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MELODY HITS RIGHT NOTE IN DAHLIA

Grande Melody (Ire) (Grand Lodge) closed dramatically to nail favored **Naissance Royale (Ire)** (Giant's Causeway) on the wire in yesterday's GII Dahlia H. on the closing day card at Hollywood Park. The victory appeared out of reach turning for home, as Naissance Royale took the lead with authority, but Grande Melody, under a confident Julien Leparoux, rallied relentlessly to just get her nose in front on the wire. "That leader wasn't stopping, but my filly was the best today," Leparoux said. Jockey Garrett Gomez was the meet's leading rider, but ended up on the wrong side of yesterday's photo finish aboard Naissance Royale. "I thought when we turned for home she was going to go on and be home free," Gomez said. "I was hollering for the wire to get there but it didn't get there in time for us." *Cont. p2*

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Monday, Hollywood Park

DAHLIA H.-GII, \$150,000, HOL, 12-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 4/5, fm.

1--**@#GRANDE MELODY (IRE)**, 114, f, 3, by Grand Lodge
1st Dam: Crystal Melody (GB), by Nureyev
2nd Dam: Crystal Spray (GB), by Beldale Flutter
3rd Dam: Crystal Fountain (GB), by Great Nephew (GB)

(€200,000 yrl '04 DEAAUG). O-Joseph Allen; B-Watership Down Stud (Ire); T-Patrick L Biancone; J-Julien R Leparoux; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: SP-Fr, 7-3-0-2, \$151,508.

2--**Naissance Royale (Ire)**, 120, f, 4, Giant's Causeway--Net Worth, by Forty Niner. (310,000gns yrl '03 TATHOU). O-Monceaux Stable; B-Dr T A Ryan (Ire); T-Christophe Clement; \$30,000.

3--**Singalong (GB)**, 114, f, 4, Singspiel (Ire)--No Frills (Ire), by Darshaan (GB). O-Harlequin Ranches; B-Genesis Green Stud Ltd and Rockwell Bloodstock (GB); T-Patrick Gallagher; \$18,000.

Margins: NO, 2 1/4, 1. Odds: 6.00, 0.80, 12.90.

Also Ran: Charm the Giant (Ire), Strong Faith, Berbatim, Cross, Dream's (Chi), Memorette, Conveyor's Angel. Scratched: Finlandia, Movie Star (Brz).

PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

Saturday, Hollywood Park

HOLLYWOOD FUTURITY-GI, \$441,500, HOL, 12-16, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:42, ft.

1--**▲STORMELLO**, 121, c, 2, by [Stormy Atlantic](#)

1st Dam: Wilshewed, by Carson City

2nd Dam: So Cozy, by Lyphard

3rd Dam: Special Warmth, by Lucky Mike

O/B-Al Eisman & William Currin (KY); T-William L Currin; J-Kent J Desormeaux; \$264,900. Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-2, \$545,100. * 1st GISW for sire (by Storm Cat).

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Precocious talent can be a mixed blessing in the human race (think Judy Garland, Mickey Rooney, Elizabeth Taylor, Michael Jackson, Britney Spears, Macaulay Culkin, etc.), but the ability to mature quickly remains a valuable asset in the Thoroughbred. It is also a trait in which certain sire lines seem to specialize. Nasrullah held the title of Leading Juvenile Sire on three occasions before passing the baton to the six-time champion Bold Ruler. Bold Ruler, in turn, was responsible for the top juvenile sires What A Pleasure, Raja Baba and Secretariat, while Rajab, another grandson of Nasrullah, also took the title.

When the Bold Ruler line faded away with startling rapidity, with the notable exception of the great Seattle Slew (who held the title along with his son Capote), the way was left clear for Raise A Native, his sons Mr. Prospector and Alydar, and his grandsons Fappiano and Seeking the Gold.

In Reality got into the act when he took the title in 1977 and his descendants have been remarkably effective in the juvenile department in recent years, with his grandsons Honour and Glory, Valid Expectations and Successful Appeal all heading the list, along with his great-grandson Tiznow. *Cont. p3*



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Grande Melody Wins Dahlia (cont. from p1)

Placed in listed company in France, Grande Melody ended her European campaign with a ninth-place finish in the G1 Prix de Diane in June. She debuted stateside for trainer Patrick Biancone with a 4 1/2-length allowance victory at Keeneland Oct. 11 before closing into a slow pace to be third in the Nov. 12 Audrey Skirball-Kenis S. last time out. "She ran well last time and likes the firm ground," Biancone said of the winner. "We were too conservative last time--too far back. We were closer today. My owner [Joseph Allen] bought her before the French Oaks and sent her to me."

Finlandia (Royal Anthem), who shipped from New York to California on Thursday, was forced to miss the Dahlia after spiking a fever. "She had a little temperature, not bad, but there was a little elevation in her white cell count," explained trainer Tom Bush. Bush said the filly may stay in California and be pointed at the Jan. 7 GII San Gorgonio H. at Santa Anita.

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☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

REG INGLIS STEPS DOWN AS MANAGING DIRECTOR

After 36 years of service to William Inglis & Son Ltd, Reg Inglis has stepped down as Managing Director of the Australian sales company. "I am proud of the contribution I have made and leave knowing the company is in a very sound position," said Inglis, who has held the position of managing director for the past 18 years. Jamie Inglis will be the acting managing director while the company conducts an executive search for a permanent replacement. "The management and staff look forward to the New Year and are fully committed to continuing our 140 years of service to the bloodstock, livestock and property industries," Jamie Inglis said.

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Date	Race	Track
Dec. 26	GI Malibu	Santa Anita
	GIII Sir Beaufort	Santa Anita
Dec. 30	GI La Brea	Santa Anita
	GIII Frances Genter	Calder
	GIII Stage Door Betty	Calder
Dec. 31	GII San Gabriel H.	Santa Anita
Jan. 1	GIII Tropical Park Derby	Calder
	GIII El Conejo H.	Santa Anita
	GIII Monvrovia H.	Santa Anita
Jan. 6	GII San Pasqual H.	Santa Anita
	GIII Santa Ysabel S.	Santa Anita
	GIII Hal's Hope H.	Gulfstream
	GIII Mr. Prospector H.	Gulfstream
Jan. 7	GII San Gorgonio H.	Santa Anita



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Pedigree Insights cont. from p1

Of course the other dominant force on the juvenile front in recent years has been Storm Cat, who topped the table in 1992, '93, '95, '98, '99 and '02. Storm Cat's son Tale of the Cat took over the mantle in 2003 and now it looks as though the 2006 honor is guaranteed to go to another son, Stormy Atlantic (one of four sons of Storm Cat in the top 20).

I highlighted back in January the possibility that Stormy Atlantic's profile was set to rise in 2006 with the emergence of his first Kentucky crop, but even I have been surprised to see how well he has done. His current statistics from this crop stand at four stakes winners and a total of eight stakes horses from 63 runners. Among them are the unbeaten Leonnatus Anteus, who was voted Canada's champion two-year-old colt at Saturday's Sovereign Awards, Miss Atlantic City, winner of the Boyd Gaming's Delta Princess S., and Stormello. The determined Stormello fought off Tiznow's son Liquidity to add the GI Hollywood Futurity to his earlier success in the GII Norfolk S.

It is well worth pointing out that these good winners were sired at a fee of only \$12,500, but Stormy Atlantic has since earned more respect from the breeding community, to the extent that his fee for 2007 will be \$30,000.

This respect has been earned with a steady flow of good winners from the crops sired by Stormy Atlantic at even lower fees during his time in Florida. Retired close to the 1999 season, Stormy Atlantic started out at only \$3,000 before progressing to \$5,000 in 2000 and then to \$6,000 in both 2001 and 2002. In other words, it was only in 2003, after his move to Hill 'n' Dale Farms, that his fee reached five figures. **Cont. p4**

STORMELLO, c, 2004

Stormy Atlantic	Storm Cat	Storm Bird	Northern Dancer
		Terlingua	South Ocean
	Hail Atlantis	Seattle Slew	Secretariat
		Flippers	Crimson Saint
Wilshewed 10-0-0-2, \$17,000 3Fls, 1GISW	Carson City	Mr. Prospector	Bold Reasoning
		Blushing Promise	My Charmer
	So Cozy SW, 4-2-0-0, \$32,262 14Fls, 4SW	Lyphard	Coastal
		Special Warmth 16Fls, 2SW	Moccasin
		Mr. Prospector	Raise a Native
		Blushing Promise	Gold Digger
		Lyphard	Blushing Groom (Fr)
		Special Warmth	Summertime Promise
			Northern Dancer
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Quote of the day



"If I could train any horse in the world, I would train Powerscourt."

Dale Romans, trainer of Dubai World Cup favourite [and ultimate 3-length winner] **Roses In May** after seeing Powerscourt gallop on the Nad al Sheba dirt. *Thoroughbred Times Today, March 24, 2005*

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His four crops in Florida have produced as many as eight graded winners--some 2.7 percent of their 295 named foals--but none of them had hit the Grade I target until Stormello came along.

It's a highly enlightening exercise to look at the racing records of the dams of these nine graded winners. Bearing in mind the sort of fees commanded by Stormy Atlantic, I didn't expect to find any graded winners among these nine mares, and I didn't. However, I also didn't find any stakes winners or even any black-type earners. In fact only two of the nine graded winners by Stormy Atlantic (Atlantic Ocean and Twice As Bad) are out of winning mares. Four of the others--Gators N Bears, Icy Atlantic, She Says It Best and Sea Siren--are out of unraced mares and another three--Indian Ocean, Quite A Bride and Stormello--are out of mares who failed to win. Put another way, only one of Stormy Atlantic's nine American graded winners is out of a mare which earned more than \$25,000. Leonnatus Anteus is another out of a non-black-type performer, but his dam did earn more than \$25,000 (\$42,270 to be exact). Could this apparent ability to upgrade his mares have something to do with Stormy Atlantic's being a member of the remarkable Rough Shod family?

As he's a son of Storm Cat, it is hardly surprising that Stormy Atlantic's most successful representative is out of a granddaughter of Mr. Prospector. Stormello is out of a daughter of Carson City, as is Miss Atlantic City, who defeated Appealing Zophie in taking the Delta Princess S. Carson City, of course, is also the broodmare sire of Barbaro and of E Z Warrior, another 2006 juvenile graded winner by a son of Storm Cat.

Stormello is the first foal of Wilshewed, who failed to win in 10 attempts after selling for \$125,000 as a two-year-old. Stormello's yearling sister should be worth watching out for next year, and the mare is currently carrying a foal by Bernstein, another son of Storm Cat.

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Although Wilshewed never won, she is a well-connected mare. With a son of Mr. Prospector as her sire and the Lyphard mare So Cozy as her dam, Wilshewed is a three-parts sister to three stakes-winning fillies, each of whom has produced a stakes winner. One of Wilshewed's half-sisters, Max's Sister, produced the Australian Group 2 winner All Bar One to Storm Cat's son Hennessy.

Stormello's third dam, Special Warmth, was a Grade II winner over six furlongs at two in 1976, so precocious talent is nothing new for this family. Interestingly, four of the seven stallions in the first three generations of Stormello's pedigree have held the title of champion juvenile sire, so the colt has every right to be a high-class juvenile, even though injury restricted Stormy Atlantic to just one start at two.



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DOUGLAS BARRED AT CALDER; 'HOUSE RULE' IMPLEMENTED *courtesy The Blood-Horse by Claire Novak and Tom LaMarra,*

Jockey Rene Douglas was barred from the grounds at Calder Race Course Dec. 15, though he wasn't notified of the reason for the ban, said the jockey's agent, Danny Mellul. Meanwhile, Calder management has enacted a "house rule" designed to strengthen existing state regulations on the use of medication. "We have no idea what's going on right now," Mellul said Dec. 18. "They won't tell us why he has been barred, so we're getting a lawyer and trying to get to the bottom of this and find out when we can get back to riding." Douglas was notified of the decision during the afternoon card at Calder and permitted to fulfill his mounts for the day. He won the eighth race aboard Sincere Man for trainer Harry Benson, boosting his statistics for the 60-day Tropical-at-Calder meet to 31 wins from 152 starts. Nationally, Douglas ranks among the top 40 jockeys in earnings this year after a Nov. 4 win in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies aboard Frank Calabrese's Dreaming of Anna. "My main concern right now is making sure other tracks are aware we're not suspended," Mellul said. "Even the stewards here don't know what's going on. And in my opinion, [Calder management] should handle themselves in a more professional manner. If they have a problem, they should take care of it quietly and let the rider know what the matter is." Calder president Ken Dunn had no comment other than to say that the track had employed its right as a private property owner to bar the jockey from the premises. [Click for the complete story.](#)

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★ **EAST** ★

Yesterday's Results:

PENNSYLVANIA NURSERY S., \$57,050, PHA, 12-18, (S), 2yo, 7f, 1:23 4/5, ft.

1--**HARD SPUN**, 122, c, 2, Danzig--Turkish Tryst (SW & GSP), by Turkoman. O-Fox Hill Farms, Inc; B-Michael Moran & Brushwood Stable (PA); T-J Larry Jones; J-Mario G Pino; \$34,230. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$100,970. *1/2 to Wild Current (Wild Again), MSP, \$273,218; and Our Rite of Spring (Stravinsky), SW, \$141,000.

2--**Favorite Valay**, 117, c, 2, My Favorite Grub--Chasevalay, by Carnivalay. \$11,410.

3--**Legacy Reserve**, 117, c, 2, Cherokee Run--Magnet, by Seeking the Gold. (\$100,000 yrl '05 FTSAUG). \$6,276.

Margins: 7 3/4, HF, 6. Odds: 0.30, 4.00, 19.70.

Hard Spun had generated a little buzz before this one, winning his first two starts at Delaware by a combined 13 3/4 lengths and he will likely generate a little more winning this one, a race which fellow Pennsylvania-bred Smarty Jones took prior to his 2004 Kentucky Derby win. Hard Spun opened his account with a smart 8 3/4-length debut win Oct. 22, then added a sloppy renewal of the Port Penn S. in wire-to-wire fashion Nov. 14. Here, the son of Danzig rated just off the pacesetter early, then powered to the front at will and was in hand registering his second stakes victory. Hard Spun will now head to Oaklawn Park, where he'll prepare for an expected tilt at the Jan. 13 GIII Lecomte S. at Fair Grounds. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

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The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 9th Race, \$25,000 Allowance, at Philly Park. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

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6th-CRC, \$20,000, Msw, 2yo, 7f, 1:26, ft.
 + **KING ALLIANCE** (c, 2, **Awesome Again**--Valid Carnauba {SW, \$109,860}, by Valid Appeal), a half to Ebony Breeze (Belong to Me), MGSW, \$1,039,922; and Boastful (Cozzene), MSW & GSP, \$315,698, had the pedigree to figure here and was no secret as the 8-5 chalk. The chestnut was never far back and, when asked, rallied four wide on his way to a professional two-length tally. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,000. O-Kinsman Stable. B-Kinsman Farm (KY). T-Nicholas P Zito.

7th-CRC, \$20,000, Msw, 2yo, 7f, 1:25 1/5, ft.
HIGH ACT (c, 2, **El Prado {Ire}**--Class {MSW & GSP}, by Thunder Gulch), a half to Stag Nation (Running Stag), SP, \$170,268, ran second at 9-1 odds over Woodbine's Polytrack Nov. 5 and was the 7-5 pick here in his first try on conventional dirt. Pressing from the two path, the bay hit the front in upper stretch and drew clear to the two-length success. Firster Sourpour (Lemon Drop Kid) came on for second, with second choice Sahara Heat (A.P. Indy), the son of Sahara Gold, finishing sixth. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$22,626. O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-Brian A Lynch.

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2nd-HOL (MSW) Sitar (Fusaichi Pegasus), a half to MGSW Wild Rush, takes her turf debut.

3rd-HOL (MSW) Saracina (Bertrando) graduates in her second trip to the post.

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Yesterday's Results:

3rd-HOL, \$49,960, Msw, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:42 3/5, ft. SARACINA (f, 2, Bertrando--Indy's Paloma, by A.P. Indy) finished a very game second in her unveiling sprinting over this surface Nov. 18 and was the 5-2 second pick to do one better here. In her route bow, the gray jumped out to set :24 and :47 1/5 splits, and dug in in late stretch to stave off Scarlet Love (Not For Love) by 3/4 lengths, with another 3/4 lengths back to favored Indy's Windy (A.P. Indy) in third. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$40,760. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Jon and Sarah Kelly. B-Double K LLC (CA). T-Martin F Jones.

2nd-HOL, \$44,000, Msw, 3/up, f/m, 8.5fT, 1:43 4/5, fm. SITAR (f, 3, Fusaichi Pegasus--Rose Park {MSW, \$217,839}, by Plugged Nickle) lost all chance in her debut, a six-furlong main-track effort Nov. 15, when she broke last and was some 17 lengths back at the first call, but still managed to put in a rally to wind up fourth, beaten 6 1/4 lengths. Stretching out and moving to the green stuff here, the 4-1 chance was away much better this time and tracked in fourth, then finished with a game rally to take the three-horse photo on the line. The favorite Badoutoo (Theatrical {Ire}) was second by a nose, herself a nose in advance of No Lullaby (Brahms). Sitar, a \$50,000 KEENOV weanling and \$450,000 KEESEP yearling, is a half to Wild Rush (Wild Again), MGISW, \$1,386,322; and Almuhathir (Capote), GSP, \$233,636. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$27,600. [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#) O-Howard and Mary Lester. B-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds, Pacelco SA & Chelston Ireland (KY). T-Jenine Sahadi.

5th-HOL, \$47,476, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 4/5, fm.

SACRED LIGHT (g, 3, Holy Bull--Summer Glimmer, by Summer Squall) was on the Kentucky Derby trail earlier this year with placings in the Gill Sham S. and Gill Santa Catalina S., but didn't have the graded earnings to make it into the race and instead ran second to A.P. Arrow in an allowance race on the Derby undercard. He was well beaten in the GI Belmont S., then came home an improved fourth in the Gill Ohio Derby in mid-July. Off for a bit, Sacred Light returned and tried a new surface in a grassy Hollywood allowance Nov. 26, running a solid fourth, and was the slight 2-1 choice here. Never far back, the gray found himself several lengths off of second choice Stylin Cat (Western Cat), who had scampered to a daylight lead in mid-stretch, but gamely chased that foe down and got his nose down on the wire. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 11-2-2-2, \$196,740. O-Amerman Racing Stables LLC. B-Amerman Racing LLC (KY). T-David E Hofmans.

★ WEST ★

Sunday Night's Results:

5th-BMX, \$33,693, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, 6f, 1:08 4/5, ft. ANOTHER KRIS (c, 2, Kissin Kris--Super Princess, by Super May) was a half-length victor in his debut over this track and distance Nov. 19. The 6-5 favorite dueled on the front end before taking charge at midstretch and drawing away to win by four lengths. Another Kris was a \$5,000 FTKNOV weanling and a \$47,000 OBSMAR two-year-old. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$33,550. O-Peter Redekop B C, Ltd. B-Franks Farms (FL). T-Jerry Hollendorfer.

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★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Foreign Language, f, 3, [Distant View](#). See "European Breeders' Edition."

Peruvian Prince, g, 4, [Silver Hawk](#)--Inca Dove, by Mr. Prospector. Wolverhampton, Britain, 12-18, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1m 141yds (AWT). B-Alexander-Groves Thoroughbreds. *\$45,000 yrl '03 KEESEP; 26,000gns HIT '06 TATHIT.

IN JAPAN:

Pisa No Deilani, c, 2, [Fusaichi Pegasus](#)--Tee Kay (GSW, \$240,379), by Gold Meridian. Nakayama, 12-17, Plate Race, 9f. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$125,423. O-Yoshimi Ichikawa; B-Mt Brilliant Farm LLC; T-Kazuo Fujisawa. *1/2 to Symboli Kris S. (Kris S.), 2X Horse of the Year-Jpn, Ch. 3yo Colt & Ch. Older Horse-Jpn, MSW & MG1SP-Jpn. **Took command early and held the advantage all the way home, scoring by 1 1/4 lengths.

Hot Maneuver, c, 2, [Mt. Livermore](#)--Aspenelle (SP), by Vice Regent. Hanshin, 12-17, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 8-2-3-1, \$174,153. O-Katsumi Yoshizawa; B-Lamantia, Blackburn & Needham/Betz Thoroughbreds; T-Ikuo Aizawa. *1/2 to Golden Sunray (Crafty Propsector), SW. **\$100,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

+ **Nike Applaud**, c, 2, [Orientate](#)--Pascali (SW), by Great Above. Nakayama, 12-17, Maiden Race, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$59,322. O-Seiji Ono; B-Michael & Robert Levy & Mr & Mrs Francis Vanlangendonck; T-Fumio Koga. *21st winner for freshman sire (by Mt. Livermore). **\$85,000 wnlg '04 KEENOV; \$90,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

+ **Informer**, c, 2, [Our Emblem](#)--Sincerely Susan, by Devil's Bag. Chukyo, 12-16, Maiden Race, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$59,322. O-Koji Maeda; B-B D Gibbs Farm, LLC & Scott Pierce; T-Kiyoshi Tani. *\$75,000 wnlg '04 KEENOV. **Assumed command early and never looked back, winning by 1 1/2 lengths.

Eishin Ikki, c, 2, [Tale of the Cat](#)--Delirium, by Go for Gin. Hanshin, 12-16, Sazanka S., 7fT. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$221,017. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Gilbert G Campbell; T-Hideyuki Mori. *\$120,000 wnlg '04 OBSOCT; \$450,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

Molto Grande, c, 2, [War Chant](#)--New Dice, by Capote. Nakayama, 12-16, Novice Race, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$57,627. O-Morio Sakurai; B-Grade Bloodstock; T-Takashi Kubota. *\$140,000 yrl '05 KEESEP. **Settled in second early, took over at the furlong pole and drew off late to win by 2 1/2 lengths.

King El Dorado, c, 2, [Yes It's True](#)--Hadette, by Hadif. Nakayama, 12-17, Novice Race, 6f. Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$89,831. O-Fumihiko Sugawara; B-Servel Ranch, Inc.; T-Sueo Masuzawa. *\$100,000 yrl '05 KEEJAN.

Blue Leopard, c, 3, [Crafty Prospector](#)--Silky Melody, by Stop the Music. Kawasaki, 12-14, Blue Star Sho, 8f. Lifetime Record: 15-2-2-3, \$150,424. O-Motohide Aoki; B-Green Hill Stud International; T-Saburo Yuasa.

Eishin Boston, c, 4, [Cat Thief](#)--Mather Miss (SW, \$170,135), by Black Tie Affair (Ire). Chukyo, 12-16, Plate Race, 8.5f. Lifetime Record: 24-3-0-3, \$310,000. O-Toyomitsu Hirai; B-Audley Farm; T-Tsutomu Setoguchi. *1/2 to Arch Mistress (Arch), GSW-Saf. **\$725,000 yrl '03 KEESEP.

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RACE FIXING TRIAL SET FOR SEPTEMBER

Kieren Fallon will have to wait until September to stand trial as a result of being charged with alleged race-fixing. Yesterday's announcement was delivered by Mr Justice Forbes, who carried out a two-hour hearing before deciding on a date of Sept. 24 for the case to be heard at the Old Bailey court. Fallon and fellow jockeys Fergal Lynch and Darren Williams, as well as Miles Rodgers, Philip Sherkle, and Shaun Lynch, all deny the allegations against them. They have been charged by the City of London police with conspiracy to defraud between December 2002 and September 2004, by interfering with the running of horses to ensure they lost races and defrauding punters with the internet betting firm Betfair. Rodgers, who made his name as a syndicate director, was also accused of concealing the proceeds of crime.

First-crop progeny to watch: Tuesday, Dec. 19

Sire (Sire's Sire), 2003 Farm, 2003 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

- MILLENNIUM WIND** (Cryptoclearance), Highcliff, \$5K, 71/8/0 4-TAM, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Millennium Jet, \$14K OBS APR 2yo, 5-2
- SHOOTER** (Dehere), 4/0/0 6-SUN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Shot of Crown, 10-1
- SNOW RIDGE** (Tabasco Cat), Padua, \$5K, 63/16/1 4-TAM, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Samuel the Prophet, 12-1
- STREET CRY (IRE)** (Machiavellian), Darley, \$30K, 88/17/3 4-TAM, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Street Guy, \$50K KEE SEP yrl, 3-1
- THATSUSINTHEOLBEAN** (El Prado {Ire}), 10/5/1 6-SUN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +I See Yellow, \$3K ARZ NOV yrl, 8-1

Second-crop starters to Watch: Tuesday, Dec. 19 (1st-time starters and stakes runners)

Sire (Sire's Sire), 2002 Farm, 2002 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

- PALLETS** (Relaunch), Firststar, \$3K, 14/0/0 6-SUN, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Palletsdiamondgirl, 12-1

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STAKES RESULTS:

NEW MEXICO RACING COMMISSION H., \$125,000, SUN, 12-17, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.
 1--**SKIRT ALERT, 123, f, 4, Prospector Jones--**
Founder's First, by Bold Ruckus. O-Orville L Blades; B-Richard Brunacini & Kay Thurman (NM); T-O D Jamison Sr; J-Duane Lee Sterling; \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 13-9-0-1, \$383,599.
 2--**Hollywood Gone, 121, f, 4, Gone Hollywood--**Reb's Louisi, by Louisiana Slew. \$25,625.
 3--**Alley's Lady, 118, f, 4, In Excessive Bull--**Draconic's B. G., by Draconic. (\$75,000 yrl '03 RUIAUG). \$12,500.
 Margins: 6HF, 1 1/4, HD. Odds: 0.80, 3.50, 41.40.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-BMX, \$32,132, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:34 4/5, ft.
BONANZA TWO (g, 4, Two Punch--Sichana, by **Topsider)** Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-1, \$85,100. O-Stonestreet Stables LLC. B-Peter T Welling (PA). T-Art Sherman. * \$100,000 yrl '03 KEESEP. ** 1/2 to B Flat Major (Private Terms), MSW, \$490,480.

★ **ON THE WORKTAB** ★

BELMONT (training)

EVENING ATTIRE (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), 4f, •:48.09, 1/33
NAUGHTY NEW YORKER (Quiet American), 5f, •1:01.12, 1/15
RAHYS' APPEAL (Rahy), 5f, 1:03.04, 11/15

GULFSTREAM

FRISKY SPIDER (Frisk Me Now), 3f, :35.60, 2/12
EINSTEIN (BRZ) (Spend a Buck), 4f, :49.80, 27/46
PRECIOUS KITTEN (Catienus), 4f, :50.80, 44/46

PALM MEADOWS

BARBICAN (A.P. Indy), 5f, 1:04.00, 18/25
HIGH FINANCE (Talk is Money), 5f, 1:01.40, 5/25
INDIA (Hennessy), 4f, :52.00, 63/83
INDIAN VALE (A.P. Indy), 4f, :50.00, 25/83
J'RAY (Distant View), 4f, :50.00, 25/83
SCAT DADDY (Johannesburg), 3f, :38.00, 13/28
SILVER WAGON (Wagon Limit), 5f, •:59.60, 1/25



(Allowance results cont.)

5th-CRC, \$26,500, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f (off turf), :59 3/5, ft.

HEAVENLY REWARD TO (m, 5, Heavenly Legacy--Rajab's Force {SW}, by Rajab) Lifetime Record: 44-10-10-7, \$150,665. O-Breakin Wind Farm. B-Al Delli Veneri (FL). T-Fred G Warren.

10th-CRC, \$24,500, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:18 3/5, ft.

ACTSLIKEALADY (f, 3, Lord Carson--Stanley's Girl {MSP}, by Deputy Minister) Lifetime Record: 17-4-3-5, \$87,860. O-Ritz Jones Stable. B-Colonial Ridge Farm & Julie Rini (KY). T-Luis Olivares. *\$27,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$45,000 yrl '04 FTKJUL; \$35,000 2yo 2005 OBSFEB. **1/2 to Vanna Go (Private Terms), MSW, \$308,473.

8th-PHA, \$21,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:44 1/5, ft.

CLEVER CLOVER (f, 3, Smart Strike--Irish Rainbow, by Missionary Ridge {GB}) Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-2, \$38,420. O-Hawks Hill Farm. B-J, G & K Lancaster and W S Farish (KY). T-H Graham Motion. *\$7,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$24,000 yrl '04 FTMOCT. **1/2 to Continental Reins (Tomorrows Cat), MSP, \$186,780.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Striking Tomisue, f, 2, Smart Strike--Avenging Tomisue, by Belong to Me. CRC, 12-18, 7f, 1:24 2/5. B-Hilbert Thoroughbreds, Inc. (KY).

Sarand Star, c, 2, Trail City--Star Pepper, by Star de Naskra. HOL, 12-18, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:16 2/5. B-Patricia Youngman (CA). *\$20,000 yrl '05 BESNOV.

Tin God, c, 3, Anees--St. Poly Carp, by Dynaformer. PHA, 12-18, 1 1/16m, 1:47. B-Rosemont Farm LLC (KY). *\$85,000 yrl '04 FTMOCT.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Foreign Language, f, 3, Distant View--Binary (GB) (SW & GSP-Fr), by Rainbow Quest. Wolverhampton, Britain, 12-18, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1m 141yds(AWT). B-Juddmonte Farms Inc. *18,000gns HIT '05 TATJUL. **1/2 to Binary File (Nureyev), GSW-Nor, GSP-Fr & Swe.

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3yo/up, dirt, route (Closing date in bold)

NATIONAL:
01-06 150 San Pasqual H.-II, SA, 4/up, 8.5f (150), **12-28**
01-13 200a San Fernando BC-II, SA, 4yo, 8.5f (200), **1-04**
01-27 1000 Sunshine Millions Classic, GP, [R], 4/up, 9f (500), **01-13**
02-03 500 Donn H.-I, GP, 4/up, 9f (500), **01-24**
02-03 300 Strub-II, SA, 4yo, 9f (300), **01-25**
02-04 250 San Antonio H.-II, SA, 4/up, 9f (250), **1-25**
02-10 200 Mineshaft H.-III, FG, 4/up, 8.5f (200), **01-27**

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