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ROYAL ASCOT STARTS TODAY Today sees the beginning of the four-day Royal Ascot meeting, highlight of the British racing calendar. With £2,433,500 (\$3,899,840) in guaranteed prize money on offer and 24 high-class races over the course of the meet, the festival has no parallel anywhere in the world. The social scene of the Royal meeting is unrivalled, where owners, trainers and racegoers will spend as much on fashion, accessories, wine and dining as is available in prize money. The weather in Britain has taken a turn for the better and Royal Ascot signals the true start of summer. There are three Group 1 races, seven Group 2s, five Group 3s, one Listed Race and six valuable handicaps to keep the racing connoisseur happy. The highlight of the first day is the G1 St. James's Palace S. for three-year-old colts over one mile, which will go some way to deciding who will be crowned 1999's champion miler. **Sendawar (Ire) (Priolo)**, winner of the French 2000 Guineas and probably the best miler of the season to date, is on show, but the winners of the English and Irish equivalents, **Wince (GB)** and **Saffron Walden (Fr)**, respectively, unfortunately are not. The featured event of the second day is the G1 Coronation S. for three-year-old fillies over one mile, which heralds the clash of the Irish and French 1000 winners, **Hula Angel (Woodman)** and **Valentine Waltz (Ire) (Be My Guest)**. Thursday has the 2 1/2-mile G1 Gold Cup as its highlight, with last year's winner **Kayf Tara (GB) (Sadler's Wells)** facing a tough task to retain his crown. Friday boasts the G2 Hardwicke S. for four-year-olds and up over 1 1/2 miles, with the potential European champion older horse, **Royal Anthem (Theatrical {Ire})**, set to start.

DOMINION NOMINATIONS DUE Nominations are now being accepted for this year's Dogwood Dominion Award. The award recognizes racing's little-known heroes who have had a positive effect on the racing or breeding industry. The judges are Anne Campbell, Pat Day and Mack Miller. The winner, who will be presented with a \$5,000 check and a bronze sculpture of Dogwood stakes winner Dominion, will be honored at an award luncheon on Aug. 4 at the Saratoga Reading Room. Nominations, postmarked no later than July 1, should be mailed to Mary Jane Howell, Dogwood Stable, P.O. Box 1549, Aiken, South Carolina, 29802, or faxed to (803) 642-2747.

Today, Royal Ascot, England

ST JAMES' PALACE S.-G1, \$400,640, 3yo, c, 1mT	PP	HORSE (Sire)	TRAINER
1		Alrassam (GB) (Zafonic)	Jarvis
2		Aljabr (Storm Cat)	bin Suroor
3		Mujahid (Danzig)	Dunlop
4		Killer Instinct (GB) (Zafonic)	Cecil
5		Orpen (Lure)	O'Brien
6		Gold Academy (Ire) (Royal Academy)	Hannon
7		Debbie's Warning (GB) (Warning {GB})	Mahdi
8		Raise A Grand (Ire) (Grand Lodge)	Payne
9		Be The Chief (GB) (Be My Chief)	Mills
10		Exeat (Dayjur)	Gosden
11		Sendawar (Ire) (Priolo)	Royer-Dupre

All carry 126 pounds.

Ladbrokes' Odds: Sendawar, 6-4; Aljabr, 11-4; Mujahid, 7-1; Orpen, 8-1; Gold Academy, 10-1; Exeat, 12-1; Alrassam & Killer Instinct, 16-1; Raise A Grand, 33-1; Be The Chief, 40-1; Debbie's Warning, 50-1.

Sendawar, never worse than second in five starts, will be trying to give trainer Alain de Royer-Dupre his first winner in Britain. The bay was an impressive winner of the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains (French 2000 Guineas) at Longchamp May 16. Unbeaten **Aljabr** has not run since winning the G1 Prix de la Salamandre at Longchamp in September. The colt went lame just before his intended run in the G1 Kentucky Derby May 2, but Godolphin's Simon Crisford said that he has been encouraged by his recent progress. **Mujahid**, England's champion two-year-old after winning the G1 Dewhurst S. last October, disappointed in the G3 Craven S. at Newmarket on his three-year-old bow Apr. 15, but bounced back to finish third in the G1 Sagitta 2000 Guineas at the same track May 2 and then dead-heated for fifth in Sendawar's French 2000 Guineas.

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STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16:

06-26 \$400,000 *Vanity H.-I, Hol, 3yo/up, f/m, 9f, (400)*

06-27 \$1,000,000 *Hollywood Gold Cup-I, Hol, 3yo/up, 10f, (25000s)*

06-27 \$200,000 *A Gleam H.-II, Hol, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, (200)*





News cont.

POWELL NAMED SANTA ANITA CEO Lonny T. Powell, president of Turf Paradise Race Course in Arizona for the last five seasons, has been named president and chief executive officer of Santa Anita Park. In addition to his position at Santa Anita, Powell will also serve as a vice president of MI Ventures, a subsidiary of Magna International, which purchased the California racetrack in December 1998. Ventures, a new separate public company recently approved by Magna International's Board of Directors, will own all of Magna's non-automotive assets. According to a press release, "Powell will participate in Ventures' present and future racetrack acquisitions, development and strategic activities." A graduate of the University of Arizona, Powell has also served as president of Multnomah Greyhound Park, executive vice president and chief operating officer of Longacres, general manager of the Woodlands racetrack and director of the University of Arizona's Race Track Industry Program.

RUNNING STAG RETURNS TO ENGLAND Running Stag (Cozzene) flies back to England today following his easy victory in the GII Brooklyn H. at Belmont Park Saturday. Trainer Philip Mitchell said, "There are lots of possibilities for him including the [G1] Coral-Eclipse [July 3]. He would have to be supplemented for the Eclipse on June 26. It costs £15,000 [\$24,038], but he's won £200,000 [\$320,513] in his last two starts. I'm also looking at the [G1] Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud in France [July 4] and there are two [races] in Germany in July." The five-year-old will return to the U.S. later this year. Mitchell explained, "He might go for a race at Saratoga before having another go in the Woodward S. Sept. 18."

Today, Royal Ascot, England

PRINCE OF WALES'S S.-G2, \$240,385, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT

PP	HORSE (Sire)	TRAINER	WT
1	Handsome Ridge (GB) (Indian Ridge {Ire})	Gosden	132
2	Fantastic Light (Rahy)	Stoute	117
3	Chester House (Mr. Prospector)	Cecil	129
4	Xaar (GB) (Zafonic)	bin Suroor	129
5	Lear Spear (Lear Fan)	Elsworth	129
6	Generous Rosi (GB) (Generous {Ire})	Dunlop	129
7	Shiva (Jpn) (Hector Protector)	Cecil	131
8	Limpid (GB) (Soviet Star)	bin Suroor	134

Ladbrokes' Odds: Chester House, 2-1; Shiva, 9-4; Xaar, 11-4; Handsome Ridge, 10-1; Fantastic Light, Generous Rosi & Limpid, 16-1; Lear Spear, 25-1.

Prince of Wales's S. cont.

Xaar, champion European juvenile in 1997, had a disappointing season last year, winning only the G3 City Index Craven S., but was an encouraging third in the Sept. 12 G1 Irish Champion S. to end the campaign. The four-year-old makes first start since that effort and his first in the Godolphin colors. Unbeaten Japanese-bred filly Shiva, who never raced in her native land, broke her maiden in her lone start at three, then came back after an 11-month layoff to take the G3 Earl of Sefton S. at Newmarket Apr. 14. The four-year-old stepped up to beat subsequent G1 Coronation Cup winner Daylami (Ire) in the G1 Tattersalls Gold Cup at The Curragh May 23. Her stable companion, four-year-old Chester House, is two-for-two on the year. The colt finally won his first stakes at Chester May 6 in the Listed Huxley S. and stepped up to add his first Group race at Sandown June 1 when taking the G3 Brigadier Gerard S. by four lengths from Generous Rosi. Handsome Ridge captured the G2 Credit Suisse Private Banking Mile at Sandown Apr. 23 and followed up by taking the Shergar Cup Classic at Goodwood May 8, but was only fifth to Croco Rouge (Ire) in G1 Prix d'Ispehan at Longchamp May 23.

Today, Royal Ascot, England

QUEEN ANNE S.-G2, \$192,308, 3yo/up, 1mT

PP	HORSE (Sire)	TRAINER	WT
1	Docksider (Diesis {GB})	Hills	128
2	Cape Cross (Ire) (Green Desert)	bin Suroor	133
3	Almushtarak (Ire) (Fairy King)	Mahdi	131
4	Fa-Eq (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire})	bin Suroor	128
5	Fly To The Stars (GB) (Bluebird)	bin Suroor	133
6	Sorbie Tower (Ire) (Soviet Lad)	Kelleway	128
7	Perfect Vintage (GB) (Shirley Heights {GB})	Barbe	128
8	On The Ridge (Ire) (Risk Me {Fr})	Cecil	128

Ladbrokes' Odds: Fa-Eq, 15-8; On The Ridge, 4-1; Cape Cross & Fly To The Stars, 9-2; Almushtarak, 15-2; Docksider, 8-1; Sorbie Tower, 25-1; Perfect Vintage, 33-1.

Fly To The Stars beat Gold Away (Ire) in the G2 Prix du Rond-Point at Longchamp in October and returned to cause an upset in the G1 Juddmonte Lockinge S. in his seasonal bow at Newbury May 15, with Almushtarak in third. Progressive On The Ridge has had this race as his target since running a neck second to Handsome Ridge in the G2 Credit Suisse Private Banking Mile at Sandown Apr. 23. Never worse than third in five starts, he looks for his first stakes victory. Docksider has won two of his three starts this year, including the G3 Laurent-Perrier Meile at Baden-Baden May 30.

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RUNNING STAG, by Cozzene, takes the \$350,000 Brooklyn H. (G2)

COZZENE

Sire of ADMIRE COZZENE, 1998 champion 2-year-old colt in Japan.



Today, Royal Ascot, England

COVENTRY S.-G3, \$96,154, 2yo, 6fT

PP HORSE (Sire)	TRAINER
1 Mount Abu (Ire) (Foxhound)	Chapple-Hyam
2 Sir Nicholas (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB})	Noseda
3 Anthemion (Ire) (Night Shift)	Haslam
4 Day Journey (Dayjur)	Dunlop
5 Cornelius (GB) (Barathea {Ire})	Cole
6 Areydha (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB})	Channon
7 Barathea Guest (GB) (Barathea {Ire})	Margarson
8 Lincoln Dancer (Ire) (Turtle Island {Ire})	Lewis
9 Bee Eight (GB) (Mujtahid)	Elsworth
10 Jamestown (GB) (Merdon Melody {GB})	Smith
11 Our Ambition (Ire) (Great Commotion)	Meehan
12 Launfal (GB) (Rudimentary)	Hannon
13 Cedar Master (Ire) (Soviet Lad)	O'Sullivan
14 Cote Soleil (GB) (Inchinor {GB})	Channon
15 Duke Of Aston (Ire) (Shalford {Ire})	Jarvis
16 Digital Image (GB) (Presidium {GB})	Hannon
17 Fasliyev (Nureyev)	O'Brien
18 Take Flite (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB})	Muir
19 Don Puccini (GB) (Piccolo {GB})	Smart

All carry 124 pounds, except Areydha (119).

Aidan O'Brien's juveniles have carried all before them in Ireland and the stable is represented here by Fasliyev, comfortable winner of both his starts to date, most recently in the Listed Marble Hill S. at The Curragh May 22. The strength of the stable's team will be gauged against some promising British-trained types. Cornelius represents trainer Paul Cole, who captured this event last year, and won his only racecourse start at York May 13. Mount Abu was most impressive when breaking his maiden at Newbury May 16 on his second start, and trainer Peter Chapple-Hyam's string is just beginning to find their form. The smaller trainer can often spring a surprise in this race and George Margarson has a live chance with Barathea Guest. He ran with extreme promise to defeat a 2-7 hotpot from Henry Cecil's yard in a maiden at Yarmouth June 3. There is, however, a slight worry about him as he refused to go into the gate on his intended debut at Newmarket May 15.

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◆ FOREIGN ◆

Japanese Stakes Results:

MEGURO KINEN-G2-Jpn, \$940,217, Tokyo Racecourse, 6-12, 3yo/up, 1 9/16mT, 2:32.20, fm.

- 1--ROSEN KAVALIER (JPN), 128, h, 6, Sunday Silence--Dyna Fairy (Jpn) (MGSW-Jpn), by Northern Taste. O-Shadai Race H.; B-Shadai Farm; T-Yasuhiro Suzuki; J-Takanori Kikuzawa. \$495,451. *Full to Summer Suspicion (Jpn), SW-Jpn, \$637,300.
- 2--I Shall Teio (Jpn), 119, h, 6, Soccer Boy (Jpn)--Blood Spencer (Jpn), by Coined Silver. O-Y Arai; B-Oscar Stud. \$195,611.
- 3--Fusaichi Shinichi (Jpn), 114, h, 6, Northern Taste--Begonia, by Plugged Nickle. O-Shinji Fujita; B-Shadai Farm. \$127,235.

Margins: 3HF, 3/4, 2. Odds: 8.40, 11.10, 15.30.

Rosen Kavalier was somewhat rank and hard to handle in the early stages, but ultimately settled in 10th position down the back stretch. Once into the lane, jockey Takanori Kikuzawa asked the dark bay for his best and he responded to take over at midstretch and draw off to the victory.

CHUNICHI SPORTS SHO YONSAI S.-G3-Jpn, \$647,019, Chukyo Racecourse, 6-12, 6fT, 1:09.8, fm.

- 1--@SAIKYO SUNDAY (JPN), 121, Sunday Silence--Sawayaka Princess (Jpn), by Northern Taste. O-K. Okumoto; B-Shadai Farm; T-Masahiro Sakaguchi; J-Hiroshi Kawachi; \$341,924.
- 2--Trot Star (Jpn), 121, Damister--Carmancita (Jpn), by Wise Counsellor. O-M. Takano; B-Ogifushi Miyoshi Farm; \$136,130.
- 3--Eishin Le Mars, 119, f, 3, Phone Trick--Impertinent Lady, by Sham. (\$130,000 2yo '98 FTFEB). O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Mill Ridge Farm Ltd. & Jamm Ltd. (Ky); \$84,882.

Margins: NO, NK, 1 1/2. Odds: 7.00, 27.70, 21.80.

Saikyo Sunday was coming off the worst finish of his four-race career, a ninth-place finish in the May 9 G3 Kyoto Yonsai Tokubetsu. Rated in mid-pack, the colt swept to the front with a wide move turning for home and just held on for a narrow victory. "After I switched him to the outside, he gave a powerful performance," said winning rider Hiroshi Kawachi. "The other horses were coming to him late, but he never gave up."

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Japanese Stakes Results cont.

HOKKAIDO SPRINT CUP-G3-Jpn, Hokkaido, 6-11, 3yo/up, 5f, :59.6, gd.

1--**@BE MY NAKAYAMA (JPN), 123, h, 5, by Ebros**
 1st Dam: Be My Fire (Ire), by Be My Guest
 2nd Dam: Fire and Ice (Fr), by Reliance (Fr)
 3rd Dam: Glorifying, by Ribot

O-Nakayama Farm; B-Katsuyuki Nagata; T-Keiji Takaichi; J-Yuichi Shikata; \$252,249. Lifetime Record: 25-6-4-4, \$1,718,000.

2--**Meisho Hidaka (Jpn), 119, f, 4, Meisho Eikan (Jpn)--Meisho Angel (Jpn), by Tudenham (Ire). O-Yoshio Matsumoto; B-Akihito Mikita.**

3--**Hit Park (Jpn), 123, h, 5, Park Regent--Hida Cisco (Jpn), by No Attention (Fr). O-Shigemitsu Takagi; B-Hieda Farm.**

Margins: 3, 1, 1 1/2. Odds: 2.30, 6.90, 16.40.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN JAPAN:

Eishin Conway, c, 3, Carson City--Cuddle Time, by Olden Times. Chukyo, 6-13, Prix Kodemari, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-1, \$257,378. O-T Hirai; B-Mereworth Farm; T-T Kayo. *\$210,000 2yo '98 FTFFEB. **Raced wire-to-wire and scored by a length.

Machikane Gempuku, c, 3, Gulch--Le Famo (GSW, \$404,702), by Lear Fan. Hakodate, 6-12, Okushiri S., 9fT. Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-1, \$214,328. O-Masuo Hosokawa; B-Foxfield; T-Yuji Ito. *\$170,000 wnlq '95 FTKNOV. **Returning from a six-month layoff, the colt took charge shortly after the break and won by 1 1/2 lengths.

Bakushin Hero, c, 3, Sea Hero--Sue's Temper (SW), by Temperance Hill. Tokyo, 6-13, Shobu S. (Listed stakes), 8f (dirt). Lifetime Record: 8-3-0-0, \$289,078. O-Seiichi Yoneyama; B-Fred Bower & Lochness; T-Tsuneyasu Kobayashi. *\$35,000 yrl '97 KEESEP; \$60,000 2yo '98 KEEAPR. **Settled in mid-pack behind fast early fractions, rallied impressively to take charge at midstretch and scored by 1 1/4 lengths.

S. G. Pegasus, c, 4, Alfeet--Pacific Princess (GISW, \$174,303), by Damascus. Kanazawa, 6-8, Prix Ajizai, 7.5f. Lifetime Record: 16-3-3-3, \$223,535. O/B-Shigeru Kubota; T-Norihito Fujioka. *1/2 to Pother (Bold Ruckus), SP, \$153,898; Ocean Cat (Storm Cat), MSW, \$250,897.

Aranthera, f, 4, Dixieland Band--Island Escape (SW), by Slew o' Gold. Hakodate, 6-12, TVh Cup, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 6-4-1-0, \$444,043. O-Koji Maeda; B-Farish, Elkins & Sharp; T-Yasuo Ikee. *\$250,000 yrl '96 FTSAUG. **Returned after a five-month absence to run second in the May 15 Shunrei S. Making her second start since the layoff, the filly broke on top and won by 1 1/4 lengths.

I Shall Wind, c, 4, Naevus--Tovalop, by Northern Dancer. Tokyo, 6-13, plate race, 6f (dirt). Lifetime Record: 21-2-1-1, \$191,793. O-Yukikatsu Arai; B-Skymare Farm Inc.; T-Toshio Kubota. *\$30,000 yrl '96 KEESEP.

Road Ahead, h, 5, Forty Niner--Lisaleen (GSP-Ire), by Northern Dancer. Chukyo, 6-12, Hida S., 6fT. Lifetime Record: 31-5-6-2, \$951,736. O-Shigeo Kadono; B-Skara Glen Stables; T-Hidetaka Tadokoro. *\$190,000 2yo '96 BESMAR. **Favored here after a runner-up finish in the May 30 Okehazama S., led from the start in a three-length tally.

Australian Stakes Results:

BRISBANE CUP-G1, \$331,755, Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 6-14, 2mT, 3yo/up, time: n/a, dead.

1--**SHEER KINGSTON (AUS), 112, g, 4, by Kingston Rule**
 1st Dam: Fayette County, by Unconscious
 2nd Dam: Go March, by Go Marching
 3rd Dam: Mark-Ye-Maid, by Mark Ye Well
 O-The Hon. Ronald Arculli; B-T Fleiter; T-John Meagher; J-Damien Oliver; \$212,336.

2--**Perpetual Check (NZ), 115, g, 4, Grosvenor (NZ)--Reasonable (NZ), by Sound Reason. O-Dato Tan Chin Nam, J W Y Eu, Tunku Ahmad Yahaya, Dato Yap Lim Sen, N T Cleary & G J Davis; B-n/a; \$66,355.**

3--**Ear's Ronny (Aus), 109, g, 4, Ron Bon--Eagle Ears (Aus), by Legal Honey (Aus). O-Mr & Mrs J C & McNair, I J Thompson, T O Andrews & A B McTaggart; B-Mr & Mrs JC McNair; \$33,178.**

Margins: 5, SHD. Odds: 5-1, 6-1, 12-1.

Trainer John Meagher was quick to reassess spring plans for Sheer Kingston after he scored this five-length win. "I don't think he's a Melbourne Cup horse, but I'll nominate him and I'll be happy to be proved wrong," Meagher said. Sheer Kingston, a \$15,000 purchase, is raced by Hong Kong solicitor Ronald Arculli who said, "I gave John a mandate to buy a horse for \$120,000 and John said he could buy three for that much." Arculli races more than a dozen horses in New Zealand, Ireland and the UK and won the Coronation Cup in England with Be My Native. Leading Melbourne jockey Damien Oliver finally recorded a Group 1 win in Queensland, but was too exhausted after the race to attend the cup presentation. Oliver, 27, smashed Michael Clarke's record of 85 1/2 wins for the season in Melbourne last month and took his tally of Group 1 victories for the season to seven.

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Sales-topping Sibling Success

Our Keeneland July '97 sales topper **FORESTRY** won his fourth straight race on Saturday in the \$100,000 Northern Dancer H. at Churchill Downs. **CASH RUN**, his half-sister and the Keeneland July '98 Taylor Made sales topper, broke her maiden in her first career start by 15 3/4 lengths at Belmont last Saturday.

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◆ PEDIGREE INSIGHTS ◆
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Saturday, Belmont Park:

BROOKLYN H.-GII, \$350,000, BEL, 6-12, 3yo/up,
1 1/8m, 1:46 1/5, ft.

1--**RUNNING STAG**, 117, h, 5, by Cozzene

1st Dam: Fruhlingstag (Fr), by *Orsini 2nd

2nd Dam: Revada, by Iron Liege

3rd Dam: *Dalama, by Djebel (Fr)

O-Richard J Cohen; B-Juddmonte Farms (KY); T-Philip Mitchell; J-S J Sellers; \$210,000. Lifetime Record: 25-4-8-2, \$640,259.

By one of those strange coincidences which often happen in racing, the winners of two of last weekend's main events were produced by the same female line, even though the races were contested on different continents. *Dalama, a mare bred by Marcel Boussac, ranks as the fourth dam of Daryaba (Ire), winner of the G1 French Oaks, and as the third dam of Running Stag, British-trained winner of the GII Brooklyn H. at Belmont.

No one should be too surprised that Dalama's influence is still being felt more than 40 years after her birth, because she was one of three top performers produced by Pretty Lady (GB), one of Boussac's very good broodmares.

The first of them, Dynamiter, is now a forgotten name—he suffered a fatal accident in training, but not before he had won two runnings of the G1 Champion S. in England and finished third in the Arc.

Next came Dalama, a daughter of Boussac's great stallion Djebel (Fr). Dalama won G3 La Coupe de Maisons-Laffitte a year after she had earned a shot at the 1960 Arc by finishing third in the G1 Prix Vermeille.

The last of Pretty Lady's major winners was Abdos (Fr), a three-parts brother to Dalama sired by Djebel's son Arbar (Fr). Abdos appeared to be a colt of immense promise when he earned top weight on the French Free Handicap with his victory in the G1 Grand Criterium, but never ran again.

Although Dalama never produced anything nearly as good as herself, her descendants have made their mark in several parts of the world.

Carral (Fr), her son by Sir Ivor, ranks as the broodmare sire of India Divina (Chi) (1999 GI Santa Maria H.); her daughter Utrillo (Jpn) produced Noah No Hakobune (Jpn) (Japanese Oaks); her daughter Djebellina (Fr) is the third dam of Daryaba (French Oaks); and her daughter Revada produced Fruhlingstag (Fr), the classic-placed dam of Running Stag.

Fruhlingstag was recruited to the Juddmonte broodmare band at a price of \$520,000 at Keeneland in 1982, with her price reflecting the fact that she had finished second in the G1 French 1000 Guineas and that she was in foal to Nijinsky II. The Juddmonte team were no doubt also attracted by Fruhlingstag's total lack of Nearco blood.

However, Fruhlingstag was sold for only \$8,000 at the age of 19, which indicates that the original high hopes had gone largely unfulfilled. It turned out that the mare had been saving the best 'til last. Her '93 Irish River (Fr) colt, Blackwater, was a Group 1-placed Listed winner in 1996 and her 1994 Cozzene colt is Running Stag.

After Running Stag had raced for his breeder in France as a two-year-old, he, too, was considered surplus to requirements and was sold in the fall. However, his new trainer, Philip Mitchell, was soon dreaming of international glory, with the Kentucky Derby and the Belmont figuring among the races he had in mind.

By the end of Running Stag's three-year-old season, the general consensus was that Mitchell was simply guilty of thinking that his goose was a swan, but he has since been vindicated.

It mustn't be forgotten that Cozzene did nothing but improve as he got older. Unraced at two, Cozzene went on to earn ratings on the Blood-Horse Free Handicaps of 111 at three, 118 at four and 122 at five, when he won the Breeders' Cup Mile.

Cozzene's most successful son, the Breeders' Cup Classic winner Alphabet Soup, was another late developer and it now appears that the same applies to Running Stag, who has developed into a Grade III winner over 1 ¼ miles on turf and a Grade II winner over 1 1/8 miles on dirt. He appears to find 1 ½ miles beyond him, which is understandable for a horse whose parents seemed best at around a mile.

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Australian Stakes Results cont.

THE T. J. SMITH-G1, \$298,598, Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 6-14, 1mT, 2yo, time: n/a, dead.

1--#**@FREEMASON (AUS)**, 111, c, 2, Grand Lodge--Sashed (NZ) (GSW-Aus), by Sir Tristram (Ire).

O/B-Woodlands Stud Syndicate; T-John Hawkes; J-Darren Gauci; \$191,102.

2--**Perfect Paradise (Aus)**, 120, g, 2, Turtle Island (Ire)--Dinzamm (NZ), by Zamazaan (Fr). O-C D C Throsby; B-David Throsby; \$59,720.

3--**I Realise (Aus)**, 111, c, 2, Nediym (Ire)--Elspeth (NZ), by Dedicated Rullah. O-G Alati & N Greenhaigh; B-Glengarry Thoroughbred Farm Pty Ltd; \$29,860.

Margins & Odds: n/a.

Victoria Derby prospect Freemason became the first maiden performer to win this Group 1 race, formerly known as the Castlemaine S., and provided trainer John Hawkes with his seventh Group 1 victory of the season. Jockey Darren Gauci believes the colt can measure up for the 1 9/16-mile Victoria Derby at Flemington in October, which Hawkes won last year with Arena (Aus). "He's got the makings of being a good stayer and the Victoria Derby certainly looks an ideal race for him," Gauci said. "Once he found a gap between horses in the straight he put his neck down and really wanted to find the line."

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNER BY U.S. STALLION:

Benazzi (NZ), c, 3, Defensive Play--Croos Country, by Ben Fab. Randwick (Sydney), 6-14, Tip Top Bakeries H., 3yo/up, 6fT, \$16,525 to winner. B-Whakanui Stud Ltd; T-Gary Moore.

Ladbrokes Rates Royal Ascot Horsemen:

Ladbrokes have made jockey Kieren Fallon the even-money favorite to capture the riding title at Royal Ascot. Frankie Dettori is next at 5-2, followed by Michael Kinane (7-1) and Gerald Mosse (8-1); American hopeful Gary Stevens is at 10-1. Henry Cecil is the "highweight" and 3-1 favorite to take the trainer's title. Ladbrokes have assigned a points system for the trainer race, with five points for a win, three for a second and one for a third. There are only eight trainers handicapped for the wager, with seven starting at an advantage. Cecil starts with zero points. Saeed bin Suroor is at 5-1, and has been handed an eight-point head start over Cecil for the Ladbrokes bet. He is followed by Mick Channon (18 points, 11-2); John Gosden, Sir Michael Stoute and John Dunlop (22 pts, 11-2); Paul Cole (25 pts, 11-2); and Barry Hills (22 pts, 6-1).

AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN ENGLAND:

Residual Value, c, 3, Lear Fan--Riverlyph, by Lyphard. Windsor, 6-14, Dunloe Maiden S., 3yo/up, 10f 7ydsT, \$4,905 to winner. O-The Thoroughbred Corporation; B-Henry Mastey & Golden Gate Stud; T-Sir Michael Stoute. *\$320,000 2yo '98 BESMAR.

Zulal, c, 3, Zilzal--My Shafy (Ire), by Rousillon. Pontefract, 6-14, Landbridge Shipping H., 3yo, 10f 6ydsT, \$11,837 to winner. O-Hilal Salem; B-Gainsborough Farm Inc; T-Ed Dunlop. *1/2 to Ramooz (Rambo Dancer), MGSW-Eng, \$308,456.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN IRELAND:

+ **Thady Quill, c, 2, Nureyev--Alleged Devotion**, by Alleged. Gowran Park, 6-13, Chill Chainingh EBF Maiden, 7fT, \$5,554 to winner. O-Susan Magnier; B-Orpendale & Barronstown Stud; T-A O'Brien. *1/2 to Humble Eight (Seattle Battle), GSW, \$278,633.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN ITALY

Mysia Fan, f, 2, Lear Fan--House Guest, by Naskra. Naples, 6-13, Premio Cracovia, 2yo, f, 5fT, \$6,885 to winner. O-L Sarnataro; B-n/a; T-P Guarsegnati. *\$7,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.

◆ EAST ◆

Yesterday's Result:

6th-CRC, \$17,000, Msw, 3 & 4yo, f, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft. + **LUCKY AGAIN** (f, 3, Wild Again--Countess Jig, by Jig Time) jumped out to set the pace and romped home 10 3/4 lengths the best under a hand ride as the 3-1 second choice. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$10,200. O-Stewball Stable. B-Paul Fitzpatrick (Ky). T-Ronald Behrens.

◆ MIDWEST ◆

Yesterday's Result:

6th-HAW, \$27,144, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f, :58 3/5, ft. + **I SEE GOLD** (f, 2, Sejm--Emma's Gold, by Fast Gold), off as part of an entry that was the 2-1 second choice, stalked the pace from third for three furlongs, closed to take control at the top of the lane and pulled away to the wire for a four-length victory. The winner, a 1/2 to Oro de Mexico (Well Decorated), SW & MGSP, \$361,611, was a \$20,000 OBSAUG yearling. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,600. O-M R Yanez & Hernandez Racing Club. B-G G Campbell (Fl). T-M R Yanez.



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STAKES RESULTS:

LATE BLOOMER S., \$55,900, DEL, 6-14, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

1--#**MY HEART SEZ YES**, 119, m, 5, Sezyou--Stethoscope, by Whitesburg. O-Schickedanz Bruno; B-Bakerman Robert (FL); T-A Iwinski; J-M McCarthy; \$33,000. Lifetime Record: 36-13-6-7, \$240,964.

2--**Stacey Tracey**, 116, f, 4, Trick Me--Concorde's Beauty, by Concorde Bound. \$11,000.

3--**Cottage Garden**, 119, m, 5, Strawberry Road (Aus)--Ranchera, by Raise a Native. \$6,050.

Margins: HF, 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 4.80, 6.80, 11.30.

MAGGIES PISTOL S., \$32,200, CRC, 6-14, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft.

1--#**NOBLE ROBYN**, 116, f, 4, Skip Trial--Robyn in the Sky, by Naked Sky. O/B-Gershaw C (FL); T-R Spatz; J-E Coa; \$21,320. Lifetime Record: 20-7-6-1, \$155,867.

2--**Princess Pietrina**, 117, m, 5, Spectacular Bid--Princess Baja, by Conquistador Cielo. \$5,440.

3--**Class On Class**, 114, f, 4, Jolie's Halo--Classic Value, by Copelan. \$2,992.

Margins: 1 3/4, HD, 4HF. Odds: 1.10, 2.00, 8.40.

ARAPAHOE PARK SPRINT H., \$29,100, ARP, 6-13, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, my.

1--#**MOVINANAGROOVIN**, 115, g, 6, Groovy--Princely Pet (SP), Princely Native. O-Mickey Liber; B-Wind Ridge Farm & Mickey Liber (Ky); T-Josh Liber; J-Q Bui; \$17,460. Lifetime Record: 12-6-3-0, \$54,250.

2--**Cal Lite**, 116, h, 6, No Points--Me Mira, by Grenfall. \$5,820.

3--**Dramatic Jazz**, g, 4, Kentucky Jazz--Time Account, by Time For A Change. (\$6,500 yrl '96 HOUSEP). \$2,910.

Margins: 1 3/4, 2HF, 1. Odds: 3.90A, 3.90A, 3.30.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-DEL, \$42,000, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500-57,500), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37 3/5, wf.

CRAFTY SANDI (g, 4, Robyn Dancer--Island Capitol, by Manila) Lifetime Record: SW, 26-7-3-3, \$157,965. O-Golden Star Racing Stable I. B-Farnsworth Farm (Fl). T-Archie Smith.

3rd-DEL, \$35,000, Opt. Clm. (\$32-28,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, wf.

GAMBLERS FLIGHT (f, 4, Prospectors Gamble--Mommy's Flight {SW, \$132,810}, by North Flight) Lifetime Record: 14-7-1-1, \$93,425. O-Golden Key Racing Stable. B-Mr. & Mrs. C Link (Fl). T-Allen Iwinski.

5th-DEL, \$32,200, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45, wf.
FIRST BUCKET (g, 4, Wild Again--Catly, by Storm Cat) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$44,280. O-Bohemia Stable. B-Mrs. Richard C. Dupont (MD). T-Gail M Hanford.

1st-HAW, \$31,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 1/5, gd.
CLICKETY CHICK (m, 5, Geiger Counter--Retsina Dancer, by One for All) Lifetime Record: 37-7-3-4, \$95,916. O-Tussey Gary & Dorris Tom. B-Robert Nixon (KY). T-Tom Dorris.

3rd-HAW, \$29,000, (S), 3yo, f, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.
ABUCKAPIECE (f, 3, Buckbean--Yougottabelucky, by What Luck) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$33,000.
O-Zirkelbach H Young E & Renfrow T. B-Eugene Young & Terry Renfrow (IL). T-Eugene Young.

7th-PHA, \$26,000, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04 1/5, ft.
HOMETOWN SECRET (c, 4, Carnivalay--Hometown Girl, by Runaway Groom) Lifetime Record: 24-5-10-3, \$130,035. O-Valley Forge Stable. B-J Gambone (PA). T-E Cranfield.

9th-PHA, \$22,100, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:17 4/5, ft.
DOUBLEWOOD (c, 3, Baederwood--Rapture, by Double Zeus) Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-1, \$32,565. O-Maltese Stables. B-O'Neill David (PA). T-Robert W Camac.

8th-CRC, \$20,500, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:40, ft.
COPELAN'S SILVER (c, 4, Copelan--Silvery Lace, by Silver Buck) Lifetime Record: 19-3-2-3, \$48,315. O-Jill E Robinson. B-Harry T Mangurian, Jr. (FL). T-F Gomez.

9th-MNR, \$19,000, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09 3/5, sy.
FINA DUR (h, 5, Bold Ruckus--Trekronerna, by Drone) Lifetime Record: 19-7-2-2, \$61,984. O-Baird John W & Perry Ralph T. B-Knob Hill Stable (ON). T-John W Baird.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

Lynx, f, 2, Mountain Cat--What Can I Do, by Mr. Leader. DEL, 6-14, (C), 5f, 1:00 4/5. B-Charles Nuckols, Jr & Sons (Ky). *\$7,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.
Basque N the Storm, f, 2, Mystery Storm--Basque Song (SW, \$143,797), by Bounding Basque. CRC, 6-14, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 3/5. B-Harry T Mangurian, Jr (Fl). *\$5,500 yrl '98 OBSAUG.

+**I See Gold**, f, 2, Sejm--Emma's Gold, by Fast Gold. HAW, 6-14, 5f, :58 3/5. B-Gilbert G Campbell (Fl). *\$20,000 yrl '98 OBSAUG. **1/2 to Oro de Mexico (Well Decorated), SW & MGSP, \$361,611.

Little Ghazi, c, 3, Ghazi--Country Chelsie (SP), by Country Pine. DEL, 6-14, 1 1/8m (off turf), 1:52 4/5. B-K L & S K Ramsey (Ky). *\$2,700 yrl '97 FTKOCT.
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