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Report for the period Wednesday May 3, 2017 through Sunday May 7, 2017

WEDNESDAY

05-03-2017

ENTRIES AND DECLARATIONS

Steward John Herbuveaux was in attendance for Thursday's scratches and entries for Saturday.

THURSDAY

05-04-2017¹

EARLY DECLARATIONS

1st Race: #6 I'm Not Gray (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer)

Sick, DVM Isbell

REFUNDS

\$249.72

3rd Race: #2 Lucky Chopra (Trainer Leonard Powell)

Sick, DVM Isbell

\$197.20

5th Race: #5 Southern Jazz (Trainer Sergio Perez)

Sick, DVM Isbell

\$110.44

6th Race: #4 Seatalpha (Trainer Gloria Haley)

Sick, DVM Isbell (includes late scratch)

\$29,891.61

7th Race: #10 Sweet Daddy (Trainer Andy Mathis)

Also eligible, Stewards

See Below

7th Race: #11 Lota Spunk (Trainer Joseph Brook)

Also eligible, Stewards

See Below

7th Race: #12 Moogie Woogie (Trainer Bill McLean)

Also eligible, Stewards

\$519.67

05-04-2017² **1ST RACE CLAIM VOIDED**

A claim deposited by Trainer John F. Martin for the gelding "Saint Adalbert" was deemed void by the Stewards after Official Veterinarian Forrest Franklin reported the horse lame in the left front leg. The horse was returned to the barn of William Delia.

05-04-2017³ **GOLDEN GATE UNVEILS NEW HUMAN AMBULANCE**

A brand new "State Of The Art" human ambulance was placed in use today here at Golden Gate Fields. That should end any further ambulance problems at least for the near future.

05-04-2017⁴ **LATE SCRATCH 6TH RACE**

#5 Deep Thought trained by Terri Eaton reared in the starting gate getting its right front leg over the stall door. Dr. Sporer recommended a scratch which was activated by the Stewards. Jockey Hugo Herrera was unhurt. Refund \$29,891.61, includes early scratch.

05-04-2017⁵ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	689	\$184,168.00
NCOT	1315	\$422,315.80
SCOT		\$186,181.80
OUT OF STATE		\$843,121.29
TOTAL		\$1,635,786.80

FRIDAY05-05-2017¹ **HUSSA RULING (REFERENCE 04/14/2017²)****#135**

Owner **Ray A. Hussa (DBA Green Hill Stable)**, having satisfied the outstanding financial obligation to San Francisco Equine is restored to good standing and Pacific Racing Association ruling #118 dated April 14, 2017 suspending **Mr. Hussa** for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1547 (Failure to Appear) is hereby set aside.

The above ruling was issued after Devon Dunham of San Francisco Equine, Inc. reported in writing that Mr. Hussa paid the \$1,064.00 owed.

05-05-2017² **POTTS RULING****#136**

Jockey **Clinton Potts** who rode **Six Votes** in the fourth race at Golden Gate Fields on Thursday, May 4, 2017 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three consecutive times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

The above ruling was issued after Potts appeared and reviewed the race with the Stewards.

05-05-2017³ **AI RULING****#137**

Exercise Rider **Lily Ai** is hereby fined the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00)* for failure to follow Golden Gate Fields policy regarding cell phone use during morning workout hours; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1437 (Conditions of a Race Meeting) and #1870 (Conditions of a Race Meeting Binding Upon Licensees).

The above ruling was issued after the Stewards verified that Lily Ai was using her cell phone while on the back of a horse during training in violation of house policy. Ms. Ai accepted the penalty without question.

05-05-2017⁴ **OROZCO RULING****#138**

Jockey **Irving Orozco** who rode **Thisideofheaven** in the second race at Golden Gate Fields on Thursday, May 4, 2017 is fined the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond-2nd offense in a 60 day period).

The above ruling was issued after Orozco reviewed the race with the Stewards. He used the crop four times in a row. Young Orozco has had a tough time adjusting to the crop rule but stated "I'll keep trying" as he left the office.

05-05-2017⁵ **GOMEZ RULING****#139**

Jockey **Alejandro Gomez** who rode "The Gray Hound" is fined the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00)* for use of the crop when his mount was clearly out of the race during the running of the seventh race on Thursday, May 4, 2017; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop).

The above ruling was issued after Gomez appeared with fellow rider Irving Orozco to help interpret. Gomez realized he made a mistake when cropping in the stretch and getting no response from his mount who was well behind the field.

05-05-2017⁶ **ANTONGEORGI RULING****#140**

Jockey **William Antongeorgi III** who rode **Compratore** in the first race at Golden Gate Fields on Thursday, May 4, 2017 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three consecutive times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

The above ruling was issued after Antongeorgi called and accepted responsibility for miscounting with his use of the crop.

05-05-2017⁷ **6TH RACE INQUIRY-NO CHANGE**

The inquiry sign was posted to review contact between the winner #2 Angel Ella (Julien Couton) and 2nd place finisher #6 Flika (Abel Cedillo) near the 3/16 pole. #2 ducks in bumping #6 and goes on to win by five lengths. The Stewards recognized the contact but felt the outcome was not compromised and let the finish stand. The decision was unanimous.

05-05-2017⁸ **PROGRAM CHANGES**

No late changes.

05-05-2017⁹ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	1443	\$388,954.90
NCOT	2959	\$981,181.40
SCOT		\$262,022.90
OUT OF STATE		\$915,682.02
TOTAL		\$2,547,841.20

SATURDAY05-06-2017¹ **JOCKEY EXONERATED (REFER 05-05-2017⁷)**

Jockey Julien Couton was in to review yesterday's sixth race in which his mount survived an inquiry. Replays showed that Couton's mount ducked in on its own and he reacted immediately to straighten the horse. Since the horse was to blame Mr. Couton was held blameless.

05-06-2017² **DURAN RULING****#141**

Jockey **Francisco Duran** who rode **Rox The Fox** in the seventh race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, May 5, 2017 is suspended three (3) racing days (May 13, 14 and 18, 2017) for failure to make a proper effort to maintain a straight course leaving the starting gate and causing interference.; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (c) & (f) (Riding Rules-Careless Riding).

The term of this suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races in California.

The above ruling was issued after Duran appeared and reviewed the race in question. Mr. Duran failed to grab and straighten his mount at the start causing significant inconvenience to eventual winner #2 This Dance Is Mine. Duran admitted his error as he was trying to get to the front of the field as quick as possible.

05-06-2017³ **EARLY POST**

The Kentucky Derby runs today and as is the "Norm", post time for the first race was moved up to 11:45 AM with the last post scheduled for 5:37 PM.

05-06-2017⁴ **EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES****2nd Race***

#3 Torre Italiana (Trainer Robert Lucas)

Sick, DVM Isbell

#5 Luvuryan (Trainer Victor Trujillo)

Sick, DVM Isbell

REFUNDS

See Below

\$520.40

***Field reduced to four wagering interests-show wagering cancelled.**

3rd Race: #2 Mr. Jay D (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer)

Main track only, Stewards

\$220.20

7th Race: #3 Irish Jack (Trainer Jeff Bonde)

Injured, DVM Sporer

\$316.18

9th Race: #4 States Hero (Trainer Efrain Miranda)

Sick, DVM Sporer

\$120.30

10th Race: #5 R Cha Cha (Trainer James Kasparof)

Sick, DVM Isbell

\$324.56

05-06-2017⁵ **JOCKEY REPLACED**

Jockey Abel Cedillo was replaced in the ninth race by Cristobal Herrera. Cedillo was complaining of back pain and treated by the track physician.

05-06-2017⁶ **GOOD DAY**

A large crowd was treated to excellent racing along with the traditional hat contest and of course the simulcast of the "Derby".

05-06-2017⁷ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	6733	\$1,329,770.20
NCOT	10272	\$3,412,654.80
SCOT		\$470,053.20
OUT OF STATE		\$1,004,800.41
TOTAL		\$6,217,278.60

SUNDAY05-07-2017¹ **APPRENTICE JOCKEY**

Trainer Quentin Miller brought in Apprentice Rider Lucas Gutierrez for introduction. Mr. Gutierrez is a twenty year old import from France. He spent six years in jockey school in France and is eager to ride in California. He has two recognized wins from 15 mounts in his native France.

05-07-2017² **GUTIERREZ RULING****#142**

Exercise Rider/Valet **Andres L. Gutierrez** is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* unbecoming conduct toward an outrider on Saturday, May 6, 2017; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1876 (Disorderly Conduct).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Gutierrez and outrider Nancy Barney met with the Stewards. Mr. Gutierrez used foul language when addressing his concerns about another licensee's actions on the track to outrider Barney.

05-07-2017³ **PROGRAM SCRATCHES**

7th Race: #4 Mr. Cartagena (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer)

Unsound, DVM Sporer

\$674.40

9th Race: #5 Princess Leia (Trainer William Delia)

Injured, DVM Franklin

\$501.33

05-07-2017⁴ **GOOD RACING**

Today's nine race card was conducted without incident capping off an exciting weekend.

05-07-2017⁵ **HANDLE-ATTENDANCE**

GGF	4667	\$534,610.30
NCOT	2032	\$783,281.10
SCOT		\$454,176.70
OUT OF STATE		\$1,275,122.04
TOTAL		\$3,047,190.10

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

DATE	RACE NO	HORSE	TRAINER	REASON	REFUND
05-04-17	1	6	I'm Not Gray	Hollendorfer Isbell	\$294.72
05-04-17	3	2	Lucky Chopra	Powell Isbell	\$197.20
05-04-17	5	5	Southern Jazz	Perez Isbell	\$110.44
05-04-17	6	4	Seatalpha	Haley Isbell	\$29,891.61
05-04-17	7	10	Sweet Daddy	Mathis Stews	See Below
05-04-17	7	11	Lota Spunk	Brook Stews	See Below
05-04-17	7	12	Moogie Woogie	McLean Stews	\$519.67
05-06-17	2	3	Torre Italiana	Lucas Isbell	See Below
05-06-17	2	5	Luvuryan	Trujillo Isbell	\$520.40
05-06-17	3	2	Mr. Jay D	Hollendorfer Stews	\$220.20
05-06-17	7	3	Irish Jack	Bonde Sporer	\$316.18
05-06-17	9	4	States Hero	Miranda Sporer	\$120.30
05-06-17	10	5	R Cha Cha	Kasparof Isbell	\$324.56
05-07-17	7	4	Mr. Cartagena	Hollendorfer Sporer	\$674.40
05-07-17	9	5	Princess Leia	Delia Franklin	\$501.33

VETERINARY REPORT - Veterinarian's List (2)**Non-exercise stable fatality-Monday May 1, 2017**

- First Sicilian (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer) horse suffering from colitis and started to founder-deceased.
- Pony Horse (Trainer Terry Johnson) Colic-deceased.

There were twenty-two (22) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick: 8 Injured: 4
 Unsound: 2 Bled: 1
 Shockwave: 7

There were Thirty-six (36) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 16 Injured: 16
 Medication: 4

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Fresno	1469	\$168,533.90
Fresno Club One	165	\$89,408.70
Monterey	566	\$159,894.70
Pleasanton	2244	\$847,107.70
Sacramento	2718	\$685,944.90
San Jose	1213	\$368,942.10
San Mateo	2774	\$1,845,970.60
Santa Rosa	1520	\$343,497.20
Stockton	1385	\$407,932.20
Vallejo	942	\$298,411.40
So. California	0	\$2,822,039.60
Out of State	0	\$4,038,725.70

	05/04	05/05	05/06	05/07	Total	Meet	
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	0	0	10	
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0	4	
CLAIMS	1	1	4	2	8	190	
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	13	
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	1	0	0	1	36	
REFUNDS	7	0	6	2	15	204	
RULINGS	0	6	1	1	8	139	
CLAIMS VOIDED	1	0	0	0	1	28	

Respectfully submitted,

Will Meyers, Steward

Dennis Nevin, Steward

John Herbuveaux, Steward