Mercy's hurdler can humble big three in Champion

GAYE BRIEF'S THE ONE

GAYE BRIEF, a progressive young hurdler with the best still to come, is napped to humble better-backed rivals in the Waterford Crystal Champion Hurdle (3.15) at Cheltenham today.

He has been especially prepared for this event by Mercy Rimell, who could become the first woman to train the winner of this race.

In order to succeed, Gaye Brief has to overcome Ekbalco, Royal Vulcan and For Auction, last year's winner.

Of the three favourites I have least fancy for For Auction and am torn between the other pair. I sympathise with Jonjo O'Neill, who has to choose one of them

By NEWSBOY (Bob Butchers)

Whatever the going, this race calls for stamina and the temperament to overcome inevitable incidents. Gaye Brief is the ideal type and has smart enough form to back up his chance.

The tactical battle is of great interest. The likes of Ekbalco, and to a lesser extent Royal Vulcan and Heighlin, will attempt to score with late challenges.

In contrast, For Auction and Gaye Brief will be going for the winning post a lot earlier.

There is much to look forward to, but I hope Gaye Brief can gain a lead by the last hurdle and then I'm sure the challengers will have their work cut out to catch him.

The Irish won the first three races last year but I expect Michael Dickinson to lead the way this time.

Delius seems to be an outstanding novice and can remain unbeaten by landing the opening Waterford Crystal Supreme Hurdle (2.00).

If he is beaten it will almost certainly be by one of the Irish raiders and the pick of them can be Seskin Bridge.

Branding Iron looks good to complete a stable double in the Arkle Trophy (2.35). Kilbrittain Castle, Kathies Lad and Ro's Owen will each be backed to beat him, but Irish raider Twinburn is the one I fear.

It is 12 years since the Irish took the Grand Annual Chase (5.00), but they could do it this time with the improving **Churchfield Boy.**

Even though carrying more than his long-handicap weight, he seems to be well-treated.

Ekbalco ready to take crown

I COULD almost see the Cheltenham winner's enclosure looming in the distant Cumbrian mist as I rode Ekbalco on Askam Sands on Sunday morning.

We had just galloped a mile to put the finishing touches to Ekbalco for today's Champion Hurdle (3.15).

I felt my confidence grow as we splashed through the pools of sea water on our way back to the horse box.

I had ridden Ekbalco three times in a week and now it was as if we were signalling our message across the calm Irish Sea:

"Beware, For Auction. Ekbalco is ready to wear your crown."

Trainer Roger Fisher and I have had a nagging doubt about fitness because Ekbalco's planned preliminary races were frozen off.

But Ekbalco was given a seaching two-mile racecourse gallop at Carlisle last Tuesday. And Sunday's seaside spin put him in top gear.

Ekbalco felt great, and is obviously in terrific fettle. I have maintained all season that he is stronger and better than he was last winter.

Irish trainer Michael Cunningham has made no secret of For Auction's brilliant build-up.

Yet the real thorn in my side could be Royal Vulcan. We have shared in an unbeaten run of five victories this season.

Royal Vulcan has got the Champion Hurdle written all over him-...but not this time.

If my judgement is right, he will be even better in twelve months when he is six.

I just hope it's mud and not egg I have on my face when I come in on Ekbalco.

JONJO O'NEILL was talking to TIM RICHARDS

GREYHOUND RESULTS

BRISTOL: **1.33: Grittenham Sage** 2-1f (4-2, £11.93; (NSL: £1.90; Computer: £22.39). **1.51: Druids Dandy** 11.4f (5-1 £10.26; £2.03; £21.38). **2.08: Wesley Boy** 2-1f (6-3 £1.58; 87p; £9.14). **2.26: Thearsas Dream** 9-4f (5-3 £3.86; £2.12; £22.55). **2.44: Handy Wizard** 7-4f (1-6 £4.75; £1.33; £14.96). **3.02: Gambler Dan** 1-2f (6-3 £11.23; £1.08; £13.47). **3.20: Just Honey** evens f (1-3 £1.67; 63p; £5.90). **3.38: Black Ash** 9-4 (5-4 £3.62; £1.20; £14.52). **3.57: Black Mayneard Tower** 7-4f (2-5 £4.38; £1.33; £16.09). **4.14: Smart Choice** 5-2 (6-2 £2.46; 87p; £10.12).

CAMBRIDGE.—**1.41: Knockerlay Star** 5-2f (2-4, £3.62; NSL: £2.08; Computer: £24.25). **1.58: Belfleet Class** 3-1 (4-3, £6.74; £1.42; £16.38). **2.17: Linkside Phantom** 7-2 (6-2, £1.78; 92p; £10.00). **2.33: Westmead Dena** 3-1 (5-1, £1.62; 96p; £12.41). **2.52: Cannonmaster** 7-2 (3-6, £2.62; £1.46; £18.14). **3.11: Tomsollagh Par** 7-4 (3-6, £1.60; 35p; £4.03). N.R.s: Sandra Star (1), Rikasso Cassie (2). **3.29: Northway Dream** 5-1, (5-6, £6.22; £2.97; £54.31). **3.47: Rikasso Tiger** 2-1f (3-1, £2.38; 97p; £13.02). **4.05: Darkie Fil** 11-10f (4-5, £2.26; 44p; £5.66). **4.22: Cooladine Con** 7-2 (4-1, £3.50; £1.46; £15.30).

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2.15 —ELLERMAN BEE LINE CONDITIONAL JOCKEYS (S) H'CAP HURDLE (HEAT 6). 2m. Penalty Value £512. (21 runners).

SPOT FORM

1 0124UF- **CLOWN COURT** J Berry 8-12-6 **(D)**..........**A Houlker —**
4 043030 **GUN** (BL) D Yeomen 6-11-9 **(SF)**................**J Hansen 27**
6 41400P **AMAZON RULER** (USA) Jeffrey 10-11-3 **(D)** . **K Burke 26**
8 314000 **KAMENEV** R Thompson 6-11-0 **(D)** .**Jayne Thompson 23**
10 P001P0 **WHAT A PALAVER** Friday 12-10-9 **(C)**...............**— 26**
11 400400 **PERICULO LUDUS** (FR) J Harris 7-10-8 **(D)** **Vicki Harris 28**
13 04100P **FELIXSTOWE LAD** R Johnson 4-10-7 **(C,D)** **G W Gray 26**
14 00-004F **HALLO CHEEKY** W Storey 7-10-7 **(D)** .... **K Jones 25**
15 000-030 **SHUGHIE** Mrs C Weightman 8-10-6..... **A McWilliams 25**
16 000000 **GORSKY** (BL) B Richmond 7-10-5...........**C Richmond —**
19 000004/ **RUST BOROUGH** A Potts 11-10-2 **(D)** .... **P Dever —**
20 00PP/0 **RUBARE** R Nixon 9-10-1 ....**A Wilson —**
23 00000 **KINGFISHER WONDER** R Barr 4-10-1 .. **P Thompson —**
24 0-00000 **ARAB MERCHANT** (BL) Bycroft 7-10-0.... **G McEnhill —**
26 4F0-000 **PEM PEM** A Sutton 7-10-0 **(EW)**...................**— 29●**
27 F/03F-00 **WAMPHRAY** Walby 9-10-0 **(F)**...............**S Youlden —**
28 PPUR0U **BANK LAW** J Harris 7-10-0..............................**— —**
29 P/3PP0 **OAKLEY CROSS** N Chamberlain 12-10-0 . **G McCaskill —**
30 F/040-00 **WINKING FIELDS** Alston 7-10-0.............. **M Pepper —**
32 00/P000 **STRATH MANOR** S Bridge 8-10-0 ....**M Caswell —**
33 PP00P0 **SAWLEY SAM** Fairgrieve 5-10-0.................. **J S Hill —**

Betting Forecast.—3 Clown Court, Gun, 4 Kamenev, 6 Amazon Ruler, Pem Pem, Periculo Ludus, Hallo Cheeky, 12 What A Palaver.

*Allowances (except 2.15 race): S Kettlewell, S P Grant, G Gray, M Pepper, B Storey, J McLaughlin, M Todhunter, B Holohan, K Milner, T G Davies, D Williams, Jane Raw, N McCormack 4lb; others 7lb.

ABC

C—Cheltenham
S—Sedgefield

Kinsman	3.50	C
Albion Prince	4.0	S
Amazon Ruler (USA)	2.15	S
Another Duke	4.25	C
Arab Merchant	2.15	S
Arcticlac	4.00	S
Artistic Prince	4.25	C
Avonduet	2.50	S
Ballymiles	2.35	C
Bank Law	2.15	S
Barberstown Castle	3.25	S
Baron Blakeney	3.50	C
Bickleigh Bridge	5.00	C
Big Bryma	2.35	C
Bobby Brigg	4.00	S
Bobby Brown	5.10	S
Bold Agent	2.35	C
Bold Yeoman	2.35	C
Boreen Daw	2.35	C
Boreen Prince	3.15	C
Borioli	2.50	S
Bothwell Castle	2.50	S
Branding Iron	2.35	C
Brave Hussar	3.15	C
Bridge Ash	4.25	C
Broadsword (USA)	3.15	C
Bronwyn	5.10	S
Buckbe	2.00	C
Buck House	2.00	C
Cardinal Flower	2.00	C
Carpenters Silk	2.35	C
Casa Knipe	4.35	S
Cavalier Servente	4.00	S
Chaperon	4.00	S
Chebbie	3.25	S
Churchfieldboy	5.00	C
Cima	3.15	C
Classified	5.00	C
Clown Court	2.15	S
Comedian	3.15	C
Connaught River	2.00	C
Coolafancy	4.25	C
Copt Again	4.00	S
Crimson Embers	3.50	C
Cruise Missile	5.00	C
Darby Creek	5.00	C
Daring Run	3.15	C
Delius	2.00	C
Destiny Bay	2.00	C
Determined Angel	3.50	C
Donegal Prince	3.15	C
Double Crossing	4.25	C
Dumper	3.50	C
Durham Edition	5.10	S
Ebony Hill	5.10	S
Eboracum	5.10	S
Ekbalco	3.15	C
El Don Velgo	2.50	S
Ellaron	2.00	C
Erne Waterway	5.10	S
Fane Ranger	3.15	C
Farmer	3.50	C
Fearless Imp	5.00	C
Felicity's Pet	4.25	C
Felixstowe Lad	2.15	S
Fine Steel	2.50	S
Foggy Buoy	5.00	C
For Auction	3.15	C
Friendly Alliance	5.00	C
Friars Peak	5.10	S
Friendly Glen	2.50	S
Furry Rock	4.25	C
Gaye Brief	3.15	C
Glasgow Central	2.00	C
Golden Friend	2.00	C
Golden Ty	5.10	S
Goldness Bing	5.10	S
Goldspun	3.50	C
Gorsky	2.15	S
Greasepaint	4.25	C
Great Tarquin	2.50	S
Gun	2.15	S
Hallo Cheeky	2.15	S
Happy Worker	4.00	S
Hartstown	3.50	C
Heighlin	3.15	C
Hindu Tapestry	4.00	S
Honours Even (FR)	4.00	S
Jimbrook	3.50	C
Kamenev	2.15	S
Kathies Lad	2.35	C
Kilbrittain Castle	2.35	C
Kingfisher Wonder	2.15	S
Kingsley House	5.10	S
Kitty Marino	5.10	S
Kumon Sunshine	3.25	S
Lean Ar Aghaidh	2.00	C
Little Tiger	2.50	S
Loriot	3.50	C
Lucky Pass	4.00	S
Lulav	3.15	C
Mac Kelly	3.50	C
Man Alive	4.25	C
Marnik	4.25	C
Marshal Night	5.00	C
Mayotte	3.50	C
Mellie	3.50	C
Migrator	3.15	C
Miller Hill	3.15	C
Miss Love	2.00	C
Mister Donovan	3.50	C
Morning Blues	4.35	S
Mountain Lad	4.35	S
Mr Denetop	5.10	S
Newlife Connection	2.50	S
Noblissimo (FR)	3.50	C
Nomadic Star	5.00	C
Noon Gun	2.00	C
No Pardon	4.25	C
Oakley Cross	2.15	S
Ocean Cruise	4.00	S
Our Bara Boy	3.50	C
Padang	5.10	S
Palace Royal	3.25	S
Pay Freeze	5.00	C
Pem Pem	2.15	S
Penroyal	2.50	S
Perialos	2.50	S
Periculo Ludus (FR)	2.15	S
Persian Parthian	4.35	S
Petrolic (USA)	2.50	S
Pirate Jack	3.25	S
Polar Ice	5.10	S
Prince Sol	2.50	S
Queen's Ride	3.50	C
Rambling Buck	4.25	C
Red Gem	3.25	S
Rednael	4.25	C
Regeric	4.00	S
Reldis	5.00	C
Restless Shot	5.00	C
Robbers Bridge	4.35	S
Rorqual	5.00	C
Ro's Owen	2.35	C
Rostuile	5.10	S
Royal Radar	4.00	S
Royal Vulcan	3.15	C
Rubare	2.15	S
Run With Pride	5.00	C
Rust Borough	2.15	S
Ryeman	2.35	C
Sacha's Song	2.00	C
Saint Taffy	4.25	C
Sandalay	3.50	C
Sawley Sam	2.15	S
Sealed	4.35	S
Sea Merchant	5.00	C
Secret Ballot	2.35	C
Seskin Bridge	2.00	C
Shell Burst	3.50	C
Shiny Copper	3.50	C
Shotang	3.25	S
Shughie	2.15	S
Silent Member	3.50	C
Silmira	2.00	C
Skewsby	3.50	C
Sointulla Boy	4.25	C
Spinning Saint	5.00	C
Starfen	2.35	C
Stop It	3.50	C
Strath Manor	2.15	S
Street Angel	2.00	C
Sula Bula	3.15	C
Sunley Builds	2.00	C
Supreme Lil	4.00	S
Sutton Prince	2.00	C
Swift Albany	3.25	S
Tanlaw	2.50	S
Tarqogans Choice	2.00	C
Tasberry	4.35	S
The Tsarevich	2.35	C
Thorbell Arch	5.10	S
Threlkeld Hall	3.25	S
Tierenee	4.00	S
Toirdealbhach	5.00	C
Tom King	4.35	S
Tweedside	5.10	S
Twiggy May	5.10	S
Twinburn	2.35	C
Uncle Scobie	2.00	C
Vitingo	2.50	S
Vulment	4.35	S
Waggoners Walk	4.25	C
Wamphray	2.15	S
Water Rock	5.00	C
Waving Diamonds	2.00	C
Wealthy	2.00	C
What A Palaver	2.15	S
Willow Path	2.50	S
Wingetts	2.35	C
Winking Fields	2.15	S
Wremando	4.25	C

2.50 —DARLINGTON NOVICE HURDLE (DIV. I). 2m. 4f. Penalty Value £496. (16 runners).

1 PF4410 **PEN ROYAL** (BL) R Fisher 6-12-3 **(F)**......***J Duggan 30**
2 31000 **VITINGO** Parkes 4-11-10 **(SF)**.......................**— 32**
3 00300/0- **AVONDUET** A Watson 8-11-7 ....**G Graham —**
5 P **BORIOLI** R Tate 5-11-7.............................**R Tate —**
6 **BOTHWELL CASTLE** J Harris 6-11-7.........**J Harris —**
8 000-000 **EL DON VELGO** (BL) B Wilkinson 6-11-7 ....**— —**
9 **FINE STEEL** C Bell 5-11-7...................**C Hawkins —**
11 400 **FRIENDLY GLEN** Kettlewell 5-11-7 ...***S Kettlewell 30**
12 4-00300 **GREAT TARQUIN** A Corner 6-11-7 ....***K Jones 33**
13 0 **LITTLE TIGER** Lockerbie 6-11-7 ....**— —**
14 340-0P0 **PERIALOS** (BL) D Yeoman 6-11-7 **(EW)** **N Doughty 34●**
15 00-0 **PETROLIC** (USA) V Thompson 5-11-7 ***M Thompson —**
17 0F-0000 **TANLAW** D Lamb 7-11-7....................... ***S P Grant —**
19 044004 **WILLOW PATH** Raw 7-11-7.................***Jane Raw 29**
22 040320 **NEWLIFE CONNECTION** W A Stephenson 4-11-0 ***G Gray 31**
23 00000 **PRINCE SOL** Jeffrey 4-11-0 ....***T Jeffrey 24**

Betting Forecast.—3 Pen Royal, 7-2 Vitingo, 5 Great Tarquin, 6 Perialos, Newlife Connection, 8 Friendly Glen, 10 Willow Path, 12 Fine Steel.

3.25 THERMALITE H'CAP CHASE. 2m. 4f. Penalty Value £1,747. (9 runners).

1 0-21312 **CHEBBIE** A Smith 10-11-10 **(CD)**.......... ***P Caldwell 33**
3 31U312 **SHOTANG** 10lb ex R Perkins 8-11-7 **(D, F)** ***D Williams 33**
4 42343U **SWIFT ALBANY** R Robinson 9-11-4 **(D)** .. ***M Pepper 32**
9 223130 **KUMON SUNSHINE** D Yeoman 6-10-6 **(C, D, SF)** **N Doughty 36●**
10 000420 **PIRATE JACK** Crump 11-10-6 **(D, EW)**.....**C Hawkins 35**
12 34BF0-P **BARBERSTOWN CASTLE** Sample 10-10-4..**C Sample —**
13 F1440/0- **RED GEM** (BL) P Courage 7-10-0 ....**C Fairhurst —**
14 232P23 **THRELKELD HALL** Mrs C Weightman 9-10-0 ***B Storey 34**
15 0403F0 **PALACE ROYAL** R Tate 10-10-0.............**E McIntyre 35**

Betting Forecast.—2 Chebbie, 3 Shotang, 4 Kumon Sunshine, 6 Swift Albany, Pirate Jack, 10 Palace Royal.

4.00 —NEW FURROW NOVICE CHASE. 2 miles. Penalty Value £778. (14 runners).

1 21 **ROYAL RADAR** D Moorhead 7-11-10 **(D, SF)** **J Walton 36●**
2 3F-44PP **ALBION PRINCE** (BL) V Thompson 9-11-0 **(EW)** ***M Thompson —**
3 PP-3220 **ARCTICLAC** Priday 10-11-0.....................**G Jones —**
5 000000 **BOBBY BRIG** D Lamb 7-11-0 .... ***S P Grant —**
7 00-4240 **CHAPERON** J Harris 7-11-0 ....**J Harris —**
10 0-00PP0 **HAPPY WORKER** J Mason 8-11-0.......**C Hawkins —**
11 PPF0P-P **HINDU TAPESTRY** W Storey 8-11-0.... ***J Duggan —**
12 P03000 **HONOURS EVEN** (FR) J Charlton 6-11-0 ***N McCormack —**
14 0000F0 **LUCKY PASS** (BL) Mrs S Lamyman 9-11-0 ***J McLaughlin —**
17 00-FP00 **OCEAN CRUISE** J Mason 8-11-0 ....**D Nolan —**
18 U2/00FP- **REGERIC** R Johnson 9-11-0 ....**S Charlton —**
19 004-F0U **SUPREME LIL** W Storey 7-11-0..... ***Freda Storey —**
22 00U100 **COPT AGAIN** Fairhurst 5-10-7 **(F)**.......**C Fairhurst —**
25 00000F **TIERENEE** W A Stephenson 5-10-7 .... **E McIntyre —**

Betting Forecast.—4-5 Royal Radar, 7-2 Arcticlac, 6 Copt Again,

NEWSBOY	BOUVERIE
2.15—GUN	2.15—GUN
2.50—VITINGO	2.50—NEWLIFE CONNECTION
3.25—KUMON SUNSHINE	3.25—KUMON SUNSHINE
4.00—ROYAL RADAR	4.00—ROYAL RADAR
4.35—SEALED	4.35—SEALED
5.10—THORBELL ARCH	5.10—THORBELL ARCH

GOING: Good.
COURSE (Group 4, altitude 330ft): Left-hand 1m 2f. Run-in 500y for choses. 200y for hurdles.
PLACEPOT: All six races.
TRICASTS: All handicaps of 10 or more runners.

TOP TRAINERS (with runners today): W A Stephenson 48, J Berry 14, R. Fisher 13, G Richards 12, G Lockerbie 10.
TOP JOCKEYS (riding today): S Charlton 13, C Hawkins 6, N Doughty 6, C Fairhurst 5, J Harris 5.

SYMBOLS: F—Fell; R—Refused; P—Pulled up; B—Brought down; S—Slipped up; U—Unseated rider; D—Disqualified; C—Course winner; CD—Course and distance winner; C, D—Course and distance winner elsewhere; BF—Beaten favourite; SF—Strongly fancied; F—Fancied; EW—Each way.

4.35 —SOUTH DURHAM OPEN HUNT PERPETUAL CHALLENGE CUP HUNTER CHASE. 3m 600y. Penalty Value £789. (10 runners.)

3 243143 **MAN ALIVE** G Richards 12-12-8 **(F)**....***M Todhunter 35**
6 410P/FP **ROBBERS BRIDGE** Crump 9-12-5...............***C Price —**
7 21- **SEALED** Mrs M Stirk 8-12-5 ....**C Cundall 36●**
8 2-3 **CASA KNIPE** J Thompson 8-12-0 **(SF)**......***G Halden 31**
10 00P34/P- **MORNING BLUES** Mrs A Roberts 10-12-0..***D Coates —**
11 02040P- **MOUNTAIN LAD** J Cooper 11-12-0 .... ***J Peckitt 29**
15 P0/ **PERSIAN PARTHIAN** Adderley 12-12-0....***C Bolitho —**
17 P **TASBERRY** Mrs S Bradley 7-12-0 ....**— —**
18 P/ **TOM KING** J Bell 10-12-0 ....***T Bell —**
19 002F2-P **VULMENT** Mrs S Davenport 9-12-0 **(EW)** ***R Mathias 32**

Betting Forecast.—6-4 Man Alive, 2 Casa Knipe, 5-2 Sealed, 8 Morning Blues, Vulment.

5.10 —DARLINGTON NOVICE HURDLE (DIV II). 2m 4f. Penalty Value £509. (18 runners).

1 000010 **BRONWYN** R Fisher 6-12-3 **(C, F)**............. ***K Teelan 24**
5 322040 **BOBBY BROWN** D Lamb 6-11-7 **(EW)**...***S P Grant 31●**
7 000 **DURHAM EDITION** W A Stephenson 5-11-7 ***K Jones —**
8 0040 **EBONY HILL** R Allan 5-11-7.....................***B Holohan 23**
9 0P0-030 **EBORACUM** B Wilkinson 5-11-7 **(BF, SF)** **D Wilkinson 23**
10 F000- **ERNE WATERWAY** Kettlewell 7-11-7....***S Kettlewell —**
11 0 **FRIARS PEAK** C Bell 5-11-7 ....**C Hawkins 25**
12 00U **GOLDEN TY** J Parkes 5-11-7 ....***K Milner —**
14 000-000 **KINGSLEY HOUSE** Mrs M Nesbitt 5-11-7............**— 26**
15 04 **KITTY MARINO** Mrs S Lamyman 5-11-7 ... **J A Harris 29**
18 F00000 **MR DENETOP** F Musgrave 5-11-7 .... ***T Jeffrey —**
19 000 **PADANG** Fairhurst 5-11-7.........................**C Fairhurst —**
20 0000-00 **POLAR ICE** J Harris 7-11-7..................................**— 25**
21 04000 **ROSTUILE** R Perkins 5-11-7 ....**D Williams 21**
25 0000 **TWEEDSIDE** R Cross 5-11-7........................**D Nolan —**
26 000 **TWIGGY MAY** Blackett 7-11-7 .... ***T G Davies —**
27 **GOLDNESS BING** W Storey 4-11-0 .... ***T Reed —**
29 00430 **THORBELL ARCH** J Mason 4-11-0..........**S Charlton 30**

Betting Forecast.—3 Bronwyn, Eboracum, 9-2 Kitty Marino, 6 Thorbell Arch, Bobby Brown, 10 Ebony Hill.

RESULTS AND PRICES

AYR: Good

2.15 (2m. hur. 16 ran)—**TARTAN TRADER** (N Doughty, 2-1f) 1; **Vimys Pet** (D Johnson, 14-1) 2; **Night Errant** (D Goulding, 16-1) 3. Also: 7-2 Banoco (pu), 4 Oration, 10 Lavenham Blue, Pohjola (4th), 12 Arpal Conquest, Prince Reviewer (6th), 25 Hazel Bank, 33 Erskine Lad, Nelsons Beach, Tarchin, (5th), Burgundy, Consomme, No Defect. 12; hd, 20, nk, 6. (**G Richards**, Greystoke). Tote: £4.10; £1.10, £4.40, £11.10. Df: £12.90. Csf: £32.43. NR: Wiggburn.

2.45 (2m. 4f. h'cap 'ch. 8 ran).—**LORD PROVOST** (T G Dun, 8-1) 1; **Jetharts Here** (J J O'Neill, 9-4f) 2; **Reay's Song** (C Grant, 5-1) 3. Also: 5 Hope Of Oak (f), 6 Oxenham (pu), 8 Ronan-Paul (f), 9 Artsum (4th), 33 Burgundy Beau (5th). 1½; 12, 25, 25. (**Helen Hamilton**, Innerleithen). Tote: £6.10; £1.70, £2.70, £1.80. Df: £8.90. Csf: £24.73.

3.15 (2m. h'cap. hur. 9 ran). **CLOUDWALKER** (P Charlton, 10-1), 1; **Fernez** (Anne Robertson, 20-1), 2; **Cogra Moss** (D Goulding, 100-30) and **Lottie Lehmann** (G Gray, 13-2) dd ht, 3. Also: 5-2f Sheba's Glory, 11-2 All Expense (6th), 6 Rheinlieken, 14 Camborne Hill, 20 Wintertime (5th). ¾, 1½, dd. ht., 10, 3. (**M Lambert**, Kennythorpe). Tote: £15.60; £3.90, £2.40 (Cogra Moss) 80p; (Lottie Lehmann) £1.10. Df: £103.40. Csf: £152.66. Tricast (winner and 2nd with Cogra Moss): £363.84; (winner and 2nd with Lottie Lehmann): £627.84. NR: Turtleton.

3.45 (2m hdl, 18 ran). **SAMORSUMTHING** (R Barry, 5-2f), 1; **Connector** (C Hawkins, 8-1), 2; **Blackfeet** (G Gray, 33-1), 3. Also: 3 Boreham Down (4th), 6 Armenistis, Alli-Reco, 7 Don Volante (5th), 14 Mackinaw, Marathon Man, 20 Bhaibundi Chewunia, Springwood, 25 Moyspruit, 33 Gilston Hill, Hay Guinness, Watchknowe Lad (ro), Keratin (6th), Rossett, Telepathy. 5, 1½, ½, 7, 2½. (**D Thomson**, Greenlaw). Tote: £3.30; £1.40, £1.10, £13.90. Df: £13.60; Csf: £26.13.

4.15 (3m 110yds, ch, 6 ran). **BURN NOOKA** (J J O'Neill, 5-4f), 1; **Holborn Head** (K Jones, 10-1), 2; **Count Vronski** (C Grant, 5-1), 3. Also: 7-4 Blueberry Bush (4th), 33 Birtley Boy (5th), Jonathan's Choice (6th). 4, 8, 12, 12, 8. (**R Fisher**, Ulverston). Tote: £1.60; £1.20, £7.90. Df: £8.30; Csf: £12.26. NR: Miss Prospect.

4.45 (3m. 110yds. 'ch. 9 ran).—**CAHERTY** (T Reed, 10-1) 1; **Broad View** (R Robinson, 2-1f) 2; **Melodic Lad** (W Lamarque, 7-2) 3. Also: 7-2 Glory Snatcher (pu), 6 Mr Spot (pu), 10 Russian Society (4th), 16 Knockeen Lad (fell), 20 Trafalgar Bill (ur), Vulgan's Strike (5th). 4, 20, 4, 4. (**Mrs Gledson**, Bellingham). Tote: £23.60; £2.70, £1.60, £1.10. Df: £15.50. Csf: £31.25.

5.15 (2m. 27 ran). **AONOCH** (J Duggan, 3-1), 1; **Tribal Drum** (C Platts, 5-2f), 2; **Run Leah Run** (K Teelan, 10-1), 3. Also: 9-2 Amantiss (5th), 12 Arpal Dambuster, Cingarus (4th), Calsay Lad, 16 Black Peril, Key To Success (pu), 20 Coniston Gold, 25 Corrielek, Tryaghost, Tway, 33 Avon Oak, Collalace, Goldisocks, Great Corby (pu), Nite Of Spring, Rosez, Callra (6th), Demonic, Faskin, Flitterville, Hartleap, Hartside Hill, Tuller Boy, Wicket Basket. 3, 15, 1, 4, 5 (**R Fisher**, Ulverton). Tote: £5.20; £2.70, £1.80, £2.00. Df: £2.90. Csf: £12.38. NR: Bright Suggestion.

Placepot: £7.25.

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2.30 (2m 74y h'cap ch, 12 ran)—**SPARTAN TAM** (M Castell 6-4f) 1, **Some Jinks** (M Elliott 8-1) 2, **Ridarragh** (C Smith 9-1) 3. Also: 9-2 Glendyne, 7 Newstead (pu), 12 Altaghaderry Run, Free Drop, 14 Viscount (6th), 16 Sandicliffe (pu), 20 Dee Park (4th), 33 Brahms and Liszt (f), Yankee Ballad (5th). 1, 7, 3, ¾, 10. (**H Jackson**, Stourport). Tote: £3.10; £1.40, £2.10, £3.30. Df £5.50. Csf £15.27. Tricast: £83.18. NR: Lisadorn.

3.00 (2m hdl, 14 ran)—**LANCE OF ST GEORGE** (S James 13-2) 1, **Legs of Man** (M Brennan 9-1) 2, **Kilsyth** (C Pimlott 7-4jf) 3. Also: 7-4jf Royal Rascal, 13-2 Levotesse (4th), 12 Dusty Path (5th), 14 Too Often (6th), 16 Holdall, 50 Another Mill, Shine Forth, Touch Set, Whitcliffe Red (pu), Debach River, T Belle. 2½, 2, 1½, 7, 12. (**J Townson**, Whalley.) Tote: £8.40; £2.20, £1.50, £1.00. Df £16.10. Csf £66.33.

3.30 (3m. 110 yds. h'cap. ch. 12 ran). **LETTERBOX** (C Mann, 10-1) 1; **Abervanter** (A Webber, 7-4 f) 2; **Ballocorey** (C Brown, 4-1) 3. Also: 6 French Rebel (p.u.) 7 London Journal (4th), 8 Navaro (p.u.), 33 Beaulah (fell), Dickwyn (5th), 40 Lucy Parker (p.u), Joedes Janet (fell), On The Guinea (p.u.) 15, Alley White (p.u.) 4 (**N Henderson**, Lambourn). Tote: £10.80; £1.70, £1.20, £1.90; Df: £8.90; Csf: £26.10 Tricast: £74.30 Nrs: Rubber Legs, Island Mist.

4.00 (2m. 4f. h'cap hdl. (6 ran). **VIRBIAN** (Kaye Dickin, 25-1), 1; **Arc Prince** (S Smith Eccles, 10-1), 2; **Original Step** (B Wright, 3-1jf). 3; **Jubilee Lights** (R Stronge, 8-1), 4. Also: 3-1jf Lawnswood Miss, 13-2 Something Special (5th), 7 Crown Land, 8 Solidor, 10 Popsi's Mandate, 12 Josmoll, 20 Hot Cross Bun, Ox Leason (pu), Tom Noel (6th), 25 Haverhill Lad, 33 Spead Check, Supreme Vista. sh hd, ½, 3, 1½, hd. (**W Whiston**, Wollerton). Tote: £273.80; £30.10, £3.30, £1.00, £1.90. Df: £4.80. (winner or second with any other). Csf: £276.37. Tricast: £910.68. NR's: Champers Club, Brave Len.

4.30 (3m. 110y. 'ch. 11 ran)—**TUFFNUT PRINCE** (J Sharp, 66-1), 1; **Housemistress** (Ruth Harper, 16-1), 2; **Loyal Partner** (S Andrews, 16-1), 3. Also: 8-15f Royal Mail (4th), 3 Urser (pu), 25 Silver Crocus (pu), 50 Hernshaw (5th), 66 My Buck (6th), County Clare (pu), Fordington Valley (fell), Hardwick Bay (fell). 2, nk, dist, dist, 3. (**D Lowe**, Atherstone).Tote: £30.90; £5.30, £2.40, £1.80; Df (winner or second with any other): £7.80; Csf: £700.50.

5.00 (2m. hur. 16 ran)—**TALKABOUT** (G Fletcher, 6-4f), 1; **Flying Mistress** (G McCourt, 13-2), 2; **Meldon Lady** (B Wright, 7-4), 3. Also: 10 Blond Soldier, 20 Commander Gerrick (fell), James Duke (pu), Royal Norman (5th), 25 Flyback (pu), 33 Caveman, Esterbrook (6th), Fly More (4th), Pansy Rock, Treasures Jubilee, Bill Sarazen (pu), Valentina, Carlingford Bay. ½, 6, 7, 4, 6. (**G Fletcher**, Newmarket). Tote: £3.20; £1.40, £1.00, £1.60; Df: £8.30; Csf: £12.52.

5.30 (2m. hur. 12 ran). **GEMBRIDGE JUPITER** (R Mann, 4-7f), 1; **Royscript** (J Suthern, 12-1), 2; **Midnight Lily** (C Jones, 14-1), 3. Also: 8 Haworth Park (4th), 10 Silk Tussore (5th), 14 Bobbing Star, Golden Beach, 16 Eyton Nickit, 25 Highstream, 33 Casual Lady, Lorrensino (6th), Ballyturn Belle, 6, 20, 2, 5, 2. (**Tristline**, Welford-on-Avon). Tote: £1.50; £1.30, £1.80, £2.70; Df: £8.00; Csf: £10.16.

PLACEPOT: £43.00.

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