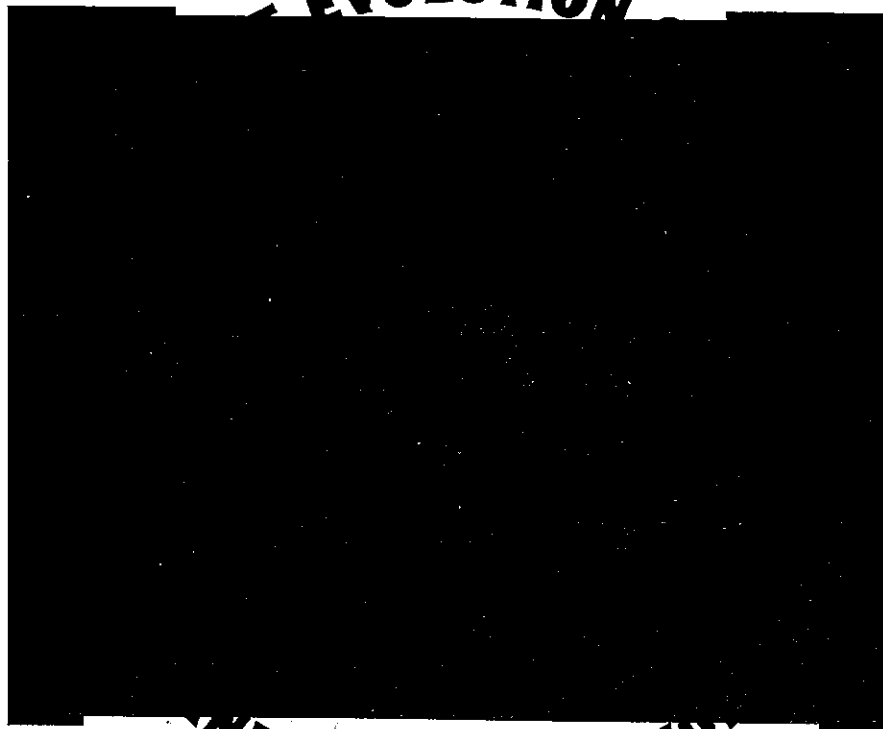


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FROM THE

Publisher's Desk

Doc Sartin

SCOOP of the year: It may be hard to believe but **TOM BROHAMER** is a better golfer than he is a handicapper. His **ONE BALL** average for 18 holes is between 73 and 75. His **Two ball** (make that two horse) average **WIN** percentage in horse racing is only between 67 and 72% !!! Wow, that **IS** news?? Me, I gave up golf when I learned High wasn't **BEST**.

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AMUSING STATEMENT OF THE MONTH: It was made to Spencer Toner after he spent a number of days helping a client. Of course there was no charge. The client protested, saying that it was worth a lot of money. Spencer jokingly said: "How Much do you think you owe me?" The client said, "OH NO, not from me! Doc should pay you." Puzzled, Spencer asked, "Out of **WHAT** fund?" The reply, "What he gets for the programs."

Well, I wish there was that kind of profit in the programs or anything else we do. The fact is that, over and above supporting the families that work here at O. Henry, Inc. who represent our support group and separate us from the System Sellers; along with paying "The Hat " and a few others some royalties for their arduous efforts; royalties, in trust, to the co-authors of **PACE MAKES THE RACE**, paying lodging, food, travel and other Seminar expenses; plus fees to key personnel **AND** the Editor's cut from the **FOLLOW UP** subscription revenue, I make very little. My salary is actually **\$3,000** a year **LESS** than the average per capita individual income for Riverside county.

I also **GIVE-AWAY** a lot of material to those who, through no fault of their own, are financially strapped by today's troubled economy. Just ask them. But please don't feel sorry for me. **THAT'S** the way I always intended it from the beginning. Besides, the **Morongo Indian Reservation**, only five miles from my home, will have **pari-mutuel** wagering within between 90 and 120 days. When it finally opens I'll

have another steady bank account to draw on. Don't think I'm trying to make myself out as some kind of hero. I do what I do because it rewards ME! There are those who think that monetary reward is where it's at. (pardon the grammar) BUT, for ME that ain't where it's at.(again, the grammar). The topper in the amusement department has to do with our use of Japanese characters as Formulae for the Sam Wada Factor; he being of Japanese parents. Under this array of Japanese writing we offered ALL of our advanced formulae and said "Pirates Welcome."

Imagine our surprise when we received dozens of letters requesting the formulae for ALL of our advanced programs. Well, we just Xeroxed a couple of pages of Japanese writing and sent them to requesters. They were somewhat incensed.

Folks, the first requisite for successful handicapping is a sense of humor. You NEED it out there fighting the pari-mutuel war. A sense of humor demands a balanced sense of the sublime and the ridiculous. The inside back cover of FU 37 was purely ridiculous. Our Japanese American clients thought it hilarious. Had they thought it even remotely insulting we would never have done it. My wife, being sensitive to possible hurt feelings, had Spencer and Sam Wada do a poll of those clients. They all thought it quite humorous. So much for the inscrutable theory.

Here is what they saw in FU 37:

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On writer from Florida didn't think it was funny because he mistook our offer of the computer code for an offer to explain the readouts. He wanted an expanded explanation of the SW factor itself. The SW factor is just another corollary readout to support the basic API readouts. The more readouts that agree on a given contender the more likely that horse will succeed. There are TWO SW Factor readouts. SW1 favors Early Pace horses. SW2 appraises a horse's 3rd fraction relative to its final time. High is best in both categories.

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| 3 | CCC | 100.0- | 1 | 95.0- | 4 | 99.2- 3 |
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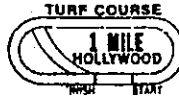
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| 20Mar93- Grade III | | | | LB 116 *2.20 | | | | 94-N LrCl-Ar114 LuthEnchr116 JThNmsJ115 Rank 1/4, wide 12 | | | |
| 31Jan93- 3SA fm 1 @-471 1:112 1:382 | | | | Afr 8000 102 7 4 42 52 31 14 Jarret T | | | | 88-12 LtrEchr117+Gr1-1r119+Tr117+Tr116 Lacked room 3/0 7 | | | |
| 1Jan93- 1SA gd 1% @-474 1:114 1:401 | | | | 3+ San Gbrl H 87 4 1 21 21 31 511 Delahoussaye E | | | | 86-22 StrOfCozen118+BistroGrdn114LrCl-Ar115 Gave way 9 | | | |
| 1Jan93- Grade III | | | | LB 116 2.30 | | | | 92-47 LrCl-Ar119+Trshd111=LuthEchr117 Lacked room 1/0 8 | | | |
| 29Mar92- 3Hoi fm 1% @-47 1:111 1:462 | | | | 3+ Citation H 103 6 3 32 54 41 34 Desormeaux K J LB 117 3.30 | | | | 93 - Lure122 Paradise Creek122+ Brief Truce122 Tired 14 | | | |
| 29Mar92- Grade II | | | | LB 117 3.30 | | | | 97-83 ThAd120=LuthEchr117+Br-GB115 Nipped last jump 8 | | | |
| 31Oct92- 7GP fm 1 @-454 1:09 1:324 | | | | 3+ Br Cp Mile 100 10 3 32 31 34 84 Desormeaux K J L 125 14.00 | | | | 100-82 Mtr118=LuthEnchr116+LrCl-Ar115 Boxed in 1/2-1/4 7 | | | |
| 31Oct92- Grade I | | | | LB 125 14.00 | | | | 92-11 LuthEnchr116+Br120+TGO-GB116 Boxed in 1/4-1/8 6 | | | |
| 17Oct92- 1SA fm 1 @-46 1:091 1:331 | | | | 3+ Col Kster H 104 3 4 44 21 31 20 Nakatani C S LB 117 2.50 | | | | 98-83 FrthwDs115+BstrGrdn116=LuthEchr118 RalMed wide 8 | | | |
| 17Oct92- Grade II | | | | LB 117 2.50 | | | | 100-82 Mtr118=LuthEnchr116+LrCl-Ar115 Boxed in 1/2-1/4 7 | | | |
| 30Oct92- 88M fm 1% @-401 1:12 1:462 | | | | 3+ Bay Medow H 101 2 7 65 41 31 32 McCarron C J LB 116 *1.30 | | | | 92-11 LuthEnchr116+Br120+TGO-GB116 Boxed in 1/4-1/8 6 | | | |
| 30Oct92- Grade II | | | | LB 116 *1.30 | | | | 92-11 LuthEnchr116+Br120+TGO-GB116 Boxed in 1/4-1/8 6 | | | |
| 14Apr92- 80w fm 1% @-474 1:111 1:471 | | | | 3+ Ed Read H 112 1 5 64 52 21 20 Valenzuela P A LB 116 1.90 | | | | 92-11 LuthEnchr116+Br120+TGO-GB116 Boxed in 1/4-1/8 6 | | | |
| 14Apr92- Grade I | | | | LB 116 1.90 | | | | 92-11 LuthEnchr116+Br120+TGO-GB116 Boxed in 1/4-1/8 6 | | | |
| 31Jly92- 70w fm 1% @-49 1:131 1:423 | | | | 3+ Wickerr H 104 2 6 64 42 31 12 Valenzuela P A LB 116 5.00 | | | | 92-11 LuthEnchr116+Br120+TGO-GB116 Boxed in 1/4-1/8 6 | | | |
| LATEST WORKOUTS | | | | Apr 23 SA @ 4:40 H | | | | Apr 10 SA @ 4:50 H | | | |
| | | | | Apr 12 SA @ 4:50 H | | | | Apr 6 SA @ 4:42 H | | | |

| Brief Truce | | | | B. c. 4, by Irish River—Faleaf, by Northern Dancer | | | | Lifetime | | | |
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| 138 122 | | | | Br.—Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd (Ky) | | | | 134 122 | | | |
| VALENZUELA P A (3000.00) | | | | Tr.—Lukas D Wayne (-) | | | | 3 4 3 2 | | | |
| Own.—Moyglare Stud | | | | 106 12 13 1312 97 74 33 Kinane M J | | | | 1982 6 3 3 2 \$537,882 | | | |
| 31Oct92- 7GP fm 1 @-454 1:09 1:324 | | | | 3+ Br Cp Mile | | | | b 126 7.00 | | | |
| 31Oct92- Grade I | | | | LB 122 8.20 | | | | 106 - Lure122 Paradise Creek122+ Brief Truce122 Wide, fin well 14 | | | |
| 25Sep92 @ 3Ascot(Eng) sf 1 | | | | 1:442 @ Queen Elizabeth II Stk(Gr1) | | | | b 126 7.00 | | | |
| 25Sep92 @ 4L onchamp(Fra) yf 1 | | | | 1:401 @ Prix de Moulin(Gr1) | | | | b 123 *2.00 | | | |
| 14Mar92 @ 3Ascot(Eng) gd 1 | | | | 1:391 @ St James's Palace Stk(Gr1) | | | | b 126 25.00 | | | |
| 6Jan92 @ 4Curragh(Ire) yf 1% | | | | 2:09 @ Gallinule Stks(Gr2) | | | | b 123 *5.00 | | | |
| 20May92 @ 4Curragh(Ire) gd 1 | | | | 1:419 @ Irish 2000 Guineas(Gr1) | | | | b 125 11.00 | | | |
| 16Apr92 @ 2Leopardst'n(Ire) gd 1 | | | | 1:432 @ Amethyst Stks(L) | | | | b 121 *1.00 | | | |
| 16Apr92 @ 2Leopardst'n(Ire) yf 7 | | | | 1:332 @ 2000 Guineas Trial(L) | | | | b 122 1.75 | | | |
| 9Nov92 @ 2Fairhouse(Ire) gd H | | | | 1:152 @ Stockallan Stud Plate(Mdn) | | | | b 126 *1.75 | | | |
| LATEST WORKOUTS | | | | Apr 21 SA @ 4:50 H | | | | Apr 14 SA @ 4:50 H | | | |
| | | | | Apr 14 SA @ 4:50 H | | | | Apr 7 SA @ 4:50 H | | | |

| Leger Cat-Ar | | | | B. c. h. or br. h. 7, by Logical—Snow Script, by Nonesuch | | | | Lifetime | | | |
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| 116 | | | | Br.—Hanso Ross del Sur (Arg) | | | | 116 | | | |
| NAKATANI C S (3100.00) | | | | Tr.—Mandala Richard (1000.00) | | | | 33 16 3 5 | | | |
| Own.—Alfred & Hubbard | | | | 97 3 3 44 75 64 54 Nakatani C S | | | | 1982 3 1 0 1 \$82,800 | | | |
| 20Mar93- 6GG fm 1 @-461 1:102 1:352 | | | | 3+S F Mile H | | | | LB 116 *2.00 | | | |
| 20Mar93- Grade III | | | | 107 12 9 910 851 21 113 Nakatani C S | | | | LB 114 8.20 | | | |
| 20Mar93- 1SA fm 1 @-454 1:094 1:34 | | | | Arcadia H | | | | 92-83 Norwich-GB1151 Qthif115=Luthier Enchanteur116 Even try 8 | | | |
| 20Mar93- Grade III | | | | LB 114 8.20 | | | | 95-N LrCl-Ar114 LuthEnchr116 JThNmsJmm115 Driving 12 | | | |
| 1Jan93- 3SA gd 1% @-474 1:114 1:401 | | | | 3+ San Gbrl H 97 7 3 31 31 20 30 Nakatani C S | | | | 72-22 StrOfCozen118+BistroGrdn114LrCl-Ar115 Weakened 9 | | | |
| 1Jan93- Grade III | | | | LB 115 7.30 | | | | 92-47 LrCl-Ar119+Trshyd111=Luthier Enchanteur117 Driving 8 | | | |
| 29Mar92- 3Hoi fm 1% @-47 1:111 1:462 | | | | 3+ Citation H 103 6 2 21 21 11 14 Nakatani C S | | | | 97 - DobFond113+Borgogn-GB115+LordJ15 Mild late bid 8 | | | |
| 29Mar92- Grade II | | | | LB 114 17.50 | | | | 95-83 ThAd120=LuthEchr117+Br-GB115 Not enough late 8 | | | |
| 7Mar92- 58M fm 1% @-464 1:104 1:421 | | | | 3+ Tanforan H 97 2 4 44 45 41 41 Belvoir V T | | | | 97-85 AtheniGreen-En122+BlzeO'Brin117+FortyNinDys116 5 | | | |
| 7Mar92- Grade III | | | | LB 115 4.40 | | | | 100-82 Marquetry118=Luthier Enchanteur116+Leger Cl-Ar115 7 | | | |
| 17Oct92- 1SA fm 1 @-46 1:091 1:331 | | | | 3+ Col Kster H 100 2 5 57 54 42 Desormeaux K J LB 115 *2.40 | | | | 95-80 Leger Cat-Ar118 Repriced118+ Anji117 Late pouch 8 | | | |
| 17Oct92- Grade II | | | | LB 115 *2.40 | | | | 74-22 Sky Classic123+RomeEnvooy111=Leger Cl-Ar116 Willingly 11 | | | |
| 25Sep92- 88M fm 1% @-471 1:111 1:42 | | | | 3+ San Frasco H 99 2 2 21 21 52 42 Hansen R D | | | | 97-85 AtheniGreen-En122+BlzeO'Brin117+FortyNinDys116 5 | | | |
| 25Sep92- Grade III, Carried out into stretch | | | | LB 116 *1.30 | | | | 100-82 Marquetry118=Luthier Enchanteur116+Leger Cl-Ar115 7 | | | |
| 14Apr92- 80w fm 1% @-474 1:111 1:471 | | | | 3+ Ed Read H 112 5 3 31 31 11 34 Desormeaux K J LB 115 3.20 | | | | 95-80 Leger Cat-Ar118 Repriced118+ Anji117 Late pouch 8 | | | |
| 14Apr92- Grade I, Brushed start, 4-wide stretch | | | | LB 115 3.20 | | | | 74-22 Sky Classic123+RomeEnvooy111=Leger Cl-Ar116 Willingly 11 | | | |
| 31Jly92- 70el yf 1% @-463 1:093 1:34 | | | | 3+ Handicap 102 4 2 31 32 32 12 Desormeaux K J LB 116 2.60 | | | | 97-85 AtheniGreen-En122+BlzeO'Brin117+FortyNinDys116 5 | | | |
| 7Jan92- 70el yf 1% @-46 1:371 2:022 | | | | 3+ Manhattan H 103 6 2 31 41 32 34 Delahoussaye E | | | | 95-80 Leger Cat-Ar118 Repriced118+ Anji117 Late pouch 8 | | | |
| 7Jan92- Grade II | | | | LB 116 13.30 | | | | 74-22 Sky Classic123+RomeEnvooy111=Leger Cl-Ar116 Willingly 11 | | | |
| LATEST WORKOUTS | | | | Apr 19 Hol @ 4:10 H | | | | Apr 13 SA @ 4:50 H | | | |
| | | | | Apr 13 SA @ 4:50 H | | | | Apr 7 SA @ 4:50 H | | | |

| Steinbeck | | | | B. c. 4, by Mr Prospector—Femme Effe, by Northjet | | | | Lifetime | | | |
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| 114 | | | | Br.—Callechio John & Soltzer Edward A (Ky) | | | | 13 3 5 1 | | | |
| MCCARRON C J (3011.00) | | | | Tr.—Bryndale Hall (-) | | | | 1982 8 1 4 0 \$116,267 | | | |
| Own.—Barley Stud Management Inc | | | | 79 4 5 74 79 70 Delahoussaye E | | | | 1982 13 3 5 1 \$168,886 | | | |
| 3Apr93- 4SA fm 1% @-221 :44 1:122 | | | | Afr 4000 | | | | b 116 2.40 | | | |
| 29Mar92- 3Hoi fm 1% @-47 1:111 1:462 | | | | 3+ Citation H 98 1 4 74 84 84 64 Delahoussaye E | | | | b 117 11.70 | | | |
| 29Mar92- Grade II | | | | LB 116 2.40 | | | | 86-84 Sing118+DesertSun-GB114+LstLion114 6-wide stretch 7 | | | |
| 17Oct92 @ 5Newmarket(Eng) gd 1% | | | | 2:032 @ Dubai Champion Stks(Gr1) | | | | b 121 12.00 | | | |
| 27Sep92 @ 4Laffite(Fra) yf 1% | | | | 2:031 @ La Coupe de Laiffite(Gr3) | | | | b 123 *3.00 | | | |
| 25Apr92 @ 3Goodwood(Eng) gd 1 | | | | 1:413 @ Celebration Mile Stk(Gr2) | | | | b 120 5.00 | | | |
| 25Jly92 @ 3Ery(Fra) gd 1% | | | | 1:512 @ Prix Daphnis(Gr3) | | | | b 121 1.90 | | | |
| 3Jan92 @ 3Siclot(Fra) sf 1 | | | | 1:479 @ Prix de La Jonchere(Gr3) | | | | b 127 11.50 | | | |
| 20Apr92 @ 4Newmarket(Eng) gd 1 | | | | 1:301 @ 2000 Guineas Stks(Gr1) | | | | b 126 16.90 | | | |
| 15Apr92 @ 4Newmarket(Eng) gd 7 | | | | 1:267 @ European Free Hcp(L) | | | | b 130 *2.30 | | | |
| 15Apr92- Dead heat; awarded entire second purse money on disqualification | | | | 2nd Caution S | | | | b 122 2.90 | | | |
| 15Sep91 @ 4L onchamp(Fra) gd 1 | | | | 1:304 @ Prix la Rochette(Gr3) | | | | b 122 2.90 | | | |
| 15Sep91- Placed first through disqualification | | | | 2nd Caution S | | | | b 122 2.90 | | | |
| LATEST WORKOUTS | | | | Apr 22 Hol @ 4:00 H | | | | Apr 1 Hol @ 4:00 H | | | |
| | | | | Apr 16 Hol @ 4:174 H | | | | Mar 27 Hol @ 4:251 H | | | |

So here's what I'll do. To the first person (earliest postmark) to produce readouts of figures or whatever, that WIN this race, we'll send THREE FOLLOW UP back issues of his/her choice. To the second person doing so, we'll send TWO back issues. To the third person, ONE back issue.

TOM BROHAMER and JIM "The Hat" will be the judges; so don't claim to win the race by eliminating all horses other than the winner and place horse based on Brohamer's contender guidelines or Bradshaw's Matchup. They just won't buy that. But I repeat, there IS a way to win it. And Tony and Adleline Hill - you're NOT eligible.

| 7044—EIGHTH RACE. One Mile Turf. Purse \$100,000-added. "Shoemaker Handicap." 3-year-olds and up. Note: Fall down. | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Index | Horse and Jockey | Wt. | PP | ST | ¼ | ½ | ¾ | Str. | Fin. | To \$1 |
| (6552) | Journalism, A Solis | 114 | 3 | 1 | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 | 1hd | 1 1/2 | 1 1/2 | 15.50 |
| (6521) | Lomitas (GB), E Delahoussaye | 118 | 2 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 6 2/2 | 2 1/2 | 3.50 |
| | Brief Truce, P Valenzuela | 122 | 5 | 5 | 5 3/2 | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 | 2 1/2 | 3 2 | 1.90 |
| (6483) | Leger Cat (Arg), C Nakatani | 116 | 6 | 3 | 4hd | 5 2/2 | 5 1/2 | 5 1/2 | 4 1 | 3.50 |
| 6688 | C. Sam Maggio, G Stevens | 114 | 1 | 2 | 1 1 | 1 1 | 2 1/2 | 3 1/2 | 8 1/2 | 12.10 |
| 6463 | Luthier Enchanneur, Desormeaux | 118 | 4 | 4 | 3 1 | 3hd | 3 1/2 | 4 1 | 5 1/2 | 3.50 |
| 6636 | Steinbeck, C McCarron | 115 | 7 | 6 | 6 2/2 | 6 3 | 6 2/2 | 7 | 7 | 20.10 |
| Scratched — Claret. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Note — Time of Race equals course record. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3—JOURNALISM.....33.00 10.00 5.00 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2—LOMITAS.....4.00 3.40 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6—BRIEF TRUCE.....3.20 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Off: 5:13 Time: :23.2 :46.3 1:09 4/5, 1:32 4/5. Track: Clear & Firm. Winner-dbb.g.88 Publicity-Knowledgeable Lady Tr-W Dollase. Mutual Pool \$393,563. Exacts Pool \$377,229. | | | | | | | | | | |
| \$2 EXACTA (3-2) PAID \$157.80 | | | | | | | | | | |

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As many of you know, especially those who participated, we waged a very successful, letter, wire, phone call campaign with the Daily Racing Form to keep them from implementing their announced plan to discard their Speed Rating and Variant feature, to be replaced by the BEYER figures. Almost 800 of YOU helped us keep the SR + Variants.

Now, perhaps from that lesson, the Racing Form is asking for reader response to their new pace line format. The first of our group to respond was Zack Soderberg of Los Angeles. He wrote them THIS:

[Faint, illegible text, likely a scan of a handwritten letter or document.]

Dear Dr. Sartin:

Please see the enclosed copy of my suggestion to the Daily Racing Form Regarding the additional fractional time that will be shown in the new past performances.

In other news, with Entropy's help, I cashed a winning ticket on Sea Hero in the Kentucky Derby. If I had it, I'm sure at least 90% of our group did. Thanks, Doc.


Zack Soderberg

ZACHARY SODERBERG

LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

May 6, 1993

Editor,
Daily Racing Form
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Hightstown, NJ 08520

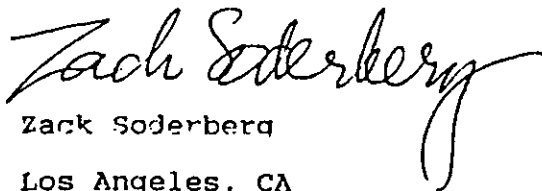
COMMENT REGARDING NEW PPS

My suggestion concerns the additional fractional time that will be shown in the new, improved DRF past performances. In races of one mile or longer, please show the fractional times immediately preceding the final time. These times are far more useful than the quarter-mile time.

The fact the mile portion of this year's Kentucky Derby, for example, was run in 1:36-4/5 is significant, whereas the first quarter fraction of :22-4/5 is relatively unimportant. I believe the majority of handicappers would agree. We can easily work around the missing first fraction.

Other than that I heartily approve of the new data that will be added, particularly the horse's record at the current track and front-bandage information. It's great to see the Daily Racing Form's continual improvement.

Thank you for considering my suggestion.


Zack Soderberg
Los Angeles, CA

**DRF readers are invited
to comment on new PPs**

Daily Racing Form invites comments by readers on their reactions to the special preview of the new, improved DRF past performances. The preview, featuring past performances of prospective starters in Saturday's Kentucky Derby, was distributed free with the purchase of Daily Racing Form last weekend. Letters commenting on the new past performances should be addressed to: Editor, Daily Racing Form, 10 Lake Drive, Hightstown, N.J. 08520. Phone calls to: 1-609-448-9100 Ext. 263.

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AUGUST 27-28-29-30

Desmond Americana Hotel, Albany New York.

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AN EXTRA DAY OF INSTRUCTION

Because our day at the races - SARATOGA - is Monday, August 30, we can take MORE TIME ON SUNDAY for CROSSFIRE, in which Brohamer, Bradshaw and Sartin review the entire proceedings and answer YOUR written questions. AND, they will preview Monday's card with key race analysis and a Model/Profile of what to expect by distance and surface.

SUNDAY NIGHT BANQUET

The Reverend Bert has planned a gala Sunday Night feast of food and Entertainment, an optional but memorably traditional climax to the Albany/Saratoga seminar.

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Some clients think it is just a promotional gimmick when we say make your reservations Early! We had to deny late comers in Las Vegas. NO ROOM - either in the meeting room OR at the hotels. ROOMS are a precious commodity in the Albany/Saratoga area during August. So please believe us when we say: RESERVE NOW!

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TOM AINSLIE

The true **DEAN** of **ALL** handicapping author/experts. He launched the careers of James Quinn, Bill Quirin, Frederick Davis and Henry Kuck among others. He has produced even more handicapping spin-offs than I have. He was instrumental in teaching basic handicapping to us all **NO MATTER** whose name is on the book. He is the the only **REAL GIANT** in our little pond. A true gentleman and scholar, he is the only person outside of the Methodology who has ever impressed Jim "THE HAT" Bradshaw. He also impresses me enormously for the number of concepts he **ORIGINATED** long ago that are being heralded as new by some of our more famous contemporaries who have a tendency to forget from whom they "stole" it.

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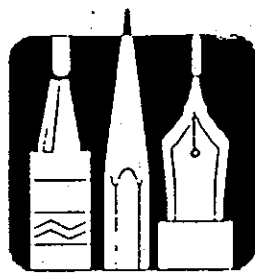
I REPEAT - B E G I N N E R S W E L C O M E. A lot of clients, especially new ones tell me that they don't feel they are advanced enough to go to a seminar. Quite the CONTRARY, Seminars are the events that bring newcomers up to speed. AND, there is a true Beginner's session Friday afternoon beginning at 1 p.m.



TRUTH of the
MONTH Selection
IF you QUALIFY
your CONTENDERS
by Mainstream Rules
you'll get mainstream
type winners & FAIL
to get OPTIMAL
RESULTS from
Advanced Programs.

In short, what value is
there in having 21st century
tools if you persist in using
them by early 20th century
Rule-Oriented Guidelines?

EXPAND your horizons &
watch your win percentage
AND your \$\$ profit GROW



FROM THE
Editor's
Desk



The Las Vegas seminar was a dream come true. After the difficult solution to problems all the attendees did have a roof over their heads. Most of us stayed in the largest hotel in the world, the Excalibur, and walked the short distance to the San Remo for the seminar.

The seminar was lively with a new format, symposiums. Each of these discussion groups was headed by a moderator and clients had the opportunity to have their questions directly answered by Sartin experts.

Here is what Tipton Gilbert had to say:

Howard -Just a note to say that I enjoyed the recent Las Vegas seminar very much. I think that it was the best one I've been to. I picked up several pointers that should be of value and I learned a thing or two that I probably should have known for some time.

I think I told you that I haven't been going to the races since my operation, although I have been handicapping races every weekend. Up until now, I've only been playing with the Entropy program. That is I've been using it but have not been modeling it. This last weekend I started modeling it using races I had saved to a disc for a data base. What a revelation! If I had actually been using this model to do theses races I would have had 80 percent plus winners and the same for exactas. I hope I get a chance to use it before our season ends later this month. Regards, Tipton A Gilbert

These same type of remarks were heard at the seminar and nary a complaint. We really do have great group and such a pleasure to be with. Onward to Albany, New York for our next seminar.

FEEDBACK.....

WHERE DOES YOUR PICTURE BELONG?

As the first responses came they were a great surprise. An amazing number of clients said they were similar to me. J. R. Tyne of Florida

said: "...responding to the insert regarding where on the "Spencer Toner - Howard Sartin - Tom Brohamer - Jim Bradshaw spectrum" I belong. There's no doubt I am in the Spencer Toner area. I'm extremely left-brained with virtually no known intuitive capability, and have been constantly working to improve my performance here and elsewhere. I have no lack of faith in the methodology. But faith in myself is another matter although that is finally starting to grow. I have not been totally reliant on the computer for paceline and contender selection (I like the matchup technique of Jim Bradshaw and have been moderately effective in using it for contender selection although I still leave out too many winners). For good or ill I flat-bet each race for win only. I usually have a better feeling about some races than others which is sometimes reliable. More and more I've been using only those readouts (from Kgen and/or EXDC)use several of them to see the whole picture as others do. To me, that shows up in conflicting indications. So I don't try to 'juggle' too many balls. Of late my win percentage has risen, but average mutuel has dropped. In the current cycle, my win percentage is awful, but the average mutuel is high so I guess one can see I'm quite inconsistent. The cycle will be completed this weekend so you'll see what I mean."

Other clients say that no matter how hard they want to get away from almost complete computer dependency they almost always comes back. And this is typical. As other clients say that when they handicap logically, they want to be as bright as Jim Bradshaw, have the knowledge of Tom Brohamer and have Howard Sartin's genius, ----- instead, they get nothing but low price horses, whereas, when following the computer blindly and accepting the recommended adjustments they get the kind of prices that make this effort worth while.

Hope you will answer our appeal to help us know where you are in this area of using the program and computers ;versus using the more traditional, logical sequence of selection.

WHY DO THINGS BECOME MORE COMPLEX?

An almost tongue in cheek client commentary:

In 1975 Howard Sartin analyzed the 143 Handicapping Variables as denoted by TOM AINSLIE in the 1968 edition of AINSLIE'S COMPLETE GUIDE TO THOROUGHBRED RACING. Sartin developed a winning Methodology by reducing the number of viable variables to only EIGHT and various compoundings thereof.

But, as of 1993 Sartin has produced computer programs consisting of over 341 variables. That's progress?

HERE IS A SHORT EXCERPT FROM A SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN ESSAY, MAY 1993: The article is dedicated to the proposition that as things advance they become MORE complex, then simple.

Professor W. Brian Arthur authored an essay in the May '93 Scientific American which caught my attention due to the similarities that Dr. Sartin refers to the race track as a microcosm of life. I've often looked at the track as a wonderful laboratory with data easily available to the experimenter (just read the Form). Here are some excerpts from Prof. Arthur's essay:

Fifty years ago our technologies, our organizations and our lives were less complicated than today. Things were simpler. Yet we are fascinated by complexity. The original turbojet engine designed by Frank Whittle in the early 1930s, was beautifully simple. The original prototype worked well with just one moving part. Today's jet engine is 30 to 50 times more powerful and has upward of 22,000 parts. There is nothing wrong with this increase in complexity. We can admire it. On the outside, jet engines are sleek and lean; on the inside, complex and sophisticated. In nature, higher organisms are this way too. On the outside, a cheetah is powerful and fast; on the inside, even more complicated than a jet engine.

The steady pressure of competition causes evolution to "discover" new functions occasionally that push out performance limits. There is something wonderful about this - about how over eons, a cheetah forms from its simple multicellular ancestors.

But sometimes the results of growing complexity are not so streamlined. For example, 60 years ago in most universities, bringing in and managing research grants might have occupied only a few people. In 1896 my own university, Stanford, had only 12 administrators. It is still leaner than most, yet now it has more administrators than the British had running India in the 1830s.

It's that way with our lives, too. As we become better off, we gain more ways to squeeze more performance from our limited time. We acquire a car, profession, house, computers, fitness programs, pets, a pool, a second car. Fine. A thousand subactivities to keep them going. The overall results is increased complexity of debatable effectiveness.

Complexity tends to increase as functions and modifications are added to a system to break through limitations, handle exceptional circumstances or adapt to a world itself more complex. Successive releases of software programs delivers a smooth efficient machine. Where they do not, it merely encumbers.

Sooner or later a new simplifying conception is discovered that cuts at the root idea behind the old system and replaces it.

"The secret of well-being is simplicity."

Professor Arthur in his essay gives me hope. By observing other endeavors its obvious that mankind's activities have cycles of evolvement: from gatherers of nuts and berries and on to sophisticated agriculture, from early tools on to a sophisticated industrial world, from pictures on a cave wall to the sophisticated information age of today. Our group in the Methodology is on an exact parallel path to what has gone before us. It seems so obvious. Simplicity not complexity is ours, ~~but~~ oh how we play with it

Evolvement requires innovation. Howard Sartin through the Methodology is innovative!.....now the Methodology is complex.....can simplicity be far behind?

Spencer Toner

Next Issue: A comprehensive
Review of Dick Mitchell's
new book. "Common Sense
Handicapping."

THE COMPUTER COLUMN

by Spencer Toner



Regardless of one's age, sex, amount of money, education, experience, health, race, marital status, nationality, friends, enemies, weather, what we hear, what we see, where we are, where we have been, etc, etc, etc..... there is a choice we all have that we can use anytime we wish. We can have the choice of our attitude.

Computers are complex tools. We can have an attitude that is negative and decide that the complexity and use of these tools is too overwhelming, and we can choose to learn just enough to get by, and then again we can choose an attitude about computers that is anything we want.....

The message that: computers are too complex, or you're a computer person and I'm not, or all I want to do is just be able to use the computers well enough to win races is often heard. I hear these type of comments and I have the patience to help. However, I may be doing the individual a disservice and setting them up to be a loser

It's my guess that the same person who hasn't read through the manual that came with their computer also has not read the manual that came with their new car. They possibly approach their mechanic with what Dr. Sartin ascribes to as "DO ME", and the mechanic does. Just look at the size of the repair bill.

Also is heard: I want the handicapping programs to be written just the way I want (by a programmer that can't and won't win versus a program by a winner who can program).

Give yourself a break, choose an attitude that opens up to the facts that individuals have taken the responsibility to be self starters and do actually enjoy the ever increasing complexities of everything around us. It's obvious that computers, the handicapping programs, and everything in general is now more complex and will continue to be even more complex.

Now, lets go on to computers. I challenge anyone to read the manual that came with their computer and not learn something new.

Since all of our programs run under Micro-Soft Disk Operating System (MS-DOS) I also urge you to pick up a copy of a basic book pertaining to DOS and do the step by step excercises that are in such books. You'll have many ah hahs and you will realize you've only been using a small part of the computer's power.

Once a new attitude is accepted, and using the computer is comfortable, it becomes easier to win races using our powerful handicapping programs, and a new confidence will prevail.

All we have to do is change the attitude and spend our precious time.

In the next issue of the Follow-Up we will have the pleasure of an article from a real friend and loyal user of the Sartin Methodology. Harold Byrd who lives in the San Diego area has planned to share his knowledge in this column. We are in for a real treat having him aboard.

Yes, in the past programs were written for the Sharp hand-held computers. Those days are in the past. No current programs are now written for any computer other than for IBM compatable computers.

Computer Questions???
Send them % this column.

Bad News Badger

For a number of years now I've been warning clients against downloading pace lines from various organizations advertising such services. My stated reason for the warning is that when you DO NOT MAKE YOUR OWN ENTRIES you lose all kinetic association between yourself and the running of the race. The fact remains, as I wrote in the Follow Up long ago, that when YOU enter your choice of pace lines, your mind and body are actually functioning in psycho-physical harmony with the horses you enter. This gives you what can best be described as "A FEEL" for the race.

Many of you chose to ignore my warning so we sought various downloading services for your consideration. I did so reluctantly. All too many of you are looking for the "EASY" way as opposed to the most "EFFECTIVE" way. I capitulated and am now paying a reputational price for my passivity. The letter from Joe is one of several that have caused both Spencer Toner and myself to kick ourselves for even a luke warm endorsement of Badger.

For those who will continue to disregard my warnings; who refuse to believe in Kinesthesia, BLOODSTOCK RESEARCH remains the only viable data base downloading service available. We are negotiating for a means of downloading from them to our advanced programs AS SOON AS THEY ARE REVISED to conform to the new Daily Racing Form Past Performance Line Format. BLOODSTOCK, will also have to do some re-tooling and I'm sure they're busy at it right now.

Dear Dr. Sartin:

There is enclosed a copy of my letter dated May 21, 1993 to Badger Research. I realize that you are not responsible in any way for the services provided by this organization. However, since you endorsed their product I am bringing to your attention the deficiencies in their services as explained in my letter to them.

I even have trouble downloading their data. For two days in a row I got a no answer and consequently could not download any data. They did not return my phone calls when I left a message on their answering machine.

I assume that this organization must have done the programming for your various software programs and that is why you have endorsed their software and data output program. However, their services are not what they claim to be. No way can you "use any of these Sartin programs without having to enter data" as claimed in Eric Cunningham's letter dated August 31, 1992. I received from your office a copy of this letter. In this letter he states: "Sartin clients, Dr. Alex Milstein and Spencer Toner, have joined the Doc in indorsing my work." No!

If you read my letter to Badger Research carefully, you will find that their data is incomplete and it cannot be used as is to handicap your programs. Four of the winners on today's card at Belmont are not even in his database, or their data is incomplete. And they paid big prices.

Sincerely,



Dear Joseph.

I am chagrined at having been even a reluctant party to the Badger Research fiasco that you have experienced. I have ALWAYS written against the use of a data base service of this kind - including Bloodstock - because it deters the user from the essential kinetic relationship with the horses being entered. This is NOT a knock on Bloodstock. What they do they do superbly. I just feel that downloading lines is a disastrous process for MOST handicappers.

Very few of our clients went with Badger and those that did canceled within a few weeks. The only reason I allowed them access to our material was because SO MANY clients chose to ignore my warnings and wanted a data base service that was LESS EXPENSIVE than Bloodstock.

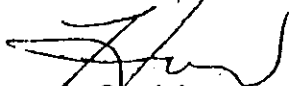
My luke warm endorsement was a mistake and I apologize profusely. To YOU and to others who have written complaints similar to yours.

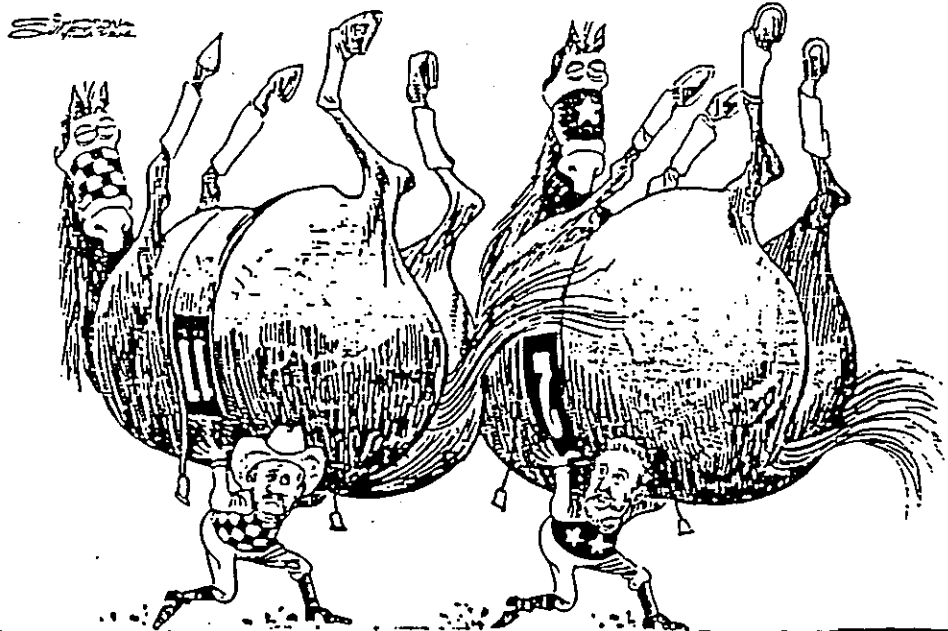
One paragraph in your letter presumes that Badger did some programming for US. Nothing could be farther from the truth. My official programmer is JIM BRADSHAW. The only material programmed by others is the basic Phase I program which is so simplistic and limited in its capacity to serve advanced clients that JIM refused to program it except for the modified version that is ancillary to our advanced procedures.

Spencer Toner and Dr. Alex Milstein join me in apologizing to you.

To help atone for our error in judgment we enclose a gift that I hope will help compensate for your problems with Badger.

Best,


Sartin



"I Don't give a dern what you say, Guru, THIS is carrying your danged Kinesthesia TOO FAR!"

How I Personally do it:

APPLICATION OF TOM BROHAMER'S CONTENDER SELECTION PROCESS

by
Hank Dally

Several years ago Tom Brohamer conducted a handicapping seminar in Beaumont over 3 consecutive week-ends. In the first session he covered contender selection and listed the basic factors he considered in determining whether a horse was a contender. They were amazingly simple.

I don't have the intuitiveness of Jim Bradshaw to just run my fingers down the form, marking only the "Tandem Races," and coming up with the winner; or the ability of the "Doc" to have the contenders and pace lines "loom up at me."; or the innate ability of Tom Brohamer to handicap a race. When I got through marking up the racing form it was so jumbled that it was mass confusion. I wanted some order to the main things that should be considered.

I devised a form to be used in handicapping each race (which I have modified from time to time) starting with Tom's selection criteria plus several other factors, such as PBS, APV, ESP, etc., etc. After several weeks it was working so well that I phoned Tom to tell him about it, and sent him the completed forms on a couple of races I had handicapped. At that time he suggested I write an article for the "Follow Up", but I never did so, because at that time there other articles being written for beginners, contender selection, pace line selection, etc.

After attending the Beaumont seminar on January 24 of this year, and hearing "Doc" go over a few races that had been sent to him, it was obvious that some Sartin clients, who hadn't had the opportunity to attend Brohamer's seminars were still having difficulty with contender selection. I telephoned my good friend Spencer Toner, who was familiar with the form I had been using and asked him if he would like

me to write an article for the "Follow Up". His answer was enthusiastic YES, so here goes. Although it is very basic, maybe even a few old timers might find some helpful hints.

A copy of the form is included with this article so you can follow along. Everyone has their own method of handicapping a race but I will cover what I do and how I use the form. The numerous factors on the form can be covered in any order found practicable.

For many years Tom Brohamer has published a weekly variant and horses to watch service for the So. California tracks to which I have subscribed. As I received his weekly Horses to Watch list I transfer them to 3 by 5 cards. Then I also have a few of my own horses to watch. The first thing I do is check whether any of the horses running that day are on the HTW list. If they are, I note it in the space provided. They aren't automatic plays, but receive special attention.

The only outside service I subscribe to is Barry Meadow's "Master Win Ratings", which lists and rates (from 1 to 32) every horse that has run in So. California within the past 6 months and in No. California within the past 2 or 3 months. I found the Master Win Ratings very valuable for indicating the class of the horse. I go through the entire racing form and write the Master Win Rating after the name of every horse. Although I do not always handicap every race, this often aids me in determining whether or not it is a race that should be handicapped.

The next step is to do the ESP on every horse, i.e., rating them as Early, Early Presser, Sustained Presser and Sustained. This takes no more than 15 minutes for the entire form and can also be an aid in determining what races on which to concentrate. A race with only one early or one with 6 or 7 early or early pressers and one or two sustained or sustained pressers, could be given special attention (many of you will remember Tom's "Little Minch" race). Again I'll repeat, these various factors can be done in any order that works best for the person handicapping.

Using the PBS concept (found in Follow Up #11 and commented on in several subsequent issues) I locate the Fulcrum horse, and the second call projected pace - usually from the early or early presser horses - and note this 2nd call time. Most of us including myself, do not have Jim Bradshaw's talent to devise a projected total pace line, so I am

generally happy with the anticipated 2nd call time for use in the PBS ratings.

How I start filling the form, date, track, race # and conditions are self-explanatory. "Par for Race" is often useful but is not essential. However, if you've determined the par for the race this can also be an elimination factor if several horses have run par, and better, and others have never come close. In the projected pace column, I fill in the middle square with the 2nd call projected time. The actual pace of the race can be filled in after the race is run to determine your proficiency in projecting the times of the race.

I also use Phase I in my handicapping - as is evident from the form - and keep track profile from the result charts published each morning in the Los Angeles Times, or a few days later in the Racing Form. This form can be found on page 133 of "Pace Makes the Race", which I assume everyone has. I have modified this form in only one respect, i.e., between TPR and ESP I have added a column "BAL" for balance. This is the difference between the EPR and FFR. For example, if the rating is 88 EPR and 83 FFR for a total pace rating of 171, the balance would be -5. The "Balanced" is another way of determining what is winning at the track. I then fill in the track profile spaces, W for Win profile and P for pace profile, i.e., whether early, early presser, presser etc. are winning that type of race. In the "Pace Parameters" square, top right I list (taken from the track profile chart) what EPR, FFR, and FFR ratings are generally required to win that type of race. Also the general "balance" that is required. This sounds rather complicated but if you keep an up to date track profile on the various types of races, it only takes a few minutes to complete and is invaluable information.

If a handicapping model is kept, this can also be filled in for win and place. "Modern Pace Handicapping" has several chapters on track profile and decision modeling

- Now I start filling in the form factors, after obtaining the early scratches and writing in the name of each horse in the race in the space provided. To grade the horses I use a red and yellow *Hi-liter pen*. Red is negative - Yellow is positive
- "REC" - *Recency*. Mark this square red if the horse has not raced within the last 30 days, and for ready reference, list the date it raced last in the box below the name of the horse. Many handicappers say

recency is no longer of any importance, but statistics continually show that a horse that has not raced within 30 days is at a disadvantage, particularly in claiming and allowance races.

- **"W.O.'s" - Work-outs.** This should be checked on every horse, but especially those who have not raced within 30 days. The best pattern is a series of work-outs evenly spaced, 5 or 6 days apart. Time is not too important, but consistency is. If the work-out history is unsatisfactory, mark the square red. You will find many horses you can eliminate on this alone, for example, horses who have not raced for more than 30 days and have only one or two short work-outs. This is generally not sufficient to keep them in condition. However, if after a lay-off a horse has a satisfactory work-out pattern, this can negate the recency factor and the "W.O."
- **"UP CL" - Up Close.** A horse running in its class should be "up close" at the stretch call, or final call, in its last race. Up close is approximately 3 lengths in sprints and 4 or 5 lengths in routes. If dropping in class, you can go back to the second call, or in extreme cases to the first call. If you can excuse the last line you could rate the second line back. Be careful of layoff horses. The last line could have been the cause of the layoff and not indicative. Use other factors to determine the condition of the horse. If the horse does not meet the "up close" requirements, mark the square red.
- **"Neg DR -R" - Negative Drop / Rise.** This too difficult a subject to cover in a short paragraph. Tom Brohamer's "Modern Pace Handicapping" has an excellent chapter on Negative Drops. This factor alone generally disqualifies a horse, so everyone should be familiar with the concept. Negative rises are not as important, except that an older horse, being raised in class off a losing race, is generally at a disadvantage. This does not necessarily apply to two and three year olds. If a negative drop, mark the "Neg" and "DR" in red.
- **"Class DR-R"** Statistics show that about 60% of the races are won by horses dropping in class so this is a factor to be noted. I don't have statistics on winning horses rising in class, but it is small when you consider the majority of winners - in claiming races - come from horses dropping in class and the next largest group is horses running in the same class. Mark a "Class DR" in yellow and a "Class - R" in red
- **"FORM"** Determining form is a matter of handicapping skill. If you determine the horse is in form, leave the square unmarked. If it

is obviously in poor form, mark it red. "Pace Makes the Race" has a chapter on form and form factors. Pages 85 through 94, which would be worth reviewing.

- "Meets TR PR" Meets Track Profile as determined by what has been listed at the top of the form under Track Profile for that race, i.e., early, presser, etc. If the horse meets the track profile leave the space blank, or mark it in yellow. If not, mark it in red.
- "MISC" Miscellaneous - a catch all. If you want to give the horse a plus for some reason, mark the square yellow. For example, two years ago the number one post position at Hollywood Park in sprints, and to some extent the number 2 and 3 posts - had been death for most horses. If a horse ran a strong race from one of these posts you might want to upgrade him when he draws an outside post or when he moves to Del Mar. Mark the "misc" space yellow and mark a note under the comments section. A mediocre 32,000 maiden claiming winner, stepping up to a high claiming race or a NW1 allowance race, seldom wins in So.Calif., the "misc" square could be marked in red to indicate a factor that should be considered. Again make a note in the comments section so later you wont have to puzzle over why you marked the square red.
- "CAN WIN" Can the horse win this race. If the races listed - usually ten - show NO indication that the horse can win this type of race, mark the square red. When this space is marked red, it's an automatic throw out.

I do a phase I rating on one or two pace lines for each horse in the race, and enter the ratings under EPR, FFR and TPR. After all the horses have been rated, and listed on the form, the top three in Early category, EPR ,FFR and TPR, are marked in yellow. I then transfer these over to small EPR, FFR and TPR squares to the left, with the other form factors.

There remain 8 blank squares that could be filled in:

1. 0 indicates the horse has met the projected second call time in at least one prior race.
2. PBS is the PBS rating.
3. ESP is the horses running style, early, presser, etc.
4. SP.R/VAR is the speed rating/variant. This has been covered recently in the FOLLOW-UP.

5. APV/CLASS. - self explanatory.
6. HTW. - Is the horse on the horse to watch list?
7. MWR - The Master Win Rating.
8. BEYER Sp.R - Beyer Speed Ratings. Several articles have been published recently in the Follow Up on the possible use of the Beyer Speed Ratings. There are several ways you may use them.

Now you have - in one place - the basic information on each horse in the race. If you care to add any additional factors, be my guest. However, a lot has been included in this form, more than you will probably use on every race. I would warn against including too much more additional information, as it gets confusing. You could drive yourself "up the wall" including all the factors on pages 86, 87 and 88 of "Pace Makes The Race", and many more not listed, such as trainer statistics, jockey switches, etc. etc.

This form does take time to fill out, but I have found that it pays big dividends. Ideally, a horse will have no red marks, possibly a yellow mark in "MISC" and 2 or 3 of the EPR, FPR or TPR spaces marked yellow, and good ratings in several of the other 8 squares. You can find your own method. You might want to use the yellow marker more frequently rather than just leaving the space blank. I have found that one red square doesn't necessarily disqualify a horse - except "CAN WIN" - however, 2 or 3, or more negative factors and you can throw the horse out for win consideration.

I also use THOROMATION, and will often run the top three or four contenders through this program. The winner will be in this group over 90 % of the time.

The final step. When I get the track program on arrival at the track -or off track betting parlor - I mark the morning line odds in the small inset square under "working odds". I have found it very useful to follow the odds as they change during the betting. Use the large square under "working odds" for this. Try to note what the odds were on the first or second tick, then follow them through the betting. Many times you will have 2, 3 or 4 horses that your handicapping indicates are fairly equal. One has been completely overlooked by the crowd, and is at 12 to 1, while the other two are 9/5 and 5/2. Give the 12 to 1 a close look. This can be particularly true in tandem races, where the prior winner is make the odds on favorite and others from the same race are

overlooked. The Sartin Methodology has taught us that a tandem winner generally repeats only about 8 to 10% of the time.

As for the first tick or two of the odds. A horse with a morning line of 6/1 that opens at 6/5, then 8/5, then 1/1 and so on back up to 6 or 8 to 1 deserves a close look. Someone has "dumped" a lot of money on this horse - probably stable money. This could also happen just before the race starts, when a horse drops from a steady 8/1 to 9/2. That's a big drop - at most race tracks - indicating a large amount bet. If the ratings are good on these horses, the odd betting pattern is a strong factor to consider. It might be worth at least a small bet across the board.

Just a story to illustrate. A few years ago Howard was at the Shalimar off track betting parlor in Indio. I, and most Sartin clients, try not to bother him too much. Just before one race was to be run, I was standing next to him and told him I had a confession to make - I had made a bet that I thought violated all of the Sartin teachings. I had made an across the board bet on the type of horse described above. I felt completely vindicated when the 'Doc' showed me a similar across the board bet on the same horse. This is the type of bet Doc has often mentioned should be made from a "discretionary bankroll". I don't remember whether the horse won, placed or showed. But if you follow the odds as they progress during the betting, you'll find many opportunities to make good bets from your "discretionary bankroll".

If this article has piqued anyone's interest, and you would like an 8 1/2 by 11 inch copy of the form for Xeroxing, please send me a stamped, self-addressed envelope and I will be glad to mail you one. Address is: HANK DALLY, 1334 INVIERNO DR., PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, 92264

I've been encouraged to work out and to fill out this form from real races. This I will do if the response from readers is great enough.

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Doc Sartin....

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The Follow Up
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Dear Spencer Toner,

I enjoyed the latest Follow Up as usual, please continue the excellent effort. The article on CPI is near and dear to me since our company pursues Total Quality Management in a big way. It is one of my favorite subjects and in particular the "SAFE" concept. What better way to find out what other people think and feel CPI fits the Sartin ideas to a "T" since Sartin is always in a Continuous Process Improvement mode !

Enclosed you will find a copy of the back page (cover) of the latest Follow Up. Since I run Phase III plus all the other ideas from the Follow Up and Pace book in Lotus there is an interest in other equations. Is the offer on the back cover tongue in cheek or are you serious? I have never asked for equations of KGEN, THOROMATION etc since I always thought they were closely held. Whatever you reply I will understand if the offer was not serious. Thanks for a great publication and Peace Be With You.

F. Jansen

Editors Reply. Tongue in cheek, definately. I too would love to know these formula, however I've learned my curiosity can go on without that area of knowledge. Doc's genius is his property and we don't need to know everything. Thanks for the nice comments about the Follow Up.
S. Toner



FROM OUR HONG KONG CLIENT

"As you see I then run the figures on Entropy and from there on Thoromation. I never expected so much paper output! I'm not complaining - I was only able to finish 4 out of 7 races, but hit a \$4,800 trifecta and a \$360 quinella on a total outlay of less than \$1,000. A bit tentative, but not bad for a first race. Next meet, three days later, I managed to finish only 6 races out of 8, but hit an \$11,000 trifecta plus a \$490 quinella on an outlay for the 6 races of about \$1,080. Doc, I need more help. ----" WOW ! We should all have such problems!

Using the 2 Adjust on
Advanced Programs
Client Report

WAS 7 TO 10 WINS
PER 20 USING
AUTO ADJ ONLY!

Dear Dr. Sartin:

Thanks for your letter!

I telephoned Sam Wada, who was able to clarify for me the use of the Alt 2 adjustment in Thoromation; in conjunction with the use of Entropy. I just spoke with him last Thursday, and the knowledge helped me in winning 2 races with the Alt 2 adjust, that I would NOT have otherwise won.

I have been working carefully on my pace line/contender selection in conjunction with the use of Entropy, and feel I am beginning to make some consistent headway.

I have enclosed my most recent report; where I won 15 of 20, and only missed the winner in the computer twice.

Also, you wanted to know in my past reports how often I had missed the winner in the computer. My "X's" on the left side were meant to show that; but perhaps it wasn't clear; so I have included copies of my previous 4 reports, with blue "x's" denoting when I didn't have the winner in the computer. (which was has/been my biggest problem)

Another thing Sam pointed out to me, was that he would take the top 5 or even 6 out of Entropy, and then put them through Thoromation. I was strictly taking the top 4 only; and was consequently leaving out the winner ~~more~~ periodically. So, by changing this it has helped, and even more so helped in getting the place horse in the computer; thus my exactas are becoming more consistent also.

Thanks again, and I'll keep my reports coming thru.

NEW YORK NEWS

This race exemplifies pace-line selection along with some handicapping techniques that must be mastered in order to increase winner selection. Many of the handicapping problems and decision making process are brought to the surface in this contest. In the selection of the winner, nothing very sophisticated was used in coming up with the eventual outcome. The tools used were:

1. Track Profile.
2. KGEN in selecting the proper pacelines.

The race took place at Aqueduct on Jan.13,'93. The track model guided us to wager on OTHER THAN EARLY.

The 2 ratings seen are the KGEN graph ratings. The one on the left is the rating for SUSTAINED, the other is EARLY.

Let us delve into the race:

PAY ME TODAY:

After entering the last 2 races, KGEN guided me to the last as being the better run. Both races are good and this horse is in top form. He has been freshened and this is only his 3rd race after being laid-off from 5Nov92 to 19Dec92. This animal will be dangerous today, but unfortunately, he is coming into a track that will make his task very difficult, as both of his races make him an EARLY.

CONTENDER.

GIVE A BUCK:

He was eventually scratched, but it should be stated that I will not venture beyond the last line after a freshening of any length. His rankings are distributed to the next in line. In this case, the 2 early goes to I've Got Mine, and the 3 ranking goes to Start a Fight.

TALC'S BID:

Just awful current form after being a nice horse before his decline.
OUT.

DALMATIC:

Sharp form in his last 2. He is ranked 1 in SUSTAINED pace and he is labeled a sustained horse. His last is best and was rated off that line. One thing that worried me about him is that 1 year lay-off after competing and winning 3 Alw races. He may be back to achieve some of his back form, but 1 year on the sidelines is cause for concern. But, even though he was entered near the bottom for New York horses, he must be given the benefit of showing what he has left.
CONTENDER.

I'VE GOT MINE:

I worked the last 4 lines on this one, and the logical one is 3 back. The level of competition is where it is today and fits his style of running and the track's. He is also relatively fresh and will be dangerous today. He also boasts a 2-2 ranking - a devastatingly effective rating at this track.
CONTENDER.

START A FIGHT:

At first look at his races would suggest that he is an EARLY runner and rating him in this fashion would be a fatal mistake. That is why eye-ball scan is both inaccurate and dangerous when rating the style of a horse. Running his last 2 through KGEN tells a different story. He is labeled a SUSTAINED runner. His last is very sharp and he will be rated off that line.
CONTENDER.

BRUCON:

I marked his last, but I considered him not a contender, because he is just plain slow, and will be facing faster horses in here. His over-all form is strictly minor-league, and he will be engulfed today.
OUT.

MASHRIQ:

While his last 2 seem to place him in the "good-form" category, the opposite is true. This horse is in decline and should not be wagered. Going 2 back, we find him winning an Alw 27000. After this win, the horse is entered in a \$35,000 claiming event, where he ran a respectable 3rd. Today he is entered for \$25,000. Why? I would suspect that this

animal is not as good as his past performances make him out to be. There is no reason why anyone should wager on an animal of this type. There is no reason to drop an animal this drastically when he finished in the money at a higher price - 2 times.
OUT.

JINGLE ICE:

The temptation is to go 2 back for his line, but this horse is just not a runner. He is a loser of the worst kind. He is only 2 for 21 in lifetime wins and simply does not belong in here.
OUT.

CRAFTY MANA:

I took his last line, but unfortunately, he was scratched. Unfortunately, because had he been left in, his odds would have been ridiculously low because of his last powerful win. Today, he would have been a non-contender in here. Look at those ratings!! Nowhere !!

CONCLUSION AND DECISION:

We are left with 4 viable contenders in this contest:

1. PAY ME TODAY
2. DALMATIC
3. I'VE GOT MINE
4. START A FIGHT

I eliminated Start A Fight because he cannot sustain his run against these horse. The others are ranked higher in the sustained category. Pay Me Today is the only E and is a counter-energy runner who is most likely to run 2nd, but has a very good shot at winning this. Dalmatic has to be respected because of his 1 ranking, but I chose not to wager on him because of that year lay-off. My wager was to play both Pay Me Today and I've Got Mine to win and the exacta with those two reversed.

AQUEDUCT PAST PERF

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6 FURLONGS. (InnerDirt). (1.083) CLAIMING. Purse \$18,000. 4-year-olds and upward. Weights: 122 lbs. Non-winners of two races since December 15, allowed 3 lbs. Of a race since then, 5 lbs. Claiming price \$25,000; for each \$2,500 to \$20,000, 2 lbs. (Races when entered to be claimed for \$18,000 or less not considered.)

Coupled—Give A Buck, Talc's Bid and Crafty Mana.

Pay Me Today

VERGE M E (1 0 1 0 00) Own.—Donaldson Robert

Table with columns for race date, distance, time, and odds for various horses under 'Pay Me Today'.

LATEST WORKOUTS

Dec 14 Pha 5f gd 1:03 4 B

B. g. 5, by Duck Dance—Breath-takingly, by Bupers

\$25,000 Br.—Heubeck E Jr & Harriet (Fla) Tr.—Servis John C (1 0 0 0 00)

Table with columns for race date, distance, time, and odds for various horses under 'B. g. 5, by Duck Dance'.

Dec 6 Pha 5f gd 1:14 8g

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Summary table for horse 60 with columns for Lifetime, 1992, 1991, 1990, 1989, 1988, 1987, 1986, 1985, 1984, 1983, 1982, 1981, 1980, 1979, 1978, 1977, 1976, 1975, 1974, 1973, 1972, 1971, 1970, 1969, 1968, 1967, 1966, 1965, 1964, 1963, 1962, 1961, 1960, 1959, 1958, 1957, 1956, 1955, 1954, 1953, 1952, 1951, 1950, 1949, 1948, 1947, 1946, 1945, 1944, 1943, 1942, 1941, 1940, 1939, 1938, 1937, 1936, 1935, 1934, 1933, 1932, 1931, 1930, 1929, 1928, 1927, 1926, 1925, 1924, 1923, 1922, 1921, 1920, 1919, 1918, 1917, 1916, 1915, 1914, 1913, 1912, 1911, 1910, 1909, 1908, 1907, 1906, 1905, 1904, 1903, 1902, 1901, 1900, 1899, 1898, 1897, 1896, 1895, 1894, 1893, 1892, 1891, 1890, 1889, 1888, 1887, 1886, 1885, 1884, 1883, 1882, 1881, 1880, 1879, 1878, 1877, 1876, 1875, 1874, 1873, 1872, 1871, 1870, 1869, 1868, 1867, 1866, 1865, 1864, 1863, 1862, 1861, 1860, 1859, 1858, 1857, 1856, 1855, 1854, 1853, 1852, 1851, 1850, 1849, 1848, 1847, 1846, 1845, 1844, 1843, 1842, 1841, 1840, 1839, 1838, 1837, 1836, 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Give A Buck

ROSARIO V (5 0 0 0 00) Own.—Williams Luca M

Table with columns for race date, distance, time, and odds for various horses under 'Give A Buck'.

LATEST WORKOUTS

Jan 2 Aqu 4f fst :49 7 B

B. h. 5, by Buckaroo—Watanga Miss, by Drone

\$25,000 Br.—Jones Bros Ltd & Walnut Green (Pa) Tr.—Imperio Joseph (3 1 0 1 .33)

Table with columns for race date, distance, time, and odds for various horses under 'B. h. 5, by Buckaroo'.

Dec 6 Pha 5f gd 1:14 8g

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Summary table for horse 117 with columns for Lifetime, 1992, 1991, 1990, 1989, 1988, 1987, 1986, 1985, 1984,

Start a Fight

RODRIGUEZ R R (30 0 5 2 00)

Own.—Hobeau Farm

| | | | | |
|---------------------|-----|------|-------|-------------|
| 6Jan92-4Agu gd 6f | 231 | .462 | 1:102 | Cim 30000 |
| 18Dec92-3Agu my 6f | 224 | .462 | 1:113 | Cim 25000 |
| 13Dec92-3Agu sly 6f | 232 | .474 | 1:124 | Cim 35000 |
| 16Nov92-2Agu fst 7f | 222 | .451 | 1:224 | Cim 45000 |
| 6Nov92-1Agu my 6f | 221 | .452 | 1:10 | 3+Alw 28000 |
| 21Oct92-6Agu sly 6f | 221 | .452 | 1:111 | Cim 35000 |
| 11Sep92-1Bel sly 6f | 22 | .444 | 1:101 | Cim 70000 |

11Sep92-Originally scheduled on turf

| | | | | |
|---------------------|-----|------|-------|-------------|
| 15Jly92-8Bel fst 6f | 221 | .451 | 1:094 | 3+Alw 41000 |
| 3Jly92-6Mh fst 6f | 214 | .444 | 1:104 | 3+Alw 17000 |
| 19Jun92-6Bel gd 6f | 222 | .445 | 1:092 | 3+Alw 29000 |

LATEST WORKOUTS Jan 3 Bel tr.1 5f fst 1:02.3 B

Ch. c. 4, by Fight Over—Raise a Belle, by Raise a Native

\$25,000

Br.—Hobeau Farm Inc (Fla)

Tr.—Jerkens H Allen (3 1 2 2 .11)

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|-------|-------|
| 82 7 1 1 1 12 2nd 311 | Rodriguez R R? | 106 | *.80e |
| 87 10 1 3rd 2nd 113 211 | Rojas R I | 117 | 5.50 |
| 58 5 1 1st 1 2 571 | Rojas R I | 117 | *1.90 |
| 39 1 8 24 3rd 814 824 | Carr D | 113 | 3.50 |
| 88 4 1 1 1 1 1 211 | Rojas R I | 115 | *1.80 |
| 87 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 2nd | Rojas R I | b 117 | 2.60 |
| 72 5 3 3rd 2 3 57 | McMahon H P? | b 106 | *2.40 |

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|----------------------|--------------|-------|-------|
| 60 5 1 1 1 1 311 515 | Rojas R I | b 109 | 3.10 |
| 68 2 4 2nd 3 4 5 5 1 | Rojas R I Jr | 116 | *.90 |
| 93 7 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Castillo H | 109 | *2.8e |

Dec 8 Bel tr.1 5f fst 1:06 B

Lifetime 1993 1 0 0 1 \$2,400

13 2 4 1 1992 11 2 4 6 \$51,770

\$54,170

1107

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|---|-----------------|
| Wet 5 1 2 8 | \$24,520 |
| 89-15 RoscommonPrd11213GdnCld115*StrtFght106 | Weakend 7 |
| 83-25 EsyGoingA.L11713StrtFght11731OtoB1119 | 2nd best 11 |
| 72-18 SunshineMgic1123Jingl117*MShrq117 | Used in pace 6 |
| 66-09 Morphlet117*CoolQukr1122StrnBrv113 | Stumbled bck 8 |
| 87-18 Ppornt11531StrtFght115*Crddlatrst120 | Weakened late 5 |
| 85-18 CleverKneel15*StrtFght117*EstblshedL115 | Gamey 9 |
| 82-10 BaAl'sRth11713Rckfrd113RscmmPrd113 | Forced pace 6 |

| | |
|--|----------------|
| 76-14 Tom Cobbley11521 Fenter11531 Corax115 | Speed, tired 5 |
| 79-17 CoodysKy1182MjicFountain1133BndrCorsr116 | Gave way 6 |
| 83-14 StrtFght1092AdmrilsHgly11731PrncConsort117 | Driving 7 |

Brucon

NELSON D (18 3 2 0 .17)

Own.—Behrendt John T

| | | | | |
|---------------------|-----|------|-------|--------------|
| 26Dec92-1Agu fst 6f | 224 | .463 | 1:121 | 3+ Cim 22500 |
| 30Nov92-4Agu fst 7f | 221 | .45 | 1:231 | 3+ Cim 25000 |
| 14Nov92-1Agu my 6f | 221 | .46 | 1:124 | 3+ Cim 20000 |
| 7Nov92-8FL my 6f | 221 | .462 | 1:124 | 3+ Cim 14000 |
| 21Oct92-8FL fst 6f | 221 | .453 | 1:113 | 3+ Cim 20000 |
| 18Sep92-8FL fst 6f | 221 | .451 | 1:121 | 3+ Cim 22500 |
| 6Sep92-9FL fst 6f | 224 | .46 | 1:114 | 3+ Cim 22500 |
| 29Aug92-1Agu gd 6f | 22 | .451 | 1:13 | 3+ Cim 20000 |
| 18Aug92-10FL fst 6f | 22 | .45 | 1:111 | 3+ Cim 27500 |
| 11Aug92-10FL fst 6f | 221 | .452 | 1:114 | 3+ Cim 20000 |

LATEST WORKOUTS Dec 18 Bel tr.1 4f sly :49.1 B (d)

Dk. b. or br. g. 6, by Iron Constitution—Dear Brunette, by Banquet Table

\$25,000

Br.—Mangurian Mr.-Mrs H T Jr (NY)

Tr.—Donk David (-)

| | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------|-------|-------|
| 76 7 1 5 3 4 3 1 2 1 | Nelson D | b 115 | 12.10 |
| 73 7 1 1 1 2nd 4 7 1 | Smith M E | b 117 | 9.70 |
| 70 2 3 3 1 5 5 4 4 3 | McCarthy M J | b 115 | *1.80 |
| 82 3 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 | McCarthy M J | b 115 | 3.00 |
| 71 7 1 5 7 6 1 6 1 4 2 1 | McCarthy M J | b 117 | *2.40 |
| 73 3 6 5 5 7 1 5 1 6 4 1 | McCarthy M J | b 115 | 3.00 |
| 57 4 2 2 2 4 5 1 1 1 1 1 | McCarthy M J | b 115 | 2.90 |
| 84 5 1 3 2 5 2 3 1 1 1 1 | Zoppo B L | b 122 | 3.00 |
| 83 2 5 3 2 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 | McCarthy M J | b 115 | 7.60 |
| 86 6 1 4 3 4 4 4 1 1 1 1 | McCarthy M J | b 119 | 2.70 |

B. g. 4, by Shimatonee—Moonrise, by Sideral

\$25,000

Br.—Hussain Rifat (Ky)

Tr.—Moschera Gasper S (16 2 4 2 .13)

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|--------------------------|--------------|-------|-------|
| 67 3 4 4 2 1 3 1 3 1 1 | Migliore R | b 117 | 1.90 |
| 86 6 5 3 1 3 1 1 1 1 1 | Migliore R | b 115 | 10.10 |
| 82 1 4 7 5 6 1 5 1 1 1 | Migliore R | b 115 | 17.40 |
| 78 6 4 5 1 5 1 5 1 3 1 | Smith M E | b 113 | 3.10 |
| 66 9 7 4 2 1 2 1 2 1 1 | Samyn J L | b 117 | *2.40 |
| 74 1 5 3 2 3 1 1 2 1 1 | Samyn J L | b 117 | 3.40 |
| 76 2 3 4 1 4 1 3 1 2 1 | Martinez R 3 | b 110 | 13.20 |
| 74 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Martinez R R | b 112 | *1.00 |
| 67 4 4 2 1 2 1 1 1 5 1 1 | Chavez J F | b 119 | 1.80 |
| 33 2 2 3 2 7 1 1 6 7 1 1 | Migliore R | b 114 | 15.80 |

B. g. 4, by Titanic—Christmas Chime, by Believe It

\$25,000

Br.—Plandome Stable (NY)

Tr.—Ferroli Peter (25 5 6 6 .20)

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|--------------------------|-----------|-------|-------|
| 53 4 5 5 1 6 1 7 1 1 1 | Smith M E | b 117 | 5.00 |
| 67 2 3 5 3 6 2 1 2 1 1 | Smith M E | b 117 | 14.20 |
| 62 1 1 2 7 1 3 1 6 1 1 1 | Krone J A | b 117 | 7.30e |
| 45 8 4 6 1 7 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Smith M E | b 117 | 6.80 |
| 62 4 2 2 2 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Smith M E | b 113 | 14.70 |
| 78 1 4 6 1 6 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Smith M E | b 111 | 11.80 |
| 9 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Nelson D | b 109 | 13.00 |
| 68 3 5 5 2 4 1 3 1 2 1 | Nelson D | b 113 | 5.50 |
| 66 1 8 9 1 7 1 3 1 2 1 | Nelson D | b 110 | 22.60 |
| 48 10 4 2 1 2nd 7 7 1 1 | Nelson D | b 110 | 15.10 |

Ch. h. 7, by Crafty Prospector—Indian Lightning, by Navajo

\$25,000

Br.—Due Process Stable (Fla)

Tr.—Imperio Joseph (3 1 0 1 .33)

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|---------------------------|-------------|-------|-------|
| 96 2 3 2 2 2 1 1 1 1 1 | Santagata N | b 117 | 4.50 |
| 87 10 3 4 1 3 1 1 1 1 1 | Santagata N | b 117 | 5.90 |
| 77 2 5 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Santagata N | b 119 | *.90 |
| 85 8 1 4 1 5 1 1 1 1 1 1 | Santagata N | b 119 | 6.50 |
| 82 1 5 3 1 3 1 3 1 5 1 1 | Santagata N | b 117 | 5.90 |
| 92 8 2 4 1 3 1 1 1 1 1 | Santagata N | b 113 | *2.40 |
| 91 2 8 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 | Santagata N | b 115 | 7.30 |
| 83 6 3 4 2 3 1 4 1 4 1 | Santagata N | b 115 | 2.80 |
| 90 3 4 3 1 5 1 1 4 1 3 1 | Lydon P J | 1094 | 2.50 |
| 100 8 1 3 1 3 1 2 1 1 1 1 | Santagata N | 119 | 2.60 |

LATEST WORKOUTS Nov 16 Agu 5f fst 1:02 B

Lifetime 1993 1 0 0 0

21 2 4 1 1992 17 2 4 1

\$52,900

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| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Wet 2 0 1 0 | \$4,400 |
| 76-15 RoscommonPrd11213GdnCld115*StrtFght106 | 3-wide 7 |
| 75-18 SunshineMgic1123Jingl117*MShrq117 | Stead, 3/8's 6 |
| 73-18 FrQst117*MSmrcShd100117PyrPly110 | Flattened out 14 |
| 68-18 CleverKneel15*StrtFght117*EstblshedL115 | Outrun 9 |
| 75-17 CseStudy11323RelCielo113131RonnChorus113 | No threat 7 |
| 87-15 Jngl111TmmyTwo1063MrThnEll117 | Steady, drng 7 |
| 45-20 KeyDeputy11717OutoftheRim1094Mr.L109 | Dueled 3 tired 11 |
| 78-11 Hawk's Flame117*Jngl117*SeaBaba117 | Rld wide 6 |
| 79-15 It'sS.Mr1194Jngl117*HighestL105 | Rallied wide 9 |
| 71-12 CrftyCoventry113*RelCielo113131KnightOnCh110 | Tired 11 |

Lifetime 1993 1 1 0 0

45 16 3 9 1992 8 2 2 2

\$151,084

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|---|--------------------|
| Turf 1 0 0 0 | \$34,840 |
| Wet 6 2 0 0 | \$4,740 |
| 85-18 Crafty Maria1172 Otto Beit115*StarkKalbur117 | Driving 9 |
| 81-20 MjorMcclim1123CrftyMnt117117*TrvTrst117 | Wide 10 7 |
| 86-16 CraftyMn119117IrishChill1154Thovium110 | Wide, driving 7 |
| 83-16 LordSuc117117FghtngAffr11531TooTru117 | In light 3/8 pl 10 |
| 80-23 Penny'sBuck117117FortyHills1131RipplingD119 | Sted late 9 |
| 81-23 CraftyMn1131Mrchtime1144FghtngAffr117 | Wide drng 8 |
| 85-23 RoyalEagle1174117CraftyMan1131LeftyPriole115 | 2nd best 9 |
| 79-23 RvrPrtol115*MSLrdSuc117117FghtngAffr117 | Four wide, 3 |
| 86-13 BnaLite1174117ANSilver117RvrPrtol117 | Mt/r rally 7 |
| 86-20 CrftyMn1194117CrmelPie1174117HppyKentuckin100 | Driving 8 |

Crafty Mana

SANTAGATA N (35 7 6 6 .28)

Own.—Ruggiero Carl P

| | | | | |
|---------------------|-----|------|-------|--------------|
| 2Jan92-3Agu fst 6f | 23 | .463 | 1:113 | Cim 25000 |
| 6Dec92-3Agu fst 6f | 224 | .464 | 1:12 | 3+ Cim 14000 |
| 9Nov92-3Agu fst 6f | 223 | .454 | 1:112 | Cim 14000 |
| 23Feb92-5Agu fst 6f | 224 | .461 | 1:104 | Cim 25000 |
| 14Feb92-5Agu fst 6f | 23 | .462 | 1:114 | Cim 32500 |
| 3Feb92-6Agu fst 6f | 23 | .47 | 1:122 | Cim 30000 |
| 22Jan92-6Agu fst 6f | 224 | .454 | 1:11 | Cim 30000 |
| 12Jan92-3Agu fst 6f | 223 | .454 | 1:113 | Cim c-22500 |

12Jan92-Placed third through disqualification
1Jan92-Dead heat

8Dec91-3Agu fst 6f :22.3 :46 1:112 3+ Cim c-17500

LATEST WORKOUTS Nov 16 Agu 5f fst 1:02 B

The Result:

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|-----|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|--------|-------|------|-------|
| 4 | Purse \$18,000. 4-up, CI (\$25,000-20,000), 6 f. Off-1:48. Time--:22. :46. :58. 1:11½. Winner-B. g. 7 by Crafty Prospector Coaxing. Trainer--Howard M. Tesher. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 4-I've Got Mine | 110 | 4 | 8 | 5' | 2½ | 1 st | Bisono | 16.60 | 9.80 | 5.80 |
| 2-Pay Me Today | 117 | 1 | 4 th | 4' | 5' | 2¾ | Verge | | 9.00 | 7.00 | 7.10 |
| 7-Mashriq | 117 | 7 | 7 th | 7' | 6' | 3½ | Smith | | | 4.20 | 3.10 |
| Start A Fight | 112 | 5 | 2' | 1½ | 1½ | 4¾ | Rodriguez | | | | *2.90 |
| Dalmatic | 115 | 3 | 3' | 3½ | 3 rd | 5 th | Bravo | | | | 3.60 |
| Talc's Bid | 115 | 2 | 1½ | 2 nd | 4 th | 6½ | Santogata | | | | 10.00 |
| Brucon | 117 | 6 | 5½ | 6 th | 7' | 7 th | Nelson | | | | 11.20 |
| Jungle Ice | 117 | 8 | 6½ | 8 | 8 | 8 | Mojica | | | | 4.20 |
| Scr.--Crafty Mano (B), Give A Buck (J). | | | | | | | Claimed: Dalmatic -- Edward Mazur-\$22,500. | | | | |
| Exacto 4-2 paid \$126.80. Quinella 2-4 paid \$74.00. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OTB--E-15.60 9.20 5.40 A-8.40 6.60 H-3.80. Exacto-119.00. Quinella-69.40. | | | | | | | | | | | |

Look at those prices!! In a short field, we are rewarded with 2 7/1 shots and an exacta of \$125.80. Nothing sophisticated was applied, but some common sense and the wonderful tools of the Methodology. Of course, paceline selection is the key to any race, and to this end nothing equals the power of our programs. Run 5, 6 or more lines and let KGEN guide you to the appropriate line. The reason why you should run a few lines is to get the true running style of the horse in question as well as his current form. If the majority of the lines on a certain horse place him in the category of PRESSER and a few come up as EARLY, there is no reason to rate him off his EARLY lines. Practice this on a few races, and you will see the lines pop up like never before. The tools are here for all to use. Use them to their full potential, and you will be enlightened. And, PRACTICE, PRACTICE, PRACTICE.

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As a follow-up to my last letter I am sending you some graphs for your perusal. These graphs represent the application of the Kelly Criterion to the Methodology. I have used for the example; a 65 % Win Rate, and a \$9.60 average mutual which produces a 56 % R.O.I. and a Kelly advantage of 40 %.

The bell shaped curve represents the relationship of the percent of optimum to the percent of bankroll bet. The apex of the curve equals the optimum return or 100 % of the maximum possible return, that is, making the most amount of money in the shortest amount of time. The percentages on the horizontal axis equal the Kelly advantage bet as a percentage of bankroll.

Note that if one bets 1/2 of the full Kelly percentage (1/2 of 40 %) approximately 74 % of the optimum is returned. If 1/4 of Kelly is bet approximately 43 % of optimal is returned.

This is a rather important feature for Sartin players to understand. Since most players are arbitrarily using 10 % of bankroll the question is; what percentage of optimum does that 10 % represent ?

In this example our 40 % Kelly advantage equals 100 % of optimum therefore 10 % represents $.10/.40$ or 1/4 which is about 43 % on the optimum curve. This means that by betting 10 % of bank we are only getting back 43 % of the total amount possible with these win parameters.

This is rather conservative for a 65 % player. 1/3 or even 1/2 Kelly would be more in line as the chance of going bust is almost zero. Betting 2/5 of our Kelly advantage would return 63 % of optimum and equals an average bet of 16 % of bank. This would return about 50 % more profit with only a slightly greater risk than betting 10 % of bank or 1/4 kelly. The only way a player can know what his particular win parameters can optimally return is by calculating the net expected growth factor for those parameters as shown on page two.

Once the player knows the net expected growth factors for his win rate he can then play as aggressively or as safely as he desires by adjusting his Kelly betting amount to accept more or less growth in return for more or less safety.

Note what happens to a 60 % player (shown in red) with a 20 % R.O.I. and an \$8.00 average mutual. Since his full Kelly advantage is only 20 %, 10 % already equals 1/2 Kelly. Even though his return is far less, his risk at 10 % of bank or 1/2 Kelly is considerably greater than the 65 % player using 16 % of bank or 2/5 Kelly!

On the second graph the numbers on the vertical axis are the factors that the bankroll is to be multiplied by. The numbers on the horizontal axis are the number of races or bets made.

The 1/4 curve shows that the player doubles his bankroll at 15 races and multiplies his bankroll by 10 at 48 races. This can also be determined by raising the Net Expected Growth Factor to the number of races you are interested in:

$$\text{ex.} \quad 1.0494773^{15} = 2.0$$

In comparison the player using 1/2 Kelly doubles his bank at 9 races and multiplies it by 10 at 28 races. The bettor with the 60 % win rate gets to 10 times his bank at 150 races but with the same amount of risk.

Kelly betting requires that the player consistently increase his bet in proportion to his bankroll. This is probably difficult to do for most, but for those who can the results are tremendous.

Kelly advantage and Net Expected Growth for multiple horses can be calculated with the following formulas.

| WR | Odds | Advantage | | |
|-------------------------------|------|-------------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| (\$9.60) | | | | |
| (.65 x 1.40 - .35)/1.4 = .40 | | | | |
| | | | Net Expected | |
| | | | Growth Factor | |
| .65 | .35 | (1+(.40 x 1.4)) (1-.40) | = 1.1165648 | = Full Kelly (100%) |
| .65 | .35 | (1+(.20 x 1.4)) (1-.20) | = 1.0858454 | = 1/2 Kelly (74%) |
| .65 | .35 | (1+(.16 x 1.4)) (1-.16) | = 1.0728912 | = 2/5 Kelly (63%) |
| .65 | .35 | (1+(.10 x 1.4)) (1-.10) | = 1.0494773 | = 1/4 Kelly (43%) |

| WR | Odds | Advantage | | |
|------------------------------|------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| (\$8.00) | | | | |
| (.60 x 1.0 - .40)/1.0 = .20 | | | | |
| | | | Net E.G.F. | |
| .60 | .40 | (1+(.10 x 1.0)) (1-.10) | = 1.0151556 | = 1/2 Kelly (75%) |

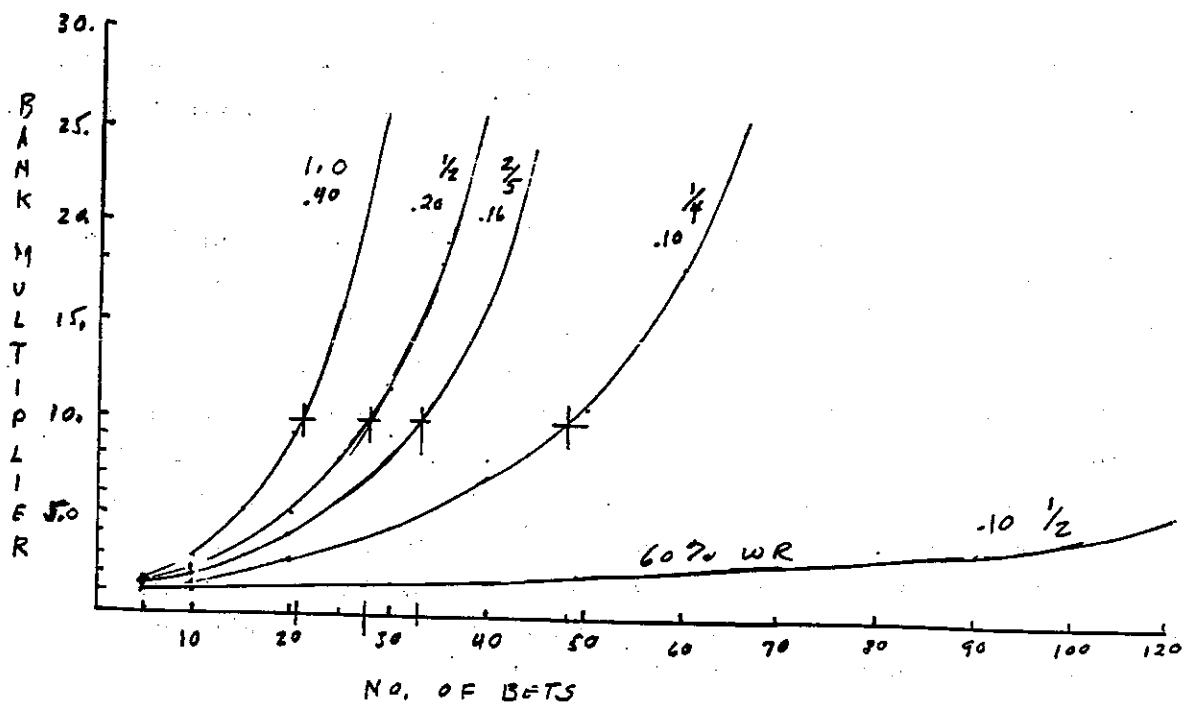
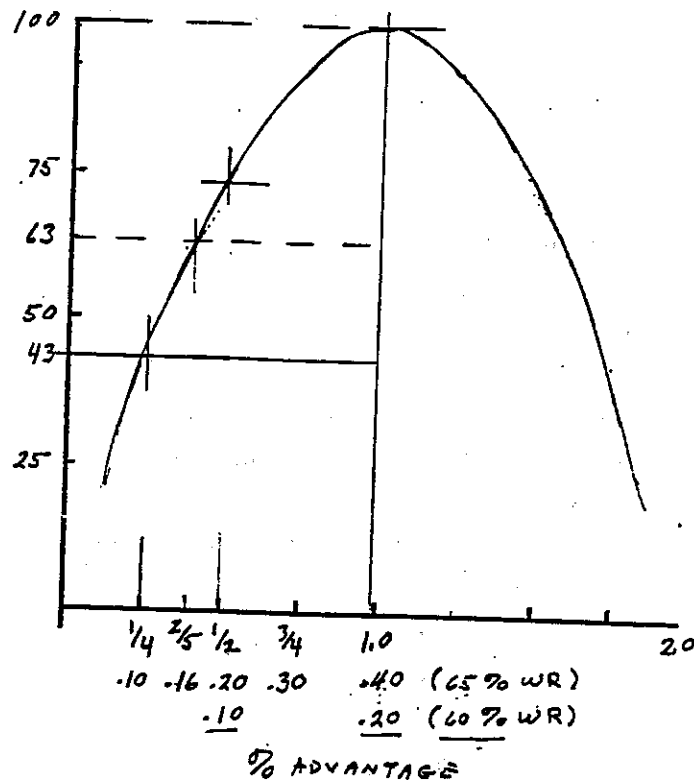
Dave proves what HUEY MAHL wrote in 1977. Optimal KELLY is 16%
 However, Tom Brohamer once tried the 16% of bank strategy and
 found that, starting with a \$1,000 bank, he was asked to make
 a \$1,000 wager the second week. Can YOU do that?

Odds to the \$ = $\frac{1 - \sum p}{\sum p}$ %
 (for multiple bets)

Advantage = $\frac{WR - \sum p}{1 - \sum p}$
 (for mult. bets)

Where $p = 1/(\text{odds} + 1)$

% OF OPTIMUM



**KELLY CRITERION DETERMINATION OF BET SIZE
DUTCHING TO ODDS
COMPUTER PROGRAM**

As a follow up to my previous letter I am sending you the program that I mentioned for your consideration. I have included a workout of my first 61 races at Santa Anita (with a break for the rain) to illustrate how the program works.

The workout shows the radical difference in money returned using the typical Sartin 10% of bank dutched to the odds and true Kelly Criterion approaches to betting. Up to now I know of no one in our group who is using a true Kelly approach. It requires a program such as the one I have enclosed. The program was written by mathematician Mike Pasqual, in his book "Bankroll Control". He proves indisputably that no betting method can do better than a true Kelly approach.

The first column shows the mutuels won. A dash indicates a loss. The second column shows the odds for the two horses. The third column shows the results of a straight 10% of bankroll betting approach similar to what most methodology players are using. The fourth column shows the results of using 1/4 of my individual optimum Kelly Advantage. How to calculate an optimum Kelly Advantage is shown below. Also the results for 1/3 and 1/2 Kelly are calculated. I am currently using a 1/3 approach.

As you can see by the final amounts won there is simply no comparison between true Kelly betting and using our current 10% approach. Interestingly, the 1/4 column averages less than 10% per bet (for my particular optimum percentage) but the bets are structured so efficiently that much more money is won at the end of only 51 races. Note that the dashed through races are races that the program tells you not to play because the odds are too low. In the 1/2 Kelly column one would actually have to flat bet no more than \$5,000 after bet #46 since at 2% of the total win pool you would begin to affect your own odds. The column is carried out to show the magnitude of the difference. \$1,000 is the bank for all columns.

The program first asks for WIN RATE - This is your personal win rate for the number of horses to be bet.

NUMBER IN GROUP. -is the number of horses to be bet.

ODDS ON EACH SELEC. - enter odds for each bet.

It then calculates the BREAK EVEN percentage.

BANK SIZE - enter current bank.

OPT. RISK - is the Kelly Optimal percentage for this particular bet.

RISK LIMIT - is the percentage of bankroll with which you are comfortable. If your OPT RISK for this bet is say 42% you may not want to bet that much of your bankroll. A 1/4 Kelly would be $.25 \times .42 = .10$. You would bet 10% of your bankroll. Once you have decided what percentage of your Kelly Advantage you want to bet, 1/4, 1/3 etc. you could add a line to the program to calculate it automatically.

The program then calculates betting amounts for each bet.

WIN PAYOFF - enter winning mutual.

NO. OF WINNER IN GROUP - enter number for winning horse at beginning of program.

Your optimum Kelly Advantage equals R.O.I./odds to the \$

example:

If my win rate is 71% and my average mutual = \$9.10 then

$$\text{WR} \times \text{Odds} - \text{LR} = \text{ROI}$$

$$.71 \times 1.275 - .29 = .61$$

$$\text{Kelly Advantage} = .61/1.275 = .48$$

This percentage is the optimal amount to bet for your win parameters. Since a full Kelly is very aggressive most players would choose to play a

percentage of the optimal amount, such as 1/4, 1/3, 1/2 or any percentage that is comfortable. The optimum risk that the program calculates is then multiplied by the chosen percentage.

A summary of the 61 race workout with a \$1,000 starting bank is shown below. The results were calculated with a .50 optimum risk that the program calculates is then multiplied by the chosen percentage.

A summary of the 61 race workout with a \$1,000 starting bank is shown below. The results were calculated with a .50 optimum Kelly advantage. The appropriate % was applied to the OPT RISK % that each bet produced.

Ed. note: We are holding off printing the computer program until David gets copyright clearance from the author.

An Ode to Value
(Sung to the tune of
It's All Right With Me)
Cole Porter/H. Sartin

(1)
It's the wrong horse,
But the Right bet,
Tho the horse is ugly,
it's the right horse,
Not the WINNING horse,
But it's the value horse,
So it's the right bet,
They Say.....

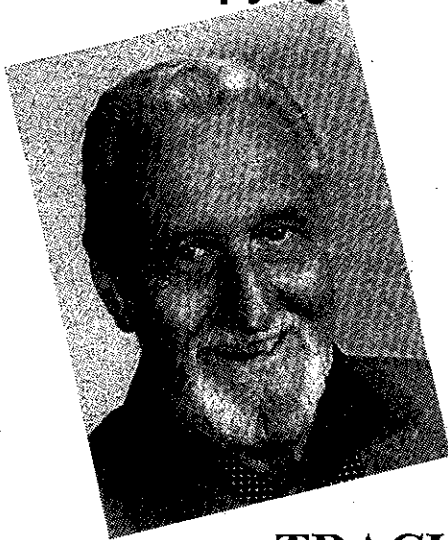
(2)
It is wrong to bet,
on the right horse,
Tho it is the winner,
it's the wrong horse,
Not a value horse,
but a winning horse, just
don't bet it, they say...

You can't know how crazy this all seems to be,
but they say it's the thing we should do...

It's something I'm trying so hard to forget...
Don't you wanna forget 'bout it too...

Find the win horse
at the win price
cause when you have the
winner it's the right price,
It's not their price,
but it's the winning price

that's called profit, you see...
And Profit's so NICE,
It's like par-a-dise
and that all right, yes, it's
all right for you and me...



Q & A WITH THE DOC

TRACK TAKE VS. CASINO EDGE & SPORTS VIGORISH

A nagging question that keeps coming across my desk, through the phone and in personal conversations, deals with that oft repeated phrase:

"The Track Take is killing racing."

The latest version of this came from ANDY BEYER in his April, 1993 interview in AMERICAN TURF MONTHLY. Virtually every other author has been making similar statements for the last 30 years. Even TOM AINSLIE mentioned it; though not as vehemently AND he proposed a solution: "Better Handicapping."

In Casino gambling the house has a proven, given edge in each game. This edge is based on the ultimate skill level of the player. When counting, in Blackjack, reduced the known house edge, they passed laws against counting. In Craps betting behind the line gives the house the least edge. Roulette, of all conventional games, offers the house the HIGHEST edge. In sports betting the house takes a certain vigorish which provides it with an overall edge based on the ability of the line maker. The house occasionally suffers a few big losses, but over the long run makes out like a bandit. The Sport of Kings got hit for \$245,000 on a couple of sporting events so they abandoned Sports - at least for now.

In the first few weeks after opening, one of the executives of The Sport of Kings made the mistake of publicly stating that they didn't need to go pari-mutuel because he had no fear of "Horseplayers," they were all losers. Well, a gang of Ragozin sheet players and a few of our own clients who were not afraid to make large wagers, took revenge on The Sport of Kings to the tune of over \$200,000.

I am told that the executive who stated that all "Horseplayers" were a bunch of losers is no longer with them.

It is that firmly established house edge in Casino Gambling that builds all the gaudy, brightly lit structures that dominate the Las Vegas, Reno, Laughlin, Tahoe skyline. It is that proven edge that is filling the coffers of Indian Casinos across the nation as well as on the Riverboats of the Muddy Mo and Mighty Miss and in rural Colorado and South Dakota.

Despite the outcry from established horse racing authors and experts about Track Take and their odious comparisons of track take being the equivalent of the "House Edge," THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO SIMILARITY BETWEEN THE TWO.

Casino games have fixed odds by proposition. Those odds are so fixed as to assure the house of a long run edge. The pari-mutuel system, which governs OUR chosen field of investment, provides NO FIXED ODDS and hence no such assurance. This is why there is a track take; which, of course, includes the take of all governing agencies. What is left goes to the successful bettors. In the pari-mutuel system the bettors themselves make the odds, NOT the house.

The ODDS YOU SEE ON THE TOTEBOARD ARE THE ODDS YOU GET !!!!!

The take has already been took BEFORE you bet.

Casino games take anywhere from 30 seconds to a couple of minutes per play. If you merely sit there and don't make YOUR play, it gets a bit hairy. You might be able to sit out a couple of turns of the Roulette wheel until someone notices; maybe even a hand or two of 21. If a dice table is not crowded you can stand there for a moment or two and just watch. But generally you'd better play or move on.

NOT so at the races. You can sit and watch or walk the infield or just wander and observe without EVER making a wager. So not only are "The odds you see the odds you get, IF YOU DON'T LIKE THE ODDS YOU DON'T HAVE TO BET!" That's a poem, by golly.

The fact that in bygone years today's 5-2 horse might have been 3-1; Or that today's 3-1 might once have paid 9-2, is meaningless. YOU CAN STILL hold out for 3-2, 7-2, 9-2 or whatever minimum YOU will accept.

YOU CANNOT DO THIS AT A CASINO!

So AINSLIE'S 1968 statement in AINSLIE'S COMPLETE GUIDE, repeated in

the 1979 and '86 updates, is still the answer: The best way to overcome the track take is by becoming a better handicapper.

Bradshaw is perhaps a little too harsh on this matter. He thinks that those who worry and fret over the track take are basically losers.

In reality they're NOT ALL losers; they're partly greedy and partly sentimental. They want a bigger edge and they long to return to a bygone era of lower track take that will probably never return. In the last Follow Up we printed a statement from MARK CRAMER as published in The Cramer-Olmsted Report. It bears a re-print here:

MARK CRAMER:

TAKING. Doc Sartin has argued in various ways that the track take's affect on players is overestimated. Here's a piece of mathematics that backed him up. In the French "Loto Sportif," there was a 50% take. The game consisted of picking the final score of pre-designated soccer games. Since the Loto Sportif was a pari-mutuel operation, payoffs depended on the action. I kept stats on this, and bet it.

The most likely result was 1-0, with the favored team on top. The second most likely result was 0-0. But more players picked scores of 1-0, 2-1, 1-1, 0-1, 1-2 than the unpopular 0-0 for the whole year, you came out with a profit, in spite of the 50% take!

"SOPHISTICATED PLAYERS ARE LOWERING THE MUTUELS"

Another question, coming especially from those wagering in southern California, deals with the preponderance of LOWER win mutuels coupled with the occasional HUGE payoff from long shots that win without any semblance of LOGIC!

The LOW mutuels DO disturb me. As long as I get my share of big priced winners by eschewing logic and depending on Chaos Based programs, illogical winners DO NOT disturb me in the least.

We are told, once again, by the experts - led By Andy Beyer, that the lower mutuels in southern California and supposedly, in New York, are the result of an infusion of MORE SOPHISTICATED HANDICAPPERS. Marion Jones and I have made a multi-year study of this thesis. Our research reveals that factors OTHER than "player" sophistication are the primary cause of the seemingly

lower average mutuels in New York and southern California.

First, NEW YORK. The Ragozin Sheets, subscribed to by hundreds of truly BIG bettors, lower the mutuels substantially WHEN Ragozin is CORRECT! When he is not, WE - Sartin Clients. a.k.a./Sartin "players," have enjoyed tremendous overlays by wagering on OUR choice, especially if the Ragozin horse is an Early Pace horse and at least one half of our two horse entry is SUSTAINED! Since RAGOZIN choices are easy to spot because they usually wind up as big underlays, they make the odds on our NON-RAGOZIN choice go WAY UP. One such animal was ITS ACADEMIC, who paid \$54 once and over \$24 three times in a row when its morning line was listed at 3 and 4-1.

The bottom line is this: I receive several hundred Energy and/or THOROMATION reports each month, as per contract. The average mutuel reported by clients wagering in New York is \$9.20.

Now, moving back to southern California and those LOW average mutuels we've been seeing at Hollywood Park. For openers, there are a lot of SHORT FIELDS (as of this writing). Several years of statistics reveal that when there are seven or less horses entered in a race, one of the TOP TWO Public choices win 67% of the time. The BOTTOM TWO, the longer priced horses, win 22% of the time. This leaves only 11% won by horses that are neither in the TOP or BOTTOM TWO public choices.

Secondly, take a look at the number of out of state tracks and other off-site location in and out of California that are carrying races from Santa Anita, Hollywood and Del Mar. The wagering from these off- site locations has upped the total handle for southern California tracks DRAMATICALLY! From Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Oregon and many places in between, persons with little horse racing experience or know-how are placing wagers on southern California races. If they WIN races they will continue to so bet - even if they don't make a monetary profit. "Look honey - I won four races today! Whoopee!"

So long as they win RACES they keep pouring money into the coffers. Therefore, what are the racing secretaries who card the southern California tracks going to do? CARD MOST OF THE RACES FOR ONLY ONE OR TWO HORSES who have an inordinately high chance of winning. It's the profit motive rearing its ugly head.

The Hollypark Racing secretary who cards the races will flatly deny our hypothesis. The breeding industry demands that a given number of races be carded for certain specific conditions. There are not enough good, SOUND animals to go around. Hence the shorter fields AND the paucity of fields where ALL

contenders are in class, healthy and with sound legs.

Which ever theory is closer to the truth, the fact remains that first and second favorites are winning in bunches. This is why an occasional, SUPPOSEDLY ILLOGICAL - winner pays from \$80 to \$120.

The Racing Secretaries cannot actually FIX the races, they can only card them in such a way that the more obvious, EASY to pick choices have distinct advantage.

Let's just hope that some southern California "expert" picking 45 to 50% winners during the Hollywood meet to date (May 12) does not write a book expounding the wonders of his "system." Virtually ANYONE can isolate a \$6 winner.

Who knows how long these lower mutuels will dominate? When will they start running out of better horses who are still in form? Between my writing this and YOU reading it, things may already have swung back to normal. They have done so each year so far.

Just wait till Del Mar. This is the track from which so many famous experts flee, crying, "I just can't get a handle on this track!"

There are several answers to the low mutuel problem. Single horse bets is one. Another solution: Dutching to the odds instead of 60-40. This will make you a decent profit even on \$6 horses. For each \$10 wagered if you have \$7 on the low odds (\$6) horse and \$3 on the higher (4-1) horse, the \$6 horse will yield you 3.5 X 6, or \$21. Your \$3 on the 4-1 horse would return \$15. One way you make a profit of over 100% the other way 50% With more winners currently in the \$6 range, this is a good strategy. Focusing on isolating the PLACE horse to capitalize on Exacta payoffs, is another solution; and making ONE HORSE place bets on some of those second place finishers that pay MORE than the winner is a fourth way.

Above all, if you live in Pennsylvania or West Virginia, for example, DON'T get caught up in handicapping the southern California tracks because they feature "Higher class" horses. Look at your own tracks: They pay MUCH HIGHER MUTUELS! Class is relative. A field of 2,500 claimers is just as competitive as a field of Kentucky Derby three year olds going a mile and a quarter for the first time.

FINALLY, a Q that keeps cropping up no matter how many times we print the answer in the FOLLOW UP!

Q: How do I get the (2) Alternate Adjustment in SYNERGETIC MATCHUP II?

A: We'll go through it again using the following pace lines:

| # | NAME | DIST. | 1ST CALL | 2ND CALL | FTN. CALL | 1st B/L | 2nd B/L | Stretch B/L | Final B/L |
|---|------|-------|----------|----------|-----------|---------|---------|-------------|-----------|
| 1 | AAA | 8.0 | 45.4 | 110.4 | 134.4 | 3.00 | 2.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 |
| 2 | BBB | 8.5 | 46.0 | 111.2 | 144.1 | 3.00 | 2.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 | CCC | 9.0 | 46.1 | 112.0 | 149.2 | 5.00 | 4.00 | 3.00 | 1.00 |

When the ADJUSTMENT feature comes on your screen, you see this for AAA. If only the AUTOMATIC Adjust is needed you merely hit your ENTER or RETURN key (depending on make of computer).

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NAME ==> AAA
Pace Adjustment is ==> -0.57
(ENTER) Accepts Adj. or (E)nter Own Adj. ==>
    
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HOWEVER, if a ALTERNATE Adjustment is needed, here is what you do. Look at the arrows to the right. HIT the letter E on your computer. NEXT hit (ENTER or RETURN)

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NAME ==> AAA
Pace Adjustment is ==> -0.57
(ENTER) Accepts Adj. or (E)nter Own Adj. ==> E
    
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NAME ==> AAA
Pace Adjustment is = -0.5
Alternate Adj. is = -0.5
Enter Your Adjustment ==> -.5

NEXT enter the NUMBERS just as you see them on the screen. (The 0. before the . is not necessary). So just insert -.57. This puts the numbered Adj. ON ALL THREE FRACTIONS. When you just used ENTER, the (point) .57 was spread over the 3 fractions rationed according to how each contender distributes its total energy.

Coming in Late July
Follow Up #40
Marion Jones-How to win
a high paying Stakes Race.

The Hidden Advantage of Σ ^{NEW ADVANCED} ENTROPY 

by

Bill LeStrange

"If entropy is increasing, then where is it coming from?"

Entropy as a handicapping tool has a few advantages. Chief among them being that practically no one else at the track is using the same kind of analysis. This has a positive effect of consistently uncovering more profitable opportunities at higher prices.

Among all the other handicapping tools that I have used Entropy alone seems to have this important characteristic.

Why is this so important?

It is important because now I can demand higher prices on my bets and I receive them. For instance prior to using Entropy I would gladly have bet into a return of 60 cents on the dollar. It would take a few races to churn the kind of profit that I was looking for. Now simply because of setting my sights higher my return is far greater than it was at the 60 cent level. In fact I can usually double my bankroll in about 14-15 races instead of the twenty or so that I had grown accustomed to. Because I now will not bet into a race with a return of less than one dollar I enjoy the effect of a much higher percent edge.

An important feature of the higher minimum price is safety. At the one dollar minimum return level even if I slump to a 50 percent win percentage I am playing an even game. Let me repeat. If you demand a minimum return of one dollar on your bets then all you have to do to break even is to win half of your bets. It gets much better than that. My return per dollar bet using the Entropy readouts is slightly higher than \$1.50. So even if my win percentage is only 50 percent I still have a significant edge. This is fabulous as far as I am concerned.

Playing in New York at some of the tele-theatre cites I occasionally run into PIRCO members and former PIRCO members. I have been told by them that Entropy has a weakness as far as a handicapping tool is concerned. They assert that Entropy favors the sustained horses too much, giving the early horses little chance.

Now in principle I can understand their concerns. After all this program was designed to advantage the late and/or sustained horses. However I informed them of a technique that I use to great advantage in readout interpretation. After some time and thought about it I realized that I should share this technique with the current PIRCO members as well.

This technique will let you throw out false late contenders in most races. Give it a try and see if it doesn't work for you. I have found that it has helped me to safely and profitably eliminate contenders. I think that you will find that even with the other programs offered by Doc Sartin and Jim Bradshaw this can be a worthwhile technique.

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I have identified a simple method of detecting a hidden form deficit that in most cases and most races will allow you to eliminate contenders from win bet consideration. That simple method is - *Eliminate those animals whose middle, hidden fraction is greater than its first fraction.*

I have found this to be effective. It works on races at every distance and on all surfaces. It is a hidden form defect because it cannot be uncovered by eyeballing the race. (For most of us, anyway.) And gives us a unique advantage because it is clearly and unmistakably revealed in the readouts of our programs. I'd like to add that I seldom go further back than two races for my pacelines, but I almost always look for confirmation from other "logical" pacelines. You may be surprised at the number of "consistent" horses who show this defect in numerous logical past performance lines. It will also surprise you how many will be well bet today and not even hit the board.

Back to Entropy. Since Entropy may advantage those late paced animals, I think that you will find that this simple analysis will help eliminate those animals that are falsely advantaged.

When this trick doesn't work you will ususally find overly contentious early pace scenarios and they should be obvious to us by now. Like I say this will be effective on most races that you will encounter (In my experience.).

I would appreciate any kind of feed back by those of you who would be testing this angle.

AND, ALONG THE SAME LINE OF THOUGHT, SOME ADDED COMMENTARY FROM...

TIPTON GILBERT

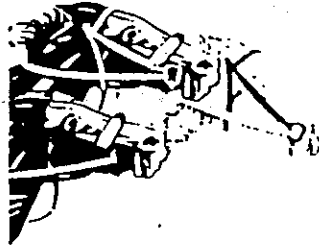
I've been playing with the Entropy program. I've noticed one thing about the program that may be relevent or may simply be a function of the way I handicap; I'm not sure which.

In going over races that the Entropy program had eliminated the winner from, (using the final screen ranking only), I found one common factor. Each of the winners that was eliminated was because the 100 rated horse, at the second call on the velocity par screen, was eliminated along with horses that ranked lower than it on the final screen. A wholesale elimination of all but the lowest four final screen rankings eliminated the winner. When I went back and eliminated only those with a higher final screen ranking than the 100 ranked horse on the velocity screen, plus the 100 ranked horse, the makeup of the race changed. By eliminating in steps so that the remaining horses were reshuffled to determine a new velocity ranking each time, the winner was not eliminated in all but one race.

I hope the above paragraph makes some sense to you, I'm having trouble explaining what I mean. In each case, however, I was putting quite a few horses in the computer.

Since I changed the way I eliminate, I haven't thrown out the winner in any subsequent race. This is true even though I have had the wrong pace line on a couple of them.

Thoroughbred Racing:
Predicting The Winner



Sal Sinatra

Doc Sartin.....

New York Teaching Member Sal Sinatra has come up with a book that embraces both Pace Handicapping and a synthesis of the best overall concepts available to contemporary handicappers.

Unlike so many of today's handicapping author/experts he makes no pretense at having "invented" it. He honors me with the following acknowledgment:

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

My heartfelt thanks to Howard G. Sartin, Ph.D whose creative genius and insights in the field of Thoroughbred Handicapping is unmatched by any other. His research is responsible for many of the ideas presented in this book. His teachings have contributed greatly to my growth as a handicapper. For this, I will be forever grateful.

Ironically, Sal's material honors me more while borrowing from me less than those others who openly use not only our material but our terms as well. Sal avoids our esoteric terminology and uses commonly known horsy language to impart some very valid concepts. He expounds a pace concept, using the basic THREE fractions, that is far superior to the Pace/Speed numbers embraced by other, better known authors. His simplistic use of a valid average daily variant in conjunction with the DRF variant makes for a faster and more efficient set of Pace Ratings than the ones promoted by the mainstream.

Sal's secret is that, like Tom Brohamer, he was already an excellent handicapper before he came under my influence, so he does not just parrot, he innovates. The truth of the matter is that the little dust jacket blurb I wrote for his book is probably the best assessment of it that anyone could give. here it is:

"Sal Sinatra is the rare breed of author who fully recognizes the painful fact that handicapping success comes NOT from following popular trends but in abandoning them for concepts that are more pioneering and esoteric. Yet, it is Sal's particular genius that he can reduce the most complex and far sighted handicapping concepts into written words that any reader can comprehend. In this book, Sinatra brings us the Future NOW, but makes it seem like it was there all along."

Howard G. Sartin, Ph.D

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Howard G. Sartin, Ph.D

The Psychology of Winning

The Psycho-Biology of Handicapping for Optimal Profit PART II

In the first installment of this series we used money management specialist **BARRY MEADOW** as a model of someone who wagers for optimal **NET** profit. The purpose of these articles is to determine just what it would take for all of **US** to duplicate his profits.

I sent **BARRY** a copy of the article and, since I received no protest from him, I can assume that the **FOUR** principle qualities I ascribed to his success were accurate. They were:

(1) **DISCIPLINE**

(2) **A THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE AND COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING OF THE MATHEMATICS THAT GOVERN ODDS AND PROBABILITIES.**

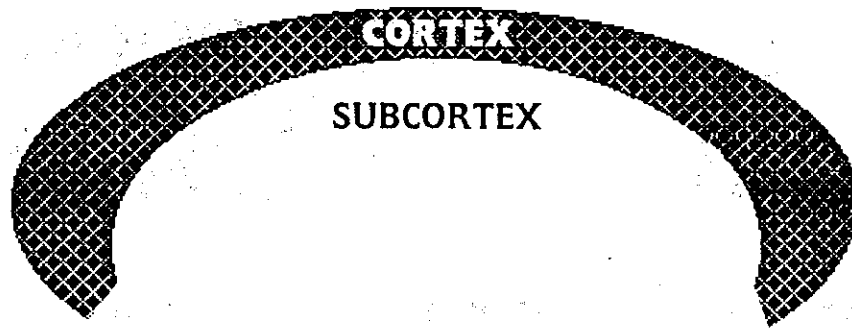
(3) **A NON-EGO RELATED, TOTALLY FOCUSED MOTIVATION FOR ACQUISITION.**

(4) **COURAGE.**

We also stated, last time, that in his salad days **BARRY** thought that a \$30 bet was too rich for his blood and wondered how long it took him to wager maximally today.

Making the transition from timid to bold wagering constitutes more than a **JUST** simple mental decision to do so; it requires both a mental and physiological adaptation that will effect your entire organism. The initial stimuli, the **IDEA**

itself, originates in the Cerebral Cortex. It then is transmitted to the SUB CORTEX where it will remain so long as its only an idea; an exercise on paper.



Many of you have gone that far. You have paper-tested various money management plans on paper and found yourself theoretically making thousands of dollars with little or no apparent risk. Intellectually, YOU are convinced that you can make properly sized wagers and hence, a great deal of money. Now you go to the track or off-site wagering center. You decide that you'll start with a \$500 bank and your first bet will bet 10% of that bank with a fixed minimum of \$50. You head toward the window or automatic betting machine. Suddenly your Autonomic Nervous System kicks in. It's called autonomic because the vast majority of us have absolutely NO CONTROL over its function. It sends you a caution message and you find yourself cutting that 10% of bank down to 5%. Your first bet now totals \$25.

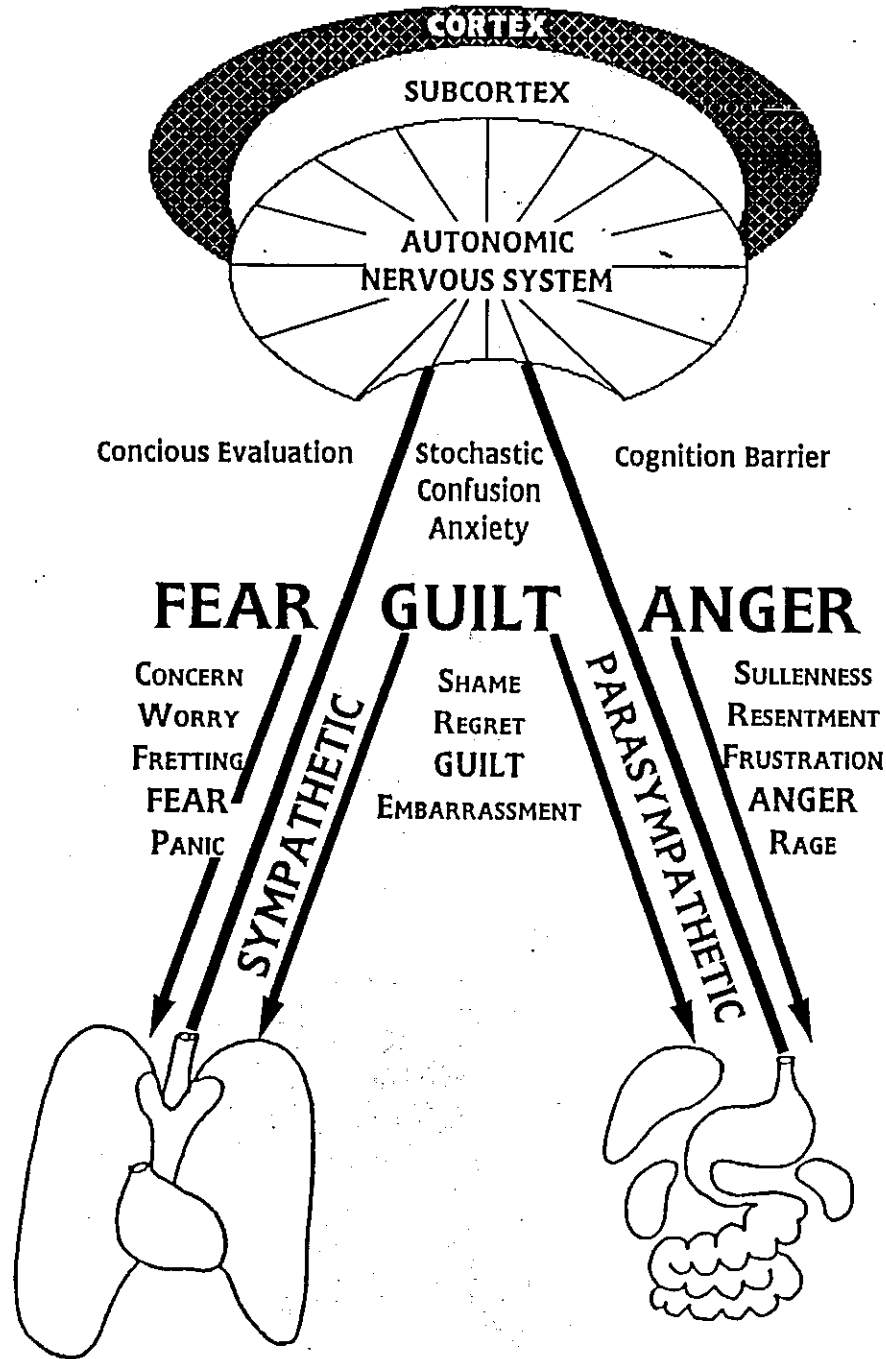
That wasn't so hard, was it? You take a deep breath and wait for the race. Now one of TWO THINGS will happen. You will either Win or LOSE the race. If you lose and respond as do most normal persons, you find it difficult, but not impossible, to go back and make a \$25 bet on the next race. If you win, your next bet is 5% of your NEW bank. If your payoff was a net \$60 for that first \$25, your next bet is only \$28.

No problem. You wish now you had stuck with your original 10% plan.

Fade out and now fade in SIX races Later. Several possibilities exist. You may have lost most or all of those races and that basic \$25 bet no longer seems like child's play. OR you won them all and your next bet is calculated at \$100 or more. If THIS wager exceeds your comfort level, your ENTIRE physical organism along with your deepest subconscious memories and childhood injunctions emerge and take over.

Your Autonomic Nervous System is sending simultaneous messages through the Sympathetic and Parasympathetic wings of the Central Nervous System. Your legs grow weak, you shake, the mucous membrane gives you a dry mouth. Your heart rate and blood pressure change. Acids churn in your stomach. Your intestines rumble. Your kidney function goes dry or becomes over-active. ALL of you becomes affected because you just scared the hell out of your autonomic nervous system and IT is scaring the hell out of the rest of you.

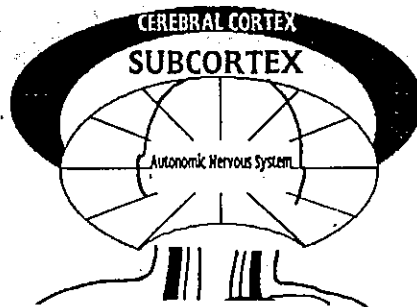
Now let's get a close up of what is going on.



Initially **THREE** reactions occur simultaneously. We strive for (1) **Conscious Evaluation**. To rationalize the situation intellectually. (2) **Stochastic Confusion-anxiety**. Ours is a stochastic event which means it is subject to a range of variables that are not subject to **RULES**. (Most of the time, not even to logic.) We come from a **RULE ORIENTED** social structure; hence the confusion-anxiety. (3) A **Cognition Barrier** is set up. Cognitive processes meet an impasse. This causes that feeling of dissociation; of not quite being there; slight dizziness and an impulse to flee the track or merely sit and watch in a daze.

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Emotions, born of childhood inhibitory training - injunctions, NO messages produce reaction of either FEAR, GUILT or ANGER; OR all three at once. Usually the three progress in order from Concern, worry, fretting all the way up to PANIC! . . .



Mucous Membrane (Mouth)

Larynx

Trachea

Esophagus

Lungs

Heart

Cardio-vascular System

Stomach

Abdomen Blood Vessels

Adrenals

Liver & Ducts

Kidneys

Intestines Small-Large



— Then Guilt sets in. You want to apologize to someone who is symbolic of your mother who is **REALLY** the person to whom you wish to apologize. It was probably **HER** injunction that gambling is evil and all gamblers lose that is causing you **SHAME** and **REGRET** and, particularly, if you are with someone, **EMBARRASSMENT** over your apparent failure.

All the while we see the physiological effect from the vital body organs. Now, for many **ANGER** sets in. You become sullen and look for someone or something to blame. Jockey, Stewards, Trainer, The Mob fixing races, You're venting your frustration with no cognitive reasoning. Some of you even go into a momentary **RAGE**.

In the old days I was the target of many persons anger. In the last few years, with so many clients winning, losers are less inclined to target **ME** or our programs for blame.

The healthy person will get angry with him/herself; but not to the degree of self-destruction. Instead self-talk takes place. The problem is faced and solved within the self. After Self Evaluation, outside help, which we freely offer, is sought and a new orientation begins.

From this new orientation **YOU** work slowly **ONE AT A TIME**, on those **FOUR** qualities we discussed. 1st, **DISCIPLINE**.

Discipline comes from practice. In a way the very word may seem like a contradiction because it requires discipline to achieve discipline.

If we stretched this article to 12 parts it would still not be long enough to teach **DISCIPLINE**. It **MUST BE** self-directed. Even alcoholics with an AA support group behind them, **MUST** sooner or later take their lives in their own hands and enforce self-discipline. We can offer you a support group but we cannot do for you that which must come from within. In the final analysis, **ONLY YOU** can achieve discipline.

That's why Discipline should be relegated to #4 on our list even though it is **BARRY MEADOW'S** #1 quality. The **DISCIPLINE** ball is now in **YOUR** court.

So, let's **START** with #3: A total motivation toward **ACQUISITION**.

Motivation is the mother of achievement. If you have no deep seeded **DESIRE**, a Genuine **WILL** to make lots of money you can rest easy. If your **TRUE** desire is merely to **WIN** lots of races and **NOT** lose money or to make just enough to augment your income or buy a few frills, just stay as sweet as you are.

Still, do NOT OVERLOOK factor #2: A thorough knowledge of the mathematics of ODDS and Probabilities. If you're hazy in this department, read BARRY MEADOW'S Money Secrets At The Racetrack, MARK CRAMER'S The Odds On Your Side; Any of DICK MITCHELL'S Money Management dissertations. Be aware, especially, of HUEY MAHL'S works.** Huey got a head start on the rest, beginning in 1973. Some of the others tend to dismiss Huey's contributions. But I see little in their works to justify such an attitude unless it's their sophisticated methods of making their own morning line. Huey showed his readers how to make a morning line in 1975. That's 18 years ago before ANY of the value boys had written their first book. With HUEY'S gracious permission we are reprinting his article on the subject in this issue of the Follow Up.* (Next Issue)

Our own original LINE SCORE concept, first used by me in 1976, constituted a subjectively made Morning Line based on readouts from OUR Methodology. This is why I am so amused when people say I've never spent more than five minutes on Money Management and don't understand about the value of making one's own line. Apparently mathematically oriented persons do NOT study history. THIS is where Mark Cramer has it over the others: HE DOES know his history.

** Available GAMBLER'S BOOK CLUB, Las Vegas.

You may not AGREE with all that these authors expound. BUT you should at least KNOW what they know before you form an independent opinion.

GINNY BUTLER has volunteered as a Guinea Pig in this dissertation. In FU #38 she outlined here ROI'S over TWENTY-THREE 20 race cycles; that's 460 races. Her average ROI over that span seems so high as to be virtually UN-believable! In fact, no mainstream expert would accept the POSSIBILITY of that kind of profit. They would not even begin to believe her. I do because I know she has not yet learned how to lie.

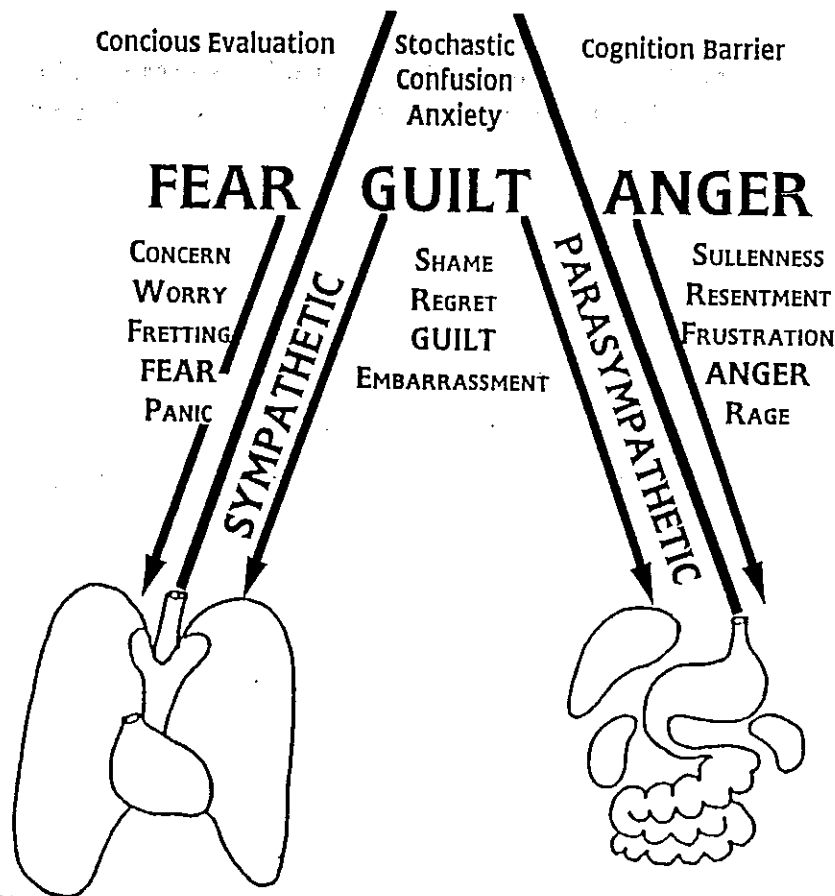
Ginny should be rich, she should NOT have to hold down a job of ANY kind, RIGHT? Even though many of her wagers are at the track and her track is YAKIMA MEADOWS, (no relation to Barry), where a \$100 wager might lower the mutuel, she could get away with \$50 per race. Since she uses the 60-40 Dutch that would be wagers of \$30 and \$20. Instead she bets a total of \$5 or, at most, \$10 a race.

She represents a perfect example of the factors with which this article is dealing. For years she has vowed to start wagering more. For years she has continued to put it off. GINNY is NOT the exception; she is TYPICAL. The basic reason that she, and the rest of you who share her "problem," do not make higher wagers is YOUR (3) LACK OF A FOCUSED MOTIVATION FOR ACQUISITION and

Fear/Anxiety, manifest as lack of (4) COURAGE.

When financial crisis drives on to desperation IT IS TOO LATE for most minds to seek such motivation. Some of the world's great success stories have been born out of desperation, but these are the RARE exceptions to be marveled at but seldom duplicated.

I would NEVER try to motivate anyone toward A TOTAL FOCUS ON ACQUISITION. For most it causes more harm than good. I DO feel, however, that you can meet the need for such motivation half way. You can look at your win results and average mutuel and wager somewhat higher with confidence. With a 50% Two Horse Entry ROI you can augment your income by \$500 per week with 20 \$50 wagers. In working with clients over a span of 18 years I have learned that the majority can be taught to WIN RACES with a greater degree of proficiency than most of the acknowledged experts. However, when these same clients attempt to make wagers high enough to optimally capitalize on the win proficiency, the majority of them seem to panic and their selection process suffers. What is happening inside their psyche is best portrayed in a picture we have already shown.



A loss or series of losses that would not upset a person's equanimity when investing ten or twenty dollars now sets off an emotional trauma. Childhood injunction messages flow from brain to Sympathetic and Para-Sympathetic nervous systems and anxiety/guilt panic ensues. The BARRY MEADOW'S of this world are a rare breed. They have placed an iron willed barrier between their intellectual knowledge and indoctrinated fears. The GINNY BUTLER response is NORMAL. The BARRY MEADOW response is extraordinary.

There IS a way to gradually overcome the natural fears that seem to accompany investing in stochastic events. It is a gradual weaning and cannot be accomplished overnight. TRY THIS:

When you have established a consistently positive ROI bet in amounts that are comfortable. Stay away from propositions in which you are not proficient: Exotics, et al, UNTIL YOU BECOME PROFICIENT from practice. Now, after each 20 race cycle, up your bets a dollar or two on each of your TWO HORSE ENTRIES. It may take months, it may take over a year, yet one day you WILL be making wagers adequate to your financial needs.

BARRY MEADOW started slowly and worked his way up to his present level of wagering. SO CAN YOU! _____

GOOD NEWS. Barry Meadow's response to part I of this series just arrived as we were putting FU 39 to bed. He graciously permitted our use of his commentary which follows-----

Commentary



By Barry Meadow

There are so many stresses at a racetrack that it's not surprising that few players remain calm enough to note good betting opportunities. But you've got to be alert, because you never know where your next good play may be coming from. Here's an incident that happened to me during the conference in Las Vegas which illustrates, I think, how important it is to use mathematics to get the best of it:

I loved the two heavy favorites in the seventh at Santa Anita (Glen Kate and House Of Joy, who both went off at 6-5). The on-track quinella was coming back at \$3.80. However, the house quinella (win price multiplied by half the place price) was paying \$5.98--no matter which horse won. A quick call to Vito The Bookmaker (a pseudonym) informed me he would take my action on the house quinella rather than the on-track quinella. The two champions ran 1-2 as expected and I collected 50% more than I would have had I not done the simple calculation which informed me what the house quinella would have paid.

Luckily, I've never had trouble passing races that either (a) I had no opinion on or (b) my opinion matched the crowd's, so no play was warranted. I've always been able to insist on the odds I need to make a particular bet. One day last week at Hollywood, in fact, two races interested me. In one, my top choice was 4-5 on my line and went off at 6-5; I bet her and she won. In the second, I was all excited about a horse that was 8-1 on the morning line--I had him at just 4-1 on my line. However, the crowd banged him down to only 4-1 so there was no value for me. As it turned out, he lost--but even if he had won, the play would not have been the kind of winning move that gets the money in the long run.

Making serious money at this game involves focusing on just that--making money. It's not about picking winners or being the best handicapper who ever lived. It's about finding small errors in the crowd's line (such as they have a favorite you hate, or they overbet the second choice, or they underbet a horse you think has a decent chance) and then acting.

The public is not just a bunch of clowns. Every study I've seen shows that the public's 6-5 shots win more than 7-5 shots, who win more than 8-5 shots, etc. Collectively, the crowd is a damn good handicapper, and most of the time they're pretty close to assessing everyone's chances before the race. Our job is to be alert for their little errors--and then pounce.

I wish I could live up to the ideal of the gambler who can disassociate his mind from his emotions, but in all candor that's not the case. The more money involved, the faster my heart beats and the louder I cheer. And when I'm on a losing streak, I still feel like a complete idiot (even if intellectually I'm aware that after many years and many thousands of bets, the amount I'm ahead couldn't possibly be due simply to luck).

Gambling is stressful. It's hard work. It's not especially fun. But it is challenging, and always enlightening.

To answer your question about how to go from betting tiny dollars to betting large dollars, it's simply a matter of attitude. It took me about a year to be able to go from betting \$10 a race to betting \$100 a race. It took some additional time for me to get comfortable betting the kind of money I do today. Most people bet small not just because they can't afford to bet big (it's stupid to make \$200 win bets when your total bankroll is only \$1000), but because they fear losing. Frankly, you can't become a winner at this game unless you're not afraid to lose.

When you can lose a big bet and go on to the next race as if nothing extraordinary has happened, you're well on your way to becoming a winning player.

I think you've done an excellent job of summarizing the psychological attributes necessary for success at this game:

1. Discipline--Due to the high takeout at racetracks, most races offer little or no value. If you're playing seven races a day, something's wrong.

2. Knowledge--You have to be able to look at a tote board and quickly determine who's overbet and who's underbet in each pool, and to calculate discrepancies.

3. Acquisition Motivation--If you're solely focused on profits, you won't have any problem passing marginal situations. If money is not your goal, then don't be surprised if you don't earn much of it.

4. Courage--This is a game of opinions. And when yours doesn't match the crowd's, it's showtime. If you're afraid to lose, you're probably afraid to win.

Interestingly, these four principles you mention can be applied to many other similar areas besides horse-race betting (stock-market investing, poker playing, real estate, etc.).

Many players simply get their ego mixed up with their desire to win at the track. Our ego ("I had him...I told you I liked that horse...That's me, I'm a winner") wants to pick the winner of the race. But to win consistent money at the track, you sometimes need to bet your third choice, or an exacta combining your second and fourth choices, simply because the odds on them are right while the odds on your top pick are wrong. And you'll need to pass races where your top choice wins because his odds weren't commensurate with his chances. And when you do that and he wins by six, you're not going to feel too terrific at first.

But hang in there. There'll come a time when you understand that value--which is simply price vs. worth--is going to get you the money. Understand worth, understand price, and the key to the mint may soon be yours.

Barry Meadow

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Follow Up #40

Featuring

MAKING YOUR OWN BETTING LINE

"Why doesn't Sartin tell his clients to make a betting line?" I hear that all the time. I get feedback from all over that I am being criticized by the "Money Management Experts" for focusing on teaching people to win "races" but NOT how to wager. That's partly correct. The reason is quite simple. If you can't win races NO money management scheme can bail you out.

Doc Sartin.... And Huey Mahl

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Horse, Country of origin (if foreign), Owner, Jockey with record at meet

Record Boom
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Doc Sartin & Jim "The Hat" Bradshaw COMMENTARY:

THE NEW DRF RUNNING LINE FORMAT

The question before the house is, will knowing the f/p/s value of some extra Past Performance splits HELP or hinder your handicapping? AND, will the cost of re-tooling that will have to be passed along to YOU, be worth it?

In sprints over 5 and under 7 furlongs we see the FIVE furlong time which actually is the stretch call at 6 fur. However, we'll just have to regard this as the Stretch Call at 5.5 and 6.5. as well.

At 7 and 7.5 furlongs we get the six furlong time, which IS the Stretch call at 7 furlongs.

As for Routes, the new addition is the first Quarter time. This will give us another HIDDEN FRACTION the general public will NOT see. The fraction between the quarter mile and the half mile which in sprints we now call Turn Time. Hence in Routes of from one mile through a mile and one sixteenth we will have TWO Turn Times 2nd AND 3rd Quarters. BUT at a mile and 1/8th and mile 3/16ths we get NO first quarter. The splits are: 1/2 mile, 3/4 mile, mile and finish. A Very weird and awkward situation for pace Incremental Handicappers because they CANNOT reasonably compare the FINAL split in shorter routes with the final 8th of a mile at 9 furlongs. Thus in our computer programs for route races we'll have to delineate very carefully the distinction between 3rd fraction in races of a mile through a mile 1/16th and the FINAL SPLIT at a mile 1/8th. Pity they did it this way. They've left every computer program on the market high and dry without any warning. But WE will adapt as soon as humanly possible. However, the instructional material that will accompany our re-tooling will be vital.

Already MANY clients are MIS-interpreting the new calls.

SUMMARY of what we are getting that is NEW.

1. The Stretch Call Time and Beaten lengths at 6 and 7 furlongs. The Five f. time and BL's for sprints of 5.5 and 6.5 fur.

2. The **FIRST** quarter time in routes through 8.5 furlongs. By subtracting this from the 1/2 mile time we will get the 2nd Quarter; by subtracting the 1/2 mile from 4 the 3/4 mile we get the third quarter mile which is the 2nd **HIDDEN FRACTION**.

Unfortunately this will **NOT** be the case at 9 and 9.5 fur.

3: In Routes we're giving up the stretch call (Except at 9 and 9.5 f) in trade for the first quarter mile and the added **HIDDEN Fraction**.

Lord only knows how they plan to reconcile the Result Charts with the Past Performance charts. They have not yet made this clear. They have **NOW** begun this **NEW PP** format in the **WESTERN EDITIONS**. As of this writing it is not yet nationwide but we are assured by the DRF that the format will become universal See final page of this column for some examples.

Until the new format becomes universal and you have an updated program(s) just enter the same calls you are currently using.

Above all, don't fret over it. The new format may add slightly to the analytical abilities of those who have them but that remains to be seen. Until we revise our programs, just follow your old procedure.

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A look at the
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Entry Screen Format

Entries-Sprints

| # | NAME | DIST. | 1ST CALL | 2ND CALL | 3RD CALL | FIN. CALL | 1st B/L | 2nd B/L | Stretch B/L | Final B/L |
|---|------|-------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|---------|---------|-------------|-----------|
| 1 | AAA | 6.0 | 22.0 | 45.0 | 57.2 | 110.4 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 1.0 | 0.0 |
| 2 | BBB | 6.5 | 21.4 | 44.4 | 109.4 | 116.0 | 2.0 | 1.0 | .75 | 0.0 |
| 3 | CCC | 7.0 | 22.1 | 45.4 | 111.0 | 123.4 | 4.0 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 0.0 |
| 4 | DDD | 5.5 | 21.1 | 44.0 | 56.2 | 103.0 | 3.5 | 2.5 | 1.0 | 0.0 |

Entries - Routes

| # | NAME | DIST. | 1ST CALL | 2ND CALL | 3RD CALL | FIN. CALL | 1st B/L | 2nd B/L | Stretch B/L | Final B/L |
|---|------|-------|----------|----------|----------|-----------|---------|---------|-------------|-----------|
| 1 | BBB | 8.5 | 23.2 | 45.1 | 110.1 | 142.3 | 2.00 | 1.00 | 0.50 | 0.00 |
| 2 | CCC | 9.0 | 46.0 | 112.0 | 137.0 | 149.2 | 2.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 | AAA | 8.0 | 22.4 | 45.4 | 111.0 | 136.2 | 3.00 | 2.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 |

Various Readouts from the
NEW Selector Pgm.

ENERGY PROFILE

| Average > | Total | Ep | TT | 3rd | %Med | Mp | Mpbl | ESP Type |
|-----------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------------|
| | 161.59 | 35.46 | 32.27 | 32.27 | 67.73 | 68.74 | 1 | S/P Presser |
| BBB | 162.00 | 35.78 | 32.69 | 31.53 | 68.47 | 34.73 | 1 | Early |
| CCC | 160.95 | 35.39 | 31.64 | 32.98 | 67.02 | 34.08 | 1 | Sustained |
| AAA | 161.81 | 35.22 | 32.47 | 32.31 | 67.69 | 34.30 | 2 | S/Presser |

COMPOSITE RATINGS

| Name | Mpr | Lpr | Cpr | %E | Diff |
|------|------|------|-------|-------|--------|
| AAA | 93.0 | 84.0 | 177.0 | 52.54 | +9.00 |
| BBB | 95.0 | 88.5 | 183.5 | 51.77 | 16.50 |
| CCC | 88.0 | 89.0 | 177.0 | 49.72 | - 1.00 |
| DDD | 97.5 | 90.5 | 188.0 | 51.86 | 17.00 |

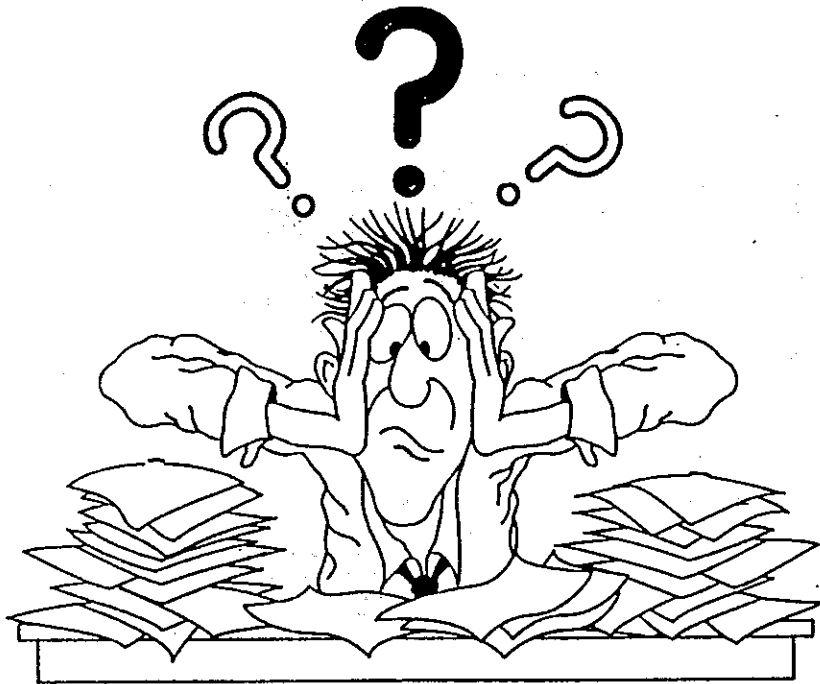
ENTROPY

| Name | Ep/dv | P/dv | He/dv | Td/dv | Pm/dv | Total |
|------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| DDD | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 11 |
| BBB | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 11 |
| AAA | 3 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 17 |
| CCC | 4 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 |

BEATEN LENGTHS

| Name | Ep | Name | Mp | Name | Fin |
|------|--------|------|---------|------|---------|
| DDD | - 0.00 | DDD | - 0.00 | BBB | - 0.00 |
| BBB | - 2.16 | BBB | - 3.27 | DDD | - 2.93 |
| AAA | - 4.35 | AAA | - 5.44 | CCC | - 3.31 |
| CCC | - 6.50 | CCC | - 11.00 | AAA | - 11.16 |

Anatomy of a Problem Race



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LASIX—She's Julie, Sands of Destiny, Doctor Doctor, Moneymarfasanchalk, Hot Prospect, Life Storm, Miss Lisa M., Whirling Pleasure.

She's Julie

COXR (4 0 0 1 .00)

Own.—Demming Reginald

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for She's Julie.

LATEST WORKOUTS Mar 29 FG 54 fst 1:02 1/2 B

Dr. h. or br. m. & by Yukon—Miss Julie Ray, by Papa Redbird

\$5,500 Br.—Allen Henry E DVM (Ky)

Tr.—Bruno John (2 0 0 0 .00)

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for other horses in the race.

113

Lifetime 1993 1 0 0 0 \$1,430
34 2 1 6 1992 9 0 0 2 \$13,147
Turf 1 0 0 0
Wet 4 0 0 2

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for other horses in the race.

Sands of Destiny

BOREL CH (2 5 5 5 .77)

Own.—Bevil Gary

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for Sands of Destiny.

LATEST WORKOUTS Mar 29 FG 54 fst 1:02 1/2 B

Ch. m. s, by Brilliant Sandy—Raja Raja, by Raja Baba

\$5,500 Br.—Bevil G & Prizett J T (Ark)

Tr.—Clime Leon (-)

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for other horses in the race.

119

Lifetime 1993 7 2 0 0 \$9,280
39 4 7 4 1992 15 2 6 0 \$17,221
\$35,081
Turf 1 0 0 0
Wet 3 0 0 1

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for other horses in the race.

Doctor Doctor

GULLORY D (3 6 4 4 .11)

Own.—Pellerin Ruby

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for Doctor Doctor.

LATEST WORKOUTS Mar 29 FG 54 fst 1:02 1/2 B

Ch. m. s, by Dr Spanky—Dr Beans, by L'Aligton

\$5,500 Br.—Baker Mr.—Mrs K & Mattie Mrs G D (La)

Tr.—Pellerin Paul (2 1 0 0 .50)

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for other horses in the race.

116

Lifetime 1993 9 1 1 1 \$6,370
19 3 1 1 1992 6 0 0 0 \$162
\$13,612
Wet 2 0 0 1

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for other horses in the race.

Moneymarfasanchalk

HIGHTOWER T W (1 1 0 1 .05)

Own.—Smith Leona C

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for Moneymarfasanchalk.

LATEST WORKOUTS Apr 17 LaD 54 fst 1:02 1/2 H

Gr. f. f, by Marfa—Two Benjies, by Matsadon

\$5,500 Br.—Christensen Max & Inman Hoss (Ky)

Tr.—Smith Jerry W (3 0 0 1 .00)

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for other horses in the race.

116

Lifetime 1993 3 0 1 0 \$1,940
30 3 3 2 1992 17 2 1 2 \$11,372
\$23,056
Turf 1 0 0 0
Wet 1 0 0 0

Table with columns for race date, distance, track, sex, age, time, and performance notes for other horses in the race.

ENERGY GENERATOR

RAW ENERGY FACTORS

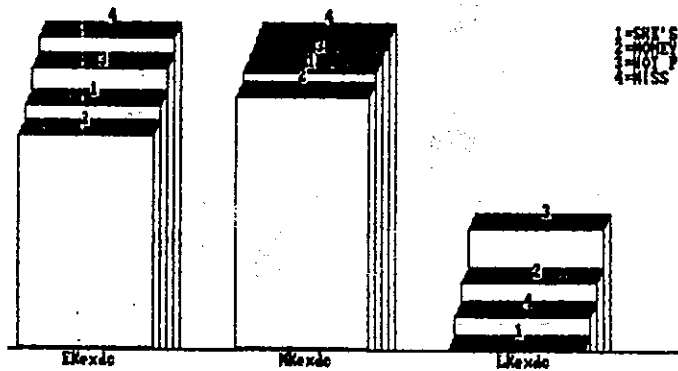
| Name | Total | Hidden | Fx | Med | Lex | 3rd | ESP Type |
|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|
| SHE'S | 163.07 | 64.75 | 65.55 | 69.11 | 30.89 | 30.60 | Early |
| MONEY | 165.40 | 64.98 | 66.74 | 69.10 | 30.90 | 31.31 | S/P Presser |
| HOT P | 165.09 | 64.19 | 67.71 | 68.74 | 31.26 | 31.58 | S/P Presser |
| MISS | 162.58 | 63.79 | 66.15 | 69.17 | 30.83 | 30.39 | Early |

Race: 050501 Dist = 6.0 FURLONGS Comments: 1ST LAD 5.5K CL





| Name | Total | 2ndCall | Par Med | Name | Total | Median | Dte |
|-------|--------|---------|---------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| HOT P | 165.08 | 68.18 | 92.126 | MONEY | 165.48 | 68.74 | 98.677 |
| MISS | 162.57 | 68.53 | 87.970 | HOT P | 165.27 | 68.36 | 98.551 |
| MONEY | 165.40 | 67.73 | 91.987 | SHE'S | 163.92 | 68.58 | 97.742 |
| SHE'S | 163.06 | 68.11 | 89.162 | MISS | 163.58 | 68.60 | 97.544 |

SORT DC/V COMPOSITE

| Name | Ep/dv | P/dv | He/dv | Td/dv | Pm/dv | Total |
|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|------------------|
| HOT P | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 10 |
| MISS | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 16 |
| MONEY | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 12 <i>-16.00</i> |
| SHE'S | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 12 |



1 ADJ (AUTO)

| | |
|---|---------|
|  | 1 SHE'S |
|  | 2 MONEY |
|  | 3 HOT P |
|  | 4 MISS |

SAME RACE - Getting the PLACE horse and the 3 horse Box for the \$147.30 EXACTA

ENTROPY

Sort DC/V COMPOSITE





Low is Best

| Name | Ep/dv | P/dv | He/dv | Td/dv | Pm/dv | Total |
|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|----------|
| SHES | 1 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 14 |
| LIFE | 2 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 28 - OUT |
| MISS | 3 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 25 - OUT |
| MONY | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 12 |
| HOT P | 5 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
| DOCTR | 8 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 23 |
| SANDS | 7 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 24 |

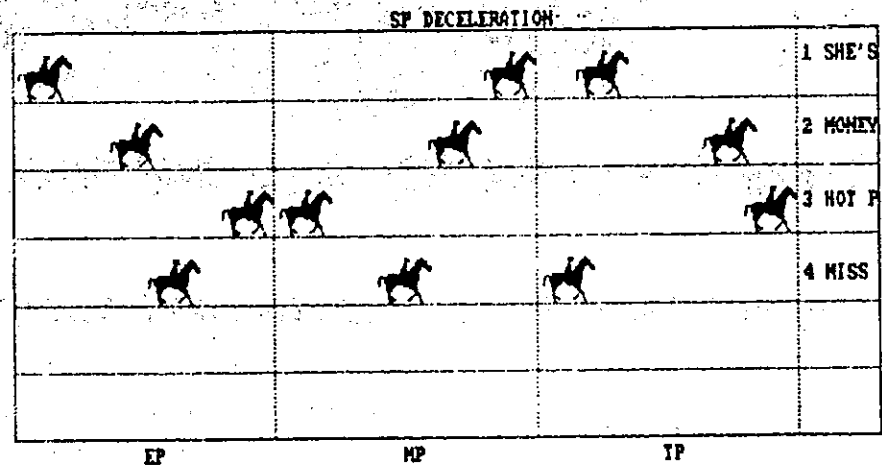
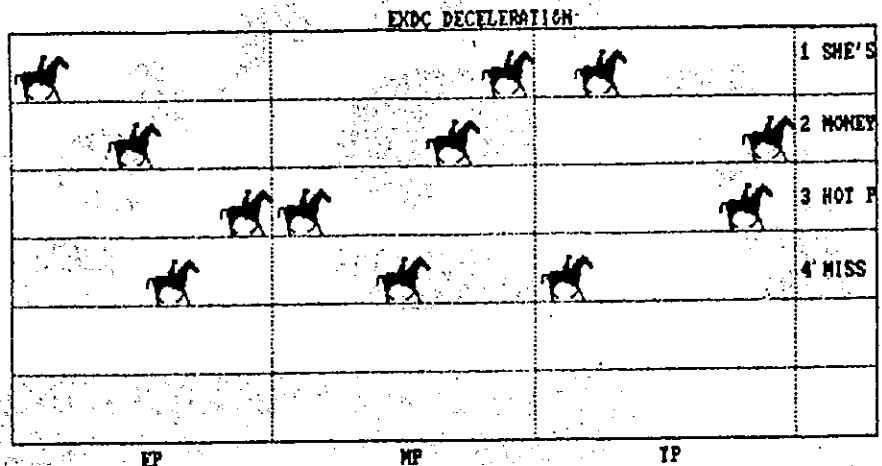
COMPOSITE RATINGS

| Name | Mpr | Lpr | Cpr |
|-------|------|------|-----------|
| SHES | 83.5 | 77.2 | 160.7 |
| SANDS | 82.5 | 83.5 | 186.0 |
| DOCTR | 78.0 | 80.2 | 158.2 OUT |
| MONY | 82.0 | 85.3 | 167.3 |
| LIFE | 87.0 | 73.5 | 160.5 |
| MISS | 86.0 | 77.0 | 183.0 |
| HOT P | 86.0 | 83.0 | 169.0 |

SCRATCH ==> DOCTR 3 SCRATCH ==> MISS 5
(Y)es (N)o Y (Y)es (N)o Y

| | |
|--|---------|
|  | 1 SHES |
|  | 2 SANDS |
|  | 3 MONY |
|  | 4 HOT P |

IF YOU THINK IN TERMS OF WIN ONLY. BET TO WIN ONLY. STAY AWAY FROM EXACTAS UNTIL YOU CAN FIND THE PLACE HORSE!



| Exdc Deceleration Ratio | Name | | | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|--------|-----|-----|-----|--|
| HOT P | 100.00+ | 91.36 | 95.34+ | | | | HOT P has a DOUBLE Minus 2nd. Out. Vic picked his lines & contenders for WIN only. Throwing out Sands cost him the |
| MISS | 97.46+ | 95.51+ | 92.09- | | | | Exacta. horses with |
| MONEY | 96.19- | 97.67+ | 95.74+ | | | | Doctor in their name |
| SHE'B | 93.10- | 100.01+ | 92.73- | | | | SHOW a lot. |

FIRST RACE
La. Downs
MAY 5, 1993

| Last Raced | Horse | M/EqL.A.Wt | PP | St | ¼ | ½ | Str | Fin | Jockey | Cl'g Pr | Odds \$1 |
|----------------|--------------------|------------|----|----|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------|---------|----------|
| 23Apr93 9LaD9 | Moneymarfasanchalk | L 4 116 | 4 | 3 | 1 ^{hd} | 11 ^½ | 11 | 11 ^½ | Hightower TW | 5500 | 7.00 |
| 14Apr93 20P5 | Sands of Destiny | L 5 119 | 2 | 7 | 5 ^{hd} | 4 ^{hd} | 2 ^½ | 2 ^{nk} | Borel C H | 5500 | 3.90 |
| 23Apr93 9LaD6 | Doctor Doctor | Lb 5 116 | 3 | 6 | 6 ^½ | 5 ^½ | 3 ² | 3 ¹ | Guillory D | 5500 | 3.00 |
| 25Apr93 9LaD10 | Whirling Pleasure | Lb 6 114 | 8 | 2 | 7 ² | 6 ² | 5 ² | 4 ² | Woodley C J | 5000 | 43.10 |
| 4Apr93 5EvD6 | She's Julie | Lb 6 113 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 6 ¹ | 5 ² | Cox R | 5000 | 25.90 |
| 23Apr93 9LaD4 | Life Storm | Lb 5 111 | 6 | 1 | 3 ^½ | 2 ^{hd} | 4 ¹ | 6 ^½ | Smith G S ⁵ | 5500 | 4.80 |
| 15Apr93 7EvD6 | Hot Prospect | Lb 6 113 | 5 | 4 | 4 ¹ | 7 ^{hd} | 8 | 7 ⁵ | Poyadou B E | 5000 | 2.40 |
| 10Mar93 10FG10 | Miss Lisa M. | Lb 4 113 | 7 | 5 | 2 ^{hd} | 3 ^½ | 7 ¹ | 8 | Ardoin R | 5000 | 7.90 |

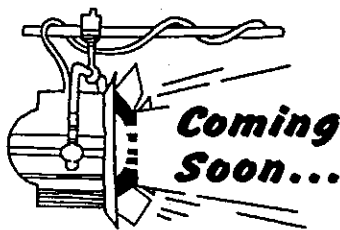
OFF AT 3:00. Start good. Won driving. Time, :22³, :46², :59², 1:12⁴ Track fast.

Official Program Numbers

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

| | | | |
|--|-------|------|------|
| 4-MONEYMARFASANCHALK | 16.00 | 7.80 | 5.40 |
| 2-SANDS OF DESTINY | | 5.00 | 3.40 |
| 3-DOCTOR DOCTOR | | | 3.00 |
| \$3 EXACTA (4-2) PAID \$147.30. | | | |

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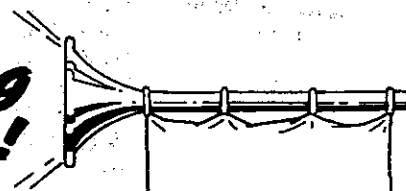
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FINAL PAGE

From your Editor

While it wasn't planned that way, this issue of the FOLLOW UP seems to deal, directly or indirectly, more with the subject of money than any previous volume. In FU 38 Bob Ireland, the man who does our FU index noted that over the past several years 16 articles and over 60 pages had been dedicated to money management. That's a lot of space for a subject that the Doc has been accused of "spending no more than five minutes on."

Two of the most prominent VALUE oriented authors, Dick Mitchell and Barry Meadow have contributed to our pages. So has Mark Cramer, though not directly on the subject of value. Huey Mahl has often offered pages sage commentaries on how to make optimal profits from your win percent. NEVER has the Doc suggested that "selection orientation" is the answer to making money from your handicapping. This is a "Bad Rap" leveled upon him by those whose knowledge of what we do is limited to the factors which, by their own admission, they "shamelessly steal."

At every seminar and workshop Doc insists on a comprehensive money management session. He has never failed to incorporate EVERYTHING that has been said or written on the subject of optimal profit and Value. He has correctly stressed the fact that unless you can pick winners, all the money management skills or techniques in the world cannot possibly help you. What use is it to bet on a perceived "Value" horse if it consistently fails to win. The ultimate money management plan is having your money on the winner. If it pays \$12, so much the better. But how many \$12 horses did we find in May at Hollywood Park?

I have watched Howard poll every audience with the vital question: "How many of you are into handicapping for the profit; and how many to prove to yourself that you have the GIFT OF PROPHECY? Over 80% of the hands that go up favor the Gift of Prophecy alternative.

Even at EXPO '93, in a room dominated by NON-clients, the response was identical: 80-20. Doc concluded that Mitchell and Meadow get all the handicappers seeking big MONETARY, while HE gets the ones seeking to profit philosophically. So, even though we offer the same theory and techniques for making optimal profit from our efforts, MOST of you are content to pick winners, shunning the big money. It doesn't have to be that way, as much of the content of this FU demonstrates.

Doc insists that the choice MUST be yours. It is a decision that only YOU can make. If you are content to merely win RACES, the Methodology certainly provides the essential tools. If MONETARY PROFIT is your ultimate goal, we offer you the means to reach it. YOU must decide whether you prefer a high percentage of profit return per dollar, (ROI), OR more NET dollars per wagering cycle. BOTH results are available but only YOU can make the final choice. The profit motive CANNOT be imposed upon you from without.

