30) winner Davide Umbro (Ity) (In The Wings {GB}) at odds of 86-1, who followed that success with fourth place in the G1 Derby Italiano Rome May 28. Another Italian dark horse, Caluki (GB) (Kris {GB}), was third in the Italian Guineas. Of the Irish contingent, Romanylei (Ire) (Blues Traveller {Ire}) is Listed placed in Britain, when second in the Cecil Frail S. at Haydock on Saturday, while the re-introduction of Aidan O'Brien's Homer (Ire) (Sadler's Wells {USA}) is keenly anticipated.

GROUP 1 STAKES -BRITAIN

<u>Date</u>	<u>Track</u>	Race
5-20	Newbury	Juddmonte Lockinge S.
6-9	Epsom	Epsom Oaks
6-9	Epsom	Coronation Cup
6-10	Epsom	Epsom Derby
6-20	Royal Ascot	St James's Palace S.
6-22	Royal Ascot	Coronation S.
6-22	Royal Ascot	Ascot Gold Cup
7-8	Sandown	Coral-Eclipse S.
7-13	Newmarket	July Cup
7-29	Ascot	King George VI & Queen
		Elizabeth Diamond S.
8-2	Goodwood	Sussex S.
8-5	Goodwood	Nassau S.
8-22	York	Juddmonte International S.
8-23	York	Yorkshire Oaks
8-24	York	Nunthorpe S.
9-2	Haydock	Haydock Sprint Cup
9-23	Ascot	Queen Elizabeth II S.
9-23	Ascot	Fillies Mile
9-26	Newmarket	Cheveley Park S.
9-28	Newmarket	Middle Park S.

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