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DAIWA EL CIELO SCORES OAKS UPSET

Daiwa El Cielo (Jpn) (Sunday Silence) upset the field to take Sunday's G1-Jpn Yushun Himba (Japanese Oaks) in Tokyo, while the heavily favored previously unbeaten Dance in the Mood (Jpn) (Sunday Silence) struggled home fourth. Daiwa El Cielo won at first asking last December, but found Sweep Tosho (Jpn) (End Sweep) too much and finished behind that filly in the Kobai S. one month later. Victorious in the G3 Queen's Cup in February, Daiwa El Cielo couldn't muster the same kind of finish in her most recent start. when she had to settle for seventh in the G1 Oka Sho (Japanese 1000 Guineas) last month. Overlooked for her return to Group 1 company, the filly broke from post 13 and was content to track pacesetter Winglet (Jpn) (Taiki Shuttle) early. With a powerful move on the backstretch, Daiwa El Cielo moved past that filly and held the advantage all the way home, holding off the late charge of her nemesis Sweep Tosho, who finished 3/4-lengths back in second. Dance in the Mood, winner of the Oka Sho, finished further back in fourth. "She was in great condition and she appears to be a filly who can handle a longer distance," said winning trainer Kunihide Matsuda. Matsuda indicated that the filly will be targeted toward the G1 Shuka Sho Oct. 17.

Sunday, Tokyo, Japan YUSHUN HIMBA (JAPANESE OAKS)-G1, ¥229,360,000, 5-23, Tokyo, 3yo/up, 2400mT, 2:27.20, fm.

1--DAIWA EL CIELO (JPN), 121, f, 3, by Sunday Silence 1st Dam: London Bridge (Jpn) (GSW-Jpn, \$769,317), by Dr Devious

2nd Dam: All For London, by Danzig 3rd Dam: Full Card, by Damascus

O-Daiwa Shoji K; B-Shimokobe Farm; T-K Matsuda; J-Y Fukunaga; ¥128,262,000. Lifetime Record:

- 2--Sweep Tosho (Jpn), 121, f, 3, End Sweep--Tabatha Tosho (Jpn), by Dancing Brave. O-Tosho Sangyo; B-Tosho Sangyo & Tosho Bokujo. ¥47,932,000.
- 3--Yamanin Alabaster (Jpn), 121, f, 3, Golden Pheasant--Yamanin Recall (Jpn), by Tamamo Cross (Jpn). O-H Doi; B-Nishikioka Farm. ¥28,466,000. Margins: 3/4, 3, NO. Odds: 21.40, 13.80, 23.00.

TRIPLE THREATS

Eddington Works Towards Belmont

Eddington (Unbridled), third in the GI Preakness S., worked a bullet half mile at Belmont Park yesterday in :46 2/5 with retired Hall of Fame jockey Angel Cordero



Eddington **Horsephotos**

in the irons. The chestnut colt is one of six confirmed starters for the June 5 GI Belmont S. "It was quicker than we wanted, but we did want something quick," explained trainer Mark Hennig. "I wanted to make sure he didn't get too relaxed. I got him in:22 4/5 for his last quarter, so we'll look to move forward off this. He had his ears laid back and he wasn't looking around. He was really focused today." Cordero

added, "He went very good. He changed his leads perfectly. He was very aggressive. For a big horse, he's agile and a beautiful mover."

Royal Assault (Kris S.), winner of the Sir Barton S. on the Preakness undercard, worked six furlongs over Belmont's main track yesterday in 1:16.

The other definite Belmont starters are Rock Hard Ten (Kris S.), Tapit (Pulpit), Tap Dancer (Sword Dance {Ire}) and Smarty Jones (Elusive Quality). Considered possible are the Nick Zito pair of Birdstone (Grindstone) and The Cliff's Edge (Gulch).

Extra Schooling for Rock Hard Ten

Preakness runner-up Rock Hard Ten (Kris S.) was a handful behind the gate before the Preakness and has been getting extra schooling at Belmont. Trainer Jason Orman has taken the giant colt to the gate the last three mornings and has been working with New York Racing Association starter Bob Duncan. "He's spent about 20 minutes to a half hour at the gate," Orman said. "The horse gets back there and Bob just gets him to drop his head. Bob knows what he's doing and we let him do whatever he wants with the horse." Rock Hard Ten is scheduled to work this morning.

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(Triple Threats cont.)

Purge Likely to Skip Belmont

Purge (Pulpit), winner of Saturday's GII Peter Pan, looks likely to skip the Belmont S., according to trainer Todd Pletcher. "There are a lot of spots out there and we don't want to come back too soon in the Belmont," Pletcher explained. The July 11 GII Dwyer could be on the colt's summer schedule.

Keeping Up With The (Smarty) Jones



Smarty Watch 2004

Kentucky Derby and Preakness winner **Smarty Jones** (Elusive Quality) continued his preparations for the June 5 GI Belmont S. with a 1 3/4-miles gallop at Philadelphia Park yesterday. Current plans call for the colt to



Smarty Jones

Equi-Photo

work Friday and ship to Belmont June 2. "That could change, but that's the way it is right now," said trainer John Servis. "He'll gallop two miles [today] and then I'll give him two mediocre days, probably a mile and a half gallops on Wednesday and Thursday. We'll probably gallop him with the pony on Thursday leading into

the work. Again, I don't want him too sharp and I don't want him too sharp for the work. Right now it probably looks like I'm going to work him seven furlongs, a slow seven furlongs for him. I don't want him too sharp. I don't want him working in :58 and then trying to run off in the first part of the race. Right now the big thing with him is trying to take a little bit of the edge off and trying to keep him happy." Jockey Stewart Elliott will be aboard for Friday's work.

☆ CLASSIC CORNER☆

Attraction Ascot Bound

The Duke of Roxburghe's **Attraction (GB)** (Efisio {GB}) is on course for a tilt at the G1 Coronation S. at Royal Ascot June 18 after her success in Sunday's G1 Irish 1000 Guineas at The Curragh. The dual Classic winner came out of Sunday's race with "no problems" and is set to contest the mile race at the Royal meeting. "At the moment, we are thinking about the Coronation S. at Royal Ascot for her next race," trainer Mark Johnston's wife Deirdre told *PA Sport* yesterday. "She is just amazing and I don't think that we have got to the bottom of her yet." Also likely in the race is **Kinnaird (Ire)** (Dr Devious {Ire}), fourth in Sunday's contest.

Duke to the Palace

Saturday's G1 Irish 2000 Guineas winner Bachelor Duke (Miswaki) will attempt to confirm the form of that Classic in the G1 St James's Palace S. at Royal Ascot June 15. Confirming the plan to go to the Royal meeting after his length defeat of Azamour (Ire) (Night Shift) at The Curragh, conditioner James Toller said yesterday, "He's come out of the race very well and was extremely fresh this morning. I felt, had the Irish race been run at a stronger pace, he would have won easier as he just sprinted for three furlongs." He will face a rematch with G1 2000 Guineas winner Haafhd (GB) at Ascot, having trailed that rival in seventh in the Newmarket Classic. "We've still got ground to make up on him, even looking at the Irish form, but it's a challenge we would certainly like to have a go at," Toller added. Bachelor Duke will also meet Azamour again as John Oxx effectively ruled out next Saturday's G1 Epsom Derby for His Highness the Aga Khan's colt. "I still have to discuss things with the Aga Khan, but I expect the decision will be to run him next in the St James's Palace," the trainer told PA Sport. Irish Guineas fourth-placed Leitrim House (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}) is also expected in the mile contest.



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Sunday, Chukyo, Japan TOKAI TV HAI TOKAI S.-G2, ¥112,160,000, 5-23, Chukyo, 3yo/up, 2300m, 2:23.70, ft.

1--EN DEHORS (JPN), 125, h, 5, by Brian's Time 1st Dam: Star Ballerina (Jpn) (GSW-Jpn, \$1,757,408), by Risen Star

2nd Dam: Berliani, by Nureyev 3rd Dam: Eleven Pleasures, by

3rd Dam: Eleven Pleasures, by What A Pleasure O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shadai Farm; T-K Nishiura; J-Masaru Honda; ¥59,162,000. Lifetime Record: 22-6-3-0. *1/2 to Grand Pas De Deux (Fuji Kiseki {Jpn}), GSW-Jpn, \$1,084,664.

- 2--Time Paradox (Jpn), 125, h, 6, Brian's Time--Jolie Zaza (Ire), by Alzao. O-Shadai Race Horse; B-Shiraoi Farm. ¥23,332,000.
- 3--Hishi Atlas (Jpn), 125, c, 4, Timber Country--Tax Haven (Jpn), by Alydar. O-Masaichiro Abe; B-Shadai Farm. ¥15,166,000.

Margins: 1/2, 3 1/2, 3/4. Odds: 3.70, 5,60, 12.80. En Dehors kicked off 2004 with a pair of victories, including the Miyabi S. in January, before finishing fourth in the Jinsen S. next time out. A winner of his latest, the G3 March S. Mar. 28, En Dehors was sent off a 7-2 chance to record his second straight group victory. Settled in a stalking fourth early by jockey Mikio Matsunaga, the five-year-old squeezed in along the rail to take command in the final furlong and inched clear in the drive to collect the half-length victory. "The distance seemed to suit him," said Matsunaga. "When I asked him, he answered impressively. He has improved a lot."

Saturday, Tokyo, Japan MEGURO KINEN-G2, ¥112,360,000, 5-22, Tokyo, 3yo/up, 2500mT, 2:30.50 (NTR), fm.

- 1--CHAKRA (JPN), 124, c, 4, by Mayano Top Gun (Jpn)
 1st Dam: Carlossa (Ire), by Caerleon
 2nd Dam: Prairie Darling (GB), by Stanford (Ire)
 3rd Dam: Prairie Belle (Ger), by Northfields
 O-Eiko Tadokoro; B-Amaba Bokujo; T-Y Shibata; J-A
 Adachi; ¥59,302,000. Lifetime Record: 16-3-2-2.
- 2--Treasure (Jpn), 121, h, 6, Brian's Time--Shinko Lovely (Ire), by Caerleon. O-Yoshimi Ichikawa; B-Shinkoh Farm. ¥23,372,000.
- 3--Derby Regno (Jpn), 124, h, 6, Tony Bin (Ire)--Derby Kingdom (GB), by Royal Academy. O-Derby Sha; B-Shadai Stud. ¥15,186,000.

Margins: NK, 1 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 6.20, 46.70, 12.30.

MEGURO KINEN-G2 results cont.

Chakra, winner of last year's G2 Starters S., closed out 2003 with a seventh-place finish in the Grand Prix Arima Kinen Dec. 28 and didn't reappear until a fourth placing in the G2 Nikkei Sho in March. A well-beaten fourth in his latest, the G1 Tenno Sho May 2, Chakra drew outside in the field of 18 in his attempt to collect his second group victory. Rushed over to the inside early by jockey Yoshitomi Shibata, the four-year-old rushed to the front in the stretch and held off the late charge of Treasure, establishing a new track record in the process.

Monday, Woodbine

ECLIPSE H.-GIII, \$163,350, WOX, 5-24, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, sy.

- 1--@#MARK ONE, 115, h, 5, by Alphabet Soup
 1st Dam: My Marchesa (SW, \$132,996), by Stately Don
 2nd Dam: Sooni, by Buckpasser
 3rd Dam: Missy Baba, by *My Babu
 O-Stronach Stable; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Daniel J
 Vella: J-R Landry: \$98,010. Lifetime Record:
 - Vella; J-R Landry; \$98,010. Lifetime Record: 23-7-4-3, \$503,359. *1/2 to Daiwa Carson (Carson City), SW-Jpn, \$510,136; and Golden Corona (Gulch), MGSP, \$280,908.
- 2--Open Concert, 113, h, 5, Open Forum--Meadow Concerto, by Meadowlake. O-Kelynack Racing Stable Inc; B-Mockingbird Farm, Inc (FL); \$32,670.
- 3--Rock Again, 115, c, 4, Awesome Again--Track Gal, by Track Barron. O-Stronach Stable; B-Adena Springs (ON); \$17,969.

Margins: 2HF, 4HF, 3/4. Odds: 3.60, 1.75, 3.85. Also Ran: One for Rose, Indy Lead. Scratched: No Comprende, Hydrogen.

Mark One, a winner of three of nine in 2003, began his five-year-old campaign with off-the-board finishes in two turf efforts at Gulfstream--the GIII Mac Diarmida H.



Mark One kept close tabs on the pacesetti woodbineentertainment.com Open Concert, who led the way

and a money allowance in February-but found the winner's circle when returning to Woodbine in a sloppy main-track allowance May 2. Looking for his first stakes success off that confidence-builder, the gray kept close tabs on the pacesetting

through 24.04, 47.91, and 1:12.30 fractions. Asked for his best two furlongs out, Mark One dug in gamely to get past the longtime leader, edging away late for the daylight win.

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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland BOYLESPORTS IRISH 1000 GUINEAS-G1, \in 397,200, Curragh, 5-23, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:37.60, gd/fm.

1--ATTRACTION (GB), 126, f, 3, by Efisio (GB)
1st Dam: Flirtation (GB), by Pursuit Of Love (GB)
2nd Dam: Eastern Shore (GB), by Sun Prince (Ire)
3rd Dam: Land Ho (GB), by Primera (GB)

O-Duke Of Roxburghe; B-Floors Farming; T-Mark Johnston; J-Kevin Darley; €225,200. Lifetime Record: 7-7-0-0, €635,076.

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It was quite a weekend for John and Lady Carolyn Warren, the husband-and-wife team who operate High-clere Stud near Newbury. The stud's veteran stallion Efisio was in the news again, thanks to his unbeaten daughter Attraction. This remarkable filly once again proved too fast and determined for the opposition when she notched her seventh victory--and her second at classic level--in the G1 Boylesports Irish 1000 Guineas. Attraction's win came less than two hours after the G1 Prix Saint-Alary provided a fifth straight victory for Ask For The Moon, a filly from the first crop by Dr Fong. This son of Kris S. will move to Highclere this summer, after his current base, Side Hill Stud, becomes part of the Juddmonte empire.

I'm sure that the Warrens will be delighted if Dr Fong proves as efficient as Efisio in making the most of his opportunities. With six Group 1 winners now to his credit, the 22-year-old son of Formidable has surely confounded those who gave him little chance of lasting the course when he embarked on his stallion career in 1988.

Although Efisio had established himself as one of only two Group 1 winners by Formidable (the other being Metropolitan H. winner Forzando), his Group 1 win was gained in the relative backwater of Italy and so was his Group 2 success. As his best efforts in England had been a pair of Group 3 successes over seven furlongs,

he faced something of an uphill struggle, especially as he was based in Kent, some way from the main breeding areas. On the plus side, Efisio won a group race in each of his four seasons in training and he possessed the precocity which often appeals to breeders. Indeed, he was unbeaten in four juvenile starts, showing the same quick-maturing qualities that had brought Formidable five consecutive successes, including the Middle Park S., at two. No wonder Attraction did so well in the first half of last year, when she strung together five victories to establish herself as the best juvenile filly in Europe.

Efisio's opening fee of only £2,000 soon fell lower still, and it wasn't until this year--his 17th season at stud--that Efisio finally commanded a five-figure fee. The turnaround in his fortunes began virtually as soon as his first runners reached the track in 1991, when his son Casteddu collected the very valuable Racecall Gold Trophy. He did even better with a second crop headed by Pips Pride (G1 Phoenix S.) and Young Ern (a dual Group 3 winner who was twice second at the Group 1 level), and his third maintained this excellent start, producing the G1 Prix de l'Abbaye de Longchamp winner Hever Golf Rose.

What made Efisio's achievements all the more notable was the fact that these four group winners came from a total of only 95 foals in his first three crops. In a bid for wider opportunities, Efisio spent the 1992 and 1993 seasons in the north of England and the 50 foals in his 1994 crop included his third Group 1 winner in Tomba (Prix de la Foret).

Efisio's spell at Highclere, which began in 1994, has added three further Group 1 winners from consecutive crops, with the Prix Vermeille heroine Pearly Shells coming from his 1999 crop; the impressive Italian colt Le Vie dei Colori (who has now been transferred to England) from the 2000 edition and Attraction from the 2001 vintage.

If there's an interesting story to tell about Attraction's sire, there's an even better story attached to her female line, which carried the insulting and inaccurate description of "half-bred" until 1969. *Cont. p. 5*



ON SATURDAY THERE WERE FRESH SW'S FOR **GRAND SLAM** (EVERHEART WON THE WAFARE FARM STAKES BY 41/4 LENGTHS) & ROYAL ACADEMY (FOKINE WON NEWMARKET'S KING CHARLES II STAKES), WHILE FUSAICHI PEGASUS HAD A FRESH WINNER (SOUTH BAY COVE MADE IT 3 WNRS & A RUNNER-UP FROM HIS

SIRE'S 4 STARTERS WHEN SCORING ON DEBUT AT WOODBINE OVER 41/4 FURLONGS).

ASHFORD STUD



(Andrew Caulfield cont. from p. 4)

If you go back to Attraction's eighth dam Verdict, you will find that she showed excellent form in the early 1920s, starting with an unbeaten four-race campaign at two in 1922. She later gained major victories in the Cambridgeshire H. and Coronation Cup. Unfortunately, she wasn't eligible for the General Stud Book.

As the Biographical Encyclopaedia of British Flat Racing records:

"The original compiler [of the Stud Book] defined no qualifications for entry...Problems arose later as other countries began to develop breeds of racehorses of their own, derived mostly from English stock...After the middle of the 19th Century foreign-bred horses and mares began to be imported into England, and were admitted to the General Stud Book if used for breeding. Most of these imports were traceable directly to English stock, but there were exceptions. The majority of these exceptions were bred in the United States, because there had been horse racing on the North American continent since the early days of English colonization and many racehorse bloodlines had been established there before the formation of the General Stud Book; moreover, the first American Stud Book was not published until 1868, and contained many demonstrable inaccuracies.

"The problem became acute as the flow of imports from the United States increased rapidly and became a flood early in the 20th Century as anti-betting legislation was introduced in many States. The pedigrees of a high proportion of these American-bred horses contained elements considered to be of doubtful authenticity. In order to cope with this problem the conditions for admission to the General Stud Book were made progressively more stringent. The tightening-up process culminated in the so-called Jersey Act of Vol 22 (1913), which imposed the following qualification for entry: 'No horse or mare can, after this date, be considered as eligible for admission unless it can be traced without flaw on both sire's and dam's side of its pedigree to horses and mares themselves already accepted in the earlier volumes of the Book."

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Attraction has Lucasland's granddaughter Eastern Shore as her second dam. Small breeders will note with enthusiasm that none of Attraction's first three dams managed to win, but her third dam Land Ho is ancestress of such notable performers as Lord of Men, winner of the G1 Prix de la Salamandre, and Her Ladyship, runner-up in the French Oaks.

Another of Lucasland's granddaughters, the Group 3-winning miler Stumped, produced the outstanding Sonic Lady. This daughter of Nureyev followed up her win in the 1986 Irish 1000 Guineas with Group 1 victories over the colts in the Sussex S. and Prix du Moulin de Longchamp. Could history be about to repeat itself through the similarly talented Attraction? It's not impossible, as Attraction was rated only two pounds below the top colt on the International Classification and she will receive three pounds when she meets the males.

FOALING NEWS:

BINARY (GB), 11, Rainbow Quest--Balabina, by Nijinsky II Foal born Apr. 12, a filly by Aptitude. Will be bred back to Theatrical (Ire) Owned by and boarded at Juddmonte Farms, Ky. Accomplishments: SW & GSP-Fr. Dam of Binary File

BOTTLE TOP, 23, Topsider--Rhubarb, by Barbizon Foal born Apr. 12, a colt by Menifee. Owned by Arthur Hancock & Stonerside Stable.

Boarded at Stone Farm, Ky.

(Nureyev), SW-Eng, GSP-Fr & SP-Den.

Accomplishments: GSW & MGISP. Dam of Strodes Creek (Halo), SW & MGISP, \$430,006; Corker (Festin {Arg}), GISP, \$167,125; Carafe (Devil's Bag), MSP, \$215,915; and Gethsemani (Saint Ballado), GSP.



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Met Mile Hopefuls Work:

Strong Hope (Grand Slam), scheduled to make his next start in Monday's GI Metropolitan H. at Belmont Park, worked five furlongs at Belmont yesterday in :59 2/5. "He's set," retired Hall of Fame jockey Angel Cordero said after working the Todd Pletcher trainee. "I've been getting on him since he was a baby and it's been fun watching him develop. He's very powerful and reminds me a lot of Seattle Slew the way he carries himself. He's got so much power, but he's smooth as silk. He's very obedient and a very, very good horse." Strong Hope is coming off a strong runner-up finish to Pico Central in the Apr. 10 GI Carter H. at Aqueduct.

Also working towards the Met Mile, 2002 Horse of the Year Azeri (Jade Hunter) zipped six furlongs in 1:12.20 over a fast track at Churchill Downs yesterday. It was the fastest of three moves at the distance. The six-year-old chestnut was second in the seven-furlong GI Humana Distaff H. at Churchill May 1 in her most recent trip to the post.

Peace Rules (Jules), nominated to the Met Mile but expected to start in the June 12 GI Stephen Foster H. instead, worked a bullet five furlongs at Belmont yesterday in :59 1/5. The Bobby Frankel trainee has been off since winning the Apr. 3 GII Oaklawn H.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, MAY 26:

06-05 \$175,000 Hollywood Breeders' Cup H.-II, Hol, 3yo, f, 9fT (125)

06-06 \$100,000a **Hawthorne H.-III, HoI**, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5f (100)

Yesterday's Results:

6th-WOX, \$61,600, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:24 4/5, sv.

PICADILLY BAY (c, 3, <u>Cape Town</u>--Queen Jeanne, by Cryptoclearance) finished runner-up in two maiden races at Woodbine last year before ending his juvenile campaign with a poor eighth in the grassy Cup & Saucer S. Oct. 11. The bay returned six months later to shed his maiden by 3 1/4 lengths sprinting in the mud over this strip Apr. 25 and made it two straight as the 7-5 pick. Well off the first flank of horses, the \$80,000 FTCSEP yearling began cutting into the lead leaving the far turn and showed a good turn of foot late to get a nose down in front of fellow closer Irish Wager (Valid Wager). Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$97,300.

O-Gary Wellwood & L Titchner. B-Anderson Farms (Ontario) Inc & Cairngorm Farms (On). T-John A Ross.

8th-DEL, \$37,900, Alw, NW2X, 3yo, 6f, 1:11, ft. LAST FRONTIER (c, 3, Devil's Bag--Saratoga Dame {MSW, \$140,578}, by Saratoga Six), a \$60,000 KEESEP yearling, knocked off two straight at Laurel earlier this year prior to a badly beaten sixth in his stakes and route debut, the nine-furlong Federico Tesio S. at Pimlico Apr. 17. Scaling back at enticing 11-1 odds, he came calling with a five-wide move off the turn and forged clear to a 1 1/2-length success. Rockhewn (Formal Dinner), a 6-1 chance, rallied to complete the exacta. The 4-5 chalk, Snub the Devil (Devil's Bag), tired as the pacesetter to be fifth. The winner is a half brother to Dollar Bill (Peaks and Valleys), GSW & MGISP, \$1,225,546. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-1, \$52,880.

O-Morris Bailey. B-Mr & Mrs Robert E Courtney (KY). T-Edmond D Gaudet.

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East Report cont.

5th-WOX, \$64,700, Msw, 3&4yo, a1m70yd (off turf), 1:46 2/5, sy.

CLASSIC PIPER (c, 3, Sky Classic--Lone Piper, by Dehere), a good fourth in his career opener over Gulfstream's sod Mar. 17, drew into this event when it was moved to the main track. Proving he could handle the slop, the Chiefswood homebred tracked intently, moved into contention turning for home and outfinished Lettherebejustice (Lit de Justice) for the driving onelength tally at 7-2 odds. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$40,420.

O/B-Chiefswood Stables Limited (ON). T-Eric Coatrieux.

4th-DEL, \$33,600, Msw, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52 2/5, ft. + LADY GLADE (f, 2, Straight Man--Meetmenow {SP}, by Shimatoree) entered her debut off a pair of modest morning works and hesitant bettors let her go as a 24-1 bomb. A costly mistake, as it turned out, as the bay rallied in tandem with Jebsy (Lord Carson) to overtake 2-5 chalk Heartful Hero (Partner's Hero) in deep stretch before asserting late to best Jebsy by 3/4 lengths. While the winning mutuel paid \$50.40, bridgejumpers taken with Heartful Hero ensured a meager \$2.10 show price. Lady Glade represents the second winner for her Florida-based freshman sire (by Saint Ballado). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,800.

O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable & Walter L New. B-L William Heiligbrodt (FL). T-Guadalupe Preciado.

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CENTRAL

Morgan Hospitalized After Churchill Spill:

Veteran jockey Mike Morgan was hospitalized overnight for treatment of injuries suffered in a spill during the running of the final race at Churchill Downs Sunday. Morgan and three other jockeys--Rafael Bejarano, Daniel Coa and Joe Deegan--were thrown to the track when their mounts fell near the top of the stretch. Bejarano did not require medical treatment. Coa and Deegan were treated and released Sunday evening, while Morgan remained overnight for observation at Norton Audobon Hospital on Monday. Morgan's mount Lady's Don't Tell was euthanized Sunday evening after suffering a fractured shoulder when she stumbled over Lil' Bit of Pucker, who was the first horse to fall in the chainreaction spill.

Victory U.S.A. Acorn Bound:

Victory U.S.A. (Victory Gallop) will skip an expected start in Churchill's GIII Dogwood Breeders' Cup May 30 in favor of Belmont Park's GI Acorn S. on June 4 after a strong work yesterday. The filly, winner of the GII Stonerside Beaumont, worked five furlongs in :59.20 at Churchill Downs. The work tied as the fastest of three at the distance. Trainer Bob Baffert's decision was helped by the defection of the speedy Madcap Escapade. "I didn't want to hook her going that fast at that distance," Baffert said of the GI Ashland winner. "We were on the fence waiting to see what Madcap Escapade would do." Victory U.S.A. finished fourth in the Apr. 30 GI Kentucky Oaks.

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THE BEST-BRED DEALS ON THE INTERNET

BROODMARES include:

A REAL NOR'EASTER

Young Stakes Placed winner of \$181,962 bred to New York stallion GOLD TOKEN. This is a good opportunity to take advantage of the New York breeders incentive program.

FRIENDLY DAME

Winner of two races at three and over \$57,000, she is a half-sister to two Stakes Winners including CAT'S CAREER (G3). She currently has a beautiful MR. GREELEY colt at her side and is believed to be in foal to exciting young sire E DUBAI.



★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

Innocent World, c, 3, Cozzene--Purer Than Pure, by Turkoman. Tokyo, 5-23, Novice Race, 8f. Lifetime Record: 9-1-0-0, \$44,643. O-Carrot Farm; B-Jim & Martha Gladwell, Louis Brooks Ranch, White Fox Farm, et al; T-Kazuhiro Seishi. *Full to Purely Cozzene, MGSW, \$541,671; and 1/2 to Erica's Smile (Williamstown), MSW & GISP, \$232,190.

**\$150,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.

Water Baron, c, 3, Hennessy--Wild Dancing, by Wild Again. Tokyo, 5-23, Novice Race, 6.5f. Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-2, \$108,038. O-Ryoichi Yamaoka; B-Kotaro Tanaka; T-Kunihiko Take. *Breaking from the outside draw in the field of 16, the three-year-old settled in second early, took over at the top of the stretch and drew off to win by an eye-catching seven-length margin.

Feminine Girl, f, 3, Kingmambo--Money Madam, by A.P.Indy. Tokyo, 5-22, Gerbera Sho, 7fT. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$137,232. O-Masatake lida; B-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd.; T-Yoshitaka Ninomiya. *Feminine Girl broke her maiden in March before finishing sixth in a graduation race Apr. 3. In front early this time, the filly held the advantage all the way home, scoring by 1 1/4 lengths. "She was a little rank this time, but if she can relax more, she should be able to stretch out to a mile," said winning jockey Yoshitomi Shibata. **\$290,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.

Personal Rush, c, 3, Wild Rush--Personally, by Alydar. Chukyo, 5-23, Shoryu S., 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$304,018. O-Tomiro Fukami; B-Mr & Mrs M L Wood; T-Kenji Yamauchi. *Settled among the middle ranks early, the colt mounted his challenge in deep stretch and forged to the front in the final strides to eke out a neck victory. **1/2 to Mr. Andy (General Assembly), GSW-Per; and Heavenly Advice (Theatrical {Ire}), GSP, \$106,290. ***\$57,000 yrl '02 KEESEP; \$240,000 2yo '03 BESMAR.

Gaily Phantom, h, 5, Housebuster--Gaily Sheena (Jpn), by Gallop Dyna (Jpn). Tokyo, 5-23, Freeway S., 7fT. Lifetime Record: 29-5-3-0, \$717,589. O-Tokyo Thoroughbred Bureau Inc.; B-Mitsuo Haga; T-Akio Tsurudome.

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American-bred winners in Japan cont.

Grass Volante, h, 5, Maria's Mon--Raney Raney, by It's Freezing. Niigata, 5-23, Hakkaisan Tokubetsu, 6f. Lifetime Record: 22-4-3-2, \$550,625. O-Hanzawa Inc.; B-Indianola, Yorkrun Farm Inc., Frank Brown & Sidney Landsdale; T-Mitsuhiro Ogata. *\$70,000 yrl '00 KEESEP; \$180,000 2yo '01 FTFFEB.

IN BRITAIN:

Sound Of Fleet, c, 3, **Cozzene**--Tempo, by Gone West. Leicester, 5-24, Hcp, 3yo, 9f 218ydsT. B-Alice du Pont Mills. *\$37,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.

Sunset Mirage, f, 3, Swain (Ire)--Yafill, by Nureyev.
Carlisle, 5-24, Hcp, 3yo, f, 9f 61ydsT.
B-Gainsborough Farm LLC. *1/2 to Hula Queen (Irish River {Fr}), GSW, \$217,520; Loving Pride (Quiet American), GSW-Fr.

Mutamared, c, 4, Nureyev. See "Britain."

Atlantic Quest, g, 5, Woodman--Pleasant Pat, by Pleasant Colony. Thirsk, 5-24, Cond, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-Bemak N.V. & Bon Marche. *1/2 to Pleasant Drive (Salem Drive), GSP, \$171,379. **\$50,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

IN ITALY:

Bold Terms, c, 2, **Outflanker**. See "European Breeders' Edition"



First-time starters/stakes runners: Tuesday, May 25

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2000 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

BUGATTI REEF (IRE) (Danzig), Walnford, \$1000, 35/2/0 10-PHA, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Feedman's Daughter, 15-1 **INCURABLE OPTIMIST** (Cure the Blues), Highcliff, \$3K, 23/4/0 10-PHA, Msw, 5 1/2f, +I Like Cake, 15-1



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Tuesday, May 25 Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2001 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

YANKEE VICTOR (Saint Ballado), Airdire, \$15K, 80/1/0 4-DEL, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Siberian Mike, \$95K OBS FEB 2yo, 10-1













Tuesday, Compiegne, post time: 4:50 p.m.

PRIX MELISANDE-Listed €45,000, 3vo. f. 1.1/8m

PRIX MELISANDE-LISTED, €45,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m1						
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER		
1	7	Anabaa Republic (Fr)	Anabaa	Doumen		
2	9	Colony Band	Dixieland Band	Head-Maarek		
3	5	Risque de Verglas (Fr)	Verglas (Ire)	Allen		
4	8	Amie de Mix (Fr)	Linamix (Fr)	Fabre		
5	4	Cloon	Lure	Clement		
6	6	Autumn Forest (Fr)	Exit to Nowhere	P van de Poele		
7	3	Bradamante (GB)	Sadler's Wells	Gibson		
8	2	Rekindled Applause (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	Guarnieri		
9	1	Dreams Come True (Fr)	Zafonic	Gibson		
All carry 123 pounds except Anabaa Republic & Colony						

★ BRITAIN★

FILLIES SET FOR REMATCH

Band, 128.

The Niarchos Family's Six Perfections (Fr) (Celtic Swing {GB}) looks likely to take on Cheveley Park Stud's Russian Rhythm (Kingmambo) in the G1 Queen Anne S. at Royal Ascot June 15. After finishing runnerup to Prince Kirk (Fr) in Sunday's G1 Prix d'Ispahan at Longchamp, connections nominated the mile contest for last year's GI Breeders' Cup Mile heroine. "She ran a great race, but she didn't quite stay [the extended nine furlongs]. Now we will point her at the Queen Anne." Russian Rhythm was yesterday confirmed on target for that race, setting up a fascinating rematch a year on from their first encounter in the G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket. Russian Rhythm came out 11/2 lengths on top on that occasion, when Six Perfections suffered a troubled trip. The Sir Michael Stoute-trained filly reappeared to take the G1 Lockinge S. at Newbury last time May 15. "I still have to talk to Sir Michael and her owners, Mr. and Mrs. [David and Patricia] Thompson, but I should have thought the Queen Anne was the likely plan," Cheveley Park Stud's Managing Director Chris Richardson told PA Sport yesterday. "She has come out of the Lockinge really well and she looks great."

Yesterday's Results:

TELECTRONICS SYSTEM LEISURE S.-Listed, £30,000, Windsor, 5-24, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:10.91, gd/fm.

- 1--CELTIC MILL (GB), 127, g, 6, Celtic Swing (GB)—Madam Millie (GB), by Milford (GB). O/B-P Asquith; T-David Barker; J-Lee Enstone; £17,400. Lifetime Record: 43-11-5-3, £109,615.
- 2--Ashdown Express (Ire), 134, g, 5, Ashkalani (Ire) Indian Express (GB), by Indian Ridge (Ire). £6,600.
- 3--La Cucaracha (GB), 116, f, 3, Piccolo (GB)--Peggy Spencer (GB), by Formidable. £3,300.

Margins: 1 1/4, 2, 1 3/4. Odds: 16-1, 7-2, 9-2.

Also ran: Country Reel, Twilight Blues (Ire), Miss George (GB), Stormont (Ire), Baltic King (GB), Bonus (Ire).

Celtic Mill has been plying his trade at small northern turf tracks and on Wolverhampton's fibresand, which lends itself to his front-running style. Stepping up from a Thirsk handicap score last time May 15, he took on proven stakes performers in this contest and showed them a clean pair of heels. Quickest away, he was soon in command of his closest pursuer La Cucaracha and had enough in the tank to comfortably hold the late challenge of Ashdown Express in the closing stages.

Leicester, 2.40, Cond, £10,570, 3yo/up, 7f 9ydsT, 1:23.33, gd/fm.

MISTER LINKS (IRE) (c, 4, Flying Spur {Aus}--Lady Anna Livia {GB}, by Ahonoora {GB}), a 1/2 to Plan of Action (Ire) (Krayyan {GB}), SW-Ity, GSP-GB, won Newmarket's G3 July S. as a juvenile and placed third in a competitive conditions event at Haydock May 1 in his first start since finishing 11th to Refuse To Bend (Ire) in last year's G1 Sagitta 2000 Guineas. Starting here as the 4-6 pick, the Ir£14,000 GOFNOV weanling and 27,000gns DONSEP yearling led from the outset and kicked clear inside the final quarter mile to beat St Andrews (Ire) (Celtic Swing {GB}) by an impressive six lengths. Lifetime Record: GSW-GB, 10-4-2-2, £132,476.

O-Godolphin; B-T Ward; T-Saeed bin Suroor.

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EVERHEART won the Wafare Farm S. at Lone Star Park

Congratulations to owner Padua Stables, breeders Rick and Nancy Kaster and trainer Steve Asmussen.

Another **Eaton Sales** graduate.





British Report cont.

Windsor, 6.15, Cond, £7,880, 2yo, 5f 10ydsT, 1:01.27, gd/fm.

+PIKE BISHOP (IRE) (c, 2, Namid {GB}--Pink Cashmere {Ire}, by Polar Falcon) was sent off at odds of 8-1 and raced keenly in the early stages in mid division. Taken wide at the top of the straight, he quickened to the front with 300 yards remaining before asserting to beat Empire's Ghodha (GB) (Mujadil) by 1 3/4 lengths. "He is lovely and in actual fact one of the nicest two-year-olds I have at home," said Roger Charlton. "He's a little bit lazy and was inexperienced and colty tonight, but he did it well and could got to Royal Ascot for the G3 Norfolk S. [June 17]." Pikebishop, a 62,000gns TATOCT yearling, becomes the fourth winner for his freshman sire (by Indian Ridge {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £5,122.

O-Michael Pescod; B-J Hanly; T-Roger Charlton.

Leicester, 3.40, Mdn, £8,640, 2yo, 5f 218ydsT, 1:12.26, gd/fm.

NUFOOS (GB) (f, 2, Zafonic--Desert Lynx {Ire}, by Green Desert) caught the eye when a running-on third behind the smart Dance Away (GB) on her debut at York May 13, raced to the fore from the outset and was in overall command by halfway. The 5-6 choice lengthened well from the quarter-mile marker and ran on strongly inside the final furlong to account for market rival Satchem (Ire) (Inchinor {GB}) by two lengths. The winner was a 100,000gns TATDEC weanling. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £6,366.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-R & Mrs Watson & Mrs A J Ralli; T-Mark Johnston.

TDN Rising Star"

Leicester, 2.10, Mdn, £8,540, 3yo, 11f 183ydsT, 2:33.24, gd/fm.

NEW MORNING (IRE) (f, 3, Sadler's Wells--Hellenic (Ire) {G1SW-GB, \$372,402}, by Darshaan {GB}), a full sister to Islington (Ire), Hwt. 3yo Filly-GB at 9.5-11f, Hwt. 3yo Filly-GB at 11-14f, Ch. Turf Mare-US, MG1SW-GB, GISW-US, G1SP-Ire, \$1,519,070, was fourth on her only juvenile start at Ayr last October and second on her sophomore bow at Yarmouth May 14. The piping-hot 1-16 favorite dictated affairs and maintained control throughout, drawing clear soon after turning for home and easing to the wire under a hand ride in the final furlong to easily defeat Devito (Fr) (Trempolino) by 11 lengths. The winner is also a full to Election Day (Ire), SW & G1SP-GB; and Greek Dance (Ire), Hwt. Older Horse-Ger at 9.5-11f, G1SW-Ger, GSW & G1SP-GB, MG1SP-Ire, G1SP-Fr, \$470,438, G1SP-HK. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £6,978. Click for the racingpost.co.uk chart.

O-N R A Springer; B-Ballymacoll Stud Farm Ltd; T-Michael Jarvis.

Thirsk, 8.00, Mdn, £8,480, 3yo/up, 7fT, 1:25.21, fm. MUTAMARED (c, 4, Nureyev--Alydariel {SW}, by Alydar), transferred from Godolphin after flopping in maidens at Lingfield and Yarmouth last term, was sent off the 3-1 second choice. Keen in mid division throughout the early stages, he made smooth progress before quickening to lead with 1½ furlongs remaining to easily beat Wychbury (Swain {Ire}) by five lengths. The 500,000gns TATHOU yearling is a full to Jeune Homme, GSW & G1SP-US, GSW-Fr, \$432,145. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, £8,934.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-E.J. Hudson, Jr. Irrevocable Trust & Kilroy Thoroughbred Partnership; T-Marcus Tregoning.

Windsor, 8.15, Mdn, £6,920, 3yo, 10f 7ydsT, 2:10.47, gd/fm.

MOTIVE (FR) (c, 3, Machiavellian--Mistle Song {GB} {GSW-Eng}, by Nashwan), fifth on unsuitably heavy ground at Kempton on his debut May 3, was sent off the 3-1 second favorite. Settled in a stalking fourth throughout the early stages, the 250,000gns TATHOU yearling purchase gained a narrow advantage over Coming Again (Ire) (Rainbow Quest) approaching the eighth pole and maintained that in the drive to the line to win by a short head. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £4,498. O-Highclere Thoroughbred Racing; B-Darley; T-Sir Michael Stoute.

Carlisle, 2.50, Mdn, £5,900, 2yo, 5fT, 1:01.24, fm. + CARTE ROYALE (GB) (c, 2, Loup Sauvage--Noble One {GB}, by Primo Dominie {GB}), a 22,000gns TATDEC yearling, raced prominently in the early stages until taking a slight lead approaching the final furlong. The well-backed 5-1 chance was ridden along at the eighth pole and ran on strongly in the closing stages to account for Tagula Sunrise (Ire) (Tagula {Ire}) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,835.

O-Mr & Mrs Heywood & Mr & Mrs Bovingdon;
B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd; T-Mark Johnston.

Carlisle, 2.20, Mdn, £4,660, 3yo, 5f 193ydsT, 1:12.80, gd/fm.

ESTIHLAL (GB) (f, 3, Green Desert--Ta Rib {G1SW-Fr, GSP-GB, \$242,897}, by Mr. Prospector), out of the money in her first three starts but hinted at things to come when fourth on her most recent start in a Salisbury handicap May 13, started this as the punters' 6-4 choice. She was reserved off the pace in the early stages, made good headway from halfway to lead approaching the final furlong and ran on well thereafter to best Fox Covert (Ire) (Foxhound) by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-1-0-0, £3,551.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company; T-Ed Dunlop.

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★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

Dorubako (Ire), c, 3, <u>Danzig</u>--Spring Pitch, by Storm Cat. Chukyo, 5-23, Plate Race, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 7-2-5-0, \$240,982. O-Yoichi Aoyama; B-M P B Bloodstock Ltd; T-Hideyuki Mori. *140,000gns 2yo '03 DONAPR.

Shigeru Phoenix (Ire), h, 6, Persian Bold (Ire).-Shigeru Samurai, by Bering (GB). Chukyo, 5-23, Komaki Tokubetsu, 10fT. Lifetime Record: 52-4-5-7, \$1,019,375. O-Shigeru Morinaka; B-Shigeru Morinaka; T-Noriaki Tsubo.

★ GERMANY★

SOLID TRADE AT BADEN-BADEN

Yesterday's Baden-Baden Spring Mixed Sale was buoyed by the involvement of Con Marnane's Bansha House Stables, who made their presence felt during the Breeze-Up section. It was that consignor who was responsible for the session's top price as hip 103, a Danehill half sister to G3 Chester Vase winner High Baroque (Ire), was knocked down to the newly-formed Stall Antanando for €70,000. That followed an earlier success for Marnane after hip 62, the sole Montjeu (Ire) colt in the sale, was purchased by the same outfit for €61,000. Germany's exciting new sire Tiger Hill (Ire) was responsible for the second highest-priced two-yearold when hip 46, a half brother to last year's G3 Prix de Seine-et-Oise hero Soave (Ger), was purchased by Stall Ampuria for €64,000. "It was a solid trade in relation to the domestic situation in Germany," commented BBAG Managing Director Verena Gang. "We are pleased with the outcome, the foreign interest and the final figures."

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SPRING SALE STATISTICS

MONDAY, 5-24, 2004

CUMULATIVE	2004	2003
No. Offered	109	93
No. Sold	74	58
RNAs	35	35
% RNA (% change)	32% (-13.5%)	37%
Gross	€904,000	€697,800
Average (% change)	€12,216 (+2%)	€12,000
Median (% change)	n/a	n/a
	www.bbag-sales.de	

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 8th race at Delaware, a \$43,000 allowance. For pps and a complete race analysis, click here.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

SUPERNATURAL H., \$43,440, HST, 5-24, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:17, ft.

- 1--REGAL RED, 121, f, 3, On Target--Sophie J (MSW, \$293,220), by Regal Remark. O-Linwood Stables; B-Village Bus Service Ltd (BC); T-Robert J Anderson; J-F P Fuentes; \$26,870. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$69,559.
- 2--Socorro County, 116, f, 3, Katahaula County--Fromtheseatothesky, by Skywalker. \$8,957.
- 3--Princess Alex, 114, f, 3, Stephanotis--Sunnymede Gal, by Son of Briartic. \$4,926.

Margins: 4 1/4, HF, 9 3/4. Odds: 0.15, 7.00, 6.40.

FOX SPORTS NETWORK H., \$40,000, EMD, 5-23, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:14 2/5, ft.

- 1--WILLIE THE CAT, 119, h, 5, Delineator--Cozy Angie, by Cozzene. O/B-Ron Crockett Inc (WA); T-Tim McCanna; J-R Frazier; \$22,000. Lifetime Record: 8-6-0-0, \$79,118.
- 2--Slewicide Cruise, 114, c, 4, Slewdledo--Cruisin' Two Su, by Dr. Valeri. \$8,000.
- 3--Demon Warlock, 119, c, 4, Demons Begone-Witchery, by Zamboni. \$6,000.

Margins: 1, HD, 4 1/4. Odds: 0.60, 19.00, 6.40.

BOOTS 'N JACKIE S., \$40,000, CRC, 5-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:48 1/5, ft.

- 1--GENTILLE ALOUETTE, 115, m, 6, Unreal Zeal--Firstflagtofly, by U. S. Flag. O/B-Frances B Green (FL); T-Newcomb Green; J-C Penalba; \$26,000. Lifetime Record: 51-8-11-7, \$254,676.
- 2--Pampered Princess, 119, f, 4, Indian Charlie--Crafty Ember, by Crafty Prospector. (\$50,000 wlng '00 KEENOV). \$7,000.
- 3--Never Fail, 115, f, 4, Holy Bull--Peaceful Intention, by Hold Your Peace. \$3,850.

Margins: NK, HF, HF. Odds: 31.30, 2.00, 7.10.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-WOX, \$**78**,**500**, NW1\$6MX, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, sv.

GREATTOBELOVED (f, 4, Peaks and Valleys--Well Taught, by Beau Genius) Lifetime Record: 13-6-2-1, \$271,521. O-John Atto. B-L Jacqueline Armstrong (ON). T-Alexander F McPherson. *\$30,000 yrl '01 CBSSEP.

2nd-WOX, \$61,600, NW2X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11, sy. THE KING N ROB (g, 4, Gold Alert--Bronx Bomber {SP}, by The Pruner) Lifetime Record: 13-4-3-1, \$129,455. O/B-Bruno Schickedanz (FL). T-Norman Desouza.



7th-DEL, **\$37,300**, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:43, ft.

TURQUOISE BEAD (m, 5, Cryptoclearance--Slumgullion {MSW, \$155,132}, by Conquistador Cielo) Lifetime Record: 16-5-3-3, \$132,950. O-Lori Goodz. B-Hal Earnhardt (KY), T-Donald S Reeder.

8th-BMX, \$36,932, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 4/5, fm.

FOXLAIR (g, 4, Huddle Up--Flying Zen, by Mr. Cockatoo) Lifetime Record: 17-3-7-3, \$104,627. O-John B Crook, Jerry Hollendorfer and George Todaro. B-Mr & Mrs Alvin E Toffel (CA). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

9th-PHA, **\$27,325**, NW3\$R6MX, 4yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:44, ft.

ROUSING AGAIN (f, 4, Awesome Again--Rousing, by Alydar) Lifetime Record: 17-6-4-3, \$132,280. O-Larry Williams. B-Round Table LLC (KY). T-Clifford W Sise Jr. *\$175,000 yrl '01 KEESEP. **1/2 to Chindi (El Prado {Ire}), MGSW, \$957,411.

1st-PRM, **\$26,093**, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:41 3/5, ft.

KAYLEE BAILEY (m, 5, Mister Baileys {GB}--Special Token, by Hyperborean) Lifetime Record: 28-4-3-3, \$74,292. O/B-Paul Tonderum (IA). T-William R Pogue.

8th-PHA, \$25,473, NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 4/5, ft. MAY'S PRIDE (f, 4, Bombardier--Alejandra's Love, by Lord Carlos) Lifetime Record: 11-3-4-2, \$59,460. O-A C K Stable. B-Joseph Walsh (PA). T-Andrew B Carter.

4th-CRC, \$23,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:07, ft. CHAMPAIGN POWDER (m, 5, Two Punch--Saturday Sunshine {SW-Stp}, by Dahar) Lifetime Record: 24-5-3-7, \$78,745. O-Ethel Imprescia. B-Dresden Farm (MD). T-Larry Pilotti.

BELMONT STAKES COVERAGE ON TELEVISION:



THURSDAY, JUNE 3

Wire to Wire - ESPN2 (2-2:30 p.m.)

FRIDAY, JUNE 4

- Acorn S., Flash S. ESPN2 (5-6 p.m.)
- Smarty Jones Triple Crown Challenge ESPN2 (6-7 p.m.)
 SATURDAY, JUNE 5
- Wire to Wire ESPN (5:30-6 A.M.)
- Smarty Jones Triple Crown Challenge ESPN2 (1-2 a.m. & 12-1 p.m.)
- Today at the Belmont Stakes ESPN (1-3:30 p.m.)
- Belmont Stakes Special ESPN (3:30-5:30 p.m.)
- Belmont Stakes Broadcast NBC (5:30-7 p.m.)
- Triple Crown 2004 ESPN2 (7-8 p.m.)

7th-PHA, \$20,000, NW1X, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:20 2/5, ft. ONE SMART LADY (f, 3, West Acre--Smart Cat, by Storm Cat) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$46,650. O/B-Gilbert G Campbell (FL). T-Edward T Allard.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Alarm on the Farm, c, 3, Darn That Alarm--Halo's Farma Way, by Farma Way. CRC, 5-24, 1m, 1:42 1/5. B-Happy Alter (FI).

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

ITALY, Milan, 3.50, 5-23, €26,775, 3yo, f, 7 1/2fT, 1:35.50, gd.

JALYS (IRE) (f, 3, Sri Pekan--Villefranche {Ire}, by Caerleon) Lifetime Record: SP-Ity, 5 starts, 3 wins, 1 place, €49,215. O/B-Razza La Tesa SPA; T-Alduino & Giuseppe Botti.

ITALY, Florence, 3.25, 5-23, €15,300, 2yo, 6fT, 1:13.00, gd.

GOLDEN SURPRICE (IRE) (c, 2, Indian Lodge {Ire}--Sorpresa {Ity}, by Miswaki) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €17,405. O-Scuderia Elle; B-Scuderia Golden Horse SRL; T-Danilo Godani.

BRITAIN, Windsor, 7:15, Cond, £14,510, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:11.55, gd/fm.

CAVERAL (GB) (f, 3, Ashkalani {Ire}--Melting Gold {GSP-Fr}, by Cadeaux Genereux {GB}) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, £14,356. O-A L Stalder; B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd; T-Richard Hannon.

ITALY, Florence, 3.55, 5-23, €11,475, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:11.00, gd.

ROCK OF ANGELS (IRE) (f, 3, Bahamian Bounty {GB}--Rock Of Gold {GB}, by Rainbow Quest) Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 5 wins, 3 places, €43,894. O-Franco Boniserio; B-Azienda Agricola Razza Emiliana SRL; T-Giorgio Verricelli.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Live and Learn (Ity), f, 2, Love the Groom--Love Me Too (Ire), by Sesin (GB). Rome, Italy, 5-23, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5fT. B-Allevamento La Dogana.

Bold Terms, c, 2, Outflanker--Bantry Fair, by Private Terms. Rome, Italy, 5-23, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 5fT. B-John F Exenkamper. *\$12,000 yrl '03 OBSAUG.

Stoiber (Ire), c, 3, Victory Note--Capriola, by Mr. Prospector. Florence, Italy, 5-23, Cond, 3yo, 12fT. B-Musaed Abo Salim. *10,000gns yrl '02 DONSEP.

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