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SARATOGA DATES SHIFTED The New York Racing Association has applied for a 34-day 1996 Saratoga meet which would run from Friday, July 26 through Monday, September 2. The dates are expected to be finalized Dec. 13, with the announcement of when the GI Travers S. will be also coming on that date. The Travers will be run either Aug. 17 or 24. "After consulting with a number of members of the upstate community, we have decided to push the beginning of the Saratoga meet back and to race through Labor Day," NYRA Chairman of the Board and President Kenny Noe Jr. said. "The meet was just starting too early in July. If we were going to close the Monday before Labor Day, we would have had to open July 19. By pushing back the start, we are now able to avoid the early opening and a housing conflict with the New York City Ballet." NYRA hopes business over the Labor Day weekend will be better at the upstate track than it had been during the past few years at Long Island's Belmont Park.

JADE HUNTER TO JAPAN FOR 1996 Narvick International Inc. completed a deal last week that will send **Jade Hunter** (Mr. Prospector) to Japan for the 1996 breeding season. Under the agreement, the 11-year-old stallion will be sent to the Thoroughbred Breeders Club in Monbetsu, Hokkaido, Japan on a one-year lease. The Thoroughbred Breeders Club also stands American-bred stallions **Afleet** and **Criminal Type**. **Jade Hunter** is currently at Woodlands Stud in Australia, where he stood the 1995 Southern Hemisphere breeding season. He is scheduled to leave for Japan in January. His stud fee in 1996 will be 1.5 million yen (approximately \$14,755 U.S.). **Jade Hunter**, winner of the 1988 GI Donn H. and GI Gulfstream Park H., won six of 14 races for earnings of \$407,260. He has sired the earners of over \$5.3 million from his first four crops to race. His progeny include 1994 GI Santa Anita H. winner **Stuka**; MGI winner **Diazo**; GII Rare Perfume H. winner **Jade Flush**; and Australian Group stakes winners **Procrastinate** (Aus) and **So Keen** (NZ). It is expected that the chestnut will return to Brookside Farms in Versailles, Kentucky in 1997.

Today, Woodbine:

VALEDICTORY H.-GIIC, \$89,280, 3yo/up, 14f
Five-year-old **Flashy Regent** (Honest Pleasure) will be looking for his first stakes victory in today's Valedictory H., Woodbine's traditional closing day feature. The Don Campbell-trainee may be best remembered for his 1993 Canadian Triple Crown Campaign, during which he finished fourth in the Queen's Plate and second in both The Prince of Wales and Breeders' S., losing each race to eventual Canadian Horse of the Year **Peteski**. "He's got one run," said Campbell. "The jockey can use it early in the race, in the middle, or at the end; he'll always have it. He'll be last early in the race, but if nobody gets out there on their own on the front end, he'll be right there at the end." The field of eight, from the rail out, is as follows: **Flashy Regent**, **Attard**; **Stellarina** (Pleasant Colony), **Kabel**; **Arctic Grail** (It's Freezing), **Willey**; **Mr. Lucky Junction** (Lucky North), **Dos Ramos**; **Moon Warmer** (Key to the Moon), **Husbands**; **Dr. Ktonborg** (Same Direction), **Baird**; **Krisanova** (Kris S.), **Ramsammy**; **Rage Au Coeur** (Le Danseur), **Poznansky**.

Saturday, Calder Race Course:

BOCA RATON S., \$100,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m
Trainer Roger Attfield confirmed Monday afternoon that Windhaven Farm's **Hello Rachel** (Mining), winner of three of five starts including a 5½-length tally in the Glorious Song S. (GIIC) at Woodbine Nov. 11, will start in the Boca Raton. Regular jockey **Dave Penna** has the call. **Hello Rachel** is a full-sister to Grade I winner **Roamin Rachel**.

Saturday, Bay Meadows:

WILLIAM P. KYNE H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m
Slew of Damascus (Slewacide), defending **William P. Kyne** champion and winner of seven graded races, worked 3/4 of a mile Tuesday morning and his trainer, **Craig Roberts**, clocked his charge in "1:14 and something and he finished up (seven furlongs) in 1:24." **Roberts** is happy with the gelding's preparation for Saturday's race. "We couldn't ask for him to be doing any better. Our only problem will be if it rains. We'll probably scratch him if it rains -- he's never gone too well in the mud." **Roberts** isn't planning too far into the future for the seven-year-old. "We'll take one thing at a time. At his age, you really have to take things as they come." The veteran runner, winner of last year's GI Hollywood Gold Cup H., has compiled earnings of \$1,378,800 to date in his five-year racing career.

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RACING SYMPOSIUM GETS UNDERWAY The 1995 University of Arizona Racing Symposium got underway yesterday in Tucson with a panel on racing on the internet. The forum, part of the Turf Publicists of America Mark Kaufman Workshop, featured a panel of five who offered a look at a cross-section of racing products and services available on-line. Toni Richardson of Cyberspace Racing Partners described how she had raised money to form racing partnerships through postings on the internet and had brought 30 new owners from across the U.S. and Canada to the sport through the partnerships. Bill Taylor, the general manager of Hastings Park, demonstrated his track's home page, which features entries, results and audio race calls, and suggested the internet is a way for racing to replace its aging fan base. The afternoon session featured a focus group of unseasoned racegoers, who offered suggestions on what might make a newcomer's racing experience more enjoyable. Throughout the two sessions, publicity and marketing executives from tracks around the country told anecdotes about what promotional ideas had worked for them at their tracks. The symposium continues through Friday.

TATTERSALLS SECOND SESSION RESULTS

Crystal Spray (Beldale Flutter), a nine-year-old bay mare in foal to Sadler's Wells, topped Tuesday's second session of the five-day Tattersalls December Sale of Mares, Horses In and Out of Training and Stallions, held in Newmarket, England. Consigned by Swettenham Stud, agent, Crystal Spray has had only two foals to race--G3 Lancashire Oaks winner State Crystal (Ire) (High Estate) and G3 May Hill S. winner Solar Crystal (Ire) (Alzao). She was purchased for \$811,939 by C. Gordon-Watson Bloodstock. Overall, 216 horses were sold Tuesday for a total of \$12,842,120 and an average of \$59,453, up 17.7 percent from last year's second session average of \$50,491. The sale continues through Friday.

CIGAR RELAXING IN FLORIDA Leading Horse of the Year candidate **Cigar** (Palace Music) will arrive early in January at Gulfstream Park to prepare for his six-year-old debut in the \$300,000 Donn H. (GI) Feb. 10. "He'll be here in the first week of January," said trainer Bill Mott Tuesday from his Gulfstream barn. Cigar, who will be seeking his 13th consecutive victory in the 1 1/8-mile Donn--a race he won last year--is currently enjoying rest and relaxation at Payson Park in Indiantown, Florida. The Maryland-bred, who earned over \$4.8 million in 1995, shipped from Belmont Park and arrived at Payson Park Saturday.

GARY STEVENS CHOSEN FOR 1996 WOOLF MEMORIAL AWARD The 1996 George Woolf Memorial Jockey Award, given annually at Santa Anita Park to a Thoroughbred jockey whose career is a credit to himself and to the sport, will go to 32-year-old Gary Stevens. In a nationwide vote of members of the Jockeys Guild, Stevens was chosen over fellow nominees Anthony Black, Robbie Davis, David Gall, Flavio Martinez III and Craig Perret. Stevens's career has seen more than 3,700 trips to the winner's circle at tracks from his native Idaho to Hong Kong. He added this year's Kentucky Derby win aboard Thunder Gulch to his win in 1988 aboard Winning Colors and has three Breeders' Cup wins to his credit. During the upcoming 1995-96 Santa Anita season, Stevens will be given a miniature likeness of the life-size statue of George Woolf which stands at the track. Woolf, an accomplished stakes rider, was killed in a spill at Santa Anita in 1946. The award was established in his name in 1950.

CARIBBEAN STAKES ON SATELLITE The XXVIII "Clásico Internacional del Caribe" stakes to be held this Saturday, Dec. 9 at V Centenario Race Track in the Dominican Republic will be transmitted by satellite live and with an unscrambled signal, which will make it available in the U.S. at no cost. The satellite signal distribution will be carried using Galaxy VI transponder 4, 6.2-6.8 MHZ. starting at 4 p.m. (3 p.m. EST) until 6 p.m. (5 p.m. EST). The "Clásico del Caribe" stake, with the richest purse in the region at \$255,000 (U.S.), is tentatively scheduled for 5:10 p.m. (4:10 p.m. EST). Participating countries/territories include Jamaica, Mexico, Panama, Puerto Rico, Dominican Republic, Trinidad & Tobago and Venezuela. The nine-furlong race is for three-year-olds. Another feature of the day is the \$75,000 (U.S.) "Copa Confraternidad" ("Fellowship Cup") at 10 furlongs for ages four and up. Mexico's scheduled entry, **Pistol Pete (Mex)** (Easterner), will have Hall of Fame jockey Laffit Pincay Jr. in the irons.

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OJC AND HBPA REACH AGREEMENT The Ontario Jockey Club and the local division of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association came to an agreement yesterday on a one-year deal for 1996. As part of the agreement, the Thoroughbred horsemen have agreed to pay the Jockey Club \$2.2 million for 1995 and \$2.2 million for 1996 to pay for the cost of its teletheatre network. The HBPA has already agreed to give the OJC \$1.2 million towards the cost of operating Fort Erie Racetrack. The collective monies are expected to reduce the horsemen's underpayment by the OJC to \$1.2 million -- it had been more than \$7 million. The deal ensures that the winter simulcasting program will begin as scheduled this Thursday. Woodbine's live racing season concludes today.

WASHINGTON THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS SALE RESULTS

The Washington Thoroughbred Breeders Association concluded its two-day Winter Mixed Sale at its sales pavilion at the old Longacres track site Sunday night, as totals showed 340 horses sold for \$1,369,900 for an average of \$4,029. Last year, 180 Thoroughbreds grossed \$742,800, averaging \$4,127. Topping the auction was **Bid of Fun** (Spectacular Bid), a six-year-old gray broodmare who placed in six stakes during her racing career. Consigned as part of the dispersal of the Estate of Diane C. Kem, Bid of Fun, in foal to Moscow Ballet, was purchased by Mark Dedomenico of Bellevue, Washington for \$40,000.

AUTOTOTE SATISFIES CONDITION OF BANK WAIVERS

As anticipated, Autotote Corporation yesterday announced it had raised sufficient cash to satisfy the terms of waivers previously granted to the Company under its senior bank credit facility. The current waivers are in effect through January 31, 1996. The Company noted it is currently in negotiations with its senior bank group to amend the terms of the senior bank credit facility.

BAYOU BLURR TO KEANE STUD

Edition Farm's **Bayou Blurr** (Murrtheblurr) has recently moved from Ledgemere Farms in Clinton Corners, New York to Jim Edwards' Keane Stud in Amenia, New York. The eight-year-old stallion, third in the 1990 Gill Riva Ridge S. at Belmont, won nine of 35 career starts for earnings of \$157,381. He stands for \$500 Live Foal, and his first foals will be two-year-olds of 1996. For more information, call Vivien Malloy at 914-763-6554.

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Yesterday's Result:

PRIX ISONOMY, \$49,585, Evry, France, 12-5, 2yo, 9fT, 2:01.4, hy.

1--**SUPREME COMMANDER** (Fr), 123, c, 2, Saumerez (GB)--Autocratic (Ire), by Tyrant. O-Wafic Said; B-M. Bruce McNall; T-Andre Fabre; J-T Jarnet; \$28,686. *½ to Fair of the Furze (Ire) (Ela-Mana-Mou {Ire}), GSW-Ire, \$113,078.

2--**Le Tourron** (Fr), 123, c, 2, Kaldoun (Fr)--Orangerie, by Arctic Tern. \$9,835.

3--**River Bay**, 123, c, 2, Irish River (Fr)--Buckeye Gal, by Good Counsel. \$6,147. *\$80,000 yrl '94 KEESEP. Margins: 4, NK, 1.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-WOX, \$24,900, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.
STARS AND LETTERS (f, 4, Star de Naskra--A Letter From Mary {SP}, by Arts and Letters) Lifetime Record: 30-3-4-5, \$66,498. O/T-Nicholas Detoro. B-D.G. McClelland (CAN).

8th-CRC, \$20,900, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:47, ft.

BUCK CALL (g, 5, Buckaroo--La Dee Dot, by Maribeau) Lifetime Record: 16-5-4-2, \$59,448. O-Marissa Olivares. B-Mrs. Dorothy E. Cresci (FL). T-Luis Olivares. *1/2 to Besmirk (MSW, \$128,175, by Smile).

8th-PHA, \$19,050, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:49 2/5, ft.

SURFACE TO AIR (f, 3, Fortunate Prospect--Surface Missile, by Sassafras {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 19-4-3-4, \$51,302. O-Mach One Stable. B-Maltese Stables Inc. (PA). T-Allen Iwinski.

8th-LRL, \$19,000, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft.

GOOD BOY C.K. (c, 2, Sovereign Don--Peaceful Dawn, by Peace Corps) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$29,696. O-S & A Stable. B-Candy Land Farm (MD). T-John V. Alecci.

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5th-CRC, \$17,700, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:50 1/5, ft.

HI SWAN (f, 3, Maudlin--Maxieoso, by Spring Double) Lifetime Record: 34-3-6-8, \$48,810. O-Julio E Cruz & Diaz Alberto. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). T-Roberto Linares.

9th-CRC, \$17,200, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:13 1/5, ft.

ECHOTELICUS (f, 3, Pentelicus--Answering Echo {MSP}, by Greek Answer) Lifetime Record: 25-2-5-7, \$40,740. O-Cobble View Stable. B-Edward Wiest (FL). T-Luis Olivares. *1/2 to Venus of Dolni (SP, \$170,025, by True Colors).

7th-CRC, \$16,000, 3yo/up, 5f, 1:00 2/5, ft.

POLISH BEAR (g, 6, Danzig Connection--Ocean Breeze {MSW, \$127,568}, by Blade) Lifetime Record: 55-12-10-4, \$86,940. O-Margulies Stable Inc. B-Robert Wilson (KY). T-Larry Bates.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

Christmas Affair, f, 2, Black Tie Affair (Ire)--Anna Lisa Beth, by Topsider. CRC, 12-5, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:50. B-Mr & Mrs Hargus Sexton & Black Tie Affair Partner (Ky). *15th winner for freshman sire.

Bold Decision, c, 2, Northern Prospect--Ellen's Ad, by Our Michael. WOX, 12-5, 7f, 1:25. B-Saddle Home Farm (Ky). *\$37,632 2yo 1995 ONTJUN.

Smart Figure, c, 2, Smarten--Compulsory Figure, by Icecapade. WOX, 12-5, 1 1/16m, 1:46. B-Sydney Stud (Can).

My Cherie, f, 2, Woodman--Laylitna, by Key to the Mint. CRC, 12-5, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:51 2/5. B-Buckram Oak Farm (Ky). *1/2 to Green Line Express (Green Forest), MGSW-Eng, \$465,357.

Carr Pool, c, 3, Carr de Naskra--Darby Dinky, by Darby Creek Road. PHA, 12-5, 1m70yd, 1:47 3/5. B-Boto Thoroughbreds Inc (NY).

Oversmart, c, 3, Smarten--Layovernite (SW, \$144,703), by Laomedonte. LRL, 12-5, 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-James P. Ryan (Md).

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, and an (R) will be used for other restricted races.

SIRE RANKINGS IN JAPAN

(Through November 26, 1995)

SIRE	RNRS	WNRS	EARNINGS
SUNDAY SILENCE (by Halo)	83	57	\$21,804,000
NORTHERN TASTE (by Northern Dancer)	97	51	\$15,484,000
TONY BIN (IRE) (by Kampala {GB})	101	39	\$14,936,000
BRIAN'S TIME (by Roberto)	72	42	\$13,804,000
REAL SHADAI (by Roberto)	121	38	\$11,680,000
SAKURA YUTAKA-O (JPN) (by Tesco Boy {GB})	73	32	\$9,543,000
AMBER SHADAI (JPN) (by Northern Taste)	74	36	\$8,109,000
TAMAMO CROSS (JPN) (by C.B. Cross {Jpn})	70	25	\$7,708,000
NIHON PILLOW WINNER (JPN) (by Steel Heart {Ire})	65	28	\$7,682,000
SOCCER BOY (by Dictus)	49	20	\$7,405,000

NORTH AMERICAN SIREs OF 1995

UNRESTRICTED SWS (Through 11/26/95)

SIRE	STATE	SWs
Afleet	JPN	14
Danzig	KY	12
Woodman	KY	12
Gone West	KY	11
Dixieland Band	KY	10
Miswaki	KY	10
Wild Again	KY	10
Crafty Prospector	KY	9
Green Dancer	KY	9
Rahy	KY	9
Relaunch	KY	9
Forty Niner	JPN	8
Kris S.	KY	8
Mt. Livermore	KY	8
Nureyev	KY	8
Riverman	KY	8
Storm Cat	KY	8
Broad Brush	KY	7
Bold Ruckus	ONT	7
Deputy Minister	KY	7
Dynaformer	KY	7
El Gran Senor	KY	7
Private Account	KY	7
Seattle Slew	KY	7
Silver Hawk	KY	7
Strawberry Road	dead	7

(Based on winners of unrestricted stakes races with purses of \$25,000 or more in North America and winners of European stakes races that qualify for "black-type" by North American catalogue standards and graded SW's in Japan.)

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TRACK ABBREVIATIONS:

AQU	Aqueduct	BEU	Beulah Park
CDX	Churchill Downs	CRC	Calder
CTX	Charles Town	DET	Ladbroke DRC
FGX	Fair Grounds	FLX	Finger Lakes
GGX	Golden Gate Fields	HAW	Hawthorne
HOL	Hollywood Park	HOU	Sam Houston
LRL	Laurel Park	MED	Meadowlands
PEN	Penn National	PHA	Philadelphia Park
RPX	Remington Park	SUF	Suffolk Downs
TDN	Thistledown	TPX	Turfway Park
TUP	Turf Paradise	WOX	Woodbine