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SILVERBULLETDAY OUT OF PREAKNESS

Trainer Bob Baffert confirmed Thursday that Silverbulletday (Silver Deputy) will skip Saturday's Preakness and start instead in today's GII Black-Eyed Susan S. "I have to take care of her," Baffert explained. "With the good ones you have to be so careful. This was a hard decision."

STEPHEN GOT STEVENS The withdrawal of Silverbulletday leaves jockey Gary Stevens free to ride Stephen Got Even (A. P. Indy) in the Preakness. "I've had luck with Gary in the past," trainer Nick Zito said yesterday. "He rode Halory Hunter for us to win the Blue Grass last year. I'm very grateful that we were able to get him. The post positions (Adonis {Kris S.} in nine and Stephen Got Even in 11) aren't ideal, but I can't do anything about that now."

NAFZGER NOT TAKING ANY CHANCES Although he has said that Vicar (Wild Again) will not start in the Preakness from the 13 hole, trainer Carl Nafzger doesn't plan on officially scratching until Saturday morning. "I'm not wishing anybody any bad luck, but we just will not run from number 13. I learned a long time ago never to try to predict the unpredictable. If we scratch, it won't be until Saturday morning," said Nafzger.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, FRIDAY, MAY 14:

12-99 (TBA) \$200,000e Hollywood Futurity-I, Hol, 2yo, 8.5f, (250)

12-99 (TBA) \$200,000e Hollywood Starlet-I, Hol, 2yo, f, 8.5f, (250)

TOMORROW, SATURDAY, MAY 15:

05-29 \$500,000 Metropolitan Mile H.-I, Bel, 3yo/up, 8f, (500)

05-31 \$150,000a Sheepshead Bay H.-II, Bel, 3yo/up, f/m, 11f, (150)

05-31 \$100/50,000a Kentucky Breeders' Cup-III, CD, 2yo, 5.5f, (150)

06-27 \$500,000 Queen's Plate, Wo, 3yo, [S], 10f, (15000s)

07-25 \$175,000a Prince of Wales, FE, 3yo, [S], 9.5f, (15000s)



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Friday, Pimlico, post time 5:40 p.m. EDT

BLACK-EYED SUSAN S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8m

| PP | HORSE | TRAINER | JOCKEY | ODDS |
|----|-------------------|----------|----------|------|
| 1 | Silverbulletday | Baffert | Stevens | 7-5 |
| 2 | Dreams Gallore | Asmussen | Albarado | 10-1 |
| 3 | Mysterious Jak | Smith | Prado | 20-1 |
| 4 | Excellent Meeting | SCR | SCR | SCR |
| 5 | Waltz | Voss | Pino | 20-1 |
| 6 | Magic Broad | Small | Wilson | 20-1 |
| 7 | The Happy Hopper | Holthus | Day | 20-1 |
| 8 | Vee Vee Star | Tammaro | Stisted | 20-1 |
| 9 | Madison's Charm | Hauswald | Samyn | 6-1 |

Despite the crossed fingers of probably all eight of her opponents here, Silverbulletday (Silver Deputy) will skip Saturday's Preakness in favor of this easier spot. Last year's champion two-year-old filly, beaten only once in her career, was a seven-length winner of the Apr. 3 GI Ashland and is coming off an easy two-length score in the Apr. 30 GI Kentucky Oaks. With Excellent Meeting (General Meeting) likely to line up for the Preakness, the task of defeating the champ may fall on Dreams Gallore (Silver Ghost). The GIII Honeybee S. winner closed well to finish second in the Kentucky Oaks last time out. Madison's Charm (Capote), second in the Mar. 21 GIII Florida Oaks, is coming off a narrow score in the GIII Comely at Aqueduct Apr. 24.

Friday, Pimlico, post time 4:41 p.m. EDT

GALLORETTE H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5f

| PP | HORSE (Sire) | TRAINER | ODDS |
|----|------------------------------------|------------|------|
| 1 | Courtlandt Queen (Deputy Minister) | T Hauswald | 20-1 |
| 2 | Be Elusive (With Approval) | Sheppard | 10-1 |
| 3 | Earth to Jackie (Polish Numbers) | Boniface | 6-1 |
| 4 | Heavenly Advice (Theatrical {Ire}) | Voss | 10-1 |
| 5 | Pleasant Temper (Storm Cat) | Walden | 7-2 |
| 6 | Lonesome Sound (Dancing Count) | Motion | 6-1 |
| 7 | Proud Run (Proud Truth) | Hendriks | 6-1 |
| 8 | To Be Approved (With Approval) | McGaughey | 3-1 |
| 9 | Indian Head Penny (Waquoit) | Smith | 15-1 |
| 10 | Winfama (Wild Again) | Wolfson | 6-1 |
| 11 | Proud Owner (Proud Truth) | Small | 5-1 |

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Saturday, Pimlico:

DIXIE S.-GII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 9fT

| PP HORSE (Sire) | WT. |
|--|-----|
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Saturday, Belmont Park:

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| PP HORSE (Sire) | WT. |
|--|-----|
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TWO-YEAR-OLDS WORK AT FASIG-TIPTON MIDLANTIC Hip number 152, a colt by Polish Numbers and hip number 192, a filly by Allen's Prospect sparked in their quarter-mile workouts at the Fasig-Tipton Midlantic Two-Year-Olds in Training Sale Under Tack Show at Timonium, Maryland yesterday. Both got the distance in :21 4/5. Topping the three furlong works at the sale was hip number 3, a filly by Cutlass Fax, who got the distance in :34 2/5. The top one-furlong workouts were recorded by hip number 51, a Gilded Time colt and hip number 62, a Carson City colt. The Under Tack Show continues today at 10:00 a.m. The sale takes place on Monday, May 17 and Tuesday, May 18, with each session beginning at 10:00 a.m.

◆ RESULTS ◆

Yesterday, York, England:

MEREWOOD HOMES YORKSHIRE CUP-G2, \$189,960, York, England, 5-13, 4yo/up, 13f 194ydsT, 3:05.61, sf.

1--#**@CHURLISH CHARM (GB), 121, c, 4, Niniski**
 1st Dam: Blushing Storm (MGSP-Eng), by Blushing Groom (Fr)
 2nd Dam: Witwatersrand (GSW), by Mr. Prospector
 3rd Dam: Sleek Belle, by Vaguely Noble (GB)

O-Mohammed Suhail; B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd; T-Richard Hannon; J-Richard Hughes; \$114,659.

2--**Largesse (GB), 122, h, 5, Cadeaux Genereux (GB)--Vilanika (Fr), by Top Ville (Ire). (\$25,160 wnl '94 TADEF). O-Rosemary Moszkowicz; B-Snowdrop Stud Co Ltd; \$42,369.**

3--**Arctic Owl (GB), 125, g, 5, Most Welcome (GB)--Short Rations (GB), by Lorenzaccio (Ire). (\$15,600 yrl '95 TAOCT). O-The Owl Society; B-J M Greetham; \$20,281.**

Margins: NK, HF, HF. Odds: 25-1, 25-1, 2-1.

Also ran: Yavanna's Pace (Ire), Persian Punch (Ire), Chist, The Glow-Worm (Ire), Laurentide, Ta-Lim (GB). Scratched: Silver Patriarch (Ire).

With the overnight withdrawal of likely favorite Silver Patriarch (Saddler's Hall {Ire}) due to the soft conditions at York, the race appeared up for grabs and Churlish Charm created the biggest shock in the Yorkshire Cup for over 30 years. The Glow-Worm (Doyoun {Ire}) set a slow pace with Largesse and Persian Punch (Persian Heights {GB}) racing in close attendance. Things remained largely unchanged until early in the straight, where the leader folded and Largesse took a narrow advantage over Yavanna's Pace (Accordion {Ire}), with favored Arctic Owl menacing down the center of the track. Those three got down to fight it out from the quarter-pole but hadn't reckoned on the finishing swoop of Churlish Charm, who just got up to score by a neck. Afterwards, trainer Richard Hannon, who together with jockey Richard Hughes was completing a quick Group race double, commented, "I thought he ran well at Goodwood on Saturday, but the mile and a half wasn't far enough for him. He has always liked soft ground and now we'll have to see about the G1 Ascot Gold Cup June 17."

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◆ NEW YORK ◆

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-BEL, \$57,000, Alw, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT, 2:00 4/5, fm.

SNOW POLINA (f, 4, Trempolino--Snow House {Ire} {MSW}, by Vacarme) recorded a victory in her North American debut. Last seen Nov. 11 when she was beaten a head in the G3 Prix Fille de l'Aire, the chestnut filly rated early and advanced steadily along the backstretch. Gaining the lead turning for home, the 3-5 favorite fought off a bid from l'm Indy Mood (A.P. Indy) and won going away by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: GSP, 10-7-2-1, \$123,258.

O-Gary Tanaka. B-S C La Clauzade Agriculture (KY). T-William I Mott.

6th-BEL, \$44,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18, ft. **END SWEEP'S GIRL** (f, 3, End Sweep--R M's Girl {MSP}, by Greinton {GB}) met her elders for the first time and handled them with aplomb. Claimed for \$50,000 on Mar. 8 from Eddie Plesa at Gulfstream, the chestnut filly narrowly won an Apr. 15 allowance at Aqueduct. Sent off at 4-1, she broke sharply and set the early pace under pressure, then responded when challenged by favored Shesbig (Fit to Fight) to win by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 12-4-2-3, \$98,855.

O-Sunny Meadow Farm. B-Harry Mangurian (FL). T-Mitchell Friedman.

2nd-BEL, \$40,000, Alw, 2yo, 5f, :58 4/5, ft. **+DIABLO'S ADDITION** (c, 2, Diablo--Value Added, by Far Out East), a \$50,000 OBSFEB purchase, scored a professional victory in his debut. The 5-1 shot tracked the pace along the rail, angled out to rally three-wide approaching the stretch, made the lead at the eighth pole and prevailed to win by a length over favored Endgame (Caller I.D.). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,000.

O-George & Sandra Melillo. B-Harry Mangurian (FL). T-Richard A Violette Jr.

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◆ MIDWEST ◆

Yesterday's Results:

7th-CDX, \$56,300, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 2/5, fm.

1--**DOWN THE AISLE**, 123, h, 6, Runaway Groom--That's My Hon, by L'Enjoleur. O/B-Charles H Deters(KY); T-William I Mott. Lifetime Record: MGIP, 14-6-5-2, \$472,101.

2--**Midway Magistrate**, 123, h, 5, Magesterial--Say Forever, by Little Current.

3--**Doublethebetwice**, 118, h, 6, Bet Twice--Doblique, by Nodouble.

Margins: 3/4, 1 1/4, 4. Odds: 0.70, 1.80, 9.90.

Down the Aisle, off nearly three months since a narrow allowance win Feb. 18 at Gulfstream, closed stoutly to make it two in a row. Previously, the grey horse had been laid up since his second to champion Chief Bearhart in the 1997 GI Canadian International. The 3-5 favorite relaxed behind the pace for six furlongs before rallying four wide to wear down pacesetter Midway Magistrate.

◆ SO. CALIFORNIA ◆

Free House Out With Muscle Tear:

GI Santa Anita H. winner **Free House** (Smokester), who most recently missed by a neck to Real Quiet in the GI Pimlico Special, will miss at least 90 days of training after tearing a muscle in that race. According to trainer Paco Gonzalez, the ligament from the left hip to the spine is torn, and that caused the five-year-old to be lame after the race. Free House will recuperate at owners John Toffan and Trudy McCafferty's ranch in Bradbury, California. "He'll be given all the time he needs," added Gonzalez.

Malek Out of Mass Cap:

Trainer Richard Mandella reported that G1 Dubai World Cup second-place finisher **Malek (Chi)** (Mocito Guapo {Arg}) has stiffness in his back and will miss the GII Mass Cap at Suffolk May 29. The horse will instead go in the GI Sempra Energy Hollywood Gold Cup June 27.

Puerto Madero Set for Californian:

GI Donn H. winner **Puerto Madero (Chi)** (Gallantsky) is on target for a start in the GII Californian S. May 29. The five-year-old is unraced since a fifth-place effort in the GI Santa Anita H. Mar. 6.

Vinery-bred **HUNTER'S GOLD**, out of **GSW MAR MAR** (\$372,516), won the \$55,200 allowance feature Wednesday at Churchill.

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Yesterday's Results:

4th-HOL, \$61,215, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2fT, 1:02, fm.

PISMO BAY (m, 5, **Corwyn Bay {Ire}**--**Windy Pass**, by **Dimaggio**) won a Mar. 14 \$62,500 claiming race before finishing fifth Mar. 27 and third Apr. 10 in similar affairs. The 3-1 second choice pressed the pace, rallied four wide into the stretch and just got up late for a head win. Lifetime Record: 20-6-3-2, \$242,960.

O-Gould Gustafson & Johnson. B-John Valpredo (Ca). T-Ted West.

7th-HOL, \$53,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:21 1/5, ft.

APREMONT (c, 3, **Silver Deputy**--**Choose a Crown**, by **Ogygian**) won his first two starts by daylight earlier this year before finishing second as the heavy favorite in the Gill Gotham S. at Aqueduct Mar. 21. The 1-2 favorite to get back to the winner's circle here, **Apremont** set a brilliant pace despite being under a strong hold, opened up a lead on the turn and cruised to a 2 1/2-length score while under wraps. Lifetime Record: GSP, 4-3-1-0, \$118,800. O-Prince S al Kabeer. B-Multnomah Land & Cattle Co (Ky). T-Ron McAnally.

Hollywood Worktab:

GI Early Times Turf Classic third **Hawksley Hill {Ire}** (Rahy) drilled six panels on the turf in 1:15...**Indian Rocket {GB}** (**Indian Ridge {Ire}**) went the same trip in 1:15 2/5...**Bouccaneer {Fr}** (**Hero's Honor**), unraced since running third in the GI Hollywood Derby in November, went seven furlongs on the turf in 1:30...**Tranquility Lake** (Rahy) went the same distance in 1:26 4/5...**Mud Route** (**Strawberry Road {Aus}**) worked a half mile in :49 1/5 and is possible for the Californian S...**MGISW Stop Traffic** (**Cure the Blues**) zipped five furlongs in 1:00 1/5 and is probable for the Desert Stormer H. May 29.

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◆ FOREIGN ◆

European Stakes Results:

DUKE OF YORK VICTOR CHANDLER S.-G3, \$82,250, York, England, 5-13, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:12.59, sf.

1--**@SAMPOWER STAR {GB}**, 117, c, 3, **Cyrano De Bergerac {Ire}**

1st Dam: **Green Supreme {GB}**, by **Primo Dominie {GB}**

2nd Dam: **Pea Green {GB} (SW-GB)**, by **Try My Best**

3rd Dam: **One Degree {GB}**, by **Crooner {GB}**

(\$1,968 2yo '98 RBBMR). O-Sampower Racing Club; B-Miss A J Rawding; T-Richard Hannon; J-Richard Hughes; \$50,361.

2--**Warningford {GB}**, 131, h, 5, **Warning {GB}**--**Barford Lady {GB}**, by **Stanford {Ire}**. O-**Barford Bloodstock**; B-Mrs C Handscombe; \$18,859.

3--**Yorkies Boy {GB}**, 131, c, 4, **Clantime {GB}**--**Slipperose {GB}**, by **Persepolis {Fr}**. (\$14,725 yrl '96 DNSLY). O/B-Mrs M Beddis; \$6,068.

Margins: 1 3/4, 1, HF. Odds: 13-2, 14-1, 16-1.

Also ran: **Night Shot {GB}**, **Lujain**, **Guinea Hunter {Ire}**, **Eastern Purple {Ire}**, **Cretan Gift {GB}**, **Superior Premium {GB}**, **Fire Dome {Ire}**, **Nigrasine {GB}**, **Hill Magic {GB}**, **Stylish Ways {Ire}**, **Bold Edge {GB}**.

Sampower Star, who caused a surprise when winning the Listed Pavilion S. at Ascot Apr. 28, further extended his new lease on life in the sprinting ranks with a decisive success here. Formerly tried over seven furlongs and a mile, **Richard Hannon's** colt has reached new heights since dropping down to six. With the favorite, **Sampower Star's** stablemate **Bold Edge** (**Beveled**) missing the break, it was left to **Guinea Hunter** (**Pips Pride {GB}**) and **Yorkies Boy** to cut out the early running. Things looked ominous when **Godolphin's Lujain** (**Seeking the Gold**), winner of the G1 Middle Park S. at Newmarket last autumn, loomed large on the leaders a quarter mile out. After briefly grabbing the lead, **Lujain** failed to see out the last furlong in the soft ground and was swamped by **Sampower Star** and **Warningford** at the furlong pole. Pushed out by **Richard Hughes**, **Sampower Star** was always holding the runner-up in the last 100 yards. Connections have the G2 Tripleprint Temple S. at Sandown, May 31, in mind for his next start.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY...

May 14, 1978...Fully recovered from Colitis X, **Seattle Slew** won his first start as a four-year-old in an allowance race at Aqueduct.



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Foreign Report cont.

PRIX CORRIDA-TIERCE MAGAZINE-G3, \$58,895, Lyon-Parilly, France, 5-13, 3yo, f, 1 5/16mT, 2:20.40, gd.

1--#**MAJOUNE (FR)**, 121, f, 4, Take Risks (Fr)

1st Dam: Madame Est Sortie (Fr) (GSW-Fr), by Longleat

2nd Dam: Missy (Fr), by Frontin (Fr)

3rd Dam: Ma (Fr) (SW-Fr), by Tosco (Fr)

(\$29,171 yrl '96 AFAUG). O-Claude Ankri; B-Claude Ankri & Gerald Levi; T-Jean-Pierre Pelat; J-S Beaumard; \$35,596. *1/2 to Mousse Glacee (Fr) (Mtoto {GB}), GSW & G1SP-Fr, \$251,886.

2--**Vissinia (GB)**, 121, f, 4, Belmez--Anafi (GB), by Slip Anchor (GB). O-L Marinopoulos; B-Stilvi Compania Financiera SA; \$12,944.

3--**Moteck (Fr)**, 128, f, 4, Last Tycoon (Ire)--Sudaka (Fr), by Garde Royale (Ire). O-Teruya Yoshida; B-Claude Cohen; \$6,472.

Margins: HF, 1HF, 1. Odds: 8.25, 26.00, 4.00.

Also ran: Native Justice, Intuition (Ger), Bimbola (Fr), Freccia D'Oro (Ger), Periode Bleue (GB), Viscountess Brave (Ire).

A winner of two of her four starts this season, both conditions events, the busy Majoune came from last to first to secure her first pattern race win. Majoune, marginally slowest from the gate, raced in last position behind Vissinia, as Periode Bleue (Pistolet Bleu {Ire}) and Freccia D'Oro (Acatenango {Ger}) took turns setting the pace. Turning into the straight, Majoune was still last as Periode Bleue took command. At the two-furlong marker, Majoune, caught flat-footed initially as the pace increased, was produced on the outside to deliver her challenge down the center of the track. Her telling run paid off well inside the final furlong as she ran on to great effect to deny Vissinia, who had produced a similar run from her original position of second-last.

MICHAEL SEELY MEMORIAL GLASGOW S.-Listed, \$34,699, York, England, 5-13, 3yo, c/g, 10f 85ydsT, 2:16.38, sf.

1--#**ZAAJER**, 123, c, 3, Silver Hawk--Crown Quest (SW & GSP), by Chief's Crown. (\$430,000 yrl '97 KESEEP). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Northwest Farms (Ky); T-Ed Dunlop; J-Richard Hills; \$20,922.

2--**Mukhalif (Ire)**, 123, c, 3, Caerleon--Potri Pe (Arg), by Potrillazo (Arg). \$7,737.

3--**Deal Fair (GB)**, 123, c, 3, Grand Lodge--Darshay (Fr), by Darshaan (GB). \$3,708.

Margins: 1HF, 1, 1 3/4. Odds: 7-1, 11-8, 6-1.

Michael Seely Memorial Glasgow S. cont.

Beaten 1 1/4 lengths by Mukhalif when the two clashed over seven furlongs at Ascot last autumn, Zaaier showed his superior stamina over this longer trip. Held up in mid-division by Richard Hills in a muddling race, trainer Ed Dunlop's classy performer burst through a narrow gap at the furlong-pole and powered away for a clear-cut success over Mukhalif, who didn't appear to see out the trip on the soft ground. Second-favorite Migration (Rainbow Quest) threw his chances away by hanging badly right in the straight. Dunlop said, "My thoughts before the race, although I'll have to go home and discuss it with Sheikh Hamdan now, was that if he was good enough here, we would go for the (June 6) French Derby as Chantilly is a level track."

GROSSER PREIS DER STADTSPARKASSE DORTMUND-

Listed, \$48,825, Dortmund, Germany, 5-13, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, time: n/a, gd/sf.

1--#**HIBISCUS (GER)**, 126, c, 3, Law Society--Hold On (Ger) (SP-Ger), by Surumu (Ger). O-K Bert; B-Gestut Ammerland; T-Andreas Schutz; J-A Starke; \$27,125.

2--**Belenus (Ger)**, 121, c, 3, Lomitas (GB)--Beaute (Ger), by Lord Udo (Ger). \$10,850.

3--**Universus (Ger)**, 123, c, 3, Unfuwain--Ustina (Ger), by Star Appeal (Ire). \$6,510.

Margins: SHD, 2, HF. Odds: 2.70, 6.00, 4.10.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN HONG KONG:

Destination, g, 4, Twilight Agenda--Reverse the Call, by Phone Trick. Shatin Racecourse, 5-12, Daffodil H., 8.5f. O-Joseph Ng Wang Chun; B-Harry L Landry; T-A. S. Cruz. *1/2 to Long Distance (Expensive Decision), MSW, \$147,698. **\$62,000 yrl '96 FTKJUL.

Hunting Lad, g, 5, Geiger Counter--Barbara's Moment (GSP, \$109,114), by Super Moment. Shatin Racecourse, 5-12, Azalea H., 9f. O-Friendship Synd.; B-Audley Farm, Inc.; T-D Hayes. *\$35,000 yrl '95 KESEEP; \$50,000 2yo '96 FTFEB.



GOZO BABA, 13, Raja Baba--Go March (Go Marching) Foal born 3-31-99, a filly by Theatrical (Ire).

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◆ **INDUSTRY INFO** ◆

NTRA Charities to Donate \$100,000:

On Saturday, NTRA Commissioner Tim Smith and Thoroughbred Charities of America President Herb Moelis will present checks totaling \$100,000 to eight organization selected to receive the first-ever distribution of funds from NTRA Charities. NTRA Charities is a non-profit subsidiary of the National Thoroughbred Racing Association which is dedicated to helping horses, horse people and civic communities that are home to Thoroughbred racing. The ceremony will take place at Pimlico Racecourse in Baltimore, Md. The grant recipients, all based in the Mid-Atlantic region, are: Greener Pastures Thoroughbred Retirement, the University of Pennsylvania's New Bolton Center, Freedom Hills Therapeutic Riding Academy, Days End Rescue Farm, Ryerss Farm for Aged and Retired Equines, the Father Martin Ashley House, Marion duPont Scott Equine Medical Center and the Maryland Horsemen's Assistance Fund.

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STAKES RESULTS:

JOE AITCHESON S.-GI (Steeplechase), \$100,000, PIM, 5-13, 4yo/up, a2 1/8m, 3:45, fm.

1--GRAND NORD (FR), 148, h, 5, Mansonien (Fr)--Sign-Of-Life (Ire) (SW-Ire, MGSP-Ire), by Wolverlife. O-Beverly Steinman; B-Noel Pelat (FR); T-P Douglas Fout; J-J Kiser. Lifetime Record: SP, 12-4-0-2, \$119,667.

2--Spring Salute, 150, g, 5, Salutely--Rumspringa, by Rambunctious. O-Landslide Farm; B-Michelle Delozier (MD); \$20,000.

3--Moshe (Arg), 148, g, 6, Forlitano (Arg)--Crown Golda (Arg), by Crown Thy Good. O-Johnston Mrs S K Jr; B-Haras Ojo de Agua (Arg); \$10,000.

Margins: 4 3/4, 2, 6HF. Odds: 8.70, 1.10, 8.50.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-CDX, \$49,450, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36 3/5, fm. ORLEANS ROAD (g, 5, Dixieland Band--Smart 'n Quick {MSW, \$711,804}, by Wise Exchange) Lifetime Record: SP, 30-6-4-8, \$186,720. O-Ramsey Kenneth L & Sarah K. B-Merryman John B Mrs (MD). T-Jesse N Wigginton.

7th-GGX, \$46,638, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38 2/5, ft. MISTER H (h, 5, Pirate's Bounty--Iron Crown, by Iron Ruler) Lifetime Record: 35-7-5-4, \$141,541. O-Car-Den Racing Stable. B-Emerald Meadows Ranch/Cuicchi (CA). T-Dennis M Patterson.

4th-CDX, \$43,510, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5, gd. ELAINE'S BOOBOO (f, 4, Pertsemlidis--Forest Beauty, by Young Bob) Lifetime Record: 21-3-6-1, \$102,892. O-Mike Lake & Elaine Barber. B-Hughes B G (KY). T-Michael Lake.

8th-BEL, \$43,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:34 3/5, fm. ACTRESS (m, 5, Academy Award--Nerves of Steel, by Round Table) Lifetime Record: 19-2-4-5, \$105,860. O/B-Blum Peter (KY). T-James A Jerkens. *1/2 to Public Account (Private Account), MSW, GSP, \$287,699; Olajuwon (Believe It), MSW, \$203,925.

9th-BEL, \$43,000, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44 1/5, ft. COBBLERS ROCK (g, 3, Cure the Blues--Affirming, by Affirmed) Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-6, \$86,850. O-Melnyk Eugene & Bristow Iris. B-Harbor View Farm (NY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

8th-CDX, \$42,500, 3yo, 6f, 1:11, ft. ROBAHUSH (c, 3, Alwuhush--Rob's Lady {SW}, by No Robbery) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$56,365. O-Garvin David B. B-Whisper Hill Farm (KY). T-David Carroll.

5th-PRM, \$37,476, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, gd. READY READY GO GO (m, 6, Double Ready--She's My Favorite, by Kanumera) Lifetime Record: 20-6-1-4, \$119,485. O-To Go Partnership Ready. B-Judy Fusaro (IA). T-Joe Fusaro.

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Group 1 winner LAVERY won the Tote Shergar Cup Sprint at Goodwood. "He's done it nicely. It was a smooth performance and...looked a million dollars today" -MICK KINANE, THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS

Epsom Derby bound VAL ROYAL won the Prix Matchem - L.R. "without being up under the slightest pressure, the son of Royal Academy accelerated clear and won like a class horse" -RACING POST



8th-LSX, \$37,188, 5-12, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:45 1/5, fm.
ARCTICA (m, 5, With Approval--Timely Business {GSW, \$146,348}, by Diesis {GB}) Lifetime Record: MSW, 28-8-2-4, \$278,492. O-Royce G Roberts. B-John A. Toffan & Trudy McCaffery (KY). T-Tony J Richey.

6th-LSX, \$29,848, 5-12, 3yo, 1mT, 1:39 2/5, fm.
DIGNITAS DANCER (c, 3, Dignitas--Memory Dancer, by Green Dancer) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$45,084. O-James D Jackson. B-Jim D. Jackson (TX). T-Dallas E Keen.

9th-PIM, \$28,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51, ft.
DIPLOMAT (g, 4, Black Tie Affair {Ire}--Particular Style, by Deputy Minister) Lifetime Record: 26-5-3-2, \$87,563. O-Mucho Hombre Stable. B-McDonogh Farms (KY). T-Linda L Albert.

8th-GSX, \$20,600, 5-12, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13, ft.
YASHIMA (m, 5, My Prince Charming--Fiery Debutante, by Sunny Clime) Lifetime Record: 25-7-2-0, \$69,566. O-Notarfrancesco Charles & Cartagena Julio. B-Eugenio Abbruzzese (NJ). T-Julio R Cartagena.

7th-GSX, \$18,000, 5-12, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), 5-12, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:37 3/5, fm.
CAMERA SHY (g, 5, Rahy--Fashion World, by Raise a Native) Lifetime Record: 16-5-3-2, \$64,795. O-H Cetkowski & L. Loforte. B-Muirfield Ventures (Ky). T-Kathleen Crook-Demasi. *1/2 to Fashion Maven (Mt. Livermore), MSW, \$114,059.

7th-PRM, \$18,000, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 3/5, gd.
BARNUM (g, 4, Bold Ruckus--Frosty Bar U, by Vice Regent) Lifetime Record: 23-3-5-6, \$69,996. O-Roohi Bill & Lopiparo Ronald. B-Smithgate Farm & J. Allen Baker (ON). T-Harold L Hahn III.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Diablo's Addition**, c, 2, **Diablo**--Value Added, by Far Out East. BEL, 5-13, 5f, :58 4/5. B-H Mangurian (Fl). *\$35,000 yrl '98 OBSAUG; \$50,000 2yo '99 OBSFEB.

+ **Ares**, c, 2, **Synastry**--Ginger Jam (GSP), by Sauce Boat. HOL, 5-13, (C), 4 1/2f, :52 2/5. B-Jeff & Jason Hall (Id). *\$8,000 yrl '98 IDCUP.

+ **Just One More Jo**, f, 2, **Wayne's Crane**--Lady Miami, by Lord Rebeau. LSX, 5-12, (C), (S), 4 1/2f, :52 4/5. B-Ed Few (Tx). *\$11,000 yrl '98 TEXAUG.

Commanding Power, c, 3, **Battle Launch**--Shelly's Gal, by Joey Bob. LSX, 5-12, 7f, 1:24 2/5. B-Wilson William E (La). *SP.

Groovy Broad, f, 3, **Broad Brush**--Groovy Feeling (MGSW, \$438,607), by Groovy. PIM, 5-13, 1 1/16m, 1:46 2/5. B-Robert E Meyerhoff (Md).

Mike and Ike, c, 3, **Corwyn Bay** (Ire)--Deslumbradora, by Properantes. HOL, 5-13, (C), 7f, 1:24 3/5. B-Alicia Buttons & Michael McKuen (Ca).

Higher Image, c, 3, **Fly Till Dawn**--Boom Bird, by Storm Bird. HOL, 5-13, (C), 7f, 1:23 4/5. B-Josephine T Gleis (Ky). *1/2 to Global View, GSW, \$176,720.

Everything, f, 3, **Geiger Counter**--In Every Way, by Pancho Villa. WOX, 5-12, 5 1/2f, 1:05. B-Michael C Byrne (On). *\$58,000 yrl '97 CBSSEP.

T J Mac Rans, f, 3, **Kalim** (Ire)--Love Appeal, by Irish Tower. HOL, 5-13, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5. B-McNamara Family Trust (Ca).

Lord Marl, f, 3, **Lord Pleasant**--Cayla Marl, by Forward Charger. PRM, 5-13, (S), 6f, 1:12. B-Timber Creek Farm & Half Fast Farms, LLC (Ia).

Olyzeus, c, 3, **Olympio**--Anthology, by Commemorate. CDX, 5-13, 6 1/2f, 1:17 4/5. B-Patricia A Martin (On). *\$30,000 wing '96 KEENOV; \$9,000 yrl '97 KEESEP.

Lough Conn, c, 3, **Prospector's Music**--Jamie Joy Deb, by Whitesburg. BEL, 5-13, (C), 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-Vinery (Ky). *\$7,500 wing '96 FTKNOV. **1/2 to Jamie Boy (Effervescing), MSW, \$200,965; Cooney Deb (Executive Order), SW, \$164,691.

Lucky Bohemian, c, 3, **Rare Brick**--Regicidal, by Vice Regent. LSX, 5-12, (S), 6f, 1:11. B-Stanley J Krist (Tx).

Saint Labrado, c, 4, **Capote**--Kiwi Mint (MSW, \$244,99), by Key to the Mint. GSX, 5-12, a1m70ydT, 1:43. B-Henderson Alexander Dawson III (Ky).

Distinctual, f, 4, **Distinctive Pro**--Key to Patee, by L'Enjoleur. BEL, 5-13, (S), 6f, 1:13 2/5. B-Aspen Stables (NY). *Full to Bodacious Tatas, GSW, \$439,932.

Qualitative, f, 4, **Woodman**--Hearts and Clouds, by Blushing Groom (Fr). GGX, 5-13, 1 1/8mT, 1:52 1/5. B-Hill 'n' Dale Farms (Ky). *\$145,000 yrl '96 KEEJAN; \$200,000 yrl '96 KEEJUL.

Jo's Lookin Better, h, 5, **Harperstown**--Pure Satin, by Cutlass. GSX, 5-12, 6f, 1:12. B-Bayes James E (Ar).

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★ RISING STARS

by Alan Carasso

CHILUKKI (f, 2, Cherokee Run--Song Of Syria {Damascus})

Offered as hip number 130 at the Fasig-Tipton Calder sale Mar. 2, a two-year-old by freshman sire Cherokee Run (Runaway Groom) out of Song Of Syria (Damascus) brought a final bid of \$875,000 to become the highest-priced filly of the sale. Fewer than two months later, that filly, Chilukki (an old Indian word for Cherokee), has taken her first step on the stairway to stardom.

John Adger signed the ticket on behalf of Robert and Janice McNair of Stonerside Stable, and admits to having exceeded his budget.

"We thought she would go for about \$600,000 to \$650,000," Adger said, adding that from \$650,000 to the end of the bidding, it was a duel with super-buyer Demi O'Byrne. "I really had to stretch the wallet for her."

It was a case of love at first sight.

"She was just a nice filly, well made," Adger said.

"But what really impressed me the first time I saw her was there was a truck back in the barn area that was making a lot of noise. The filly never reacted, didn't move a muscle. She was very professional."

Chilukki looked every bit the professional in her morning trials under the tutelage of trainer Bob Baffert, and she ran back to those trials in her debut at Churchill Downs Apr. 28.

After the field of nine two-year-old fillies broke from the gate, it was Chilukki who showed the way, taking her rivals through an opening quarter in :22 and a half over the good going in :44 3/5. Under a confident David Flores, Chilukki skipped her last sixteenth in :06 2/5 and when all was said and done, she had scored a 9 1/4-length victory in :51, two-fifths of a second faster than the track record set 16 years ago.

Adger couldn't make it to Churchill in time to catch the race, but attested to the apparent ease with which she won. "As soon as I got to the track, I went back to the barn and she didn't look like she'd run," he commented.

The Beyer Speed Figure assigned to Chilukki, a remarkable 113, is believed to be the highest figure ever earned by a debuting two-year-old. It is as impressive as the 112 earned by Formal Gold in his lifetime bow in 1996 at age three. The filly's "fig" surprised even Andy Beyer.

"I'm not even sure that I believe the number," Beyer said, "but if it is legitimate, it would put her in the category of Ruffian."

Another Baffert filly by the name of Silverbulletday broke her maiden at first asking last June 13 at Churchill by a whopping 11 lengths, but earned a speed figure some 27 points inferior to Chilukki.

It will be interesting to see how far she wants to run. Her dosage profile is weighted predominantly towards speed, with an overall dosage index of 5.29.

Chilukki has shown no ill effects from her track-record setting performance. Baffert sent the filly out May 9 for a bullet four panels in a sparkling :46 2/5, fastest on the day by a full second, and two seconds faster than one Silver Charm. According to Baffert, the next start for this rising star could come against the colts in the GIII Kentucky Breeders' Cup at 5 1/2 furlongs May 31.



FOALING NEWS

HIWAYA (GB), 7, Doyoun (Ire)--Himmah (Habitat)
Foal born 3-31-99, a colt by Dayjur.
Will be bred back to Bahri.
Owned/boarded at Shadwell Farm, LLC, Ky.
Accomplishments: MSW-Eng.

MONOPRINT, 12, Conquistador Cielo--Unfurled (Hoist the Flag)
Foal born 3-31-99, a colt by Broad Brush.
Will be bred back to Holy Bull.
Owned/boarded at Cobra Farm, Ky.
Accomplishments: Dam of Brush Over (Broad Brush), MSW, \$120,631.

MORNING MIRAGE, 21, Avatar--Sunny Dame (Damascus)
Foal born 3-31-99, a filly by Outflanker.
Will be bred back to Outflanker.
Boarded at Bonnie Heath Farm, Fl.
Owned by Whisper Hill Farm.
Accomplishments: Dam of Morning Meadow (Meadowlake), GSW, \$395,590; Wake Up Alarm (Kris S.), MSW.

RACING ON TV THIS WEEKEND:



FRIDAY, MAY 14 -

2day at Pimlico - 3:30-5:00 p.m., espn2
GII Black-Eyed Susan S. from Pimlico -5:00-6:00 p.m., ESPN
Handicapping the Preakness - 11:00-11:30 p.m., espn2

SATURDAY, MAY 15 -

Breakfast at Pimlico - 8:00 a.m.-Noon, espn2
2day At The Preakness - 1:00-3:00 p.m., espn2
Preakness Special - 3:00-4:30 p.m., ESPN
GI Preakness from Pimlico - 4:30-6:00 p.m., ABC