



# THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS™ ☆ INTERNATIONAL ☆

Friday,  
December 8, 2000

## TATTERSALLS DECEMBER CONCLUDES

The Tattersalls December Sales concluded with a low-key session yesterday that finished off an outstanding year at the Newmarket auction house. Even with vendor buy backs excluded, the annual turnover of 137,291,030gns eclipsed the previous best of over 126 million guineas, realised three years ago. The December Sales were record-breakers themselves in several respects, most notably with **Brocatelle (GB)** (Green Desert) becoming the most expensive mare sold in Europe on Wednesday when she realised 1.7 million guineas. Reflecting on this sale, Edmond Mahony, the Tattersalls chairman, said, "The December Sales have very much mirrored the trade that we have seen throughout the year here at Tattersalls. Each of the sales in 2000 have broken new ground, and the December Sales have rounded off the year in spectacular fashion, with the highlight being the European record price of 1.7 million guineas for the broodmare Brocatelle. The foal trade in the first week of the sales suggested that the demand for broodmares and fillies would be strong, but we could not have predicted that the smallest December Sales catalogue for many years would break the 50-million guineas barrier. We have been inundated with overseas buyers from every continent in the world this week, and the depth of demand from British and Irish buyers has been an equally significant factor not only at the December Sales but throughout the year." Tattersalls recorded record individual prices at its Breeze-Up, Houghton, October, Autumn Yearling and Horses In Training sales. Mahony continued, "Quality has always been the key at Tattersalls and never more so than this year. Our vendors have provided us with some vintage catalogues, in particular at the Houghton and October yearling sales, and the results demonstrate the global demand for top-quality bloodstock." Yesterday's top price of 65,000gns was paid during the morning by agent Peter Doyle for **Propensity (GB)** (Habitat), a 16-year-old mare consigned from the Haras de la Perelle in Normandy. Joss Collins of the BBA was underbidder on the granddam of G1 Cheveley Park S. winner Wannabe Grand. "She is going to a good home in Ireland," said Doyle. "It's a really lovely family but I don't know who will cover her."

## TATTERSALLS THURSDAY - TOP THREE LOTS

Lot#	Name	Covering Sire	Price (gns)
2268	Propensity (GB)	Selkirk*	65,000
	<i>(16, Habitat--Kalamac {Fr}, by Kalamoun {Ire})</i>		
	Consigned by Haras de la Perelle		
	Purchased by Peter Doyle Bloodstock		
2401	Generous Diana (GB)	Horse in training	60,000
	<i>(4, Generous {Ire}--Lypharitissima {Fr}, by Lightning {Fr})</i>		
	Consigned by Warren Place Stables		
	Purchased by B.B.A. (Ireland) Ltd.		
2397	Legend (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	33,000
	<i>(4, Belmez--Once Upon a Time {GB}, by Teenoso)</i>		
	Consigned by The Royal Studs		
	Purchased by Mrs. H. Raw		

\*Believed NOT in foal.



## TATTERSALLS DECEMBER THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2000

<u>SESSION TOTALS</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>1999</u>
No. Sold	179	198
Gross	1,305,700gns	1,675,800gns
Average	7,294gns	8,463gns
Median	5,000gns	5,200gns
<u>MARE TOTALS</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>1999</u>
No. Sold	787	910
Gross	34,686,300gns	30,412,600gns
Average	44,074gns	33,420gns
Median	16,000gns	15,000gns
<u>DECEMBER TOTALS</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>1999</u>
No. Sold	1,539	1,857
Gross	51,484,000gns	47,250,300gns
Average	33,452gns	25,444gns
Median	14,000gns	11,500gns

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**FUNERAL SERVICES SET FOR ANTLEY** A funeral service for jockey Chris Antley will be held Saturday in his hometown of Elloree, South Carolina. The 34-year-old was found dead at his home in Pasadena, California last Saturday night and police continue to investigate his death as a homicide. Visitation for Antley will be held tonight from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. at Fogle-Hungerpillar Funeral Home in Elloree. Services for the two-time Kentucky Derby winner will be held at 1:30 p.m. tomorrow at the First Baptist Church with burial in the Bookhart Family Cemetery. On Tuesday, Antley was memorialized in a one-hour service in California. His family has requested donations be made to either the Disabled Jockey's Fund or the Special Olympics.

☆ RESULTS ☆

**Wednesday, Avondale, New Zealand**  
**NEW ZEALAND BLOODSTOCK AVONDALE GOLD CUP-**  
**G1, NZ\$150,000, Avondale, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT,**  
**2:15.22, gd.**

1--▲**SHE'S A MEANIE (NZ), 122, m, 5, by Prince Saleiri (Aus)**  
 1st Dam: Shekanwyn (NZ), by Musical Phantasy  
 2nd Dam: Brauner Flight (NZ), by Brauner  
 3rd Dam: Heirship (NZ), by Bally Royal (GB)  
 O-Robbie Jones, Cammie & Glen McKinley & Graeme Watson; B-Mr K B & Mrs K M Keene; T-Paul Milich; J-Peter Johnson; NZ\$97,000. Lifetime Record: 36-7-2-6, NZ\$218,800.

2--**So Lets (NZ), 114.5, m, 4, Wallenda--Nassido (NZ),**  
 by Nassipour. O-G R Angus, B T Hall & J A Rowan; B-B T Hall & Miss I Harris; NZ\$30,000

3--**Ebony Honor (NZ), 114.5, g, 4, Honor Grades--Only**  
 Love (GB), by Wollow (Ire). O-Mrs J M & M T Harriman; B-Haunui Farm Ltd; NZ\$15,000.

Margins: NO, NO, HF. Odds: 15.00, 7.00, 13.00.  
 Also ran: Kaapeon (NZ), Bluebird The Word (Aus), King Keitel (NZ), No Alimony (NZ), Magic Winner (NZ), Bexley (NZ), My Willie Montague (NZ), The Immortal One (NZ), Believer (NZ), Windsor Phew (NZ), Master Pom (NZ), Call Minder (NZ), Native Chief (NZ).

Nobody knew which of three horses had won this blanket finish. Not the punters, not the trainers and not even the jockeys. Peter Johnson, one of those jockeys, should've been happy. He was on She's a Meanie, who got up to win by a nose and a nose. The mare was back in the field for most of the race, and with 50 meters to go wasn't in the finish. So Lets, on the rail, and Ebony Honor appeared to be fighting it out before She's a Meanie flashed at them in the center of the track. Confusion reigned on course for more than three minutes until the call finally came. The win provided 35-year-old trainer Paul Milich with his first Group 1 win. Trevor and Stephen McKee, third with Ebony Honor, will be hoping for better things with Sunline (NZ) in the Hong Kong Mile on Dec. 17. The win provided the deceased sire Prince Saleiri (Aus) with his first Group 1 win.

☆ PREVIEW ☆

**Saturday, Hollywood Park**

**DAHLIA H.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT**

PP HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1 Janet (GB)	Emperor Jones	Puglisi	114
2 Smooth Player	Bertrando	Delahoussaye	120
3 Speaking of Time	Gilded Time	Sorenson	112
4 Lady at Peace	Lord at War (Arg)	Gomez	117
5 Diamond White (GB)	Robellino	Solis	115
6 Follow the Money	Pine Bluff	Espinoza	115
7 Coracle	Exbourne	Desormeaux	116
8 Brianda (Ire)	Alzao	Garcia	111
9 Strawberry Way	Strawberry Road (Aus)	Chapman	113
10 Beautiful Noise	Sunny's Halo	McCarron	117

**CURRENCY CONVERSIONS**

	Unit/US\$	Unit/GB£
British pound	1.44509	1.00
Hong Kong dollar	0.128254	0.0887519
New Zealand dollar	0.427498	0.295831
U.S. dollar	1.00	0.6403

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**OLD TOPPER RETIRED** Multiple graded stakes winner Old Topper (Gilded Time--Shy Trick, by Phone Trick) has been retired after suffering a bowed tendon, according to *Daily Racing Form*. The five-year-old won the 1998 Gill Pat O'Brien H. and the 1997 Gill Best Pal S. for trainer Noble Threewitt and owner Barbara Hunter. Threewitt told the *Form* that Hunter planned to sell Old Topper for stallion duty. The chestnut won a six-furlong Del Mar allowance by 5 1/2 lengths in his final career start. He retires with seven wins in 25 starts and 11 placings for earnings of \$655,860.

## ☆ NEW YORK ☆

### Yesterday's Results:

**9th-AQU, \$44,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:52 2/5, ft.**  
1--**LIQUID ICON, 120, c, 4, Cure the Blues--Belle Noel, by Tom Rolfe.** O/B-Amherst Stable (NY); T-Philip G Johnson. Lifetime Record: 25-6-2-2, \$196,970. \*1/2 to Belle Nuit (Dr. Carter), SW & GSP, \$162,392; Belle of Amherst (Far Out East), SW, \$284,614; Ms. Eloise (Nasty and Bold), MGISW, \$870,982.  
2--**Borntoberegal, 118, c, 3, Regal Classic--Bitwa, by Conquistador Cielo.**  
3--**First Emperor, 120, c, 4, Chief's Crown--Dame Avie, by Lord Gaylord.**  
Margins: NK, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 5.90, 13.90, 20.50.

Liquid Icon stalked the leaders around two turns here two races ago Nov. 2 and finished third when he couldn't produce a challenge in the stretch. Back on Nov. 16, the Philip Johnson trainee was sent to the lead, tired and ended up seventh against a field of allowance runners. In this outing, the Amherst Stable colt returned to his old strategy, tracking the frontrunners from the gate, making up ground on the turn and getting up for a narrow victory at the wire.

**STAKES CLOSINGS**  
*TODAY, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8:*  
04-07 \$750,000 Santa Anita Derby-I, SA, 3yo, 9f, (250)



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## ☆ MIDWEST ☆

### Yesterday's Results:

**6th-FGX, \$31,000, Alw, 2yo, a1mT, 1:39 2/5, gd.**  
**RAHY'S SECRET (c, 2, Rahy--Secret Advice {SW & GSP, \$144,508}, by Secreto)** defeated a maiden field at this track by one length Nov. 24. This time the \$90,000 KEESep yearling was sent to the post at 7-2 odds and validated his ability with a 4 1/2-length victory. Breaking to midpack, the Kentucky-bred colt raced in the middle of the track before turning for home and rallying to the lead on his way to an easy win. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$36,000.  
O-Keith Plaisance. B-Jaime S Carrion, Trustee (KY). T-Corale A Richards.

## ☆ INDUSTRY INFO ☆

### Tpa Announces New Officers:

Turf Publicists of America, an establishment of publicity and marketing professionals, elected its officers for 2001, it was announced during the group's yearly membership meeting at the University of Arizona's Symposium on Racing in Tucson. Bob Curran Jr., director of special communication services for The Jockey Club and last year's vice president of the association, will take on the position of TPA president. Succeeding John Asher, Curran will serve a two-year term. Four vice presidents were also voted into office for a one-year term, including: Director of Publicity at Calder, Michele Blanco (East); John Engelhardt, Director of Publicity at River Downs (Central); Communications Director at Hollywood, Mike Mooney (West); and Director of Communications and Marketing at Rockingham, Lynne Snierson (Vice President At Large). Media Relations Manager at Emerald Downs, Bruno Zalubil, was re-elected as the TPA's secretary-treasurer.

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**Surgery for Stute:**

Veteran trainer Mel Stute underwent quadruple bypass surgery Thursday at Citrus Valley Medical Center in California. The 73-year-old trained champions Snow Chief and Brave Raj and the 1987 Breeders' Cup Sprint heroine Very Subtle.

**Yesterday's Results:**

7th-HOL, \$48,410, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:02.32, fm.

PLEASING NOD (f, 4, American Standard--Tavara {SP}, by Alydar) won for a \$50,000 tag at this course and distance last time out Nov. 24. The 13-1 outsider moved up three wide into the stretch, opened a 1 1/2-length advantage down the lane and held on late for a 1/2-length tally. Lifetime Record: 10-5-1-2, \$117,160. O-Herrick Racing LLC. B-Brown Bruce & Connie & Windwoods Farm (Ky). T-Darrell Vienna.

3rd-HOL, \$39,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:36 1/5, fm. + DYNAMOUS (f, 2, Dynaformer--Nateja, by Diesis {GB}) was settled toward the back of the eight-horse field, made headway at the top of the lane and drew clear of the pack for a two-length winning debut as the bettors' 3-1 second choice. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$23,400.

O/B-Dr John A Chandler (KY). T-Robert Frankel.

5th-HOL, \$39,585, Msw, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:37 3/5, fm. LITTLE HOTTIE (f, 2, Afternoon Deelites--Mistrelly, by Miswaki) ran second for an \$80,000 tag in her debut at Santa Anita Oct. 22 but returned with a sixth-place effort against open company Nov. 19. Sent off at 5-1 in her turf debut, the filly chased the leaders while racing on the inside. She went through an opening on the rail in the stretch, took charge at midstretch and held on late for a half-length tally over Connie's Spirit (Theatrical {Ire}). Little Hottie became the 14th winner for her freshman sire (by Private Terms). Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$29,000.

O/B-Burt Bacharach. B-Bacharach Burt (KY). T-Patrick Gallagher.

☆ **FOREIGN** ☆

**AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN HONG KONG:**

Chinesesport, g, 3, Wolfhound--Point de Galle, by Kris (GB). Sha Tin, 12-6, Hcp., 1650m. B-Dixiana Farm Inc & Glenlogan Farm (KY). \*\$37,000 yrl '98 FTKJUL. \*\*Formerly named Mystical Artist.

Right On, g, 7, Lear Fan--Swim Dance, by Riverman. Sha Tin, 12-6, Hcp., 1150m. B-Haras du Bois-Roussel (KY). \*61,021gns yrl '94 AFAUG. \*\*Formerly named Sing Fan.

**SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. SIRE:**

Any Moment Now (NZ), f, 3, Housebuster--Palace Dancer (NZ), by Palace Music. Penola (South Australia), 12-7, Heywards Royal Oak Hotel H., 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, \$1,532 to winner. B-Mr R B Litt; T-Essy Thompson.

Kurtray (Aus), c, 3, Royal Academy--Sister Shirley (Aus) (GSW-Aus), by Kaoru Star (Aus). Flemington (Melbourne), 12-6, Raveneaux H., 3yo, 1 1/8mT, \$7,824 to winner. B-Australasian Racing Investments Pty Ltd; T-John Symons.

Queen Sissie (NZ), f, 3, Slavic--Seductive (Aus), by Arch Sculptor (GB). Randwick (Sydney), 12-6, AJC Sponsors Appreciation H., 3yo, f, 5fT, \$7,441 to winner. B-Mr J T Faulkner; T-Noel Mayfield-Smith. \*1/2 to Mr. Dancer (NZ) (Danzatore), SW-Aus.

Silk Pyjamas (Aus), f, 4, Chief's Crown--Dasyura (Aus) (SW-Aus), by Rory's Jester (Aus). Ascot (Perth), 12-6, Alana Sansom H., 3yo/up, f/m, 7 1/2fT, \$3,830 to winner. B-Mr D P Bentata; T-Neville Parnham.

Ansonia (NZ), m, 5, Defensive Play--Virokajadee (NZ), by Nassipour. Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 12-6, Limerick H., 3yo/up, 1mT, \$3,721 to winner. B-Whakanui Stud Ltd; T-Darren Graham.

O'Malleys Boy (NZ), g, 6, Dance Floor--Out Clear (NZ), by In The Purple (Fr). Avondale (New Zealand), 12-6, Concorde H.-G 2, 3yo/up, 6fT, \$9,293 to winner. B-Mr C R Grace; T-Michael Moroney & Andrew Scott.

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.

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## ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

**8th-AQU, \$46,000, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:45, fm. GREAT WILL (h, 5, Go and Go {Ire}--White Bear, by Superbity) Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-2, \$72,170. O-Seven Furlong Farm. B-Tracy Egan (NY). T-Michael W Dickinson.**

**4th-HOL, \$43,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft. NURDLINGER (c, 3, Order--Steff Graf {Brz} {MG1SW-Brz & GSW-US, \$146,825}, by Executioner) Lifetime Record: GSP, 13-3-2-2, \$131,444. O/B-Robert B Moreno (CA). T-John W Sadler.**

**9th-FGX, \$40,000, 3yo/up, a5 1/2fT, 1:05 2/5, gd. VINNIE'S BOY (c, 4, Sejm--Vincesca, by Darby Creek Road) Lifetime Record: SW & GSP, 23-6-4-7, \$219,890. O-Robert L Beck. B-Gilbert G Campbell (FL). T-William Bret Calhoun. \*1/2 to Shananie's Wish (Shananie), MSW, \$130,126; Marilyn's Magic (Shananie), MSP, \$209,698; Garella (Shananie), GSW, \$395,583.**

**8th-FGX, \$33,000, 3yo/up, a7 1/2fT, 1:33 2/5, gd. WESTERN SQUIRE (c, 3, Farma Way--Western Music, by Lord At War {Arg}) Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-0, \$77,317. O-Dennis Foster & Robert Leonard. B-Francisco Palacios (KY). T-Robert W Leonard.**

**8th-HAW, \$32,000, Opt. Clm. (\$32-28,000), 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:41 4/5, ft. ANGELLACE (f, 4, Bates Motel--Lilac Lace, by Shecky Greene) Lifetime Record: SP, 22-4-3-6, \$113,377. O-Seldin Millard & Estate of Hoss Inman. B-Seldin & Inman Estate (KY). T-Charlie Livesay.**

**4th-LRL, \$28,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:54 1/5, ft. PAULINE'S PROSPECT (m, 6, Allen's Prospect--Lordie Miss Green, by Lord Gaylord) Lifetime Record: 43-3-4-9, \$89,036. O/B/T-Gretchen B Mobberley (MD). \*1/2 to Set the Pace (Thirty Eight Paces), SW, \$207,688.**

**6th-LRL, \$28,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m, 1:52 3/5, ft. HEY RUE (c, 3, Hay Halo--Rue Rue, by Prince Street) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, \$37,370. O-Lucy C Kessler. B-Liberty Hill Farm (MD). T-Kimberly A Godwin.**

**8th-LRL, \$28,000, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:45 3/5, ft. NINER'S ECHO (g, 2, Signal--Early Ann, by Tom Swift) Lifetime Record: GSP, 7-2-1-3, \$59,730. O-Donald J Baker. B-Save L Rickenbaker (SC). T-Hamilton A Smith.**

**9th-HAW, \$28,000, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 4/5, ft. NOSARA (h, 5, Saratoga Six--Miss Gadabout, by \*Magic Hope II) Lifetime Record: 41-2-7-10, \$124,611. O-Gordon W Bredeson. B-Wind Farm North (IL). T-Moises R Yanez.**

**9th-TPX, \$26,400, 12-6, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13 2/5, ft. STARSHIP MISS (f, 3, Twining--Special Coin, by Rare Performer) Lifetime Record: SW, 8-4-2-1, \$99,249. O/B-Wimbledon Farm (KY). T-Michelle Mullins.**

**8th-TPX, \$26,100, 12-6, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:44 4/5, ft. VALIANT FIGHTER (f, 2, Valiant Nature--Love to Fight {MSP}, by Fit to Fight) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-0, \$33,370. O-Edward D Knell Jr. B-Derby Lane Farm (KY). T-William N Million.**

**8th-CRC, \$21,500, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:20 3/5, ft. DARYLS DANCER (f, 3, Robyn Dancer--Bodhavista, by Pass the Tab) Lifetime Record: 17-4-3-3, \$73,110. O-Beatrice Oxenberg. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). T-Edward Plesa Jr. \*Full to White Beauty, MSW & GSP, \$361,663.**

## MAIDEN WINNERS:

**Little Hottie, f, 2, Afternoon Deelites--Mistrelly, by Miswaki. HOL, 12-7, 1mT, 1:37 3/5. B-Burt Bacharach (Ky). \*14th winner for freshman sire (by Private Terms).**

**+ Dynamous, f, 2, Dynaformer--Nateja, by Diesis (GB). HOL, 12-7, 1mT, 1:36 1/5. B-Dr John A Chandler (Ky).**

**+ Duck for Dinner, c, 2, Formal Dinner--Cynthia C., by Bombay Duck. CRC, 12-7, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-Dr D W Frazier (Fl).**

**Formal Stick, f, 2, Formal Dinner--Liberty Stick, by Our Liberty. CRC, 12-7, (C), 6f, 1:14 4/5. B-Helen Lozensky (Fl). \*\$25,000 yrl '99 OBSAUG; \$21,000 yrl '99 OBSJAN; \$22,000 2yo 2000 OBSMAR.**

**+ Fleet Year, c, 2, Half a Year--Lovely and Fleet, by Seattle Slew. HOL, 12-7, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05.62. B-Mr & Mrs John C Mabee (Ca).**

**Alone At Home, c, 2, Home At Last--Ali Gubs, by Raised Socially. HAW, 12-7, (C), a1m70yd, 1:42 3/5. B-Charles Nuckols, Jr & Sons (Ky).**

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**Lettuce Loose**, f, 2, **Malagra**--Roaring Fireplace, by Silent Dignity. FGX, 12-7, (S), 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Brittlyn Stable Inc (La). \*Full to Minit Towinit, MSW, \$112,245.

+ **Mighty Dawn**, f, 2, **Mighty Magee**--Fromdawnilldusk, by Hoist the Flag. AQU, 12-7, (S), a1m70yd, 1:47 1/5. B-Martin Zaretsky & Michael Connelly (NY). \*Third winner for freshman sire (by Cormorant).

**Navy R. N.**, f, 2, **Sea Hero**--L. B.'s Girl, by Bold L. B. GGX, 12-7, 1m, 1:37 1/5. B-Doni Biggs (Ky). \*\$29,000 wlng '98 KEENOV; \$55,000 yrl '99 FTKJUL.

**Nowinefornana**, f, 2, **Spend a Buck**--Foggy Day, by London Bells. TPX, 12-6, 6f, 1:14 4/5. B-George Brunacini (Ky). \*\$5,000 yrl '99 FTKOCT.

**Irish Ginger**, f, 2, **Wavering Monarch**--S. S. Sparkle, by Victorian Prince. AQU, 12-7, (S), a1m70yd, 1:48. B-Heatherwood Farm (NY).

**Dotsie's Doll**, f, 3, **Allen's Prospect**--Beseech (MSP), by Chompion. TPX, 12-6, 6f, 1:13 3/5. B-Moonshadow Farm (NY). \*\$21,000 yrl '98 KEESSEP.

**Icy Demeanor**, f, 3, **Allen's Prospect**--Capp Ice (SP), by Icecapade. LRL, 12-7, 1 1/16m, 1:47 1/5. B-C Oliver Goldsmith (Md). \*1/2 to Bay Capp (Acallade), MSP, \$350,719.

**Silent Stream**, f, 3, **Tricky Creek**--Rated P. G., by Silent Screen. TPX, 12-6, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Wafare Farm (Ky). \*\$4,200 wlng '97 FTKNOV. \*\*Full to Eejay, SW, \$108,825.

**Jessica Rapid**, f, 3, **Virginia Rapids**--Sweetest Sound (MSP), by Elocutionist. AQU, 12-7, 1 1/16m, 1:48 2/5. B-Patricia Purdy (NY). \*\$16,000 2yo 1999 FTMMAY. \*\*1/2 to Dawnelo (\*Grey Dawn II), MSW, \$167,753.

**Run Sweet Run**, f, 4, **El Prado (Ire)**--Sweet Run (SW, \$259,381), by Miswaki. HAW, 12-7, (S), a1m70yd, 1:43 2/5. B-Richard Trebat (Il).

**Denzil'sfirstbaby**, f, 4, **Iroquois Park**--Baby It's You, by Marshua's Dancer. TPX, 12-6, 6f, 1:15 4/5. B-Denny Crum (Ky).

**TRACK ABBREVIATIONS:**

<b>AQU</b> Aqueduct	<b>CRC</b> Calder
<b>CTX</b> Charles Town	<b>CDX</b> Churchill
<b>FGX</b> Fair Grounds	<b>GGX</b> Golden Gate
<b>HAW</b> Hawthorne	<b>HOL</b> Hollywood
<b>KEE</b> Keeneland	<b>LRL</b> Laurel
<b>MNR</b> Mountaineer	<b>PEN</b> Penn National
<b>PHA</b> Philadelphia Park	<b>RDX</b> River Downs
<b>HOU</b> Sam Houston	<b>SUF</b> Suffolk



**FRESHMAN FOCUS**

First-crop progeny to watch: Friday, December 8

**CYRANO** (Seattle Slew)  
8th-FGX, \$31,000, Alw, 5 1/2f - Cheryl P.

**DEMALOOT DEMASHOOT** (Bold Ruckus)  
3rd-FGX, \$29,000, Msw, 6f - Mickey's Malarkey

**DUMAANI** (Danzig)  
6th-FGX, \$29,000, Msw, a1mT - Satin Pillows

**FORTY WON** (Forty Niner)  
3rd-FGX, \$29,000, Msw, 6f - Steady Won & Noinbetweeners

**MUTAKDDIM** (Seeking the Gold)  
8th-FGX, \$31,000, Alw, 5 1/2f - Caustic Remark

**NORTHERN SPUR (IRE)** (Sadler's Wells)  
6th-AQU, \$42,000, Msw, 1m 70yds - Chairman Cella

**SIGNAL TAP** (Fappiano)  
9th-AQU, \$41,000, Msw, 6f - She's A Delight

**SMART STRIKE** (Mr. Prospector)  
6th-FGX, \$29,000, Msw, a1mT - Sapphire Hill

**TETHRA** (Cure the Blues)  
6th-FGX, \$29,000, Msw, a1mT - Nabethian  
8th-FGX, \$31,000, Alw, 5 1/2f - B. V. Blues

**TORRENTIAL** (Gulch)  
6th-FGX, \$29,000, Msw, a1mT - Torropy

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Broad Brush (Ack Ack)	Ky	9
Rahy (Blushing Groom {Fr})	Ky	8
Theatrical (Ire) (Nureyev)	Ky	8
Diesis (GB) (Sharpen Up {GB})	Ky	7
Gilded Time (Damascus)	Ky	7
Gulch (Mr. Prospector)	Ky	7
Lord At War (Arg) (General)	dead	7
Olympio (Naskra)	Ca	7

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*Last week the NTRA began a series of Frequently Asked Questions. The first question (and answer) addressed where the bulk of the NTRA budget is spent. This is the second question in the series:*

**Q: What about political spending? Is it as important as some people claim?**

Absolutely. Thankfully, support for the NTRA's voluntary 1/4-percent funding program by buyers, sellers and the sales companies has been overwhelming so far this year and we are grateful to all the participants. The entire contribution from buyers and a substantial percentage of the income from sales companies and sellers from this program has been earmarked for political purposes, which has enabled us to greatly bolster racing's lobbying efforts in Washington, D.C.

Our legislative presence has, when measured in dollar terms, tripled over the last year. We are spending \$600,000 this year and have budgeted \$800,000 for next year. This includes the creation of an NTRA political action committee (PAC). These are not huge sums of money compared to what other entertainment and gaming interests spend, but given the threats our industry has faced in just the last few months to account wagering and interstate simulcasting, it is clear that this area needs to be a continuing priority.

Throughout this year, we worked diligently with our supporters in Congress and the American Horse Council, our lobbyists, sports organizations like the NCAA and the NFL and law enforcement officials toward passage of HR 3125, the Internet Gambling Prohibition Act, (the "Kyl/Goodlatte bill") against formidable opposition.



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Our opponents were well organized and well funded. They waged a sophisticated public relations battle to portray the bill as an expansion of gambling, unfairly characterizing the horseracing exemptions in the process. Even more unfortunate is the public position of the Department of Justice (DOJ) in opposition to the bill. In its testimony before Congress, the DOJ's position is that our current account wagering and interstate simulcasting practices are in violation of the Wire Act, a criminal statute.

In fact, the exemptions for pari-mutuel wagering contained in the Internet Gambling Prohibition Act do not represent an expansion of gaming opportunities. They merely protect states' rights to sanction pari-mutuel wagering and the right of the racing industry to conduct current levels of interstate wagering and account wagering activity, which were previously encouraged by Congress in the Interstate Horseracing Act of 1978, years after passage of the Wire Act.

Short of the Kyl/Goodlatte bill, legislation that would clarify racing's existing position under the IHA has been introduced and may pass prior to the end of the year.

This is just one example of why, now more than ever, being stronger in the political and regulatory arenas will be a key to our industry's ability to prosper over the long term.

*If you have a question you'd like answered, e-mail it to Ben Haggin, the NTRA's director of membership development, at bhaggin@ntra.com.*

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## ★ EUROPEAN EDITION ★

Friday, December 8, 2000

### ★ GERMANY ★

#### ALL'S NOT QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT

The Direktorium fuer Vollblutzucht und Rennen (German Jockey Club) and the German bookmakers are on the verge of war following an uproar over last weekend's racing. The bookmakers did not accept any bets for the race clubs, and in consequence the Jockey Club cancelled the TV coverage abruptly, which caused great upheaval amongst officials and the public. The clash is the result of the controversial costs and prices for services to the the individual raceclub tote and Sisal bookmakers. This is another serious blow to the already battered and bruised situation in the turf's administration, which is now threatening to collapse.

### ★ ITALY ★

#### Yesterday's Results:

2.25 Naples, Premio Santa Cruz (Cond.), L15,300,000, 3yo/up, 5fT, time: n/a, gd.

**TESIANO (ITY)** (c, 4, Glen Jordan {GB}--Luigia Abbadia {Ire} {SW-Ity}), by Kings Lake {USA}) Lifetime Record: SP-Ity, 32 starts, 6 wins, 17 places, L209,270,000. O-G L Braschi; B-Scuderia Siba; T-A Renzoni; J-M Pasquale.

### ★ UNITED ARAB EMIRATES ★

#### EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS:

**Murjan (FR)**, g, 3, Lycius (USA)--Raknah (Ire), by Night Shift (USA). Abu Dhabi, 12-6, Hcp., 1600mT, 1:34.10. O-Mr Mohammed Jaber Abdullah; B-Gainsborough Stud Mgmt; T-P Rudkin. \*Won by five lengths.

**Handsome Singer (GB)**, h, 7, Cadeaux Genereux (GB)--Gunner's Belle (GB), by Gunner B. Abu Dhabi, 12-6, Hcp., 2200mT, 2:16.30. O-Sheikh Saeed bin Maktoum al Maktoum; B-Whitbury Manor Stud; T-P Rudkin. \*130,000gns yrl '94 TAHOU. \*\*Full to Hoh Magic (GB), Hwt. 2yo Filly-Fr & GB, G1SW-Fr, GSW & G1SP-GB, \$267,692.

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### ★ MACAU ★

#### MACAU SALE RESULTS

The Magic Millions sales company held its Macau Sale of Thoroughbreds on Sunday, Dec. 3, with a New Zealand-bred three-year-old gelding by the Danzig (USA) horse Kashani (USA) topping all bids at HK\$250,000. Out of the Truly Vain (Aus) mare Kath Morton (NZ), he was purchased by Li Chi Ming and partners. Two youngsters brought the second-highest price of HK\$200,000. An Australian-bred two-year-old colt by Forging Ahead (Ire), a Lomond (USA) half brother to Last Tycoon (Ire), was bought by Zheng Hong Jun, Wu Ka I and partners. His price was matched when a three-year-old Australian-bred colt by Nine Carat (USA) (Slew O'Gold {USA}) was purchased by Li Chi Ming and partners as well. In all, the 20 offered lots all sold for an aggregate of HK\$2.6 million at an average price of HK\$130,000.

### ★ UNITED STATES ★

#### EUROPEAN-BRED WINNER:

**Chine (GB)**, m, 5, Inchinor (GB)--Tweedling (USA), by Sir Ivor (USA). Aqueduct, 12-6, Allowance, 1 1/16mT, \$28,200 to winner. O-Gary A Tanaka; B-The Duke of Marlborough; T-William I Mott. \*5,500gns yrl '96 TAOCT. \*\*MGSP-Fr.

### ★ U.S. PREMIERES ★

#### Today at Hollywood Park

1st Race, Maiden Special Weight, \$39,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT

**SATARRA (GB)** (c, 3, Lammtarra {USA}--Gemaasheh {Ire}), by Habitat {USA}) made a good impression when second on his debut June 22 at Lingfield, but failed to make much of an impact in two subsequent starts for former trainer Henry Cecil. A 150,000gns foal and a 240,000gns yearling, the chestnut will race with Lasix and has drawn leading rider Victor Espinoza. O-The Thoroughbred Corp; B-Raffin Stud; T-John Shirreffs.

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★ AUSTRALASIA ★

**WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRE:**

- Beyond Dispute (Aus)**, c, 2, **Dolphin Street (Fr)**--Lady Icon (Aus) (SP-Aus), by O'Connor (Aus). Ascot (Perth), 12-6, Stars Of Summer H., 2yo, 5fT, A\$7,000 to winner. B-Mr R Neville; T-Neville Parnham.
- Cause for Divorce (Aus)**, g, 3, **Baryshnikov (Aus)**--Lady Maldine (Aus), by Snippets (Aus). Cranbourne (Victoria), 12-7, Jayco Campers Maiden, 3yo, 6fT, A\$6,500 to winner. B-Contract Racing Pty Ltd & Mr A Visalli; T-Mathew Ellerton.
- Whiskers (Aus)**, g, 3, **Catrail (USA)**--Aunty Entity (Can), by Arts And Letters (USA). Gawler (South Australia), 12-6, Lifestyle Pergolas & Timber Supplies H., 3yo/up, 1m 1f 165ydsT, A\$4,300 to winner. B-Planette Thoroughbred Trading Pty Ltd; T-Byron Cozamanis. \*1/2 to Zaruche (NZ) (Meadowlake {USA}), SP-Aus.
- Gold Sarah (Aus)**, f, 3, **Catrail (USA)**--Sworn Secret (Aus), by Kenmare (Fr). Flemington (Melbourne), 12-6, Clipsal Eclipse S., 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, A\$14,300 to winner. B-Arrowfield Group Ltd; T-Mark Riley.
- Skywards (Aus)**, g, 3, **Eagle Eyed (USA)**--Hayley's Hope (NZ) (GSW-Aus), by Habitation (GB). Hawkesbury (New South Wales), 12-7, Mary Walsh H., 1 1/8mT, A\$8,000 to winner. B-Milburn Creek Thoroughbred Stud; T-Bob Thomsen. \*1/2 to Mad Hatter (Aus) (Lunchtime {GB}), SP-Aus.
- Gilded Wings (Aus)**, g, 3, **Flying Spur (Aus)**--Market Gift (Aus), by Marscay (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 12-6, Tralee H., 3yo, 7fT, A\$6,800 to winner. B-Mr J R & Mrs P D Cribb; T-Gerald Ryan.
- Roller (Aus)**, g, 3, **Flying Spur (Aus)**--Sycamore (Aus), by Twig Moss (Fr). Randwick (Sydney), 12-6, Warwick Hobson H., 3yo, 7fT, A\$13,600 to winner. B-Milburn Creek Thoroughbred Stud; T-Gai Waterhouse.
- Shockeroo (Aus)**, g, 3, **Hurricane Sky (Aus)**--Slade (Aus), by Chimes Square (Aus). Hawkesbury (New South Wales), 12-7, Chippy's Food Distributor H., 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$7,000 to winner. B-Mr G Murphie; T-Noel Mayfield-Smith.
- The Rock (NZ)**, g, 4, **Bigstone (Ire)**--Flight Amal (NZ), by Amalgam (USA). Avondale (New Zealand), 12-6, Dunstan Stayers Championship Qualifier H., 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, NZ\$12,500 to winner. B-Dr J A Bowbyes; T-Darrell & Peter Hollinshead. \*1/2 to Jazzac (NZ) (Cocky Golfer {USA}), GSW & MG1SP-NZ.

- More Haste (Aus)**, f, 4, **Brief Truce (USA)**--Many Hands (Aus) (GSP-Aus), by Handy Proverb (Aus). Randwick (Sydney), 12-6, Shading H., 4yo/up, f/m, 7fT, A\$13,600 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes. \*1/2 to Light Work (Aus) (Danehill {USA}), MG1SP-Aus.
- Swanette (Aus)**, f, 4, **Danzero (Aus)**--Swan Aly (USA), by Alydar (USA). Flemington (Melbourne), 12-6, Colourplus Printing H., 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, A\$14,300 to winner. B-Kingston Park Stud; T-Mathew Ellerton
- Grand Orient (Aus)**, f, 4, **Grand Lodge (USA)**--Lee's Bid (NZ) (G1SW-Aus), by Tawfiq (USA). Randwick (Sydney), 12-6, W Forrester H., 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT, A\$13,600 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes. \*1/2 to Arena (Aus) (Danehill {USA}), MG1SW-Aus.
- Compliant (Aus)**, g, 4, **Night Shift (USA)**--Faithful (Aus), by Christmas Tree (Aus). Gatton (Queensland), 12-7, Happy Holidays H., 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, A\$3,800 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-Barry Miller.
- Just Imagine (Aus)**, g, 4, **Perugino (USA)**--All Imagination (Aus) (SW-Aus), by Loosen Up (USA). Hawkesbury (New South Wales), 12-7, Cook's Plumbing Supplies H., 3yo/up, 7fT, A\$14,000 to winner. B-Mr H J Martin; T-Sterling Smith. \*1/2 to Trips (Aus) (Naturalism {NZ}), SP-Aus & Mac.
- Treasure Bay (Aus)**, g, 4, **Turtle Island (Ire)**--Alifax (USA), by Alydar (USA). Flemington (Melbourne), 12-6, Rising Fast H., 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, A\$14,300 to winner. B-Kingston Park Stud; T-Mathew Ellerton.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

- Villabha (Ire)**, f, 2, **Tagula (Ire)**--Vendimia (GB), by Dominion (GB). Naples, Italy, 12-7, Premio Reno (Mdn), 2yo, 5fT, L12,750,000 to winner. B-Baronrath Stud. \*15th winner for freshman sire (by Taufan {USA}). \*\*3,478gns wnl '98 GONOV.



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