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ROYAL ASCOT

Friday 23rd June

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Going—good to firm

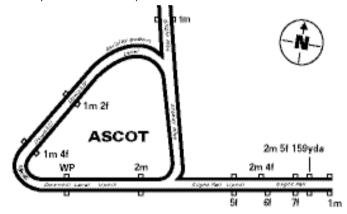
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Fundamentally, the characteristics of Ascot remain unchanged by the redevelopment undertaken in 2005, though the straight mile course has been moved back forty-two metres, slightly altering the position of the winning post. In addition, the racing surface on both the straight and round course is new, and the road crossings have been removed. The Ascot round course is a right-handed, triangular circuit of fourteen furlongs, with a run-in of 21/2 furlongs. There is a straight mile course, over which the Royal Hunt Cup is run, and the Old mile course which joins the round course in Swinley Bottom. All races shorter than a mile are normally decided on the straight course. From the mile-and-half starting gate the round course runs downhill to the bend in Swinley Bottom, where it is level, then rises steadily to the turn into the straight, from where it is uphill until less than a furlong from the winning post, the last hundred vards being more or less level. The straight mile is slightly downhill from the start and then rises to the five-furlong gate, after which there is a slight fall before the junction with the round course. Despite the downhill run into Swinley Bottom and relatively short run-in from the final turn, the Ascot course is galloping in character; the turns are easy, there are no minor surface undulations to throw a long-striding horse off balance, and all races are very much against the collar over the last half mile. The course is, in fact, quite a testing one and very much so in soft going, when there is a heavy premium on stamina. In such circumstances races over two miles to two and three quarter miles are very severe tests.

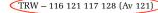


DRAW: Traditionally, there is no strong draw bias on the straight course at Ascot. Over the years, a low draw hasn't proved difficult to overcome in races over a mile or more on the round course, even in largish fields (runners often race wide when the going is soft).

STALLS: Stand side — straight course.

Most Successful Trainers 2001 to 2005						
Trainer	Wins	Runs	%			
M. Johnston	38	194	20			
Sir Michael Stoute	22	142	15			
R. Hannon	21	244	9			
M. P. Tregoning	17	61	28			
Saeed bin Suroor	17	89	19			
J. H. M. Gosden	16	121	13			
A. P. O'Brien, Ireland	11	91	12			
M. R. Channon	10	190	5			
J. R. Fanshawe	9	61	15			
T. G. Mills	9	72	13			

FIRST RACE ROYAL ASCOT (TV BBC1)



6f

THE ALBANY STAKES (Group 3) (1) 2.35

£60.000 2vo fillies



1 AMBER VALLEY

2 8-12 b.f. (Mar 31) Foxhound (USA) 103 – Amber Mill 96 (Doulab (USA) 115) [2006 5.2m⁴ 5g* 5s² 6m³ Jun 5] leggy, lengthy filly: half-sister to several winners, including 5f/6f 5s winner Mr Pertemps (by Primo Dominie) and useful 5f to 6.5f winner (including at 2 5g. yrs) Golden Nun (by Bishop of Cashel): dam 5f/6f winner, including at 2 yrs: fairly useful form: won maiden at Haydock in April by length from Feelin Foxy, making all: 1/2-length second of 7 to Gilded in listed event at York next time, and bit more improvement when 21/4 lengths third of 6 to Brazilian Bride in Swordlestown Stud Sprint Stakes at Naas latest start, making most: stays 6f: acts on soft and good to firm going: edged left first 2 outings. (100Yo5s 76Ha5g 69Ya5m)

Robert Winston Drawn 15 White, dark blue epaulets, dark blue and white halved sleeves, quartered cap (Mr T. G. & Mrs M. E. Holdcroft)

2 BAHAMA MAMA (IRE) b.f. (Mar 5) Invincible Spirit (IRE) 121 – Nassma (IRE) 95 (Sadler's Wells (USA) 132) 2006 5m* 6m* Iun 4 17.000F. 40.000Y: smallish, good-bodied filly: half-sister to 5m several winners, including useful 6f (at 2 yrs) to 1m (in UAE) winner Calchas (by Warning) and fairly useful 9f/1½m winner Traprain (by Mark of Esteem): dam 1¼m and 13.4f winner: fairly useful form: unbeaten in 2 starts, maiden at Newmarket (beat Bicoastal by head, having bit to do under 2f out but picking up well to lead close home) in May and 3-runner minor event at Brighton in June; beat Pires by 31/2 lengths

for latest success, making all and readily drawing clear inside final 1f; remains open

to improvement. (104Br6m 95Nm5m)

K. Fallon Drawn 13

Black, white chevron hoop and cap (Lucavan Stud)



3 BALTIC BELLE (IRE)

2 8-12

93 b.f. (Jan 26) Redback 116 – Skerries Bell 71 (Taufan (USA) 119) [2006 $5g^3$ $6s^2$ May 24] 6s 23,000Y: sturdy filly: sixth foal: half-sister to 3 winners, including 2004 2-y-o 6f 5gwinner Deeday Bay (by Brave Act) and 5f/6f winner Gone'n'dunnet (by Petardia), both fairly useful: dam, Belgian 7f to 9f winner, half-sister to smart sprinter Indian Rocket: fair form when placed in maidens at Windsor (23/4 lengths third of 15 to Camissa) and

101 p

Goodwood (neck second of 8 to Cavort, staying on well): stays 6f: acts on soft ground. Rvan Moore Drawn 4 Emerald green, yellow stripe, yellow cap (Thurloe Thoroughbreds VIII)



4 BICOASTAL (USA)

ch.f. (Mar 9) Gone West (USA) – Ocean Queen (USA) (Zilzal (USA) 137) [2006 5m² 6d* May 26] \$425,000Y: leggy filly: sixth foal: half-sister to fairly useful 11/4m winner Sea 5m Gift (by A P Indy): dam, US Grade 3 winner, half-sister to useful performer up to 1m (won Queen Mary at 2 yrs, Fred Darling at 3 yrs) Dance Parade: fairly useful form: confirmed debut promise (head second to Bahama Mama in maiden at Newmarket) when winning 12-runner similar event on same course by a length from Buddies Girl, soon prominent against stand and keeping on strongly: stays 6f: open to further progress. (94Nm5m 58Nm6d)

Iimmy Fortune Drawn 11 Neon pink, green diabolo, striped sleeves, pink cap, green visor (Mr Andrew Rosen)

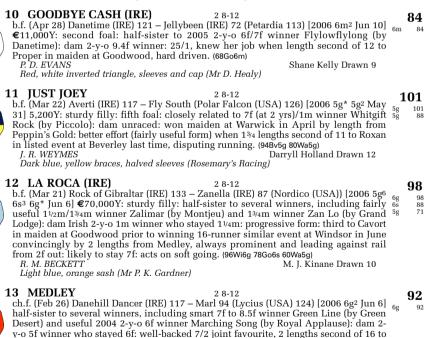


5 CASSIARA

gr.f. (Jan 31) Diktat 126 - Heaven-Liegh-Grey 90 (Grey Desire 115) [2006 5d³ 5g⁴ 5s³ gr.i. (Jan 31) Diktat 126 – Heaven-Liegh-Grey 90 (Grey Desire 115) [2006 5d 3 5g 4 5s 3 5g 6 May 31] 8,000Y: leggy filly: has a quick action: half-sister to several winners, 5 including fairly useful 1m/9f winner French Connection (by Tirol): dam best at 5f: 5g fairly useful maiden: best effort when 11/4 lengths third to Gilded in listed race at York third start: not discredited when sixth of 11 to Roxan in similar event at Beverley last

time: will be suited by 6f. (97Yo5s 87By5g 87Le5d) Jimmy Quinn Drawn 14 White, pink seams, white cap (Emma Ellie Simon & Wayne Partnership)





La Roca in maiden at Windsor, soon well placed despite wide draw, keeping on well:

Purple, gold braid, scarlet sleeves, black velvet cap, gold fringe (The Queen)

Richard Hughes Drawn 6

will improve. (89Wi6a)



b.f. (Mar 8) Dixie Union (USA) 121 – Staraway (USA) (Star de Naskra (USA)) [2006 6d⁴ May 26] \$160,000Y, \$500,000 2-y-o: lengthy, quite good-topped filly: third living foal: half-sister to US 6f winner Square Pants (by King of Kings): dam 6f to 9f winner in USA: 2/1 joint favourite, 5 lengths fourth of 12 to Bicoastal in maiden at Newmarket, learning all the while and finishing well under hands and heels: sure to improve. (41Nm6d) L. Dettori Drawn 7 Mauve and pink check, white sleeves, pink cap (Sir Robert Ogden)

17 SATULAGI (USA)

b.f. (Feb 29) Officer (USA) 120 – Shawgatny (USA) 83 (Danzig Connection (USA)) 5d [2006 p5g³ 5.2m* 5d⁶ May 1] \$70,000F: half-sister to 3 winners, including fairly useful 5m 2003 2-y-o 6f winner Mister Saif (by Miswaki) and 1m winner September Harvest (by p5g Muitahid): dam. Irish 2-v-o 9f winner, sister to very smart 1m to 11/4m performer Star of Gdansk: fair form when winning 6-runner maiden at Yarmouth in April by neck from Hucking Hill, looking green after slow start and leading close home having wandered off bridle 2f out: stiff task, never going pace when well-held sixth of 7 behind Drayton in listed race at the Curragh last time. (81Ya5m)

John Egan Drawn 8 Pink, emerald green chevron, halved sleeves, quartered cap (Mrs Fitri Hay)



18 SCARLET RUNNER 2 8-12 b.f. (Feb 2) Night Shift (USA) - Sweet Pea 94 (Persian Bold 123) [2006 6d 6f* Jun 12] sturdy filly: third foal: half-sister to Irish 1½m winner Scent (by Groom Dancer): dam 6d 1m winner: much better effort in maidens when winning 14-runner event at Windsor in June by 21/2 lengths from Spritza, not fully extended to make all: bred to stay 7f, but doesn't look in need of further than 6f at present; likely to prove capable of better still.

Kerrin McEvov Drawn 17 Red, brown and white striped sleeves (Mr Nicholas Jones)



19 SILK BLOSSOM (IRE) 2 8-12 ch.f. (Jan 26) Barathea (IRE) 127 – Lovely Blossom (FR) (Spinning World (USA) 130) [2006 5g* Apr 19] €50,000Y: well-made filly: first foal: dam, third at 9.5f in France on only start, half-sister to smart performer up to 1m Debbie's Warning: 7/1 and bandaged hind joints, won 12-runner maiden at Newmarket in April by 11/4 lengths from Tarkamara, held up before quickening well to lead close home: will stay 6f: looks sure to improve. (100Nm5g)

Michael Hills Drawn 16 Scarlet, white hooped sleeves and cap with black spots (Mr E. D. Kessly)

Ten of the eighteen are winners but none has achieved the level of form required to win this event (average TRW is 121). The highest-rated horse with a 'p'—those with most scope to bridge the gap—is Silk Blossom (106p).

Result: Once-raced Sander Camillo (81p) confirms her debut promise to land a gamble. Silk Blossom is a creditable second at 7/1.

continued

 $1^{1/2}$ m

135 p

THE KING EDWARD VII STAKES (Group 2) (1) 3.10

£200,000 3vo colts and geldings

1 BAAN (USA) Ch.c. Diesis 133 – Madaen (USA) (Nureyev (USA) 131) [2005 7.5d* $8.2g^2$ $7.6s^2$ 8.5d* :: $\begin{array}{ccc} 118 & 114 & G3 \\ 2006 & 7g^6 & 10m^3 & 11.5m^3 & May & 13 \end{array}$ small, good-topped colt: useful performer: won minor $\begin{array}{ccc} 108 & 101 & G3 \\ 108 & 101 & 103 & 103 & 103 \end{array}$ events at Beverley and Epsom at 2 yrs: better for reappearance (at 7f), apparent $\begin{array}{ccc} 7g & 108 & 101 & 103 &$

improvement when ½-length third of 5 to Primary in Classic Trial at Sandown: not 88' discredited when 51/4 lengths third of 4 finishers to Linda's Lad in Derby Trial at 8g' Lingfield last time, dictating pace: barely stays 11.5f: acts on soft and good to firm going. (111'Ep9d 107'Bv7d 102'No8a) Martin Dwyer Drawn 8

M. JOHNSTON Royal blue, white epaulets, black cap (Mr Hamdan Al Maktoum)

DEGAS ART (IRE) b.g. Danehill Dancer (IRE) 117 - Answer (Warning 136) [2005 7m 7s² :: 2006 10g² 12f* 10s² May 27] good-topped gelding: half-brother to fairly useful Irish 7f (at 2 vrs) and 12f 9f winner Zelkova (by Barathea): dam, fairly useful French 9f winner, sister to Self 10g

Defense: useful performer: landed odds in 7-runner maiden at Salisbury in May, 7m⁷ making most and beating Nimra 8 lengths; best effort when 4 lengths second of 6 to Red Rocks in listed event at Newmarket last time, clear of remainder: stays 11/2m: acts on firm and soft going: hung right on reappearance. (114Nm10s 104Sb12f 104'Nm7s)

John Egan Drawn 1 Dark green, white seams, white sleeves, dark green armlets, white cap (Mr Matthew

4 MORGHIM (IRE)

b.c. Machiavellian (USA) 123 – Saleela (USA) 85 (Nureyev (USA) 131) [2005 7d* :: 10m 117 L 2006 9g⁶ 10m³ May 6] leggy, lengthy, quite attractive colt: third living foal: closely ^{9g} related to winner in USA by Miswaki: dam, 12.5f winner, half-sister to 2000 Guineas ^{7d'} winner King's Best and Arc winner Urban Sea, herself dam of Galileo: successful sole start at 2 yrs, in maiden at Newmarket: useful form in listed races there both starts this season, when fifth of 8 to Atlantic Waves and 41/2 lengths third of 6 to Mulagat; will stav 11/2m. (110Nm10m 90Nm9g 90'Nm7d)

I. L. DUNLOP R. Hills Drawn 6 Royal blue, white epaulets, striped cap (Mr Hamdan Al Maktoum)

5 PAPAL BULL 3 8-12

b.c. Montjeu (IRE) 137 – Mialuna (Zafonic (USA) 130) [2005 7m⁴ 8g² 7g* :: 2006 10g* 12m 12.3f* 12m Jun 3] good-bodied colt: second foal: dam, Italian maiden, half-sister to smart Italian sprinter St Paul House out of has an Stakes winner Mamaluna: smart frain successful hieves on 0 unfer leading by Newmarket and MBNA Europe eg Bank Chester Vas v. a. te. lt. 3 lt hy v. from Dag a Bancer, asserting inside final 1f, 7m' despite diving left no. w. w. i. s. op. ed to r. cks v. ien improving strongly under 3f out and not unduly burnshed thereafter when tenth behind Sir Percy (Dragon Dancer second) in Derby at Epsom last time: stays 11/2m: acts on firm going: slowly away at Chester, and tends to run in snatches/carry head awkwardly; has his quirks, but has ability to win another good prize. (121Ch12f 117Ep12m 114Nm10g)

SIR MICHAEL STOUTE K. Fallon Drawn 4 Dark blue (Mrs J Magnier, Mr D Smith & Mr M Tabor)

RED ROCKS (IRE)

b.c. Galileo (IRE) 134 - Pharmacist (IRE) 108 (Machiavellian (USA) 123) [2005 8m 8g³ b.c. Gaineo (IKE) 134 – Fnarmacist (IKE) 108 (Machiavellian (USA) 123) [2005 8m 8g 3 $_{108}$ 8d 2 :: 2006 10m * 10s * May 27] rather leggy, angular colt: has a quick action: third foal: $_{10m}$ half-brother to smart Irish/French 7f (at years) to 11/40 winner Medicinal (by Linamix):

dam Irish 2-y-0 6f winner: smart form 1 hs wan 2 h his starts this year, 16-runner maiden at Windsor (impressively by 3 le gell of by uty) in April and 6-runner listed race at Newmarket by 4 lengths from 1 he are leading 2f out and soon on top: will stay 11/2m: acts on soft and good to firm ground: sweating/edgy final 2-y-0 start: type to progress further and make his mark in pattern company. (122Nm10s 111Wi10m 105'Nm8d) L. Dettori Drawn 9 White, purple hoop, purple sleeves, white armlets, purple cap (Mr J. Paul Reddam)

7 SIXTIES ICON

b.c. Galileo (IRE) 134 – Love Divine 120 (Diesis 133) [2005 NR :: 2006 10g⁶ 10g^{*} 12m 127 + 61 Jun 3] 230,000Y: strong, well-made, attractive colt: second foal: dam, 1\(^14\)m/1\(^12\)m 10g (Oaks) winner, out of close relation to Char pion Stakes winner Legal Case: smart form: won 11-runner maiden at Wr. 4s. In Yay by 34 length from Fleeting Memory, again showing greenness under press ir but s on on top: much better effort when 514 lengths seventh to Sir Percy in Derry, at a psoin next time, running on steadily from off pace (took eye on way to post, though had got noticeably warm beforehand): will stay 1³/₄m: likely to improve again. (122Ep12m 84Nm10g 69Wi10g) I. NOSEDA Shane Kelly Drawn 2

129 p

105 p

Mauve (Mrs Susan Rov)

8 STEPPE DANCER (IRE)

2 vrs)/1½m (Gordon Stakes) winner St Mawes (by Shahrastani) and fairly useful 1¾m winner St Enodoc (by Sanglamore): dam French 1½m winner: fairly useful form: won maiden at Kempton in May: shaped well when fourth of 12 to Portal in handicap at Goodwood next time, running on well from rear under hands and heels; should stay 1½m: should still do better. (87Go10m)

Jamie Spencer Drawn 7 D. J. COAKLEY Orange, white halved sleeves (Mr Chris van Hoorn)

9 TAM LIN

b.c. Selkirk (USA) 129 - La Nuit Rose (FR) 109 (Rainbow Quest (USA) 134) [2005 NR :: 2006 10g* 11.1d* May 19] tall colt: brother to 6f/7f winner Finders Keepers and halfbrother to 2002 2-y-o 7f winner Finger of Fate (by Machiavellian), both fairly useful: dam, 2-v-o 7f winner, out of Prix de Diane winner Caerlina: created good impression when winning maiden at Leicester (beat Altenburg 4 lengths, soon clear despite looking awkward) in April and 4-runner listed race at Hamilton, beating Futun by 2 lengths with bit in hand in latter, travelling strongly and leading over 1f out despite again carrying head high and repeatedly flashing tail: already useful, and likely to do better still. (106Hm11d 95Le10g)

SIR MICHAEL STOUTE Robert Winston Drawn 5 Royal blue, white chevron, light blue cap (Gainsborough Stud)

10 YOUMZAIN (IRE) b.c. Sinndar (IRE) 134 - Sadima (IRE) 103 (Sadler's Wells (USA) 132) [2005 7g 8m³ 8g* :: 2006 12m* 10d3 May 14] big, strong colt: first foal: dam, Irish 1¼m winner, out of 12m half-sister to Pilsudski: useful performer: won maiden at Goodwood in 2005 and 8g, slowly-run 3-runner minor event at Catterick (by ½ length with something to spare 7g' from London Express) on reappearance in May: improved again when 11/2 lengths third of 8 to Dylan Thomas in Derrinstown Stud Derby Trial Stakes at Leopardstown last time, keeping on: will stay beyond 11/2m: acts on good to firm and good to soft ground. (106'Go8g 77'Ya8m 69'Yo7g)

M. R. CHANNON Tony Culhane Drawn 3 Royal blue, white striped sleeves, white cap (Mr Jaber Abdullah)

Two stand out, Top-rated Papal Bull (138) and Red Rocks (135p) are both well up to the standard required (the average TRW is 133). Sixties Icon (129p) is the only one close enough on the ratings to be a potential danger.

Result: A 1.2.3 for Timeform ratings, Papal Bull (5/4) winning from Red Rocks (3/1) and Sixties Icon (8/1).

THE CORONATION STAKES (Group 1) (1)

1m (Rnd)

123

128

103 L 80 + M

£250.000 3vo fillies



1 DONNA BLINI

ch.f. Bertolini (USA) 125 - Cal Norma's Lady (IRE) 87 (Lyphard's Special (USA) 122) [2005 5g* 5d² 6m* 6g* :: 2006 8s May 7] 20,000Y; strong, lengthy filly: half-sister to 6g's several winners, including 1997 2-y-o 6f winner Magical (by Magic Ring), later Grade 6m's 4m' of winner in USA and 4m' of winner 3 1m winner in USA, and 1m/9f winner Jordan's Elect (by Fleetwood): dam 2-v-o 6f/7f 5g' winner who staved 11/4m: useful form: won 3 races at 2 vrs. all at Newmarket. including Cherry Hinton Stakes and Cheveley Park Stakes (narrowly held Wake Up Maggie and Flashy Wings), run of race both times: edgy in paddock and pulled hard in race when last of 13 in 1000 Guineas there on comeback: likely to prove best up to 7f. (112'Nm6m 111'Nm6g 96'Bv5d) B. J. MEEHAN

Richard Hughes Drawn 6

Dark blue, grev chevrons on sleeves, dark blue cap, grev star (Mrs T. S. M.

Cunningham)



2 FLASHY WINGS 3 9-0 ch.f. Zafonic (USA) 130 - Lovealoch (IRE) 108 (Lomond (USA) 128) [2005 5m* 5.2m* 5g* 6m* 6.5m² 6g³ :: 2006 8s May 7] tall, useful-looking filly: has scope: has a quick, 6g fluent action: seventh foal: half-sister to several winners abroad, including Italian 6m' 6m' 11/4m winner Love of The Game (by Croco Rouge) and 10.5f winner Sagamartha (by 5m Rainbow Quest): dam 7f (at 2 yrs) to 9f winner, later successful in USA: smart 5m' performer: successful 4 times in 2005 including Queen Mary Stakes at Royal Ascot (at York) and Lowther Stakes at York, and on last 2 starts that year second in valuable sales race at Newbury (edged left) and third (beaten 2 necks having had plenty to do) to Donna Blini in Cheveley Park Stakes at Newmarket: seemed unable to cope with testing conditions when well beaten in 1000 Guineas at Newmarket on reappearance, eased in end: should stay 1m; acts on good to firm ground; tends to idle in front. Entered in Sussex Stakes. (129'Yo5g 124'Yo6m 109'Nm6g)

M. R. CHANNON

Jamie Spencer Drawn 9

R. Hills Drawn 4

Royal blue, white striped sleeves, white cap (Mr Jaber Abdullah)



3 LOLITA (GER)

b.f. Lavirco (GER) 125 – Little Movie Star 81 (Risk Me (FR) 127) [2005 7d* :: 2006 8s* 8v* Apr 30] €6,000 2-y-o: second foal: half-sister to useful German 6.5f/7f winner 8s Lamargue (by Mujahid): dam, 2-y-o 5f winner, out of half-sister to very smart German performer up to 11/2m Kornado: unbeaten in 3 starts at Dusseldorf, namely maiden at 2 yrs, listed race on reappearance in April (by nose from Mrs Snow) and pferdewetten de Stutenpreis (German 1000 Guineas) later in month by 2 lengths from Almerita (made all, pair clear): sold privately after: stays 1m: acts on heavy going (yet to race on good or firmer): open to further improvement.

O. Peslier Drawn 8 Orange, three blue spots, white cap, orange spots (Mr Martin S. Schwartz)



4 MOSTAQELEH (USA)

ch.f. Rahy (USA) 115 – Istiqlal (USA) (Diesis 133) [2005 6m³ 6m* 7m* :: 2006 7g⁵ 8m² Jun 4] well-made filly: has a short, quick action: fifth living foal: half-sister to very 7g smart 7f (including at 2 yrs) and 11/4m winner Muqbil (by Swain) and fairly useful 1m 7m, 6m, 7m winner Hureyah (by Woodman): dam unraced half-sister to Bahri and Bahhare: useful 6m performer: won maiden and minor event at Newbury at 2 yrs: upped in trip, much the better effort this year when 11/2 lengths second of 5 to Impressionnante in Prix de Sandringham at Chantilly last time, challenging over 1f out and running on despite flashing tail repeatedly under whip: stays 1m: raced only on good/good to firm going. (107Nm7g 93'Nb6m 87'Nb6m)

I. L. DUNLOP

Royal blue, white epaulets, striped cap (Mr Hamdan Al Maktoum)

123

5 NANNINA



held: should stay 11/4m: acts on good to firm going: worth another chance to show

J. H. M. GOSDEN Red, white sash, royal blue cap (Chevelev Park Stud)

herself a leading 3-y-o filly. (124'Nm8g 108'Go7g 107'Nb6m)

Jimmy Fortune Drawn 13

6 NANTYGLO

b.f. Mark of Esteem (IRE) 137 - Bright Halo (IRE) (Bigstone (IRE) 126) [2005 6g4 6m* 6.1m² 6.5m³ 6m³ 7d :: 2006 8g* 8.5g Jun 2] leggy, lengthy filly: useful performer: good 8g third to Cool Creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005: best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005: best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005: best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in Mill Reef Stakes at Newbury penultimate start in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in 2005 best 7d ff. the cool creek in 2005

effort when winning 7-runner listed race at Goodwood in May by 11/4 lengths from 6m^o Sweet Treat, soon well placed and always in control after leading over 2f out, despite 6m'

carrying tail awkwardly: didn't take eye on way to post (moved short and carried tail awkwardly) when last of 10 behind Echelon in Princess Elizabeth Stakes at Epsom last time, hampered leaving stall: takes strong hold, and should prove as effective back at 7f as 1m: acts on good to firm going. (99'Cp6m 99'Wi6m 98'Nb6m)

M. L. W. BELL Royal blue, emerald green sleeves (Usk Vallev Stud) T. Quinn Drawn 2

7 NASHEEJ (USA)

b.f. Swain (IRE) 134 – El Nafis (USA) 73 (Kingmambo (USA) 125) [2005 7g* 7.1m³ 7m* 8m* 8g³ :: 2006 7m* 8s³ 8v May 28] good-topped filly: useful performer: successful at 2 yrs in maiden at Newbury, Sweet Solera Stakes at Newmarket and May Hill Stakes at Doncaster: at least as good this season, winning Dubai Duty Free Stakes (Fred gm).

121 G3

Darling) at Newbury in April, then 3½ lengths third of 13 to Speciosa in 1000 Guineas 7m' at Newmarket (raced in smaller group until coming across finish): ran poorly in Irish 1000 Guineas at the Curragh last time: stays 1m: acts on soft and good to firm ground:

tough and reliable. (118Nm8s 116Nb7m 116'Nm8g) R. HANNON Rvan Moore Drawn 15 Dark blue, yellow hoop and sleeves, white cap (Mr Malih L. Al Basti)

8 NIGHTIME (IRE)

3 9-0

ch.f. Galileo (IRE) 134 - Caumshinaun (IRE) 114 (Indian Ridge 123) [2005 7d :: 2006 8.7d* 8v* May 28] leggy, rather lightly-made filly: second foal: half-sister to useful 9d Irish 2004 2-y-o 1m winner Mermaid Island (by Mujadil): dam Irish 6f to 1m winner: 7d' 1111? G3 seventh of 8 in C. L. Weld Park Stakes at the Curragh only 2-v-o outing: landed odds in maiden at Cork on reappearance in April: 12/1, much improved (smart form) when winning 15-runner Boylesports Irish 1000 Guineas at the Curragh following month by 6 lengths from Ardbrae Lady, tracking pace before forging on under 2f out: will stay

14m: raced only on ground softer than good (acts well on heavy). D. K. WELD, IRELAND Blue, pink sleeves, blue and gold quartered cap (Mrs C. L. Weld) P. J. Smullen Drawn 3

9 PRICE TAG

b.f. Dansili 127 - Tarocchi (USA) (Affirmed (USA)) [2005 5g5 7g* 8g5 :: 2006 8g3 8g3 May 14] angular filly: second foal: half-sister to French 11f winner Latchkey (by Unfuwain): dam, French 10.5f winner, half-sister to smart French/US performer up to 11/2m Privity: smart performer: won minor event at Deauville at 2 yrs: third of 9 to 5g Daltaya in Priv de la Crette at Longohomp on provinces. Daltaya in Prix de la Grotte at Longchamp on reappearance before much improved effort when first past post (demoted to third) in Poule d'Essai des Pouliches there last time (beat Tie Black by 11/2 lengths), challenging late from rear and quickening well, but edging right in front, causing interference to third: stays 1m: raced only on good

P. BARY, FRANCE

T. Thulliez Drawn 12

Green, pink epaulets, white sleeves, pink cap (Mr K. Abdulla)

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10 RACE FOR THE STARS (USA)

b.f. Fusaichi Pegasus (USA) 130 – La Lorgnette (CAN) (Val de L'Orne (FR) 133) [2005 8v 6g² 7g 7d* 7d* :: 2006 8s 8v⁴ May 28l tall, close-coupled filly: closely related to 3 8s winners, notably top-class 7f (at 2 yrs) to 11/4m winner and Derby second Hawk Wing 7d/7d/7 (by Woodman) and half-sister to 3 winners in USA: dam champion 3-y-o filly in 7g'Canada: useful performer: developed well in autumn 2005, winning minor event at the Curragh and listed race at Newmarket, in latter overcoming trouble to beat Scottish Stage by 1/2 length: below form on return in 1000 Guineas at Newmarket (light in condition, well-held eighth of 13 to Speciosa) and Irish equivalent at the Curragh (in better shape, staying-on fourth of 15 to Nightime): should be suited by further than 1m: raced on good or softer going. Entered in Eclipse Stakes and Sussex Stakes. (107'Nm7d 96Nm8s)

A. P. O'BRIEN, IRELAND Dark blue (Mrs John Magnier) K. Fallon Drawn 5



11 RAIEEM

3 9-0 b.f. Diktat 126 – Magic Sister 63 (Cadeaux Genereux 131) [2005 6m 7.6d 7.1m⁴ 8.2g* 8s* :: 2006 p8g 9g⁵ 8v Apr 30] angular, useful-looking filly: useful performer: 9g successful at 2 yrs in maiden at Nottingham and listed race at Newmarket: back to page form when close fifth of 8 to Atlantic Waves in steadily-run listed race at Newmarket spenultimate start: well beaten in German 1000 Guineas at Dusseldorf 10 days later: ^{7m'} stays 9f: acts on soft going, probably on polytrack. (101'Nm8s 89Nm9g 83'No8g)

Kerrin McEvoy Drawn 14 White, red sash, red and white striped cap (Mr Saeed Manana)



12 SILCA'S SISTER

ch.f. Inchinor 119 – Silca-Cisa 93 (Hallgate 127) [2005 6g⁵ 6m* 6d* :: 2006 8s⁴ May 7] sangular filly: sister to smart 5f (at 2 yrs) to 9f winner Golden Silca and half-sister to 3 set winners, including useful 5f winner (including at 2 yrs) Green Manalishi (by Green $^{6m}_{60}$ Desert): dam 5f winner, including at 2 yrs: smart form: progressed well at 2 yrs, winning maiden at Newbury and Prix Morny at Deauville (by 2 lengths from Ivan Denisovich), then sold privately out of M. Channon's stable: well in condition, 5 lengths fourth of 13 to Speciosa in 1000 Guineas at Newmarket on reappearance, only one to make much ground on leaders in finish despite having gone freely: stays 1m: may still do better. Entered in Sussex Stakes. (114Nm8s 101'Nb6m 89'Nm6g)

SAEED BIN SUROOR L. Dettori Drawn 7 Royal blue (Godolphin)



13 SPECIOSA (IRE)

3 9-0 b.f. Danehill Dancer (IRE) 117 – Specifically (USA) (Sky Classic (CAN)) [2005 6m² 6.1f $_{12g}$ $_{120}$ G1 $_{7m^3}$ 7.5g* 8m³ 7d* :: 2006 7g* 8s* 12g⁴ Jun 2] leggy, quite good-topped filly: smart $_{7g}$ $_{19}$ $_{62}$ $_{19}$ $_{62}$ $_{62}$ Shadwell Nell Gwyn Stakes and Stan James 1000 Guineas, both at Newmarket, in 8m' latter beating Confidential Lady by 21/2 lengths, making all and clear over 1f out: 7g' almost certainly didn't stay when 73/4 lengths fourth of 10 to Alexandrova in Oaks at Epsom next time, trying to kick away early in straight but unable to sustain effort (spread plate beforehand, on toes, swished tail and quietly to post): should stay 11/4m: acts on soft and good to firm going: front runner: tends to hang left (did so markedly both times at Newmarket), but runs on gamely. (127Nm8s 121Ep12g 119Nm7g)

Light blue, grev and light blue hooped sleeves, pink cap (Michael H. Sly Dr T. Davies Mrs Pam Sly)



14 VAGUE (USA)

b.f. Elusive Quality (USA) – April In Kentucky (USA) (Palace Music (USA) 129) [2005 agr 6m⁵ 6m* 6m² 7.1m² 7g⁴ :: 2006 a7f* a8f* Feb 16] sturdy, quite attractive filly: seventh a7f foal: closely related to 2 winners in USA by Mr Greeley and half-sister to 2 winners, $\frac{76}{2m}$ including fairly useful 9f winner Bahrqueen (by Bahri): dam once-raced daughter of 6m' Arc runner-up Rescousse: smart performer: won maiden at Pontefract in 2005: good 6m' second after to La Chunga in Albany Stakes at Royal Ascot (at York) and to Confidential Lady in listed race at Sandown: changed hands 300,000 gns and off 51/2 months, successful at Nad Al Sheba in minor event in January and Gulf News UAE 1000 Guineas in February, latter by 51/4 lengths from Imperial Ice, readily seeing off only serious challenger 1f out (reportedly suffered a stress fracture of a cannon bone): stays 1m: acts on dirt and good to firm going. (112'Sa7m 110'Yo6m 81'Po6m)

M. J. Kinane Drawn 11 White, purple hoop, purple sleeves, white armlets, purple cap (Mr J. Paul Reddam)



15 WAKE UP MAGGIE (IRE)

b.f. Xaar 132 – Kalagold (IRE) 81 (Magical Strike (USA) 114) [2005 5m* p5g² 6g* 6g² $_{78}$:: 2006 8s⁵ 7s² May 27] medium-sized, close-coupled filly: third foal: dam Irish 2-y-0 $_{88}$ 1m winner: useful form: won maiden at Sandown and 26-runner Tattersalls Ireland $\frac{6g'}{6g'}$ 1m winner: useful form: won maiden at Sandown and 20-tunior Reliable Stakes at the Curragh at 2 yrs, when also neck second to Donna Blini in Cheveley page page 15 m. and 15 m. Park Stakes at Newmarket (lost action briefly in Dip): respectable 61/2 lengths fifth of 13 to Speciosa in 1000 Guineas at Newmarket on reappearance: good neck second of 6 to Jeremy in listed event there on latest outing, dictating pace and headed late on: stays 7f: acts on soft and good to firm going. (111Nm8s 110'Nm6g 91'Sa5m) Alan Munro Drawn 10

Cerise and purple (quartered), white sleeves (Mr J. G. Lambton)

CORONATION STAKES (3-y-o filles) (Royal Ascot 1m; York in 2005)						
	2000	120	Crimplene 9-0: 4/1jf	C E Brittain	P Robinson	9
	2001	118 +	Banks Hill 9-0: 4/1jf	A Fabre	O Peslier	13
	2002	112 +	Sophisticat 9-0: 11/2	A P O'Brien	M J Kinane	11
	2003	121 +	Russian Rhythm 9-0: 4/7f	Sir Michael Stoute	K Fallon	9
	2004	120 +	Attraction 9-0: 6/4f	M Johnston	K Darley	11
	2005	115	Maids Causeway 9-0: 9/2	B W Hills	M Hills	10

A cracking renewal of the Coronation Stakes with the winners of four 1000 Guineas and the first past the post in the French version. Most of the classics were run on much softer ground, however, and Timeform has kept faith with Nannina (132) on her two-year-old form, saying she 'appeared unable to handle soft ground when well beaten in 1000 Guineas, eased right down . . . worth another chance to show herself a leading filly.

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BLUE MONDAY

5 9-10 (inc 3lb ex)

b.g. Darshaan 133 – Lunda (IRE) 60 (Soviet Star (USA) 128) [2005 10.3d3 10m* 12f4 10m² 9s* :: 2006 9.8d² 9.9s* 10d* Jun 15] good-bodied gelding: missed 2004: 10d 11f-153 progressed into a smart performer in 2005, winning Zetland Gold Cup (Handicap) at $^{10s}_{10d}$ Redcar and Cambridgeshire (Handicap) at Newmarket (5/1 favourite, beat Evaluator by 98' 2½ lengths): in good form again this year, though not needing to show best form to win 10m 117 +99 6-runner listed race at Goodwood (by 3 lengths from Mountain High, needing only hands and heels to assert) in May and steadily-run 7-runner La Coupe at Longchamp (had to work harder to beat Annenkov by a head, leading last strides) in June: effective at 9f, probably stays 11/2m: yet to race on heavy ground, acts on any other turf. (112'Yo12f 111'Nb10m 101'Nm9s)

Steve Drowne Drawn 8 Yellow, black diamond and sleeves, red cap (Mountgrange Stud)



2 KEW GREEN (USA)

b. or br.g. Brocco (USA) 124 - Jump With Joy (USA) (Linkage (USA)) [2005 p10m² p9.5g3 p10g* 10d* 9g* 10.1g 9s p10g* :: 2006 p10g5 p8.6g p10g2 9g2 10.313 May 111 101 113 G3 rangy gelding: smart performer: much improved in 2005, winning handicaps at 9g 122 G3 p10g 122 L1 105 G3 p10g when 11/4 lengths second of 9 to Notnowcato in Earl of Sefton Stakes at Newmarket on p10g 118 W fourth start: not at best when 51/2 lengths third of 4 to Maraahel in Huxley Stakes at Chester last time: stays 10.5f; acts on polytrack, firm and soft going; tried tongue tied: sometimes races freely. (110'Nm9g 109Nm9g 98Ch10f)

P B WEBBEB Dane O'Neill Drawn 12 Dark green, yellow cap, dark green star (Mr Peter S. Jensen)



FORWARD MOVE (IRE)

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113 G3

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ch.c. Dr Fong (USA) 128 – Kissing Gate (USA) 62 (Easy Goer (USA)) [2005 8m⁶ 10.3d⁴ 10.4m 10m 2 8d * 8g 8d Sep 30 :: 2006 NR] big, angular colt: smart performer: won sd listed race at Goodwood in 2005 by a length from Oude: fair eighth to Rob Roy in Joel $^{86}_{80}$ Stakes at Newmarket final outing: best form at 1m: acts on good to firm and good to 10m or 10 soft going. (109'Ch10d 107'Go8d 102'Sa10m) 10d'

Rvan Moore Drawn 13 Purple, gold braid, scarlet sleeves, black velvet cap, gold fringe (The Queen)



BOULE D'OR (IRE)

b.h. Croco Rouge (IRE) 126 - Saffron Crocus 83 (Shareef Dancer (USA) 135) [2005 10g* 10m* 10m2 10.1g 10.4m 9.9d 8m 10g3 9.9m5 10g3 10d3 11s6 p10g2 :: 2006 8.9m4 8.9m 9m $8.9g^3$ $8.9m^4$ $10m^4$ $10m^2$ $10d^2$ $8.5m^2$ Jun 3] tall, quite good-topped horse: good walker: smart performer: in frame 4 of 5 starts at Nad Al Sheba during winter: runner-up all 3 10m outings back in Britain, beaten 144 lengths by Notnowcato in Brigadier Gerard Stakes 9m at Sandown and neck by Navyir in Diomed Stakes at Epsom last 2 occasions: stays 14m: acts on polytrack, firm and good to soft going: has refused to settle (has worn crossed noseband) and idled: reared and unseated rider in stall sixth 4-v-o outing: usually waited with: consistent. (108Nm10m 101Ep9m 67Sa10d)

J. AKEHURST Red, royal blue and white striped sleeves (Friends and Family) Michael Hills Drawn 2



5 MOMTIC (IRE)

ch.h. Shinko Forest (IRE) - Uffizi (IRE) (Royal Academy (USA) 130) [2005 10d 8.1g* 9g⁵ 8.1m² 8.5g* 8.1m² 8m* 9s :: 2006 8.1m 8.3m² 8.5m⁴ Jun 3] well-made horse: smart 9m performer: successful in 2005 in handicaps at Sandown, Epsom and York: failed to 8m 8m take eye reappearance: creditable efforts both starts since, 2½ lengths second of 5 to 9s' Home Affairs in listed event at Windsor and length fourth of 8 to Nayyir in Diomed 8m, (25) Stakes at Epsom: best at 1m/9f: acts on firm and good to soft going (well held on soft in Cambridgeshire at Newmarket final 4-v-o outing): sometimes races freely: consistent. (121'Sa8m 119'Ep9g 111'Sa8m)

W. JARVIS K. Fallon Drawn 15 Yellow, red diamond, royal blue sleeves, yellow cap, red diamond (Heath, Keenan &



6 CROSSPEACE (IRE)

b.c. Cape Cross (IRE) 129 - Announcing Peace (Danehill (USA) 126) [2005 6m² 8.1g 7f* 7m 8d² 9g³ 10g² 10m³ 9s⁴ 12v* :: 2006 12d⁶ 12m 10m³ 14.1s⁵ 10g³ 13.3s⁴ 10.1g lun 10g 2] sturdy, good-topped colt: has scope: smart performer: won handicap at Newmarket las and listed race at Doncaster (beat Day Flight by 14 lengths) in 2005: best efforts this 108 year when creditable third in handicap at Nad Al Sheba (to Shakis) in March and 10m Gordon Richards Stakes at Sandown (11/4 lengths behind Day Flight, taking while to find full stride) following month: not discredited though never a threat when eighth of 17 to Chancellor in Rose Bowl (Handicap) at Epsom last time: effective at 11/4m/11/2m (below form over 13/4m); acts on any going; tends to run a little in snatches.

(121'Nb10m 115Ep10g 106Sa10g) Royston Ffrench Drawn 9 Dark blue, white star, red sleeves, white stars, red cap, white star (Favourites Racing)



8 GRAND PASSION (IRE)

6 9-1

b.g. Grand Lodge (USA) 125 – Lovers' Parlour 83 (Beldale Flutter (USA) 130) [2005]

104 104 104 104 104 1064 : 2006 p8.66 p10g* p10g 2 9.8d 10d May 30] good-10d 112 G3 bodied gelding: smart performer: won minor event at Lingfield in February: good 1/2- 10d 110 W 110 W 110 G 1 length second to Sri Diamond in Winter Derby on same course next time: below form ping 126 William 126 back on turf last 2 starts, in minor event at Ripon and Brigadier Gerard Stakes at page 10g Sandown: effective at 1m/1½m; acts on polytrack, firm and good to soft going; waited with. (121'Nb10m 107'Sa10m 105'Ch10d) G. WRAGG

Rose, black hooped cap (Mr H. H. Morriss)

Ted Durcan Drawn 4



WILD SAVANNAH

4 9-0

b.c. Singspiel (IRE) 133 - Apache Star 96 (Arazi (USA) 135) [2005 8m³ 9.9d⁵ 10m* 11.9g² 12m 10g* 10m⁶ p12g² p10g³ :: 2006 10m* May 6] strong, quite attractive colt: 10m 126 99 smart performer: won maiden at Newbury and handicap at Newmarket (beat Front p10g 120 99 smart performer). Stage by 2 lengths) in 2005: good efforts in handicaps last 3 starts at 3 yrs: improved 10m 122 97 form when winning 11-runner handicap at Newmarket on reappearance in May by $\frac{10g'}{12m'}$ neck from Chantaco, leading over 2f out: stays 1½m, but may prove best at 1¼m: acts on polytrack and good to firm going: effective visored or not. (121Nm10m 117'Nb10m 112'Nm10a)

J. H. M. GOSDEN Jimmy Fortune Drawn 16 Black and white (halved), sleeves reversed, red cap (Mr A. E. Oppenheimer)



10 STAR OF LIGHT

5 8-11

b.g. Mtoto 134 - Star Entry 67 (In The Wings 128) [2005 p8m2 8g 10m 8.1m3 8.2g* 8m5 10m* 10.4m² 10m* 9s :: 2006 9m* 10.1g3 Jun 2] good-bodied gelding: smart 10g handicapper: won 32Red Online Casino Suffolk Stakes at Newmarket in May by 1/2 9m 9s² 9s² length from Look Again: excellent 2 lengths third of 17 to Chancellor in Rose Bowl at 10m' 120+89 Epsom next time (would have gone close with clear run): stays 11/4m: acts on polytrack 10m; and good to firm going (well held on soft final 4-v-o start): has worn crossed noseband.

(115Ep10g 114'Nb10m 112'Yo10m) Alan Munro Drawn 3 Royal blue, white sash, white sleeves, royal blue armlets, red cap (Mr J. H. Widdows)



11 COURAGEOUS DUKE (USA)

7 8-11

b.g. Spinning World (USA) 130 – Araadh (USA) 70 (Blushing Groom (FR) 131) [2005 10m⁴ 10.4m⁶ 10m² 10.5m* 10.4m :: 2006 10m⁵ 10m Feb 9] close-coupled, quite good-10m topped gelding: useful handicapper: won totesport Stakes at Haydock (by 3/4 length 10m.) from Eccentric) in 2005: respectable fifth of 13 to Oracle West at Nad Al Sheba on 11mm 125-495 reappearance: effort best ignored there last time, very slowly away: stays 11/4m: acts on 10m/122 +95 firm going, below form on good to soft: usually held up; consistent, (118'Ha11m 110'Nm10m 103'Yo10m)

I. NOSEDA Black, white chevron hoop and cap (Lucavan Stud)



O. Peslier Drawn 10



12 BLUE SPINNAKER (IRE)

7 8-10

b.g. Bluebird (USA) 125 - Suedoise (Kris 135) [2005 8g 7s² 10m 10.4m 10.4g 8m 8.9g⁶ 10.3s³ 9s 8m :: 2006 8s 8v³ 10.4d* May 17] sturdy gelding: useful handicapper: shaped well first 2 starts this year, then back to form to win 14-runner event at York next time 8v by ½ length from Look Again (pair 13 lengths clear), leading well inside final 1f: stays 88m 10.4f: probably acts on any going: held up. (129Yo10d 108'Yo10g 105'Do10s)

Paul Mulrennan Drawn 5 M W EASTERBY White, black star, diamonds on sleeves, white cap, black star (G. Sparkes G. Hart S Curtis & T Dewhirst)

2m

4 8-8 ch.f. Pivotal 124 – Salanka (IRE) 68 (Persian Heights 129) [2005 7d⁶ 7s 6m 7.1m 7m² 7d² 7m⁵ 6g³ 7m 8g* 8d p8g :: 2006 p8g⁵ 8g³ 8g⁶ May 27] leggy, attractive filly: useful 8g performer on turf, fairly useful on all-weather: won listed handicap at Newmarket in page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts, held up and raced wide when sixth of 9 to Indian page 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts and 2005: creditable efforts last 2 starts Steppes in handicap at Ascot on latest: effective at 6f to 1m: acts on good to firm and $\frac{8d^4}{8d^4}$ good to soft going: sometimes slowly away. (116'Yo6g 111'Nm8g 110'Nm7m)

Jamie Spencer Drawn 7 Dark green, vellow hoop and armlets, check cap (Wood Street Syndicate)

14 KINGS OUAY

128 b.c. Montjeu (IRE) 137 - Glen Rosie (IRE) 102 (Mujtahid (USA) 118) [2005 8d⁵ 9m² 10g6 11.5g6 12g 9m 10m3 9.9d 10g3 10.1g4 9.9m 9.9g5 :: 2006 8s 8m 8f3 10.1g4 Jun 2] 10g lengthy, quite attractive colt: has a quick action: useful handicapper: left R. Hannon 110,000 gns before reappearance: back to form when 11/4 lengths third of 13 to 88 98 Minority Report at Thirsk penultimate start: creditable 2 lengths fourth of 17 to 10g 118 100 Chancellor in Rose Bowl at Epsom last time: best at 1m/1¼m: acts on firm and good to soft going: sometimes takes good hold. (129'Nb10m 123Th8f 117Ep10g)

Graham Gibbons Drawn 1 White and purple diamonds, purple sleeves, white diabolo, white cap, purple diamonds (Mrs Marie Taylor)

15 I'M SO LUCKY

b.g. Zilzal (USA) 137 – City of Angels (Woodman (USA) 126) [2005 11.8d3 11f* 11.9g6 12m⁴ 10g* 10.4g⁶ 10m⁵ :: 2006 10m⁵ 12.1d⁴ May 19 tall gelding: progressed into a 12d 115 96 if may have still needed run when fifth of 6 to Akarem in listed handicap at Hamilton 10g last time, racing freely; will stay 13/4m; yet to race on heavy ground, acts on any other turf: often makes running. (117'Nb11f 116Nm10m 115'Yo10g)

Joe Fanning Drawn 11 Light blue, pink chevrons, light blue sleeves, light blue cap, pink star (Mrs S. J. Brookhouse)



16 PUBLIC FORUM

4 8-7 127 p b.c. Rainbow Quest (USA) 134 - Valentine Girl 109 (Alzao (USA) 117) [2005 11d* :: 2006 8.1m* Apr 29 well-made colt: highly progressive form in 3 unbeaten starts, 8m 127+92 including handicap at Sandown on return: dropped in trip, barely adequate test of 11d' 113+81 staming when beging Hail The Chief by neck in 10-runner event for named success. soon well placed and getting up close home: will be well suited by return to further than 1m, and bred to stay 1½m: smart performer in the making. (99Sa8m 99'Go11d) SIR MICHAEL STOUTE

Richard Hughes Drawn 14

Green, pink sash and cap, white sleeves (Mr K. Abdulla)

A very competitive handicap with 3 lb covering the top ten on the ratings. Only one of them, Public Forum, has a 'p' and he looks well worth an interest stepping up to a trip that should suit him.

Result: Public Forum runs poorly, 16/1-shot I'm So Lucky (125) winning from Wild Savannah (126) and Crosspeace (127).

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1 BLUE KSAR (FR) (tongue strap) 111 3 9-1 b.c. Anabaa (USA) 130 – Delicieuse Lady (Trempolino (USA) 135) [2005 8d* 8g4 :: 10m 111 L French 9f (at 2 yrs) and 1½m (Prix du Jockey Club) winner Blue Canari (by Acatenango): dam, won up to 9f in Scandinavia, out of smart French performer up to 12.5f Savoureuse Lady, herself half-sister to Mtoto: useful form all 3 starts: won 12runner newcomers race at Deauville (for R. Collet) and fourth of 7 to Set Alight in Prix Thomas Byron at Saint-Cloud (for A. Fabre) at 2 yrs: in good shape and wearing tongue tie/crossed noseband, one-paced fourth of 6 to Mulagat in listed event at Newmarket

on reappearance: should prove better suited by 1½m than 1m. (104Nm10m) SAEED BIN SUROOR

Royal blue (Godolphin) L. Dettori Drawn 1



2 ERMINE SEA

b.c. Rainbow Quest (USA) 134 – Bint Pasha (USA) 126 (Affirmed (USA)) [2005 8d :: $_{12m}$ 2006 11.5m² p12g² 11.9m² Jun 9] angular, quite attractive colt: half-brother to several $_{\rm p12g}$ winners, including smart 1m (at 2 yrs) to 11.5f winner Revere (by Dancing Brave) and 11m useful but untrustworthy performer up to 11/2m Zafonium (by Zafonic): dam won Yorkshire Oaks and Prix Vermeille: fairly useful form when second in maidens this vear at Yarmouth (behind Duty), Kempton (to Hasayaz, dictating pace) and Haydock (odds on, went down by 21/2 lengths to Cresta Gold, plugging on willingly); will be

suited by 13/4m/2m; acts on polytrack and good to firm going. (79Ya11m 79'Nm8d 73Ha12m) J. H. M. GOSDEN Jimmy Fortune Drawn 5

Maroon (Lady Bamford)



3 GALIENT (IRE)

3 9-1

b.c. Galileo (IRE) 134 - Endorsement 107 (Warning 136) [2005 8d :: 2006 12m* 12.3m* May 10] tall, good-topped colt: fluent mover: second foal: half-brother to 2004 2-y-0 7f 12m winner Road Rage (by Giant's Causeway): dam 1½m and 2m (Queen's Vase) winner Road Rage (by Giant's Causeway): dam 1½m and 2m (Queen's Vase) winner: ^{8d'} useful form: won maiden at Newmarket (by 6 lengths from Cougar Bay, dictating pace) in April and 6-runner handicap at Chester in May: best effort when beating Daylami Star by length for latest success, racing up with pace and keeping on well: will stay beyond 1½m; has worn crossed noseband; open to further improvement, (117Ch12m 108Nm12m 77'Nb8d)

Philip Robinson Drawn 9 Beige, dark blue chevrons, beige sleeves, quartered cap (Mr & Mrs Kevan Watts)



4 LIGHTNING STRIKE (GER)

100 p

ch.c. Danehill Dancer (IRE) 117 – La Capilla (Machiavellian (USA) 123) [2005 NR :: 2006 p9.5g6 p12g* p12g* 11.6g² 11.6d⁴ May 22] €55,000Y, 52,000 2-y-o: third foal: 12g 102+80 Half-brother to winners in Germany by Night Shift and Linamix: dam, winner in plag 95+75 Germany, out of half-sister to dam of high-class German 1½m performer Lomitas: plag 61 M fairly useful performer: won maiden and handicap in March, both at Lingfield: good neck second of 5 to Remember Ramon (pair well clear) in handicap at Windsor penultimate start: below par in similar event there (softer ground) next time: stays 1¹/₂m. (90Wi12d 73Wi12g)

T. G. MILLS Maroon, gold sleeves, light blue cap (Mr T. G. Mills) Ian Mongan Drawn 4



5 MOUNT KILIMANJARO (IRE)

b.c. Sadler's Wells (USA) 132 – Hill of Snow 80 (Reference Point 139) [2005 NR :: 2006 11g6 12.1s* May 29] strong, lengthy colt: sixth foal: brother to smart Derby Trial winner Kong and half-brother to 3 winners, including Irish 7f (Moyglare Stud Stakes)/1m winner (stayed 11/4m) Preseli (by Caerleon) and 1000 Guineas second Snowfire (by Machiavellian), 7f winner at 2 yrs, both smart: dam Irish 11/4m winner: better effort in maidens when winning 7-runner event at Chepstow in May by 7 lengths from Vehari, running in snatches before asserting inside final 2f under mainly hands and heels, despite carrying head awkwardly: whinnied in preliminaries on

debut: open to further improvement. (93Cp12s 85Nb11g) I. L. DÜNLOP M. I. Kinane Drawn 8 Grey, red cross of lorraine, hooped sleeves, quartered cap (Mr L. Neil Jones)

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88 + 71 84 + M 80 M 62 M

120 p



OGEE 3 9-1
ch.g. Generous (IRE) 139 – Aethra (USA) 89 (Trempolino (USA) 135) [2005 8m 8s 12d 109+78 12d 101+72 upped in trip, improved to win 2 handicaps at Windsor in May, in latter beating My
Petra impressively by 5 lengths (value extra): will stay 1½m+: acts on polytrack, good 8s' to firm and good to soft going: type to do better still. (102Wi12d 88Wi12m 81Ba10d)

SIR MICHAEL STOUTE

Ryan Moore Dra

Rvan Moore Drawn 7

Dark blue, vellow cap (Sir Evelyn De Rothschild)



7 PRIVATE BUSINESS (USA) 3 9-1

gr. or ro.c. Cozzene (USA) – Privity (USA) 114 (Private Account (USA)) [2005 6d* 7g⁵ 7.6m* 8m³ 7d4 :: 2006 10m4 Apr 29] quite attractive colt: useful performer: successful 7d' in maiden at Goodwood and minor event at Chester in 2005, when also 13/4 lengths 8m⁸/_{8m} in maiden at Goodwood and minor event at Chester in 2000, which also so fourth to Hurricane Cat in Horris Hill Stakes at Newbury: creditable 2 lengths fourth 7g of 5 to Primary in Classic Trial at Sandown on return, held when squeezed out late on: stays 1½m: unraced on extremes of going. (108'Go8m 104'Nm7g 102'Ch8m)

B. W. HILLS Richard Hughes Drawn 2 Green, pink sash and cap, white sleeves (Mr K. Abdulla)



8 ROAD TO MANDALAY (IRE)

b.c. Galileo (IRE) 134 – Child Prodigy (IRE) 87 (Ballad Rock 122) [2005 NR :: 2006 13m* Jun 4] 280,000F, 420,000Y: fourth foal: half-brother to 3 winners, including fairly useful 2002 2-v-o 8.5f winner Menuhin (by Royal Academy), later successful in USA, and 1m winner Du Pre (by Singspiel): dam, 6f (at 2 yrs) and 1m (in USA) winner, half-sister to very smart performer up to 1½m Kutub: 5/2, won 4-runner minor event at Navan in June by 3/4 length from better-fancied stable-companion Born For Glory, leading inside final 1f: sure to improve.

A. P. O'BRIEN, IRELAND K. Fallon Drawn 3 Royal blue, orange disc, striped sleeves and cap (Mr M. Tabor, D. Smith & Mrs John



10 SOAPY DANGER

b.c. Danzig (USA) - On A Soapbox (USA) 119 (Mi Cielo (USA)) [2005 NR :: 2006

b.c. Danzig (USA) – On A Soapbox (USA) 119 (Mr Cielo (USA)) [2005 NR :: 2006 121 p9.5g* 10d² 12.1d* 11.8g² 11.9f* Jun 10] \$270,000Y: strong, good-bodied colt: 12g fluent mover: first foal: dam US Grade 1.1½m winner: Seful (c. n: has progressed 10d well, winning maiden at Wolve he app in in F. tru ny at ha dit ups at Beverley in pg April and Haydock in June: bester to true on the true of the Wriship by 1¾4 lengths in pg quite valuable 6-runner event at the occupation of the line of the solution of the solu improving. (106Bv12d 94Ha12f 77Le12g)

M. IOHNSTON

K. Darley Drawn 10 Yellow, black hoop, black sleeves, yellow stars, yellow cap, black star (Mrs Ř. J. Jacobs)



11 KASSIOPEIA (IRE)

b.f. Galileo (IRE) 134 - Brush Strokes (Cadeaux Genereux 131) [2005 8s4 :: 2006 11.9g* 11.5m⁵ 12g Jun 2] sturdy, close-coupled filly: third foal: half-sister to useful French 11m 10.5f winner Craft Fair (by Danehill): dam unraced out of half-sister to Irish Oaks $\frac{12g}{ge^5}$ winner Colorspin, herself dam of Opera House and Kayf Tara: useful form: won maiden at Haydock in April: fifth to Sindirana in listed race at Lingfield next time (still looked green), then improved effort (66/1) when 111/4 lengths seventh of 10 to Alexandrova in Oaks at Epsom latest outing, staying on late having been dropped out: will be suited by 13/4m+. (117Ep12g 97Ha12g 91Li11m)

Tony Culhane Drawn 6 M. R. CHANNŎN Dark blue, yellow epaulets, yellow sleeves, dark blue armlets, dark blue and yellow auartered cap (Jackie & George Smith)

Unexposed three-year-olds stepping up in trip, so, as with the first race, it's a question of looking for those with the potential to improve to the average TRW (129), Soapy Danger (120p) and Galient (119p) look the pick with top-rated Soapy Danger certain to prove 'at least as effective at 1\%m/2m'.

Result: Top-rated Soapy Danger (4/1) wins from second-top Galient (11/4) favourite)

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THE LAST DROP (IRE) 3 9-7

b.c. Galileo (IRE) 134 - Epping 81 (Charnwood Forest (IRE) 125) [2005 7m⁵ :: 2006 10g* 10m² 10.4s⁵ May 18 tall, good-bodied colt: won maiden at Windsor in April by 10s 11/4 lengths from Summer's Eve, looking ill at ease on track: useful form when neck second of 5 to Primary in Classic Trial at Sandown next time, leading briefly inside 7m' last: seemed not to handle soft ground when well-held fifth of 6 behind Septimus in Dante Stakes at York latest outing (had 2 handlers): will stay 1½m: acts on good to firm going, (87Sa10m 76Wi10g 61'Nb7m)

B. W. HILLS Michael Hills Drawn 15 Red, green hoops, vellow cap, green hoop (I Hanson, Cavendish Inv.Ltd, A Patrick)



2 PEARLY KING (USA)

br.c. Kingmambo (USA) 125 - Mother of Pearl (IRE) 113 (Sadler's Wells (USA) 132) [2005 7g :: 2006 8m* 10m* 10s* May 20] tall colt: third foal: dam, 2-y-o 7f/1m winner 10s 112+90 (later stayed 11/4m), closely related to Irish 2000 Guineas winner Turtle Island: useful and progressive form, winning maiden at Yarmouth in April and handicaps at Redcar $7e^{i}$ (by neck from Nihal, value extra) and Newbury (quite valuable event) in May: best effort when beating Salute The General by 1/2 length for latest success, switching right and leading inside final 1f: should stay 1½m: acts on soft and good to firm going: will

do better still. (100Nb10s 100Re10m 83Ya8m) SIR MICHAEL STOUTE K. Fallon Drawn 2 Royal blue, white chevron, light blue cap (Gainsborough Stud)



3 HARD TO EXPLAIN (IRE)

br.c. Marju (IRE) 127 – Kesh Kumay (IRE) 76 (Danehill (USA) 126) [2005 8.3d³ 9g² p8.6g* :: 2006 p8.6g2 10d May 28] well-made colt: first foal: dam, Irish 2m winner, out 10d of half-sister to smart Irish middle-distance stayer Rayseka: won maiden at post Wolverhampton in 2005: much improved effort (useful form) when short-head second of 9 to Cimyla in minor event there in January (left E. O'Neill after): off 4 months, and the stay of 10 to Cimyla in minor event there in January (left E. O'Neill after): below form on return to turf last time: should be suited by 11/4m+: acts on polytrack and good to soft going. (95Nm10d 88'Ms9g 87'Hm8d)

 Ξ Nicky Mackay Drawn 12 Burgundy, yellow rising sun, burgundy cap (Mr Earle I. Mack)



4 BALANCED BUDGET

3 8-11

b.c. Mark of Esteem (IRE) 137 - Credit-A-Plenty 111 (Generous (IRE) 139) [2005 NR:: winner who stayed 14.6f (second in Park Hill Stakes), half-sister to very smart 1½m performer Stowaway: useful form: won 12-runner maiden at Pontefract in May by 21/2 lengths from Barodine, slowly away: good sixth to Lake Poet on handicap debut at Newmarket last time, despite coming from further back than ideal and briefly short of room at key stage, not unduly punished once chance had gone; should stay 1½m; has worn crossed noseband; green and upset in stall on debut; may be capable of better. (100Nm10d 86Po10m 78Nb8m)

Shane Kelly Drawn 1 Emerald green and royal blue (halved horizontally), blue sleeves, emerald green cap (Hesmonds Stud)



5 IDARAH (USA) 3 8-10

gr. or ro.c. Aljabr (USA) 125 – Fatina 98 (Nashwan (USA) 135) [2005 8g 8m⁴ 8s* :: 2006 10.5g* 10d2 May 28] lengthy colt: third foal: half-brother to 11/2m winner Elraawy (by 10d Red Ransom) and 2003 2-y-0 7f winner Maren (by Gulch); dam. 2-y-0 1m winner (ran only twice), sister to smart performer up to 2½m Shaya: useful performer: won 5- 8m runner handicap at Haydock in April: good head second to Lake Poet in similar event at Newmarket last time, again having own way in front but edging left close home: stays 10.5f; acts on soft going. (103Nm10d 89'Ms8s 88Ha11g)

R. Hills Drawn 16 Royal blue, white epaulets, striped cap (Mr Hamdan Al Maktoum)

11/2m

6 BANDAMA (IRE)

3 8-10 b.c. Green Desert (USA) 127 – Orinoco (IRE) 53 (Darshaan 133) [2005 7g 7g³ :: 2006 p8g³ 10d* 10m* Jun 5] big, lengthy, good sort: first foal: dam, ran once in Ireland, half- 10m 114+85 sister to Irish Oaks winner Winona: progressive form, winning 11-runner maiden at page 11-runner Newbury in May by 1½ lengths from King of Argos (pulled hard) and 11-runner 7g handicap at Leicester in June by 13/4 lengths from Quince (got first run on some): stays 7g' 11/4m: acts on polytrack, vet to race on extremes of going on turf: already useful, and may be capable of better still. (102Le10m 87'Le7g 85Nb10d) MRS A. J. PERRETT

Rvan Moore Drawn 11

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Maroon, white spots, white cap, maroon spots (Lady Clague)

LONDON EXPRESS (IRE)

b.c. King Charlemagne (USA) 120 - Robin (Slip Anchor 136) [2005 7.1m² 8g* 8d² 7v² :: 2006 10v* 12m2 11g4 10.1m Jun 3] lightly-made colt: useful performer: won 10m 110 92 handicap at Pontefract in April by 8 lengths from Shape Up: creditable ½-length 11g 12m second of 3 to Youmzain in slowly-run minor event at Catterick next time: below form 10v both starts since, in valuable handicap at Epsom latter occasion: stays 1½m: acts on 700 heavy and good to firm going: often races prominently. (112Ep10m 105'Nm8d 102Po10v) Robert Winston Drawn 13

Purple, gold chevron hoop, red, purple and gold hooped sleeves, purple cap, gold stars (Mr Leung Kai Fai & Mr Vincent Leung)

LINAS SELECTION

ch.c. Selkirk (USA) 129 - Lines of Beauty (USA) (Line In The Sand (USA)) [2005 6m] 6s4 8.5g* :: 2006 10g2 10g* Apr 28] workmanlike colt, still unfurnished at present: 10g os² o.3g :: 2000 10g² 10g Apr 26) workmanne cont, sum unfurnished at present: 10g second foal: dam US Grade 3 9f winner: useful and p.c. ress've arm: 1½ lengths second to Papal Bull in handid b 6. N. wha k. c. or respirate neet pior to justifying est favouritism, though took time to the full trice; he trunne stinilar event at Sandown in April by 1¾ lengths from Salue Tee General neking at hing event times: should stay 1½m: likely to improve further. (109Nm10g 90Sa10g 78'Ay6s)

Yellow, black hoop, black sleeves, yellow stars, yellow cap, black star (Mrs R. J. Jacobs)

9 LAKE POET (IRE)

117 ch.c. Galileo (IRE) 134 - Lyric 58 (Lycius (USA) 124) [2005 6m3 7g5 7g6 p7g3 7s5 :: 2006 p7g² p8g³ 7g p8g⁵ 10.1m² 10d* 10.1m³ Jun 3] leggy, close-coupled colt: useful 10m 117 87 handicapper: improved form since upped in trip, won 8-runner event at Newmarket 10d 10m (on toes) in May by head from Idarah, showing good attitude: further improvement pag when 134 lengths third of 15 to easy winner Stage Gift in valuable event at Epsom next 78 time, hampered briefly; will stay 11/2m; acts on polytrack, good to firm and good to soft going. (118Ep10m 102Nm10d 101'Yo7g)

Kerrin McEvov Drawn 14 Royal blue, white disc, royal blue sleeves, white spots (Mr Mohammed Rashid)

10 BEAU NASH (USA)

115 b.g. Barathea (IRE) 127 - Style N' Elegance (USA) (Alysheba (USA)) [2005 6m⁶ 7.1s³ 7m* 7d :: 2006 8m⁵ 10s⁵ May 20] big, strong gelding: closely related to 2¹/₄m winner 10s Rouge Blanc (by King of Kings): dam, placed in USA, half-sister to Irish 1000 Guineas 8m 7d' winner Trusted Partner: fairly useful form: made all in maiden at Newbury in 2005 7m' (gelded after next start); creditable efforts both outings this year, fifth of 15 to Pearly 78' King in quite valuable handicap there on latest: stays 11/4m; acts on soft and good to firm going. (105Nm8m 100Nb10s 95'Sa7s)

P. W. CHAPPLE-HYAM Alan Munro Drawn 19 Dark blue, vellow cross belts, collar and cuffs, striped cap (Mr P. A. Deal)

11 PRINCE CHARLEMAGNE (IRE) 3 8-3

br.c. King Charlemagne (USA) 120 - Ciubanga (IRE) (Arazi (USA) 135) [2005 6m 7d on last 4 all-weather starts (first one apprentice race), and at Redcar last time, beating ping 109 +74 Nesno by 1½ lengths for latest success: should stay 1½m: acts on polytrack and good to firm and good to soft ground. (108Re11g 101Ba10d 86Nb10s)

James Dovle (5) Drawn 9 Dark blue and white check, chevrons on sleeves (Mr Neil Ryan)

12 ENIOY THE MOMENT

b.g. Generous (IRE) 139 – Denial (Sadler's Wells (USA) 132) [2005 8.1g 9m⁶ :: 2006 10m⁵ 11.9m* Jun 4] sturdy gelding: fairly useful performer: best effort when winning 12m 108 M 9-runner maiden at Brighton in June by 4 lengths from Alasoun, leading well over 2f out and asserting inside final 1f: stays 1½m: raced only on good ground or firmer. (93Br12m 90Wi10m 81'Go9m)

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Craig A. Williams Drawn 3 I. A. OSBORNE Dark blue, emerald green hoop, quartered cap (Lynn Wilson And Martin Landau)

13 ROAD TO LOVE (IRE)

ch.g. Fruits of Love (USA) 127 - Alpine Flair (IRE) (Tirol 127) [2005 6f 6f 8.5d* 8s3 :: 2006 10.1m⁶ 10m² Jun 12] strong, close-coupled gelding: fairly useful performer: 10m 112 84 trained by Mrs P. Dutfield first two 2-y-o starts, won maiden at Beverley after: gelded, $\frac{10m}{8s'}$ creditable efforts in handicaps this year at Epsom (5½ lengths sixth of 15 to Stage Gift 8d' in valuable event) and Pontefract (6 lengths second to Formal Decree, every chance 2f 6f out): stays 1¹/₄m: acts on soft and good to firm going. (115'Bv8d 113Po10m 113Ep10m)

Joe Fanning Drawn 8 Red and white diabolo, hooped sleeves, red cap (Mr Grant Mercer & Mr R. G. Toes)

14 NUMERIC (GER)

3.8-2 br.g. Singspiel (IRE) 133 - Narola (GER) (Nebos (GER) 129) [2005 8s6 10.1v2 :: 2006 8m4 10.3f* 10s4 May 20] compact gelding: half-brother to several winners, including 10s 1m to 1½m winner Nordwind (by Acatenango) and 7f (at 2 yrs)/2¼m winner Numitas 10f (by Lomitas), both useful: dam German 11f winner: fairly useful performer: gelded 100' prior to reappearance: won 9-runner maiden at Chester in May by 21/2 lengths from 8s' Mobaasher, making all and readily drawing clear in straight: wearing crossed noseband, good fourth of 15 to Pearly King on handicap debut (quite valuable event) at Newbury next time, racing freely: should stay 11/2m: acts on firm and soft going. (101'Ya8s 99Nb10s 95Ch10f)

J. H. M. GOSDEN Martin Dwyer Drawn 4 Light blue, dark blue armlets, dark blue cap (Highclere Thoroughbred Racing XXX)

15 FIDDLERS WOOD

b.g. Spectrum (IRE) 126 - Tanasie (Cadeaux Genereux 131) [2005 8g 8d⁴ 10s² 10.1v :: 2006 p8g² p8g³ p8.6g* p12g⁵ 10g⁴ 11g⁵ 9s May 25] workmanlike gelding: fairly useful performer: won maiden at Wolverhampton in February: good fourth of 10 to Papal ^{11g}
Bull in handicap at Newmarket on fifth outing: well held in listed race and handicap ^{12g} at Goodwood since: stays 11/4m: acts on polytrack and soft going: visored since debut: pgg none too straightforward. (111Nm10g 87'Nm10s 86'Ba8d)

Adrian T. Nicholls Drawn 6 Royal blue, yellow braces, yellow sleeves, royal blue armlets, yellow cap (Mr Stephen Dartnell)

16 SALUTE THE GENERAL

ch.c. Mark of Esteem (IRE) 137 - Oiselina (FR) (Linamix (FR) 127) [2005 7g 8d⁵ p8g⁴ p8g² p8.6g² f8g² f8g* :: 2006 10g² 10s² 10.1m Jun 3] tall, leggy colt: fairly useful 10m performer: won maiden at Southwell in 2005: best effort when ½-length second of 15 $^{10s}_{10g}$ to Pearly King in handicap at Newbury on second outing, racing prominently: unimpressive to post, found trouble when seventh of 15 to Stage Gift in valuable handicap at Epsom next time: stays 11/4m; acts on all-weather, soft and good to firm going: often waited with. (112Ep10m 102Nb10s 97'Nm8d)

Richard Mullen Drawn 10 Dark blue, vellow epaulets, dark blue sleeves, vellow spots, vellow cap (Mrs D. Edginton)

17 DOCTOR SCOTT

3 8-0 b.c. Medicean 128 - Milly of The Vally 93 (Caerleon (USA) 132) [2005 8.3f* 8d4 8d5 10s4 :: 2006 8.1g6 10.1m4 10.4m6 Jun 17] good-bodied colt: fairly useful performer: 10m won maiden at Hamilton in 2005: ran in listed races subsequently, fourth at Salisbury (beaten 41/4 lengths by Doctor Dash) and Newmarket (5 lengths behind Under The Rainbow): sweating, folded tamely in handicap at York last time: barely stays 11/4m: 8d' acts on firm and good to soft going. (108'Po8d 107'Sb8d 101'Hm8f)

Royston Ffrench Drawn 5 White, purple stars, sleeves and star on cap (Irene White And Helen Bogie)



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18 GRACECHURCH (IRE)

b.g. Marju (IRE) 127 - Saffron Crocus 83 (Shareef Dancer (USA) 135) [2005 $7.1m^2$ 7d⁴ 81 $7.1m^6$ 7f³ 8m² 8f⁸ 8g 8s :: 2006 $10s^*$ 10.2d* 10.4d 10.1m Jun 3] leggy, useful-looking 109 +82gelding: fairly useful handicapper: gelded, successful at Redcar in March and Bath in April, beating Go Figure by short head in latter: not discredited when mid-field in 10s better company both starts since, in valuable event won by Stage Gift at Epsom latter 88' 88' occasion: likely to stay 1½m: acts on firm and soft going (yet to race on heavy): genuine. (113'Sa7m 112Re10s 111Ep10m)

M. R. CHANNON Edward Creighton (3) Drawn 17 Royal blue, red chevrons, royal blue sleeves, quartered cap (Gracechurch Racing

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19 BECKETT HALL (IRE)

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ch.c. Beckett (IRE) 116 – Date Mate (USA) (Thorn Dance (USA) 107) [2005 6m⁵ 6d⁵ 7g³ ch.c. Beckett (IRE) 116 – Date Mate (USA) (1 norn Dance (USA) 107) (2005 om our 78 :: 2006 p8g⁵ 10m² 10d³ May 19] lengthy colt: third foal: half-brother to 6f to 11/4m and winner Freak Occurence (by Stravinsky): dam, US maiden, closely related to dam of high-class 7f/1m performer Le Vie dei Colori: fair maiden: similar form all starts since 7g⁸⁸ 7g debut, 61/4 lengths third of 10 to Simondium at Newbury last time, racing freely up 6d 6m on a stravente of going on turf with pace: stays 11/4m: acts on polytrack, unraced on extremes of going on turf. (98Wi10m 89'Go6d 84'Ep7g)

R. HANNON

Frankie McDonald Drawn 18

Dark blue and maroon (quartered), dark blue sleeves and cap (Mr Louis Stalder)

Another strong handicap on paper, but the Timeform top-rated Linas Selection— 'should stay 1½m'—has a 'p', denoting there is even more to come. Only one other runner has a 'p' so Linas Selection looks something to bet on at 9/2. Result: Linas Selection romps home from 50/1-shot Enjoy The Moment.

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