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Churchill Downs

6 Furlongs (1:08.3) 15th Running of THE BREEDERS' CUP SPRINT. Grade I. Purse \$1,000,000. 3-year-olds and upward. Weights: Northern Hemisphere, 3-year-olds, 124 lbs. Older, 126 lbs. Southern Hemisphere, 3-year-olds, 122 lbs. Older, 126 lbs. Fillies and mares, allowed 3 lbs. \$10,000 to pre-enter, \$10,000 to enter, with guaranteed \$1,000,000 purse including nominator awards (plus Net Supplementary Fees, if any), of which 52% of all monies to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 5.6% to fourth and 2% to fifth; plus stallion nominator awards of 2.6% of all monies to the winner, 1% to second and 0.6% to third and foal nominator awards of 2.6% of all monies to the winner, 1% to second and 0.6% to third. Closed October 26, with 24 pre-entries. Supplemental nominee: Reraise.



A CLOSER LOOK

Sprint

Wild Rush

Schosberg hoped Byrne put him in the Mile. "Any horse who's won the Met Mile and done some of the things he's done, you have to respect..."; well, sorry Richard, but while your horse might be favored in this event, Byrne made the smart decision (there's a big surprise); hasn't raced at 6fs since his career debut but should be highly respected, and note the favorites have had decent success in this race recently (Cherokee Run and Lit de Justice); also, rail only helps his chances; obvious contender.

J J'sdream

Members of the fairer sex have done surprisingly well in the Sprint (Very Subtle, Safely Kept, and Desert Stormer all claim titles); but before pursuing that angle, consider these angles - she's finished 2nd twice, 4th once, and 6th once in 4 attempts versus males, with only the DeFrancis Dash graded; none of the prior Sprint winners last raced in Kentucky, and she's lost the last 3 times she's been favored - all against females; usually more consistent than most closers, but she needs a lot to go right for her, though a decent local record could help.

Reraise

May be short on the experience and only has one graded stakes under his belt - but man, what a race that was! blew them out of the water by the 5f mark and has continued to work well in California since that stellar performance; interestingly enough, he can also close, as he proved in his career debut; early speed has been his game up until this point, and it will be hard for anyone to win this race on the early lead, but he offers some intriguing possibilities.

Partner's Hero

Have mentioned the Kentucky curse, but he's won 2 straight and has shown versatility; can win by snagging the lead early or by sitting off it and letting the pace develop; last 18 starts have all been stakes, 12 of those graded, and he's compiled a 18-5-2-4 record during that time; also worth noting - he ran fourth in the '97 Vosburgh, and runners who have ran in that race but not won tend to do very well in the Sprint that same year (winners Gulch and Dancing Spree fit that profile); maybe that angle comes true one year later possibility.

1 Wild Rush

Own: Stronach Stables Inc DAY P (20 6 4 2 .30) 1998:(1096 238 .22)

B. c. 4 Sire: Wild Again (Icecapade) Dam: Rose Park (Plugged Nickle) Br: Pitfield Ward C (Ky) Tr: Byrne Patrick B (-) 98:(74 32 .43)

Lifetime Record: 14 8 0 2 \$1,341,842

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, time, and horse name. Includes entries for 26Sep98-10TP, 7Sep98-10Sar, 25May98-98Bel, 3May98-8Aqu, 4Apr98-3SA, 9Nov97-8Fol, 10Aug97-7RP, 20Jly97-4Hol, 7Jun97-98el, 10May97-95pt, 13Apr97-7SA, 2Mar97-5SA.

2 J J'sdream

Own: Franks John A

Gr/ro m. 5 Sire: Glitterman (Dewan) Dam: Thwack (Fight Over) Br: Standridge Kathleen D (Fla) Tr: Barnett Bobby C (3 1 0 0 .33) 98:(481 92 .19)

Lifetime Record: 39 13 11 7 \$1,022,216

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, time, and horse name. Includes entries for 24Oct98-8Kee, 19Sep98-13TP, 1Aug98-8EIP, 18Jly98-8Lrl, 20Jun98-12Crc, 16May98-8Bel, 10Apr98-10OP, 21Mar98-11FG, 14Feb98-9Lrl, 21Dec97-9FG, 8Dec97-9FG, 8Nov97-4CD.

3 Reraise

Own: Dollase & Fey & Han & Sinatra NAKATANI C S (-) 1998:(879 194 .22)

B. g. 3 (Apr) Sire: Danzatore (Northern Dancer) Dam: Get Us to Paris (Policeman) Br: Sergeant Willard (Ky) Tr: Dollase Craig (-) 98:(116 41 .35)

Lifetime Record: 5 4 1 0 \$184,630

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, time, and horse name. Includes entries for 26Sep98-8TP, 20Aug98-6Dmr, 4Jly98-3Hol, 27May98-7Hol, 29Oct97-2SA.

4 Partner's Hero

Own: Horton Stable Inc BOREL C H (21 4 3 3 .19) 1998:(1207 193 .16)

Dt. b or br. c. 4 Sire: Danzig (Northern Dancer) Dam: Safely Home (Winning Hit) Br: Gilman Inv Co & Hayden David Mr & Mrs (Md) Tr: Lukas D Wayne (3 0 0 .00) 98:(515 92 .18)

Lifetime Record: 32 8 5 5 \$554,731

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, time, and horse name. Includes entries for 18Oct98-7Kee, 30Oct98-9TP, 12Aug98-9Sar, 18Jly98-10Lrl, 5Jly98-8Bel, 21Jun98-10CD, 6Jun98-58el, 25May98-9Mth, 2May98-4CD, 11Apr98-8Kee, 29Mar98-6TP, 7Mar98-6SA.

5 Rare Rock

B. g. 5
 Sire: Danzig Connection (Danzig)
 Dam: Beacci (Alydar)
 Br: Lobloily Stable (Ky)
 Tr: Pletcher Todd A (-) 98:(462 90 .19)

Own: Pletcher-Massey Stable
BAILEY J D (2 2 0 0 1.00) 1998:(904 250 .25)

18Oct98-7Kee fst 6f :211 .441 .564 1:09 1:34 Phoenix BC157k
 26Sep98-9Bel fst 7f :224 .451 1:09 1:21 4 3 Vosburgh-G1
 24Aug98-8Sar fst 6 1/2 f :223 .45 1:09 1:15 4 4 Handicap52k
 13Mar98-10GP fst 7f :224 .451 1:09 1:22 3 4 GP BC ChmpH-G3
 11Feb98-10GP fst 6f :214 .44 .56 1:08 3 4 Hallandale H75k
 3Jan98-3GP fst 5 1/2 f :214 .442 1:02 4 4 Alw 44000N\$Y
 29Nov97-8Aqu fst 1 :221 .444 1:09 1:34 3 4 Cigar MileH-G1
 26Oct97-8CD sly 7 1/2 f :222 .46 1:11 1:32 3 4 Ack Ack H-G3
 10Oct97-6Kee fst 6 1/2 f :22 .442 1:09 1:16 3 4 Alw 52000N\$Y
 13Sep97-11TP fst 6 1/2 f :224 .441 1:08 1:15 3 4 Alw 34115N3X
 13Aug97-7Sar sly 6f :223 .454 .58 1:11 3 4 Clm 50000
 20Oct96-9TP fst 6f :22 .45 .57 1:10 3 4 Alw 33955N\$Y

WORKS: Oct12 CD 4f fst :493 B 10/34 Sep21 Sar tr t 5f fst 1:01 1 H 1/10
 Sep15 Sar tr t 5f fst 1:02 2 B 1/6 Sep9 Sar tr t 5f fst 1:02 B 1/3 Aug20 Sar tr t 5f fst 1:02 4 B 2/3

Lifetime Record :		18	10	2	0	\$389,792
L 126	1998	6	4	0	0	\$230,708
	1997	5	3	1	0	\$96,087
	CD	1	0	1	0	\$22,300
		Turf	1	0	0	0
		Wet	3	2	1	\$60,700
		Dist	5	2	1	\$81,688

Rare Rock

Defeated Victor Cooley in the slop in the Ack Ack Handicap but lost to Affirmed Success, Partner's Hero, and Pyramid Peak in his past two starts; has shown some versatility and started off the year like a monster until he was derailed in the Vosburgh; off a 4th in the Phoenix BC, what will he do? this is his record following out-of-money finishes: 5-3-0-0; however, all those races were class drops or lateral moves; tough call on this feast-or-famine type.

6 A. P. Assay

Dk. b or br f. 4
 Sire: A.P. Indy (Seattle Slew)
 Dam: Nice Assay (Clever Trick)
 Br: McCaffery Trudy & Toffan John A (Ky)
 Tr: Gonzalez J Paco (-) 98:(61 19 .31)

Own: McCaffery Trudy & Toffan John
DELAHOUSAYE E (-) 1998:(691 97 .14)

17Oct98-5SA fst 6f :212 .44 .56 1:08 3 4 AncntTUBCH-G3
 27Jly98-3Dmr fst 1 :22 .45 1:09 1:35 3 4 Bayakoa H69k
 28Jun98-9Hol fst 7f :22 .443 1:08 1:20 2 3 A Gleam H-G2
 21May98-7Hol fst 6 1/2 f :22 .442 1:09 1:15 2 3 A OCIm 62500N
 30Mar98-3SA fst 1 :23 .462 1:10 3 4 Alw 52000N2x
 Getting out, tight hold 1st turn; game inside
 28Feb98-7SA fst 6f :21 .441 .563 1:10 4 4 Alw 43008N1x
 25May98-2Hol fst 4 1/2 f :213 .443 .504 @Mq Sp Wt
WORKS: Oct31 SA 5f fst :594 H 6/56 Oct25 SA 4f fst :504 B 46/54 Oct12 SA 5f fst 1:01 2 B 25/44
 Oct5 SA 6f fst 1:10 4 H 1/19 Sep29 SA 6f fst 1:12 1 H 2/20

Lifetime Record :		7	4	2	1	\$273,950
L 123	1998	6	3	2	1	\$255,250
	1996	1	1	0	0	\$18,700
	CD	0	0	0	0	
		Turf	0	0	0	0
		Wet	0	0	0	0
		Dist	2	1	1	\$56,540

A. P. Assay

Lightly raced 4-year-old filly wired the A Gleam Handicap field and beat Swiss Yodeler in the Ancient Title BC, but this is a whole new can of worms; may have an edge on runners similar to her in this race as she's beaten 2 of these, but this is still an uphill battle.

7 The Exeter Man

B. g. 6
 Sire: Capote (Seattle Slew)
 Dam: Nakiska Wind (Lyphard)
 Br: Nor Joanne H (Ky)
 Tr: Frankel Robert (-) 98:(267 38 .14)

Own: Super Horse Inc
FLORES D R (-) 1998:(822 126 .15)

17Oct98-5SA fst 6f :212 .44 .56 1:08 3 4 AncntTUBCH-G3
 5Sep98-8Dmr fst 6 1/2 f :221 .444 1:08 1:15 3 4 SenatorMaddy67k
 26Jly98-8Dmr fst 6f :213 .434 .561 1:08 3 4 BngCrsbyBCH-G3
 28Jun98-6Hol fst 7f :22 .442 1:08 1:20 4 3 TrplBendBCH-G2
 24May98-7Hol fst 6f :214 .44 .554 1:08 3 4 LosAngelesH-G3
 4Apr98-3SA fst 6 1/2 f :212 .431 1:07 1:13 3 4 PotrGrndBCH-G2
 7Mar98-6SA fst 7f :222 .45 1:09 1:21 3 4 SanCarlos H-G2
 Blocked on rail 1/4 to wire; steadied 1/16
 31Jan98-8SA fst 6f :214 .443 .562 1:08 4 4 PalosVerdsH-G2
 4Jan98-8SA wf 5 1/2 f :212 .433 .554 1:02 1 4 El Conejo H106k
 29Nov97-8Aqu fst 1 :221 .444 1:09 1:34 3 4 Cigar MileH-G1
 7Nov97-7Hol fst 7f :214 .442 1:08 1:20 3 4 LitDeJusticeH79k
 10Oct97-7SA fst 6f :213 .441 .56 1:08 3 4 OCIm 80000
WORKS: Nov5 CD 3f fst :342 H 1/6 Oct30 Hol 6f fst 1:12 3 H 2/10 Oct15 Hol 3f fst :36 H 4/20
 Oct10 Hol 6f fst 1:14 4 H 3/10 Oct2 Hol 5f fst 1:00 4 H 1/33

Lifetime Record :		34	9	5	6	\$525,554
L 126	1998	9	2	1	1	\$186,132
	1997	7	2	0	1	\$99,277
	CD	0	0	0	0	
		Turf	4	0	0	\$22,530
		Wet	1	1	0	\$64,020
		Dist	14	3	3	\$153,997

The Exeter Man

Gold Land has beaten him 5 times this year, and his only recent win came in a restricted stakes at Del Mar; had a good effort in the Triple Bend BC but would really have to press the pace and hope for an awesome trip, Frankel's best runner in this race was Fighting Fit in the inaugural running (3rd); would be something if this runner could match that performance.

8 Kona Gold

B. g. 4
 Sire: Java Gold (Key to the Mint)
 Dam: Double Sunrise (Slew o' Gold)
 Br: Perez Carlos (Ky)
 Tr: Headley Bruce (-) 98:(118 22 .19)

Own: Headley B & Molasky A & I
SOLIS A (-) 1998:(872 135 .15)

17Oct98-5SA fst 6f :212 .44 .56 1:08 3 4 AncntTUBCH-G3
 5Sep98-9Dmr fst 6f :22 .442 1:08 1:15 3 4 OCIm 62500N
 Bobbled, off slow; inside duel, ridden out
 15Aug98-8Dmr fst 6f :214 .442 .562 1:08 3 4 Alw 42000N1x
 26Jly98-10Dmr fst 6 1/2 f :22 .442 1:08 1:14 3 4 Md Sp Wt
 31May98-1Hol fst 6 1/2 f :22 .441 1:08 1:14 3 4 Md Sp Wt
WORKS: Nov4 SA 3f fst :344 H 2/22 Oct27 SA 5f fst 1:00 3 H 1/41
 Oct12 SA 5f fst :593 H 3/44 Oct5 SA 5f fst :58 H 1/43 Sep29 SA 5f fst 1:00 2 H 10/28

Lifetime Record :		5	3	1	0	\$86,134
L 126	1998	5	3	1	0	\$86,134
	1997	0	0	0	0	
	CD	0	0	0	0	
		Turf	0	0	0	0
		Wet	0	0	0	0
		Dist	3	2	0	\$56,534

Kona Gold

Has 3 blowout wins at Del Mar to his credit, but notice what happens when he isn't able to secure or press the early lead; finished a decent fifth in the Ancient Title but was the 13-10 choice; works like a fiend in the morning but would really have to turn on the jets to win this event.

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A Salute to Very Subtle

Hip 1060 colt Unbridled's Song-Broad Dynamite
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9 Affirmed Success

B. g. 4
 Sire: Affirmed (Exclusive Native)
 Dam: Towering Success (Irish Tower)
 Br: Fried Albert A Jr (Ky)
 Tr: Schosberg Richard (1 0 1 0 .00) 98: (159 35 .22)

Own: Fried Albert Jr
CHAVEZ J F (-) 1998: (1227 229 .19)

26Sep98-9Bel fst 7f :.224 .451 1:09 1:214 3+ Vosburgh-G1
 7Sep98-10Sar sly 7f :.214 .44 1:084 1:214 3+ Forego H-G2
 6Aug98-6Sar fst 6f :.221 .45 1:093 1:154 4+ Alw 4300N4X
 18Jly98-10Lr fst 6f :.222 .45 1:082 3+ DeFrancsMem-G2
 20Jun98-8FL fst 6f :.212 .433 .553 1:081 3+ FL Brds Cup-G3
 30May98-7Bel fst 6f :.222 .452 .564 1:084 4+ Alw 4100N3X
 23Aug97-9Sar wf 1 1/4 :.471 1:111 1:364 2:04 Travers-G1
 3Aug97-8Sar sly 1 1/4 :.47 1:114 1:374 1:51 Jim Dandy-G2
 13Jly97-6Bel fst 1 1/4 :.231 .454 1:10 1:422 3+ Alw 4000N2X
 20Jun97-4Bel fst 7f :.224 .453 1:094 1:22 3+ Alw 3600N1X
 11May97-6Aqu fst 6f :.231 .461 .574 1:093 3+ Mid Sp Wt

WORKS: ©Nov1 CD 5f fst :592 B 1/26 ©Oct24 Bel.tr.5f fst :59 B 1/21 ©Oct18 Bel.tr.5f fst :594 B 1/32 ©Oct12 Bel.tr.5f fst :593 B 1/46 ©Oct6 Bel.tr.4f fst :472 B 1/22

Lifetime Record: 11 7 2 1 \$514,580	
1998	6 4 2 0 \$423,280 Turf 0 0 0 0
1997	5 3 0 1 \$91,700 Wet 3 1 0 1 \$147,500
CD	0 0 0 0 Dist 4 2 2 0 \$146,080

Affirmed Success

Biggest win was the Vosburgh, but historical fans will note that no Vosburgh winner has won the BC Sprint the same year; prefers to go gate to wire and has set some monster paces, plus his old nemesis Kelly Kip isn't here; training like a madman on Belmont's training surface, but form suggests that his winning streak will come to an end, not to mention that nasty Vosburgh jinx; could also be worn down trying to set a monster pace.

10 Gold Land

B. g. 7
 Sire: Gone West (Mr. Prospector)
 Dam: Lajna*GB (Be My Guest)
 Br: Newgate Stud Farm Inc (Ky)
 Tr: Drysdale Neil (-) 98: (233 60 .26)

Own: Salman H R H Prince Fahd
DESORMEAUX K J (-) 1998: (925 171 .18)

17Oct98-6SA fst 6f :.212 .44 .56 1:082 3+ AncntTUBCH-G3
 15Aug98-4Dmr fst 7f :.222 .442 1:084 1:212 3+ PatO'Brien-H-G3
 26Jly98-8Dmr fst 6f :.213 .434 .561 1:08 3+ BngCrsbyBCH-G3
 28Jun98-6Hol fst 7f :.22 .442 1:082 1:204 3+ TrplBendBCH-G2
 24May98-7Hol fst 6f :.214 .44 .554 1:08 3+ LosAngelesH-G3
 2May98-4CD fst 7f :.224 .45 1:084 1:21 4+ ChrchDwnsH-G2
 4Apr98-3SA fst 6f :.212 .431 1:072 1:133 4+ PotrGrndBCH-G2
 7Mar98-6SA fst 7f :.222 .45 1:091 1:213 4+ SanCarlos H-G2
 16Feb98-4SA fst 6f :.213 .441 1:084 1:151 4+ Reb'sPolicyH75k
 18Jan98-3SA fst 7f :.224 .453 1:10 1:221 4+ Alw 56540N5Y
 7Nov97-7Hol fst 7f :.214 .442 1:081 1:203 3+ LitDeJusticeH79k
 4Sep97-7Dmr fst 6f :.22 .443 .563 1:084 3+ CrazyKid71k

WORKS: Nov1 Hol 6f fst 1:163 H 9/10 Oct26 Hol 6f fst 1:144 H 7/15 Oct13 Hol 5f fst 1:022 H 19/23 Oct7 Hol 6f fst 1:151 H 5/8 Oct1 Hol 5f fst 1:023 H 10/14 Sep25 Hol 4f fst :502 H 10/24 TopBSF: D:114 Dist:114 @.88

Lifetime Record: 47 12 10 7 \$784,786	
1998	10 4 3 1 \$396,541 Turf 18 3 4 3 \$63,186
1997	8 2 2 2 \$118,759 Wet 0 0 0 0
CD	1 0 1 0 \$33,390 Dist 11 4 2 2 \$375,279

Gold Land

Flash back to 1997, when a lightly regarded gelding named Elmhurst was dismissed by the crowd, only to come out of nowhere to capture the Sprint and pay his backers handsomely; well, Sahadi won't try to make this event a 'three-peat' but this closer from California has eerily similar credentials to last year's victor; one of his foes, Son of a Pistol, won't make this race, and note that 5 of the past 6 winners of this race last ran in California before the Sprint; consistently rings up Beyers in the triple digits, and even though he's never ran in a G1 in his life, this gelding should benefit from a fast pace but can also stalk if the opening fractions aren't quite eye-popping; love his chances.

11 Richter Scale

B. c. 4
 Sire: Habitony*GB (Habitat)
 Dam: Devine Pet (Bel Bolide)
 Br: Boots Clydene (Cal)
 Tr: Lohmeier Mary Jo (-) 98: (30 4 .13)

Own: Fox Nathan & Kaster Nancy & Richard
SELLERS S J (10 2 2 3 .11) 1998: (1130 221 .20)

Previously trained by Mott William I
 6Sep98-8Sar fst 1 1/4 :.472 1:111 1:362 1:494 4+ Alw 52000N\$my
 12Aug98-9Sar fst 6f :.223 .451 .571 1:093 3+ A Phenomn H-G2
 5Jly98-8Bel fst 7f :.221 .45 1:083 1:21 3+ Tom Fool H-G2
 6Jun98-5Bel fst 6f :.222 .45 .563 1:084 3+ TrueNorth H-G2
 16May98-3Pim fst 6f :.224 .451 .57 1:092 3+ Mid BCH-G3

Previously trained by Byrne Patrick B
 8Nov97-3Hol fst 6f :.212 .434 .553 1:08 3+ B C Sprint-G1
 Carried in 4-wide, faded

20Sep97-7Bel fst 1 :.23 .462 1:11 1:354 Jerome H-G2
 26May97-9Bel gd 1 :.221 .442 1:074 1:33 3+ MetropoltnH-G1
 26Apr97-9CD fst 1 :.23 .46 1:111 1:36 Derby Trial-G3
 30Mar97-8Hia fst 6f :.213 .443 .571 1:101 Surfside29k
 15Sep96-8Bel fst 1 :.222 .45 1:101 1:351 Futurity-G1
 28Aug96-6EIP fst 6f :.223 .454 .574 1:10 Mid Sp Wt

WORKS: ©Oct31 CD 5f fst :593 H 1/44 ©Oct24 Kee 5f fst 1:00 B 1/21 ©Oct14 Kee 5f fst :593 B 1/16 Sep19 Sar.tr.4f fst :533 B 14/15 Aug31 Sar 5f fst 1:003 H 5/24 TopBSF: D:116 W:110 Dist:116

Lifetime Record: 12 6 1 0 \$428,122	
1998	5 2 1 0 \$218,060 Turf 0 0 0 0
1997	5 3 0 0 \$201,522 Wet 1 0 0 0 \$24,000
CD	1 1 0 0 \$70,122 Dist 6 4 0 0 \$229,100

Richter Scale

May provide a headache for Affirmed Success early in the game and has been working well at Keeneland; won the '97 Derby Trial and has experience in this race, though it wasn't pleasant; stalked the pace successfully twice as a 3-year-old, but will have a hard time doing that against these and will burn himself out on the front end if he tries to engage early; iffy.

Wishing the Best of Luck to

AFFIRMED SUCCESS

in the BREEDERS' CUP SPRINT

SELLING AT KEENELAND - TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10

#616 - Towering Success

- Dam of AFFIRMED SUCCESS

Believed In Foal to CAPOTE (April Cover)

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12 Bolshoi (Ire)

Own: Brown Mrs David
FALLON K (-) 1998: (4 0 .00)

Dk. b or br g. 6
Sire: Royal Academy (Nijinsky II)
Dam: Mainly Dry*GB (The Brianstan*GB)
Br: Brown David John (Ire)
Tr: Berry Jack (-) (-)

Lifetime Record: 45 9 4 2 \$364,164

Table with columns for years (1998, 1997), wins, places, shows, earnings, and lifetime record.

Main racing results table for Bolshoi (Ire) with columns for date, race, track, position, odds, and jockey.

Table with columns for date, race, track, position, odds, and jockey, continuing the racing results.

Bolshoi

Sheikh Albadou remains the only runner to ship across the Atlantic and take this race; what will be very interesting is seeing how softer turf will prepare him for his first dirt race; also, note he's only raced around a turn 7 times in his long career, compiling a 7-0-2-0 record; would be a surprise.

13 Furlough

Own: Phipps Ogden
MCCARRON C J (-) 1998: (631 140 22)

B. f. 4
Sire: Easy Goer (Alydar)
Dam: Blitzy (Riva Ridge)
Br: Phipps Stable (Ky)
Tr: McGaughey Claude III (-) 98: (258 59 .23)

Lifetime Record: 21 6 6 2 \$310,438

Table with columns for years (1998, 1997), wins, places, shows, earnings, and lifetime record.

Main racing results table for Furlough with columns for date, race, track, position, odds, and jockey.

Table with columns for date, race, track, position, odds, and jockey, continuing the racing results.

Furlough

Has closed well in the past, which may benefit her if the pace is fast, but has struggled in Grade 1 efforts against her fellow ladies; supporters will point to her effort against Sharp Cat in the Ruffian as a positive sign, but this is a different class of runners, and she does her best work with a little more ground; 13-post won't help much either; going with others.

14 Grand Slam

Own: Baker R & Cornstein D & Mack W
STEVENS GL (-) 1998: (785 156 20)

Dk. b or br c. 3 (May)
Sire: Gone West (Mr. Prospector)
Dam: Bright Candles (El Gran Senor)
Br: Overbrook Farm (Ky)
Tr: Lukas D Wayne (3 0 0 0 .00) 98: (515 92 .18)

Lifetime Record: 14 4 4 2 \$751,292

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Main racing results table for Grand Slam with columns for date, race, track, position, odds, and jockey.

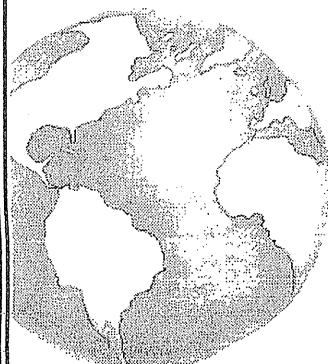
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Grand Slam

Closed with a flourish on the grass only to come up short in the Seattle Slew on turf but hasn't gone one turn since the San Pedro Stakes, finishing a dull 6th as the 7-5 choice; taken on some tough company, but wonder if he would make his move in time to win this, especially coming from the 14-hole; recent work offers encouragement, but think Lukas would be happy if last year's unfortunate scenario didn't repeat itself.

-Marc Daley

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2b Second Empire (Ire)

Own: Magnier Mrs John & Tabor Michael
KINANE M J (—) 1998:(5 1 20)
26Sep98 Ascot(GB) gd 1 @RH 1:39 3/4 Queen Elizabeth II Stakes-G1 Stk 542000

B. c. 3 (Apr)
Sire: Fairy King (Northern Dancer)
Dam: Welsh Love*IRE (Ela-Mana-Mou*IRE)
Br: Kilcarn Stud (Ire)
Tr: O'Brien Aidan P (—) (—)

Table with columns: Lifetime Record (8 4 0 3), Turf (8 4 0 3), Wet (0 0 0 0), Dist (7 4 0 3), and race results for 1998 and 1997.

Second Empire

A consistent 4 to 5 lengths behind Desert Prince in 3 races at or about a mile this year; rocketed up the class ladder in his undefeated 2-year-old season...

7 Military

Own: The Thoroughbred Corp
NAKATANI C S (—) 1998:(879 194 22)
40Oct98-75A fm 1 1/4 @ :50 1:42 1:38 2:02 3+ Oak Tree TFC-H-G1

Dk. b or br c. 4
Sire: Danzig (Northern Dancer)
Dam: Waverling Girl (Wavering Monarch)
Br: Morven Stud Ltd (Va)
Tr: Dollase Wallace(1 0 1 0 .00) 98:(130 29 22)

Table with columns: Lifetime Record (9 4 1 2), Turf (9 4 1 2), Wet (0 0 0 0), Dist (3 1 0 1), and race results for 1998 and 1997.

Military

Came into his own in Southern California and kept stepping up the ladder as he stretched out; ascent capped by Oak Tree victory...

8 Joyeux Danseur

Own: Farmer & Hughes & Three Chimneys
ALBARADO R J (23 4 3 4 .17) 1998:(1176 216 .18)
17Oct98-8Kee fm 1 @ :221 :461 1:104 1:35 3+ Kee BC Mile-G2

B. h. 5
Sire: Nureyev (Northern Dancer)
Dam: Fabuleux Jane (Le Fabuleux*Fr)
Br: Gainesway Thoroughbred Ltd (Ky)
Tr: Stall Albert M Jr(3 1 0 1 .33) 98:(213 53 .25)

Table with columns: Lifetime Record (13 8 0 1), Turf (12 8 0 1), Wet (0 0 0 0), Dist (4 1 0 0), and race results for 1998 and 1997.

Joyeux Danseur

Obviously needed the race when finishing in a dead heat for 4th in the Keeneland BC Mile 3 weeks ago; course was bone-dry...

1a Fly To The Stars (GB)

Own: Godolphin Racing Inc
DETTORI L (—) 1998:(6 1 .17)
40Oct98 Longchamp(Fr) sf *1 @RH 1:41 3/4 Prix du Rond-Point-G2 Stk 124000

B. c. 4
Sire: Bluebird (Storm Bird)
Dam: Rise And Fall*GB (Mill Reef)
Br: Bishop's Down Farm (GB)
Tr: Suroor Saeed Bin (—) 98:(2 1 .50)

Table with columns: Lifetime Record (17 5 5 4), Turf (14 5 4 2), Wet (0 0 0 0), Dist (10 5 3 1), and race results for 1998 and 1997.

Fly To The Stars

Won his last 3 in front-running fashion; unfinished French grass star Jim and Tonic in the Prix Messidor...

9 Hawksley Hill (Ire)

Own: Heerensperger Dave & Jill
SOLIS A (-) 1998:(872 135 .15)

Ch. g. 5
Sire: Rahy (Blushing Groom)*Fr
Dam: Gaijin*IRE (Caerleon)
Br: The Wickfield Stud Ltd (Ire)
Tr: Drysdale Neil (-) 98:(233 60 .26)

Lifetime Record : 32 13 7 3 \$1,012,168

Table with columns for years (1998, 1997), wins, losses, starts, earnings, and other statistics for Hawksley Hill.

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10 Mr Lightfoot (Ire)

Own: Lowery Mark & Schlesinger Mark
MCCARRON C J (-) 1998:(631 140 .22)

B. c. 4
Sire: Dancing Dissident (Nureyev)
Dam: LundyLux*GB (Grundy*IRE)
Br: O'Connell St J (Ire)
Tr: Lyons Frank G (-) 98:(18 2 .11)

Lifetime Record : 12 4 4 1 \$131,244

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11 Labeeb (GB)

Own: al Maktoum Maktoum
DESORMEAUX K J (-) 1998:(925 171 .18)

B. h. 6
Sire: Lear Fan (Roberto)
Dam: Lady Blackfoot*IRE (Prince Tenderfoot)
Br: Brick Kiln Stud & Lariston Apartments Ltd (GB)
Tr: Drysdale Neil (-) 98:(132 22 .17)

Lifetime Record : 19 8 3 3 \$1,344,255

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12 Magellan

Own: Tanaka Gary A
DELAHOUSAYE E (-) 1998:(691 97 .14)

Dk. b or br h. 5
Sire: Hansel (Woodman)
Dam: Dabaweyaa*IRE (Shareef Dancer)
Br: Gainsborough Farm Inc (Ky)
Tr: Cecil B D A (-) 98:(132 22 .17)

Lifetime Record : 23 6 7 6 \$482,495

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Hawksley Hill

Smoked the final quarter of the Oak Tree BC Mile in about :23 to outfinish one who had gotten away with a leisurely :49.60 opening half-mile; on the other hand, Santa Anita turf course had not been kind to front-runners, for the most part; have to wonder how he might have fared against Labeeb in the Shoemaker if he hadn't lost some momentum at the quarter pole; always seems to run his race; Advance from off the pace to within striking distance at the head of the stretch and make his move; hasn't faced more than four rivals since the spring; honest one has a chance for a payday.

Mr Lightfoot

Led four foes through 6fs in a leisurely 1:13 2/5 in the Oak Tree Mile but couldn't hold Hawksley Hill safe in his first start in 5 months; that's a respectable graded stakes debut but nothing like many of these have accomplished; nothing he did in Europe compared with the success he's enjoyed in Southern California; McCarron, leading money-winning rider in BC history, stays aboard; take others.

Labeeb

Morning line fave (4-1) came back from 3 months on the sidelines in fine fashion with a late-charging head victory over Jim and Tonic in the Woodbine Mile; "resurged like you couldn't imagine" in the stretch, Desormeaux said after the race; contrast with the kind of antics that got him scratched from the Eddie Read when he hurt himself before the race even started when he threw fit in the gate; achieved a career-high 114 Beyer in the Woodbine Mile; blistering :45 half-mile split played right into this closer's hands in that race, and the loss of Subordination from this field makes a hot early pace less likely here; could have a freshness edge with only 3 races this year; all victories; lone Grade 1 score was three years ago; half his 8 career victories have come at a mile; would be no surprise if he blew by them all late, but mercurial Drysdale charge is one you'd definitely want to watch in the paddock and post parade.

Magellan

Has been watching Hawksley Hill beat him to the wire in recent months; best effort this year likely was the American 'Cap,' in which he stalked a solid 1:34 3/5 mile, split foes and held off Bonapartiste; winless in 4 starts at this distance, including a distant 5th in last year's BC Mile behind Spinning World; gets to follow a superstar European miler for the 2nd straight year.

- Ted Sloan

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Churchill Downs

1 1/8 MILES. (1:482) 15th Running of THE BREEDERS' CUP DISTAFF. Grade I. Purse \$2,000,000. Fillies and mares, 3-year-olds and upward. Weights: Northern Hemisphere, 3-year-olds, 120 lbs. Older, 123 lbs. Southern Hemisphere, 3-year-olds, 115 lbs. Older, 123 lbs. \$20,000 to pre-enter, \$20,000 to enter, with guaranteed \$2,000,000 purse including nominator awards (plus Net Supplementary Fees, if any), of which 52% of all monies to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 5.6% to fourth and 2% to fifth; plus stallion nominator awards of 2.6% of all monies to the winner, 1% to second and 0.6% to third and foal nominator awards of 2.6% of all monies to the winner, 1% to second and 0.6% to third. Closed October 26, with 9 pre-entries.



A CLOSER LOOK BC Distaff

Kirby's Song

Canadian-bred had a four-race win streak halted in the grassy Queen Elizabeth II-G1 at KEE last time out and returns to the main in search of a reproduction of those 100-plus Beyers she threw down to annex the Canadian and Monmouth Oaks this summer; was a distant fifth to Banshee Breeze in her first start of the 1998 campaign and is a much better filly now, however so is Banshee Breeze; like the fact that she's won at 1 1/8 and 1 1/4 miles this year and one can probably expect her to settle in mid-pack today before making her move; was sharp in her 5f move Nov. 1 in 1:00 2/5 but may be looking at a minor award at best vs. the toughest bunch she's ever seen.

Dancing Gulch

Takes a shot at Grade 1 competition for the first time over an oval she's 100% in the money at; got way too far behind in the TP Breeders' Cup last time out and had to settle for a show check; captured her lone start at 1 1/8 miles, but that was at HIA in a \$26K stakes; aside from her obviously love for off tracks (3-for-3), the thing most attractive about this Gulch filly is her versatility—able to come from next-to-last, mid-pack or just off the pace; note that she owns the third-highest Beyer on the dirt behind Escena and Banshee Breeze; longshot players could complete a fat trifecta, and if it rains...?

Tuxedo Junction

Makes her second start in Kentucky and her first over this oval; traveled from Calif. successfully last spring to capture the Fairway Fun at TP after G1 efforts at Santa Anita, but meets the best of her division today; was 13 1/2 lengths behind Tomisue's Delight in the Grade 1 Personal Ensign two back and needs a huge turnaround to factor here; late running sort has yet to be successful going 1 1/8 miles, with two thirds from five tries; expect she'll lag near the rear of this field before making one run and hope the early pace will be quick enough to soften up the speed late; career effort needed.

1 Kirby's Song

Own: Kirby Canada Farm KABELTK (-) 1998:(683 138 .20)

B. f. 3 (Mar) Sire: Sultry Song (Cox's Ridge) Dam: Impulsive Lady (Strike the Anvil) Br: Kirby Canada Farm (Ont-C) Tr: Attard Tino (-) 98:(292 49 .17)

Table with Lifetime Record: 14 7 0 1 \$635,171. Columns for 1998 and 1997 stats (Turf, Wet, Dist).

Main race results table for Kirby's Song race. Columns: Race No, Date, Time, Distance, Weight, Position, Name, Sire, Dam, Trainer, and various performance notes.

2 Dancing Gulch

Own: Jaime S Carrion Trustee MARTINEZ W (19 0 6 1 .00) 1998:(1222 186 .15)

B. f. 4 Sire: Gulch (Mr. Prospector) Dam: Danzig's Beauty (Danzig) Br: Nuckols Charles Jr & Sons (Ky) Tr: Waunsch Joseph J (-) 98:(79 20 .25)

Table with Lifetime Record: 19 7 1 4 \$215,783. Columns for 1998 and 1997 stats.

Main race results table for Dancing Gulch race. Columns: Race No, Date, Time, Distance, Weight, Position, Name, Sire, Dam, Trainer, and various performance notes.

3 Tuxedo Junction

Own: Taylor Edward & Todaro George DESORMEAUX K J (-) 1998:(925 171 .18)

B. m. 5 Sire: Black Tie Affair* (Miswaki) Dam: Hidden Trail (Gleaming) Br: Katalpa Farm (Ky) Tr: Hollendorfer Jerry (-) 98:(771 199 .26)

Table with Lifetime Record: 27 6 3 7 \$414,631. Columns for 1998 and 1997 stats.

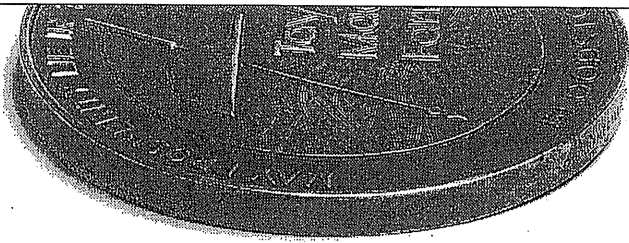
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7 Escena

B. m. 5
Sire: Strawberry Road* Aus (Whiskey Road)
Dam: Claxton's Slew (Seattle Slew)
Br: Paulson Allen E (Ky)
Tr: Mott William I (2 0 0 0 .00) 98: (533 128 .24)

Year	Age	Sex	Track	Time	Distance	Class	Result	Trainer	Owner		
28 Aug 90	8	Sar	fst	1:47.4	1:12.3	1:37.4	2:04.3	@PrsnlEnsgnH-G1	95 3 1 1 1/2 11 1hd 66	Bailey J D	
2 Aug 98	8	Sar	fst	1:47.2	1:11.2	1:36.1	1:49.4	@GoForWand H-G1	102 5 1 1 1/2 1hd 1hd 2no	Bailey J D	
27 Jun 98	7	Hol	fst	1:48.1	1:11.3	1:35.3	1:48.3	@VanityInv H-G1	114 6 2 2hd 1hd 1 1/2 12	Bailey J D	
6 Jun 98	10	CD	fst	1:48.2	1:12.3	1:37.2	1:50.3	@FleurDeLisH-G3	113 3 1 1 1/2 11 13 16	Sellers S J	
1 May 98	9	7	CD	fst	1:23.4	1:47.3	1:12.1	1:44.4	@LouisvilleBCH-G2	104 3 3 4 1/2 2hd 1 1/2 14	Bailey J D
10 Apr 98	10	OP	fst	1:22.4	1:01.1	1:10.1	1:40.4	@ApplBlssomH-G1	113 7 4 3 1/2 11 13 12 1/2	Bailey J D	
1 Mar 98	10	GP	fst	1:24.1	1:01.1	1:12.1	1:41.1	@Rampart H-G2	103 5 2 2 1/2 2 1/2 1hd 22	Bailey J D	
1 Feb 98	9	GP	fst	1:24.4	1:01.1	1:12.1	1:41.1	@Sabin H-G3	104 3 4 3 2 2 1/2 2hd	Bailey J D	
8 Nov 97	4	Hol	fst	1:45.4	1:09.1	1:34.2	1:47.1	@B C Distaff-G1	99 7 5 4 1/2 2 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2	Bailey J D	
13 Oct 97	9	Bel	fm	1:47.2	1:10.4	1:34.4	1:47.3	@Athenia H-G3	94 3 1 1 1/2 1hd 3 1/2 4 1/2	Bailey J D	
24 Aug 97	7	AP	gd	1:47.3	1:11.4	1:36.3	1:54.1	@Beverly D-G1	98 3 2 2 1/2 2 1/2 4 1/2 6 1/2	Day P	
2 Aug 97	8	Dmr	fm	1:50.1	1:14.1	1:38.1	1:49.4	@Ramona H-G1	103 7 2 2 1/2 2hd 1 1/2	Day P	

WORKS: Nov 3 CD 4f my :47.4 H 3/25 @Oct 23 CD 6f fst 1:14 B 1/7 @Oct 13 CD 5f fst 1:02 B 3/22 Oct 13 CD 4f fst :48 B 2/28

Year	Age	Sex	Track	Time	Distance	Class	Result	Trainer	Owner
1998	8	4	3	0	\$992,425	Turf	4 2 0 0	\$209,994	
1997	9	2	1	2	\$428,514	Wet	5 0 3 0	\$164,500	
CD	4	2	2	0	\$521,945	Dist	8 2 4 2	\$781,020	

8 Tomisue's Delight

Ch. f. 4
Sire: A.P. Indy (Seattle Slew)
Dam: Prospectors Delite (Mr. Prospector)
Br: Elkins James & Farish William S (Ky)
Tr: Howard Neil J (3 2 0 0 .67) 98: (273 68 .25)

Year	Age	Sex	Track	Time	Distance	Class	Result	Trainer	Owner	
10 Oct 98	7	Bel	sly	1:45.1	1:08.4	1:33.2	1:46.1	@Beldame-G1	100 3 7 7 1/2 6 1/2 3 1/2 2 1/2	Bailey J D
28 Aug 98	8	Sar	fst	1:47.4	1:12.3	1:37.4	2:04.3	@PrsnlEnsgnH-G1	104 6 6 6 1/2 6 1/2 4 1/2 12	Day P
2 Aug 98	8	Sar	fst	1:47.2	1:11.2	1:36.1	1:49.4	@GoForWand H-G1	97 3 5 5 1/2 5 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2	Day P
4 July 98	9	Mth	fst	1:23.3	1:46.1	1:09.2	1:42.1	@MillyPtchBCH-G2	96 6 5 5 1/2 4 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2	McCauley W H
6 Jun 98	10	CD	fst	1:48.2	1:12.3	1:37.2	1:50.3	@FleurDeLisH-G3	101 1 3 3 2 3 4 3 6 3 1/2	Albarado R J
17 May 98	9	CD	fst	1:24.4	1:01.1	1:12.1	1:43.4	@Alw 67500N\$MY	102 6 5 4 1/2 4 1/2 2 1/2 1nk	Day P
19 Oct 97	9	Bel	fst	1:46.3	1:10.3	1:35.2	1:48.1	@Beldame-G1	96 7 3 4 2 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2	Bailey J D
20 Sep 97	8	Bel	fst	1:24.4	1:01.1	1:11.4	1:44.2	@Ruffian H-G1	95 8 6 5 3 4 1/2 2 1/2 1 1/2	Bailey J D
16 Aug 97	8	Sar	fst	1:48.1	1:12.1	1:36.3	2:02.1	@Alabama-G1	100 5 5 4 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2	Day P
19 July 97	9	Bel	fst	1:48.1	1:12.1	1:35.4	2:00.2	@C C A Oaks-G1	99 2 4 4 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2	Day P
21 Jun 97	9	Bel	fst	1:45.4	1:10.2	1:35.3	1:48.2	@MotherGoose-G1	96 6 5 5 1/2 4 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2	Day P
2 May 97	9	CD	fst	1:47.4	1:11.4	1:37.1	1:50.1	@Ky Oaks-G1	100 9 9 9 5 8 7 3 5 2 1/2	Day P

WORKS: Nov 4 CD 4f gd :50.2 B 20/26 Oct 30 CD 5f fst 1:02 B 15/36 Oct 25 CD 6f fst 1:15 B 3/5 Oct 19 CD 4f my :50.2 B 11/21 Oct 6 Bel 5f fst 1:01 B 7/22

Year	Age	Sex	Track	Time	Distance	Class	Result	Trainer	Owner
1998	6	2	1	2	\$427,975	Turf	0 0 0 0		
1997	10	3	4	2	\$484,440	Wet	2 1 1 0	\$90,500	
CD	4	1	1	1	\$192,297	Dist	7 1 2 3	\$324,740	

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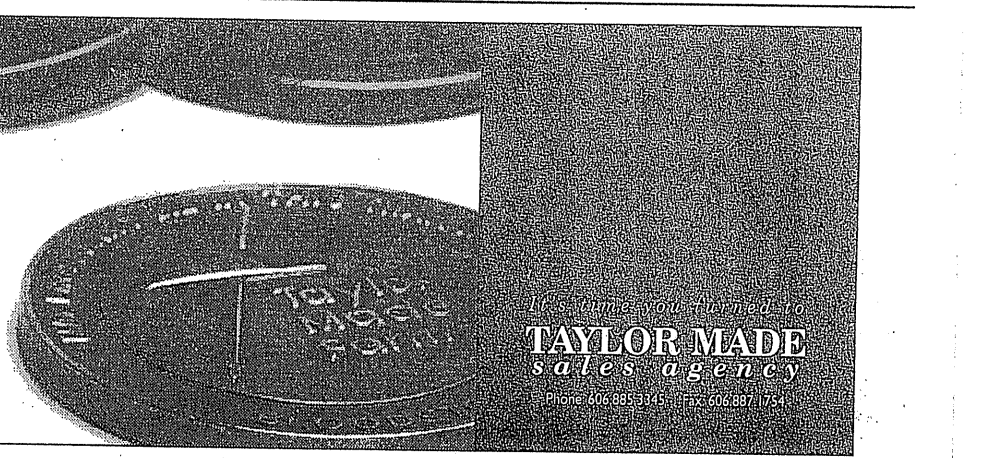
recent near-bullet at CD in 1:00 2/4 to indicate she's primed; would be no surprise as the early pacesetter should Escena's connections opt to sit off this quick sophomore until the real running begins around the far turn; contender.

Escena
The most experienced and wealthiest member of this field competes in her second consecutive BC Distaff, having checked in third to Ajina and Sharp Cat last year; perhaps the only real front-running commodity in this race since Sharp Cat defected, it's not out of the question that she may wire these ala Inside Information and One Dreamer (1995 & 1994 respectively); has been off the board once this year—her last try vs. Tomisue's Delight going 1/4 miles at Belmont; is 100% in the money at 1/8 miles and annexed the Fleur De Lis H-G3 here last June in front-running fashion; owns-co-highest career Beyer of 114 with Banshee Breeze and gets the services of Gary Stevens for her final career start; has given weight to everyone all year and should appreciate this weight-for-age contest; with history indicating an older mare usually takes the advantage of sophomore fillies in this race (Sacahuista, Dance Smartly, Hollywood Wildcat and Ajina the only 3yo winners since 1984) and a brilliant 1/2 mile in :47 4/5 for this on Nov. 3, it's hard to pick against her; choice.

Tomisue's Delight
A.P. Indy filly most recently chased the amazon Sharp Cat home in the Beldame-G1; took the measure of Escena in the Personal Ensign-G1 for her second career G1 win at SAR in August at 1 1/4 miles; gets the services of Shane Sellers today as Bailey and Day have chosen others; connections must be hoping Tap To Music can match strides with Escena to ensure rapid enough fractions for their filly to run at in the stretch; has posted 100-plus Beyers at CD in all but one (her debut) outing, indicating she loves it here; often had to settle for second or third vs. Ajina, Sharp Cat and Blushing K.D. last year, but seems to have reached another level in 1998; look for her to be barreling down the stretch on the outside for a piece of the pie.

—Bill Howard

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1 1/2 MILES. (Turf). (2:26) 15th Running of THE BREEDERS' CUP TURF. Grade I. Purse \$2,000,000. 3-year-olds and upward. Weights: Northern Hemisphere, 3-year-olds, 122 lbs. Older, 126 lbs. Southern Hemisphere, 3-year-olds, 117 lbs. Older, 125 lbs. Fillies and mares, allowed 3 lbs. \$20,000 to pre-enter, \$20,000 to enter, with guaranteed \$2,000,000 purse including nominator awards (plus Net Supplementary Fees, if any), of which 52% of all monies to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 5.6% to fourth and 2% to fifth; plus stallion nominator awards of 2.6% of all monies to the winner, 1% to second and 0.6% to third and foal nominator awards of 2.6% of all monies to the winner, 1% to second and 0.6% to third. Closed October 26, with 19 pre-entries.



A CLOSER LOOK

Caitano (GB)

Own: Tanaka Gary A
STARKE A (-) (-)

B. c. 4
Sire: Niniski (Nijinsky II)
Dam: Eversince (Foolish Pleasure)
Br: The Overbury Stud (GB)
Tr: Schutz Andreas (-) (-)

Lifetime Record: 14 4 4 1 \$812,201

Table with columns for year, wins, losses, starts, earnings, and race types for Caitano's career.

Main racing results table for Caitano, listing race dates, opponents, distances, and finishes.

Summary racing results table for Caitano, listing race details and outcomes.

Caitano (GB)

Well-traveled colt finally makes his way to this continent off a 5th-place finish in the Arc de Triomphe, where he beat his 35-1 odds to finish within 3 lengths of filly runner up Leggera and the winner Sagamix; 4-year-old isn't the fastest horse out of the gate and tends to lay mid-pack or in the rear before turning up the heat around the final turn; may be one of those coming late at long odds.

Buck's Boy

Own: Quarter B Farm
SELLERS S J (18 2 2 3 .11) 1998:(1130 221 .20)

B. g. 5
Sire: Buckplasher (Buckpasser)
Dam: Molly's Colleen (Verbatim)
Br: Irish Acres Farm (Ill)
Tr: Hickey P Noel (1 0 0 1 .00) 98:(119 24 .20)

Lifetime Record: 24 13 4 1 \$1,268,530
L 126

Main racing results table for Buck's Boy, listing race dates, opponents, distances, and finishes.

Summary racing results table for Buck's Boy, listing race details and outcomes.

Buck's Boy

Returns to the Breeders' Cup Turf a much improved horse, as he's earned more than twice the money this year with an almost identical set of numbers as his '97 stats; won a lot of races in '97 over lesser company and went to Hollywood after winning the G3 Hawthorne Gold Cup (on the main track), but since then he's added a 3 graded stakes wins on turf to his tally, including his last, a daylight win in a Belmont G1 going this distance on soft turf; very comfortable on the front end, he breaks alertly and goes straight to the lead, so he won't have to worry about traffic in the largest field he's faced all year; must have enough to hold off the closers.

Cetewayo

Own: Chandler Dr John A
VELAZQUEZ J R (-) 1998:(1232 204 .17)

B. c. 4
Sire: His Majesty (Ribot*GB)
Dam: Aletta Maria (Diesis*GB)
Br: Chandler John A (Ky)
Tr: Dickinson Michael W (-) 98:(90 25 .28)

Lifetime Record: 13 6 2 1 \$450,043
L 126

Main racing results table for Cetewayo, listing race dates, opponents, distances, and finishes.

Summary racing results table for Cetewayo, listing race details and outcomes.

Cetewayo

One wouldn't think that a horse who couldn't win a \$13,000 nonwinners of two claiming race at Philadelphia Park last year would be a major contender in a Breeders' Cup Championship race, but this colt has improved by leaps and bounds with trainer Michael Dickenson; this year he hasn't finished out of the exacta but once from 7 starts, and even that day he had appeared to be making his move when he fell into the hedge at Belmont; it looked like a nasty spill but he seemed to be over that episode when running second to Buck's Boy in a G1 on the same track a month later; wouldn't count this one out.

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7 Leggera (Ire)

Own: Focke Hildegard
BAILEY J D (2 2 0 0 1.00) 1998:(984 250 25)

B. f. 3 (Feb)
 Sire: Sadler's Wells (Northern Dancer)
 Dam: Lady Ambassador*GB (General Assembly)
 Br: Focke Hildegard (Ire)
 Tr: Dunlop John L. (→) (→)

40Oct98	Longchamp (Fr)	sf	*1½ @RH	2:34 2:34 3+	Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-G1	2nk	Quinn T R	120	16.00
13Sep98	Longchamp (Fr)	hy	*1½ @RH	2:41 2	©Prix Vermeille-G1	1½	Quinn T R	126	10.00
2Aug98	Deauville (Fr)	sf	*1½ @RH	3:02 3+	©Prix de Pomone-G2	15	Doleuze O	118	11.00
4Jly98	Haydock (GB)	gd	1½ @LH	2:28 2:34	©Lancashire Oaks-G3	4½	Quinn T R	116	5.50
1Jun98	Mulheim (Ger)	sf	*1½ @RH	2:25 2	©Preis der Diana (German Oaks)-G2	22	Eddery Pat	128	5.70
3May98	Newmarket (GB)	gd	1¼ @Str	2:07	©Pretty Polly Stakes (Listed)	28	Eddery Pat	125	4.00
12Nov97	M-Laffitte (Fr)	hy	*1 @RH	1:47 2	©Prix Saraca (Listed)	1½	Peslier O	126	3.80
25Oct97	Newbury (GB)	yl	*7f @LH	1:32 3	©Radley Stakes (Listed)	31	Sprake T	120	8.00
10Sep97	Kempton (GB)	gd	7f @RH	1:26 4	©September Conditions Stakes	35½	Eddery Pat	124	*1.00
14Aug97	Sandown (GB)	gd	7f @RH	1:31 3	©Timeform Perspective Mdn Stks	11½	Sprake T	123	25.00

WORKS: Nov5 CD @ 4f fm :52 B (d) 4/5

Lifetime Record :		10	4	3	2	\$571,663		
1998	6 2 3 0	\$539,101	Turf	10	4	3	2	\$571,663
1997	4 2 0 2	\$32,562	Wet	0	0	0	0	
CD	0 0 0 0		Dist	3	1	1	0	\$434,972

119	Sagamix123nk	Leggera120½	Tiger Hill123½	14
				Tracked in 3rd, led over 1f out, headed near line. High-Rise 7th
	Leggera126½	Cloud Castle126hd	Zainta126²	11
				Rated in 5th, 3rd half way, dueled over 1f out, led 150y out, driving
	Leggera118½	Tuning119³	Rambling Rose118²½	6
				Tracked in 3rd, led over 2f out, clear over 1f out
	Catchascatchcan116¹	Rambling Rose116½	Silver Rhapsody119²	6
				Tracked leader, faded through last quarter
	Elle Danzig128²	Leggera128²	La Donna128²	12
				Close up in 4th, 2nd 2f out, second best
	Midnight Line127²	Leggera125¹	Fiamma120hd	11
				Rated towards rear, progress halfway, 2nd 3f out, no chance w/winner
	Leggera126½	Queen Catherine126³	Karapucha126nk	7
				Tracked leader, led 1f out, held well. Elodibelle 7th
	Ffestiniog120¹	Amabel123hd	Leggera120⁴	13
				Slowly away, hard ridden over 2f out, gaining late
	Exclusive120¹½	Celtic Cross120³½	Leggera124¹	8
				Tracked leaders, angled left over 2f out, one-paced to line
	Leggera123¹½	Alignment123no	Bluewain Lady123¹½	13
				Rated at rear, rallied to lead 150y out, ridden out

Leggera (Ire)

Three-year-old filly takes on the males for the second time in her career, and she has proven that she can run with the boys after finishing as the runner up, beaten only a neck at 16-1, in the Group 1 Arc de Triomphe; Sadler's Wells filly is coming into this race in top form and draws the services of Jerry Bailey for her U. S. debut; rider should be able to keep her clear for a late run, and she'll be extremely dangerous on a heavy or soft track that the others may not like; her finish may remind you of last year's female runner up, Borgia.

8 Royal Anthem

Own: The Thoroughbred Corp
STEVENS G L (→) 1998:(785 156 20)

B. c. 3 (Apr)
 Sire: Theatrical*Ire (Nureyev)
 Dam: In Neon (Ack Ack)
 Br: Franks John (Ky)
 Tr: Cecil Henry (→) 98:(2 1 50)

18Oct98	6W0 fm	1½ @	:52¹	1:16¹	2:04³	2:29³	3+	CanadianIntlG1	110	8	1	1½	1hd	12	12	Stevens G L	119	1.75
25Jly98	Ascot (GB)	gd	1½ @RH	2:29	3+	King George VI & Queen Eliz St-G1	3½	Fallon K	121	3.50								
19Jun98	Ascot (GB)	yl	1½ @RH	2:34 3	King Edward VII Stakes-G2	12	Fallon K	120	*2.25									
6Jun98	Newmarket (GB)	gd	1¼ @RH	2:02¹	Fairway Stakes (Listed)	12½	Fallon K	124	*.45									
16May98	Newbury (GB)	gd	1¼ @LH	2:08	Hatherden Maiden Stakes	13	Ryan W	126	4.50									

WORKS: Nov4 CD 4f gd :50³ B 21/26 Oct31 CD @ 7f fm 1:31 B (d) 1/1

Lifetime Record :		5	4	0	1	\$884,549		
1998	5 4 0 1	\$884,549	Turf	5	4	0	1	\$884,549
1997	0 0 0 0		Wet	0	0	0	0	
CD	0 0 0 0		Dist	3	2	0	1	\$858,418

122	Royal Anthem119²	Chief Bearhart126½	Parade Ground119³	Driving 8
				Swain133¹
				High-Rise121¹½
				Royal Anthem121½
				Tracked leader, led over 2f out, headed 1-1/2f out, faded. Daylami 4th
	Royal Anthem120²	Kilimanjaro120²½	Scorned120⁴	10
				Tracked leader, led 1-1/2f out, ridden clear. Central Park 4th
	Royal Anthem124²½	Kilimanjaro124⁸	Sensory124¹³	5
				Rated in 4th, led 1-1/2f out, drew clear. New July Course record
	Royal Anthem126³	Generous Rosi126³	Cyber World126³½	16
				Progress after a half, led over 1f out, ridden clear
				TopBSF: Dist @:110 @:110

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Royal Anthem

Sire ran in the '86 B C Turf and missed the win by a neck at Santa Anita, but returned to take home the Turf trophy in the '87 running at Hollywood Park; Dam would have had two going today had it not been for the unfortunate defection of Sharp Cat, but all eyes are on this 3-year-old who was undefeated until facing older horses for the first time in his fourth career start; note that it was Swain who beat him that day; Upset last year's Turf winner Chief Bearhart in his first start on this continent.



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9 Chief Bearhart

Own: Sam-Son Farms
SANTOS JA (-) 1998:(695 71 .10)
18Oct98-6WO fm 1/2 @ :52 1:16 2:04 2:29 3:4 CanadianIntl-G1
27Sep98-8WO yl 1/2 @ :49 1:13 1:37 2:15 3:4 SkyClassH-G2C
5Sep98-8WO fm 1/2 @ :51 1:15 2:05 2:30 3:4 NiagaraBCH-G1C
15Aug98-8Sar fm 1/2 @ :52 1:18 2:07 2:29 3:4 SwordDancrH-G1
11Jly98-8Bel fm 1/2 @ :50 1:14 1:38 2:13 3:4 BowlingGrnH-G2
6Jun98-8Bel fm 1/2 @ :46 1:10 1:34 1:58 3:4 Manhattan H-G1
22Apr98-8Kee yl 1/2 @ :52 1:18 2:07 2:31 3:4 Elkhorn-G3
Followed slow pace 5 or 6 wide, closed well, too late
8Nov97-7Hol fm 1/2 @ :47 1:11 1:59 2:23 3:4 B C Turf-G1
4-wide 2nd turn, in time
19Oct97-8WO fm 1/2 @ :50 1:14 2:04 2:29 3:4 CanIntrnl-G1
28Sep97-9WO fm 1/2 @ :49 1:13 1:37 2:13 3:4 SkyClassH-G2C
4Jly97-6AP fm 1/2 @ :51 1:15 2:05 2:29 3:4 StrStrpBCH-G3
14Jun97-3WO fm 1/2 @ :45 1:09 1:33 1:46 3:4 KingEdwrdBCH-G3
WORKS: 0Oct31 WO 6f st 1:13 1/4 Oct11 WO 5f st 1:00 1/4 H 3/30 Sep20 WO 5f st 1:01 1/4 H 4/27 Aug29 WO 5f st 1:00 1/4 H 3/33 Aug9 WO 5f st :59 3/56

Ch. h. 5
Sire: Chief's Crown (Danzig)
Dam: Amelia Bearhart (Bold Hour)
Br: Maynard Richard D (Ont-C)
Tr: Frostad Mark (-) 98:(187 39 .21)
106 3 6 56 42 32 22 Santos JA
104 3 6 69 54 13 13 Santos JA
105 5 4 63 41 1 12 Santos JA
101 6 3 31 31 53 53 Santos JA
97 6 6 65 67 64 34 Santos JA
110 1 9 91 87 3 11 Santos JA
102 5 4 54 53 52 23 Santos JA
110 5 8 85 52 31 13 Santos JA
111 2 6 53 12 12 12 Santos JA
112 1 6 64 2nd 14 16 Santos JA
105 2 6 64 53 3 2 Santos JA
110 1 8 81 85 2 13 Santos JA

Table with columns for Lifetime Record (24 12 5 3 \$3,107,017), Turf (20 11 5 2 \$3,052,509), Wet (0 0 0 0), and Dist (11 5 4 0 \$2,529,089). Rows include race numbers and names like Royal Anthem, Chief Bearhart, and African Dancer.

Chief Bearhart
1997 Turf Champion
returns for an attempt to become the first horse in Breeders' Cup history to win this race twice while making his third appearance in the Breeders' Cup Turf; didn't impress in his first try on the home turf but wore down rivals as the favorite for an exciting finish at Hollywood; Enjoyed his best year in '97 with 5 wins and 2 seconds from 7 starts; Recently won a pair of Canadian graded stakes and then was the slight favorite over Royal Anthem, who went wire-to-wire for the upset last out; Makes his first career start on this course in his reunion with a couple of horses who have beaten him this year.

10 River Bay

Own: Ecurie Chalhou
DAY P (20 6 2 .30) 1998:(1096 238 .22)
40Oct98-75A fm 1/4 @ :50 1:14 2:02 2:22 3:4 OakTreeTfCh-G1
5Sep98-4Dmr fm 1/4 @ :48 1:14 1:38 2:14 3:4 Del Mar H-G2
19Jly98-4Hol fm 1/2 @ :50 1:14 2:03 2:27 3:4 Sunset H-G2
25May98-8Hol fm 1/4 @ :51 1:16 1:39 2:03 3:4 Hol Turf H-G1
6-wide 3/8; 5-wide into lane
14Dec97-8Hol fm 1/2 @ :48 1:13 2:02 2:26 3:4 HolTurfCup-G1
Previously trained by Hammond John
21Sep97-8Bel fm 1/4 @ :49 1:13 1:36 2:11 3:4 Man O'War-G1
27Apr97 Longchamp (Fr) sf *1 1/8 @RH 2:12 44 Prix Ganay-G1
Stk 145000
31Mar97 Longchamp (Fr) gd *1/4 @RH 2:03 44 Prix d'Harcourt-G2
Stk 90400
11Nov96 Sainl-Cloud (Fr) hy *1 @LH 1:52 34 Prix Perth-G3
Stk 70500
22Oct96 Deauville (Fr) gd *1/4 @RH 2:12 Coupe des Poulains du EBF
Alw 58200
6Oct96 Longchamp (Fr) yl *1 @RH 1:38 34 Prix du Rond-Point-G2
Stk 131000
22Sep96 Longchamp (Fr) sf *1 @RH 1:45 Prix de Lormoy
Alw 35100
WORKS: Nov2 CD @ 6f fm 1:17 B (d) 1/3 0Oct27 CD @ 6f fm 1:16 B (d) 1/4 Oct19 Hol 5f st 1:02 H 2/37 Oct13 Hol 4f st :49 1/4 H 6/27 Sep28 Hol 6f st 1:15 1/4 H 7/13

Ch. h. 5
Sire: Irish River*Fr (Riverman)
Dam: Buckeye Gal (Good Counsel)
Br: Rosemont Farm Inc (Ky)
Tr: Frankel Robert (-) 98:(265 37 .14)
99 3 4 46 44 32 33 Day P
106 6 6 65 63 41 2nd Solis A
106 3 6 52 21 11 12 Solis A
96 1 7 76 63 42 23 Solis A
109 1 12 126 53 1 1 1 Solis A
99 3 5 65 64 54 76 4 Migliore R
49 1/2 Jarnet T
12 1/2 Jarnet T
11 1/2 Jarnet T
14 Jarnet T
56 Guillot S
14 Jarnet T

Table with columns for Lifetime Record (15 7 2 3 \$856,490), Turf (15 7 2 3 \$856,490), Wet (0 0 0 0), and Dist (2 2 0 0 \$510,000). Rows include race numbers and names like Military, Bonapartiste, and River Bay.

River Bay
Had been keeping good company in France as a 3- and 4-year-old and had both a Group 2 and 3 victory under his belt before splitting the field in his first Group 1 appearance, where he was just two lengths behind '96 Turf winner Pilsudski; In December of his 4yo year he won his first Grade 1 stakes at Hollywood, and since that race picked up a victory in the Sunset Handicap over Lazy Lode; The beaten favorite in his last two starts, he is just now getting back to the distance he loves.

11 Sunshine Street

Own: Garvey Pat
MURTAGH J P (-) (-)
12Sep98 Doncaster (GB) gd *1 1/8 @LH 3:05 33 St Leger Stakes-G1
Stk 537000
15Aug98 Curragh (Ire) gd 1/4 @RH 2:04 34 Royal Whip Stakes-G3
Stk 69900
9Aug98 Leopardstwn (Ire) gd 1/2 @LH 2:35 34 Ballyroan Stakes (Listed)
Stk 28300
28Jun98 Curragh (Ire) hy 1/2 @RH 2:44 91 1/2 Irish Derby-G1
Stk 1045000
6Jun98 Epsom (GB) gd 1/2 @LH 2:33 42 1/2 Epsom Derby-G1
Stk 1694000
10May98 Leopardstwn (Ire) gd 1/4 @LH 2:06 21 1/2 Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial-G3
Stk 56500
19Apr98 Leopardstwn (Ire) hy 1/4 @LH 2:24 2nd Tesco Ireland Maiden
Maiden 10500
5Apr98 Curragh (Ire) hy 1/4 @RH 2:26 2nd Hotel Keadeen Maiden
Maiden 8200
27Oct97 Leopardstwn (Ire) yl 1 @LH 1:45 21 1/2 Natural Gas EBF Maiden
Maiden 11800
11Oct97 Cork (Ire) sf 7f @RH 1:33 22 1/2 Lee EBF Maiden
Maiden 10200

B. c. 3 (Feb)
Sire: Sunshine Forever (Roberto)
Dam: Meadow Spirit (Chief's Crown)
Br: Foxfield (Ky)
Tr: Meade Noel (-) (-)
33 Murtagh J P
21 Murtagh J P
13 1/2 Murtagh J P
91 1/2 Hughes R
42 1/2 Murtagh J P
21 1/2 Ahern E
2nd Hughes R
2nd Hughes R
21 1/2 Ahern E
22 1/2 Ahern E2

Table with columns for Lifetime Record (10 1 6 1 \$184,223), Turf (10 1 6 1 \$184,223), Wet (0 0 0 0), and Dist (3 1 0 0 \$93,337). Rows include race numbers and names like Nedawi, High And Low, and Sunshine Street.

Sunshine Street
Finished as the runner up in a Grade 3 last May and connections sent him on to the Epsom Derby for his next start, where he went off at odds of 150-1 but finished fourth of 15 runners and less than 3 lengths behind the winner, High Rise; after a dismal performance in the Irish Derby he broke his maiden going this distance at Leopardstwn and has improved since then, with his latest a third-place finish versus Group 3 horses; tries to keep his sights on Buck's Boy.

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Coupled - Awesome Again, Coronado's Quest and Touch Gold

2 Victory Gallop

PP-1
Own: Prestonwood Farm Inc
SOLISA (-) 1998: (872 135 .15)



B. c. 3 (May)
Sire: Cryptoclearance (Fappiano)
Dam: Victorious LII (Vice Regent)
Br: Tall Oaks Farm (Ont-C)
Tr: Walden W Elliott (2 1 0 0 .50) 98: (389 64 .16)

Lifetime Record : 12 6 5 0 \$1,819,880

Date	Track	Class	Time	Position	Trainer	Weight	Speed	Notes
29 Aug 98	9Sar	fst 1/4	:48 ⁴ 1:13 1:37 ² 2:03 ²	1st	Travers-G1	107	7.5	52 ³ 32 31 ¹ 2 nd Solis A
9 Aug 98	11Mth	fst 1/4	:47 1:10 ⁴ 1:35 ³ 1:48 ³	1st	Haskell Inv H-G1	108	5.5	58 ¹ 45 3 ³ 21 ¹ Stevens G L
6 Jun 98	9Bel	fst 1/2	:48 ³ 1:13 ² 2:02 ⁴ 2:29	1st	Belmont-G1	110	9.10	97 57 ¹ 24 1 ^{no} Stevens G L
16 May 98	10Pim	fst 1/4	:46 ² 1:11 1:35 ⁴ 1:54 ³	1st	Preakness-G1	107	9.7	89 ¹ 48 ¹ 2 ¹ 22 ¹ Stevens G L
2 May 98	8CD	fst 1/4	:45 ³ 1:10 ³ 1:35 ³ 2:02 ¹	1st	Ky Derby-G1	106	13.14	151 ⁶ 75 ¹ 33 ¹ 2 ¹ Solis A
11 Apr 98	90P	fst 1/4	:46 1:10 ⁴ 1:37 ² 1:49 ⁴	1st	Ark Derby-G2	101	5.7	88 ¹ 85 ¹ 21 1 nd Solis A
21 Mar 98	90P	fst 1/4	:23 ¹ :47 ³ 1:13 ¹ 1:44 ³	1st	Rebel-G3	105	7.4	53 31 1 nd 1 nd Coa E M
1 Nov 97	10Lr	sly 1/4	:49 1:14 ¹ 1:40 1:53 ³	1st	Laurel Fty-G3	90	3.4	45 44 ¹ 33 ¹ 21 ¹ Johnston M T
11 Oct 97	9Cnl	fst 1	:22 :44 ⁴ 1:10 ¹ 1:36 ⁴	1st	Chenery 100k	85	5.6	66 ¹ 43 ¹ 31 ¹ 13 ¹ Johnston M T
1 Sep 97	9Cnl	fst 7f	:22 :45 ¹ 1:09 ³ 1:22 ³	1st	New Kent 54k	80	3.4	52 ¹ 55 21 12 Johnston M T
2 Aug 97	1Lr	fst 7f	:23 ² :48 ¹ 1:14 ¹ 1:26 ⁴	1st	Mid Sp Wt	60	8.4	1 nd 1 nd 15 10 ¹ Prado E S
20 July 97	1Del	fst 5f	:23 :47 ² :59 ³	1st	Mid Sp Wt	42	8.5	84 ¹ 76 ¹ 78 59 ¹ McCarthy M J

WORKS: Nov 1 CD 5f fst 1:01 B 7/26 Oct 25 CD 6f fst 1:12 B 1/5 Oct 18 CD 6f fst 1:14 B 1/2 Oct 13 CD 5f fst 1:01 B 3/30 Sep 23 CD 4f fst :49² B 11/34

3 Swain (Ire)

PP-2
Own: Godolphin Racing Inc
DETTORIL (-) 1998: (6 1 .17)

B. h. 6
Sire: Nashwan (Blushing Groom*Fr)
Dam: Love Smitten (Key to the Mint)
Br: Al Maktoum Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid (Ire)
Tr: Surour Saeed Bin (-) 98: (2 1 .50)

Lifetime Record : 21 10 4 5 \$3,162,715

Date	Track	Class	Time	Position	Trainer	Weight	Speed	Notes
12 Sep 98	Leopardstwn	(Ire) sf	1/4 @ LH 2:10 ¹ 3 ⁴	1st	Irish Champion Stakes-G1	11	1.50	Stk 294000
25 July 98	Ascot	(GB)	gd 1 1/2 @ RH 2:29 3 ⁴	1st	King George VI & Queen Eliz St-G1	11	5.50	Stk 994000
19 Jun 98	Ascot	(GB)	yl 1 1/2 @ RH 2:34 ⁴ 4 ⁴	3 rd	Hardwicke Stakes-G1	3 rd	*.80	Stk 211000
5 Jun 98	Epsom	(GB)	gd 1 1/2 @ LH 2:37 ³ 4 ⁴	2 ¹ / ₄	Coronation Cup-G1	2 ¹ / ₄	*1.00	Stk 290000
28 Mar 98	Nada Al Sheba	(UAE) 1st *1/4	LH 2:04 ¹ 4 ⁴	2 nd	Dubai World Cup-G1	2 nd	-	Stk 4000000
5 Oct 97	Longchamp	(Fr)	gd *1 1/2 @ RH 2:24 ³ 3 ⁴	7 th / ₄	Prix d'Arc de Triomphe-G1	7 th / ₄	9.50e	Stk 1184000
18 Sep 97	Newbury	(GB)	gd 1 3/4 @ LH 2:19 3 ⁴	3 rd	Arc Trial (Listed)	3 rd	*.50	Stk 85200
26 July 97	Ascot	(GB)	sf 1 1/2 @ RH 2:36 ² 3 ⁴	1 st	King George VI & Queen Eliz St-G1	1 st	16.00	Stk 816000
8 July 97	Newmarket	(GB)	gd 1 1/2 @ RH 2:29 ¹ 3 ⁴	2 nd	Princess of Wales's Stakes-G2	2 nd	*1.85	Stk 97200
26 Oct 96	9WO	gd 1 1/2 @ :50	1:15 ² 2:05 ⁴ 2:30 ¹ 3 ⁴	110	3 5 51 ¹ 52 ¹ 31 ¹ 32 ¹	126	*1.10e	Peslier O
6 Oct 96	Longchamp	(Fr)	yl *1 1/2 @ RH 2:29 ⁴ 3 ⁴	4 th / ₄	Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe-G1	4 th / ₄	2.50e	Jarnet T
15 Sep 96	Longchamp	(Fr)	gd *1 1/2 @ RH 2:33 ⁴ 4 ⁴	1 1/2	Prix Foy-G3	1 1/2	1.00	Jarnet T

WORKS: Nov 4 CD 5f gd 1:02 B 7/33 Oct 30 CD 5f fst 1:03 B 26/36

A CLOSER LOOK

Classic

Victory Gallop

This isn't the way to come into this, off a long layoff and surgery to alleviate a breathing problem; no doubt a very, very nice horse, but even in his peak form he'd have trouble against these elders, particularly elders with so much more tactical speed; 3yos have done well in this race, but in each case it was either a monster doing the running (Sunday Silence, Easy Goer, Alysheba) or a horse peaking at the right time and NOT facing the toughest group of elders (A.P. Indy, Concern, Unbridled, Seeking the Gold); style doesn't suit - of the 14 winners, only 5 were more than 6 lengths back after a half mile, only 3 were more than 6 lengths back after 6fs; at least working well here and his Derby effort was tremendous; still have to believe he has a better chance of winning this race in '99 than he does in '98.

Swain

Only miler Intikhab has a higher Timeform rating (140) than this guy (134), as of the Timeform Oct. 24 issue; in terms of routers, he's the best horse in Europe; Arc-winning 3yo Sagamix has a 132 rating; going here instead of the Turf keeps right in line with this Godolphin invasion - first Daylami wins the Man o' War in NY, then they buy Worldly Manner and plan on a Ky. Derby invasion...this seems like the logical next step; check out that Dubai World Cup monster effort - that's when 'Charm was on top of his game, so you know this guy ran huge and that he handles dirt; the big question here is how he's affected by the pace - Skippy figures on the lead, 'Charm not far behind; can this guy give them a head start and still go get them? well, he almost did it in Dubai, but this time he's shipping to the U.S. and a differently configured track; if Stevens on 'Charm confronts Skippy early, this guy will get his kind of pace and the leaders will be coming home slower than they might otherwise, leaving them ripe for the plucking; absolutely compelling.

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