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SAINT BALLADO COLT TOPS AT KEENELAND

While prices during Tuesday's second session were floating up there with the Space Shuttle *Atlantis* astronauts, yesterday's third day of the Keeneland September Yearling Sales saw solid, if not stratospheric results. For the session, gross receipts for 273 horses sold were ahead by 13 percent against last year's figures while the average was up by nearly 18 percent. Hip number 876, a colt by Saint Ballado led the afternoon's festivities, realizing a final bid of \$875,000 from John Oxley of Beautiful Pleasure fame. Consigned to the sale by Taylor Made Sales Agency, the chestnut is out of Sunyata (Proud Truth), herself a 1/2 sister to Wings of Grace, the dam of 1999 Champion turf mare Soaring Softly; and Battle Creek Girl, the dam of Grade II winner Parade Ground, whose full brother sold Tuesday for \$5.3 million. "We thought he was very good looking and had all the right parts," Oxley commented. "He has a very strong pedigree both on top and on bottom and had the looks to go with it. We tried to buy some of the others the first two days of the sale, but we weren't able to get them. I think this is as good as any of them we were trying to buy earlier." The afternoon's top-selling filly was hip number 804, a dark bay by Lord At War (Arg)--Quick Catch Me (Simply Majestic) which hails from the family of Grade II winner Looie Capote. Prepared for the sale by Katalpa Farm, Bill Casner and Kenny Troutt's WinStar Farm was the winning bidder at \$575,000. "She's a nice filly. We really thought she was the standout today," said WinStar's farm manager Rich Decker. The 13-day sale continues this morning at 10 a.m.

KEENELAND -- WEDNESDAY

TOP FIVE COLTS

Hip#	Sire	Dam	Price
876	Saint Ballado	Sunyata	\$850,000
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent LXXXVI Purchased by John C Oxley			
949	Gulch	Beating the Buzz (Ire)	\$700,000
(\$125,000 wnlg '99 KEENOV) Consigned by Dromoland Farm, Inc., Agent III Purchased by John Ferguson Bloodstock			
902	Conquistador Cielo	Utterly Elegant	\$580,000
Consigned by Westover Ridge LLC, agent for John Rooker Purchased by Overbrook Farm			
822	Pulpit	Russian Bride	\$485,000
(\$425,000 wnlg '99 KEENOV) Consigned by Beth Bayer, Agent II Purchased by Cecil Seaman, agent			
939	Kris S.	Aromacor	\$450,000
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent XVII Purchased by The Thoroughbred Corporation			

TOP SIX FILLIES

Hip#	Sire	Dam	Price
804	Lord at War (Arg)	Quick Catch Me	\$575,000
Consigned by Katalpa Farm (Lonnie R Owens), agent for Ragged Mountain Farm Purchased by WinStar Farm LLC			
824	Atticus	Salty Gal	\$400,000
Consigned by Three Chimneys Sales, agent Purchased by Howard Lester			
1012	Rahy	Family Style	\$400,000
Consigned by Eaton Sales, agent Purchased by Lance Robinson			
687	Rahy	Jolie's Valentine	\$340,000
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, agent for Bridlewood Farm Purchased by Walnut Green Bloodstock			
699	Saint Ballado	La Ice Queen	\$330,000
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent XV Purchased by Jim Tafel LLC			
973	Saint Ballado	Chicken Delight	\$330,000
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent LXV Purchased by Reynolds W Bell, agent			

KEENELAND SEPTEMBER STATISTICS			
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2000			
KEENELAND.			
SESSION TOTALS		2000	1999
No. Sold		273	284
Gross		\$31,700,500	\$27,996,500
Average		\$116,119	\$98,579
Median		\$85,000	\$67,500
CUMULATIVE TOTALS		2000	1999
No. Sold		716	755
Gross		\$193,842,500	\$148,885,500
Average		\$270,730	\$197,199
Median		\$140,000	\$110,000

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Keeneland September Yearling Sale

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☆ RESULTS ☆

Wednesday, Del Mar

DEL MAR FUTURITY-GII, \$250,000, DMR, 9-13, 2yo, 7f, 1:22, ft.

1--**FLAME THROWER**, 119, c, 2, by Saint Ballado

1st Dam: **Metromane**, by Metrogrand

2nd Dam: **Momma Mae**, by Naskra

3rd Dam: **Mimi's Missile**, by Bosun

(\$40,000 yrl '99 KEEJAN; \$27,000 yrl '99 KEESEP; \$270,000 2yo 2000 OBSAPR). O-Garber Gary M; B-Suzanne Collins (FL); T-Bob Baffert; J-J D Bailey; \$150,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$268,200.

2--**Street Cry (Ire)**, 116, c, 2, Machiavellian--Helen

Street (GB), by Troy. O-Godolphin Racing Inc;

B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum (IRE); \$50,000.

3--**Arabian Light**, 119, c, 2, Fly So Free--Heartlight, by

Majestic Light. (\$60,000 yrl '99 CALAUG; \$700,000

2yo 2000 BESMAR). O-The Thoroughbred Corporation;

B-Kenneth Reinsch (CA); \$30,000.

Margins: HD, 3HF, 5. Odds: 1.00, 3.10, 4.60.

Also Ran: **Learing At Kathy**, **Revelling**, **Glorious Bid**, **Squirtle Squirt**, **High Cascade**.

Blondes do have more fun. Undefeated Flame Thrower, the chestnut with the blonde mane and tail, was the 3/4-length winner of his career debut at Del Mar July 26 and returned to lead past every pole in registering his first added-money success by 2 3/4 lengths in the Gill Best Pal S. Aug. 23. Flame Thrower showed good early speed and led narrowly from Arabian Light with Street Cry monitoring the proceedings from sixth. The latter was sent up four wide at the five-sixteenths pole and engaged the front runners to form a line of three at the quarter pole. Arabian Light began to yield and Street Cry poked a head in front with 100 yards to run. Jockey Jerry Bailey aboard the favorite switched to a left-handed stick and coaxed Flame Thrower to the front late. "At the eighth pole, I was conceding victory to (former assistant) Eoin Harty, but he [Flame Thrower] came back," said winning trainer Bob Baffert, who registered his fifth consecutive victory in this event. "I haven't seen a two-year-old do that since Silver Charm." Added Bailey, "He was game. When they do that, they're showing you a lot of character and determination. The good ones find a way to win and this guy did today."

TDN TODAY

International 4 pages

Wednesday, Maisons-Laffitte, France

LA COUPE DE MAISONS-LAFFITTE-G3, FF364,000, Maisons-Laffitte, France, 9-12, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 1:59.90, gd.

1--**AGOL LACK**, 127, c, 4, by Gulch

1st Dam: **Garvin's Gal**, by Seattle Slew

2nd Dam: **Misukaw**, by Northern Dancer

3rd Dam: **Dihela**, by Hitting Away

O-Sultan Al Kabeer; B-David Garvin (Ky); T-Andre

Fabre; J-Olivier Peslier; FF220,000. Lifetime Record:

11 starts, 4 wins, 6 places, FF727,000.

2--**Mont Rocher (Fr)**, 123, g, 5, Caerleon--Cuixmala (Fr),

by Highest Honor (Fr). O-Tsega Ltd; B-Sir James

Goldsmith; FF80,000.

3--**Kutub (Ire)**, 122, c, 3, In The Wings (GB)--Minnie

Habit (Ire), by Habitat. O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid

al Maktoum; B-The Exors of E M Burke & Airlie Stud;

FF40,000.

Margins: HD, 1, HD. Odds: 3.30, 4.30, 2.10.

Also ran: **Chelsea Manor (GB)**, **Golden Snake**, **Marrast (Fr)**, **Subliminal (Fr)**, **Mulahen (GB)**.

In 1999, Agol Lack was a length runner-up to Chelsea Manor (GB) (Grand Lodge), but he seems to have improved since, showing his class last time in winning the G3 Prix Gontaut-Biron by 1 1/2 lengths at Deauville Aug. 12. This year's race turned into a tactical affair, as the field split into two groups, with the eventual winner and Marrast (Fr) (Groom Dancer) racing alone up the rail while Mulahen (GB) (Robellino) led the others along in the centre of the track. As Olivier Peslier aboard Agol Lack started to get away from them after halfway, Thierry Jarnet started the exodus towards the rail on Golden Snake (Danzig), and the others followed. Only Mont Rocher was finishing of those that had come across, but he could not get in a serious blow to the winner, whose advantage stolen earlier proved decisive.

☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

NEW STUD FEE FOR STORM CAT One day after one of his son's brought \$6.8 million at the Keeneland September Yearling Sales, it was announced that the stud fee for perennial leading sire Storm Cat will be increased to \$400,000 live foal. Storm Cat is represented this year by five-time Group 1 winner Giant's Causeway and multiple Grade I winner High Yield and is the sire of leading freshmen sires of 2000 Hennessy and Storm Creek.

BELONG TO ME

NEW STAKES WINNER, 5th THIS YEAR:

Perlong, \$100,000 Kenora S. at Woodbine

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WHAT'S DOING DOWN UNDER By Bronwyn Farr



AUSSIES GIVE DANEHILL RUN FOR HIS MONEY

Danehill, now entering his ninth shuttle season at a reported fee of A\$200,000 at Coolmore, has dominated every major yearling sale this season. A hefty draft of 37 went under the hammer at Easter for an average of A\$340,416, and he accounted for the highest average, NZ\$391,364, at New Zealand Bloodstock's Karaka sale. Of 16 yearlings to go for A\$500,000 or more at Easter, Danehill sired eight including the top two, and overall brought in A\$12.455 million, 20 percent of the sale's aggregate.

Danehill leads the invasion of some 70 shuttle stallions into Australasia. The indefatigable sire has had gargantuan books in recent years--since 1994, he has covered more than 100 mares a season. Last year, with a book which included Melbourne Cup winner Jezabeel (NZ), he covered 164.

But while Danehill might be king of the sale ring, Australasian stallions are holding their own very nicely indeed on the racetrack. Moreover, the Group 1 list throws up some unfashionable, but remarkably consistent sires.

Danehill's own sons Danzero (Aus) and Flying Spur (Aus) are snapping at the old man's heels. The latter topped the first-season sires' table and enjoyed a stunning Easter result with 17 selling at an average of A\$272,921 and a median 10 times his A\$15,000 service fee in 1997.

Danzero, leading second-crop sire, is level with Danehill with four Group 1 trophies apiece. Widden's Marketing Manager Antony Thompson points out that all the leading Australian sires, with the exception of Western Australian marvel Old Spice (Aus) (the sire of 14 graded winners including Melbourne Cup winner Rogan Josh {Aus}) are Group 1 winners.

"At the moment Australasian sires are enjoying a great run and it highlights the fact the best performed horses can certainly hold their own against international sires," Thompson said. "When you look at the local horses, they are all Group 1-winning, top-class performers. They excelled on the racetrack and it highlights the fact top racehorses make top sires, regardless of where they come from.

"Zeditave (Aus) won five Group 1 races, and now it's not at all surprising he's up there among the top sires."

Zeditave has 13 stakes winners. Among his six Group 1 winners is this year's AJC Sires' Produce and Champagne S. winner Assertive Lad (Aus), recently named Australia's champion two-year-old.

"Assertive Lad is a bigger version of Assertive Lass (Aus)--they're both as tough as nails, really top class," said trainer Gai Waterhouse. "But for me, the most important thing is that a horse is athletic, and that he will stand the rigours of training. The lovely thing about Australian Thoroughbreds is that they have that ability. The progeny of Australian stallions are hardy, they cope with racing."

Crown Lodge trainer John Hawkes has had success with the progeny of Woodlands sires such as Quest For Fame (GB) and Grand Lodge, but he maintains sires like Canny Lad (Aus) are underrated despite delivering year after year.

"If you take Danehill away, Canny Lad is as good as any of the overseas horses," he said. "His progeny are sound and they race well. In my opinion he is really doing the job.

"The shuttle sires are promoted like they're superstars, but there's always some that won't make it."

Added Inglis & Son Managing Director Reg Inglis, "I think people are swinging back to locally bred stallions, as happened at Easter with sires such as Flying Spur, Hurricane Sky (Aus) and Danzero; they are by top stallions and they will be wonderful sires of the future. Unless the shuttle stallions are very, very good, we will continue to see a swing back to locally bred sires."

One who predicted the swing is Collingrove's Marketing Manager Jenny McAlpine, who maintains that while the annual influx of intriguing horses such as Collingrove's newcomer Favorite Trick gives breeders access to a range of sirelines not available anywhere else in the world, there's increasing support for horses whose progeny are proven in Australian conditions.

"I believe our colonial sires are holding their own and proof of that is horses like Snippets (Aus), Rory's Jester (Aus) and Zeditave--proven performers in our environment and climate," she said. "Rory's Jester gets very strong, sound racehorses that get to the racetrack and are able to cope with our training regime. With so many new shuttle horses every year, it stands to reason that not every one of them is going to be successful.

"Buyers who have had success with the progeny of a sire like Rory's Jester may go back to his progeny. We are only really just starting to see the effects of the shuttle sires, and the next few years, when horses by Flying Spur and Danzero get going, will be very telling."

According to the Australian Stud Book, more than 54 percent of Group race winners were sired by locally bred sires, a statistic borne out by results on the AJC's A\$8 million Doncaster-Derby Day, when all but one race was won by the progeny of Australasian stallions.

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Top 40 Sires (Overall) by 2000 Yearling Sales Average

From Keeneland July, Fasig-Tipton Kentucky July, Fasig-Tipton Saratoga August, Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Preferred August, & OBS August

Rank	Sire	FYR	***** 2000 Yearling Sales *****					***** TDN Stallion ROI* *****			
			Ring	Sold	Avg	Med	TopPrice	'98 Avg	'98 Med	'00 Avg	'00
1	STORM CAT	F89	31	24	\$1,278,250	\$575,000	\$6,800,000	8.52	3.83	4.26	1.92
2	MR. PROSPECTOR	F76	17	15	1,257,000	790,000	4,400,000	5.03	3.16	***	***
3	A.P. INDY	F94	29	21	991,905	800,000	3,200,000	19.84	16.00	6.61	5.33
4	KINGMAMBO	F95	20	16	785,750	450,000	5,300,000	13.10	7.50	7.86	4.50
5	SEEKING THE GOLD	F91	21	12	692,500	470,000	2,150,000	5.54	3.76	5.54	3.76
6	DANZIG	F82	9	7	678,571	650,000	1,100,000	3.39	3.25	3.39	3.25
7	GONE WEST	F89	29	23	667,391	450,000	3,300,000	6.67	4.50	5.34	3.60
8	THEATRICAL	F89	15	12	605,583	235,000	4,000,000	9.32	3.62	8.07	3.13
9	DEPUTY MINISTER	F85	37	30	597,000	462,500	2,000,000	4.78	3.70	3.98	3.08
10	SEATTLE SLEW	F80	27	20	558,000	315,000	4,200,000	5.58	3.15	3.72	2.10
11	PULPIT	F99	21	19	511,421	300,000	2,300,000	14.61	8.57	12.79	7.50
12	FORTY NINER	F90	1	1	500,000	500,000	500,000	***	***	***	***
13	UNBRIDLED	F93	26	21	443,333	310,000	1,800,000	8.87	6.20	4.43	3.10
14	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	28	20	391,850	302,500	1,400,000	13.06	10.08	9.80	7.56
15	BROAD BRUSH	F89	18	14	388,929	170,000	2,500,000	9.72	4.25	3.89	1.70
16	NUREYEV	F82	15	10	375,500	270,000	975,000	3.00	2.16	3.00	2.16
17	SAINT BALLADO	F94	32	24	354,583	300,000	1,400,000	17.73	15.00	8.86	7.50
18	COZZENE	F87	10	10	336,000	295,000	1,100,000	11.20	9.83	8.40	7.38
19	INDIAN RIDGE	F91	1	1	320,000	320,000	320,000	7.84	7.84	8.32	8.32
20	SILVER DEPUTY	F90	21	16	302,500	250,000	1,250,000	20.17	16.67	4.03	3.33
21	HENNESSY	F98	47	33	272,394	180,000	1,800,000	6.81	4.50	6.05	4.00
22	KRIS S.	F83	17	11	266,091	150,000	875,000	5.32	3.00	3.55	2.00
23	PLEASANT COLONY	F83	23	20	263,250	145,000	1,100,000	4.39	2.42	3.51	1.93
24	CAPOTE	F89	22	18	263,167	167,500	750,000	5.26	3.35	5.26	3.35
25	RED RANSOM	F92	22	15	256,333	140,000	950,000	7.32	4.00	3.94	2.15
26	DIXIELAND BAND	F86	29	21	249,619	150,000	1,150,000	4.16	2.50	4.16	2.50
27	GULCH	F90	16	13	239,615	200,000	525,000	3.99	3.33	3.99	3.33
28	BOUNDARY	F96	5	5	228,400	85,000	625,000	18.27	6.80	11.42	4.25
29	SOUTHERN HALO	F97	5	4	226,250	82,500	700,000	15.08	5.50	7.54	2.75
30	SILVER HAWK	F84	12	7	217,143	200,000	390,000	3.34	3.08	2.90	2.67
31	CARSON CITY	F92	19	11	213,364	165,000	900,000	7.11	5.50	6.10	4.71
32	GERI	F99	3	1	210,000	210,000	210,000	10.50	10.50	***	***
33	MISWAKI	F83	8	6	209,167	150,000	425,000	5.98	4.29	5.23	3.75
34	BOSTON HARBOR	F99	24	17	204,529	150,000	600,000	8.18	6.00	8.18	6.00
35	SPINNING WORLD	F99	27	19	203,789	150,000	600,000	4.08	3.00	***	***
36	WILD AGAIN	F87	20	13	202,692	180,000	500,000	3.38	3.00	2.70	2.40
37	SUMMER SQUALL	F93	2	2	200,000	200,000	220,000	8.00	8.00	8.00	8.00
38	BELONG TO ME	F95	13	9	192,222	170,000	460,000	6.41	5.67	6.41	5.67
39	MT. LIVERMORE	F87	10	7	186,429	80,000	550,000	3.73	1.60	3.73	1.60
40	SIPHON	F99	20	15	182,000	140,000	520,000	12.13	9.33	12.13	9.33

*The TDN Stallion ROI is a ratio created by dividing the yearling price by the stud fee used to create that yearling, i.e., the '98 stud fee for yearlings of 2000.

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Yesterday's Results:

3rd-BEL, \$50,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37 3/5, my.
1--BARRISTER (IRE), 119, g, 4, Barathea (Ire)--Silver Hut, by Silver Hawk. O-Highclere Stables; B-Liam Cashman (IRE); T-C Clement. Lifetime Record: 12-5-2-1, \$115,483. *Full to Thea River (Ire), MSP-Ity.
2--Above the Crowd, 119, h, 7, Housebuster--Cheap Seats, by Stage Director.
3--Night Caller, 119, c, 4, Phone Trick--Sleepy Time, by Turkoman.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, 7. Odds: 2.75, 2.80, 2.55.

Barrister had been first or second in four of five outings since starting his American campaign in March at Gulfstream. Most recently, he streaked to a 4 3/4-length victory in an Aug. 19 off-the-turf allowance at Monmouth. In his second main track start, the Irish-bred was always within striking distance, rallied wide into the stretch and dug in gamely for a 3/4-length victory.

8th-BEL, \$46,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35 3/5, ft.
OPEN SESAME (c, 3, Phone Trick--Dancing Mahmoud, by Topsider) reared at the break two starts back and finished a lackluster sixth at 21-1; he tired after pressing the pace in his latest, a Saratoga allowance test going seven furlongs Aug. 26, and ran fifth at 26-1. Off at 14-1 this time, the chestnut battled on the front end for six furlongs before opening up a clear lead and rolling to the wire for a three-length tally. The winner is a 1/2 to Hansel's Gold (Hansel), MGSP, \$237,979; and Guided Tour (Hansel), GSW, \$345,913. Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-2, \$97,410.
O-Moore Susan & John. B-Woodlynn Farm, Inc (KY). T-James A Jerkens.

7th-BEL, \$44,000, Alw, 2yo, 8.5f (off turf), 1:46 3/5, ft.
REVVED UP (c, 2, Sultry Song--Win Approval, by With Approval) raced greenly in his fifth-place debut over the Belmont turf in July. In two seven-furlong off-the-turfers at the Spa, the colt was a head short second Aug. 4 and a 1 1/4-length winner Aug. 23. Off the turf again here, the 7-2 shot pressed the pace before pulling away down the lane in a 5 1/2-length tally. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$62,430.
O-Live Oak Plantation. B-Live Oak Stud (FL). T-Christophe Clement.

☆ EAST ☆

Delaware Park Extends Meet:

The 2000 Delaware Park meet has been extended eight days. Originally slated to close Nov. 5, the track will be open through Nov. 19. The last Wednesday of live racing will be held Oct. 4; thereafter, Delaware will race Saturday through Tuesday.

Warren Resigns as Delaware Racing Secretary:

Chris Warren, racing secretary since 1994, will resign at the end of the 2000 meet to take over the same post at New Mexico's Ruidoso Downs. Warren, 41, was raised in Ruidoso. A replacement has not yet been named.

Yesterday's Results:

1st-RKM, \$10,780, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:07, gd.
+ WANNA KAT (f, 2, Katowice--Napawana, by Pancho Villa), the 6-5 favorite, sprinted to the early lead and drew off in the stretch to a 4 3/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$6,600.
O/B-Francis McDonnell (Fl). T-George Handy.

☆ MIDWEST ☆

Partial Sale of Hoosier Park Blocked:

The Indiana Horse Racing Commission has denied a proposal by Churchill Downs Management Company, initially announced in February, to sell an additional 26-percent interest in Hoosier Park to Centaur Inc. Centaur, a privately held company, already owns 13 percent of Hoosier. CDMC will await a final order from the Commission, expected within 60 days, before taking further action.

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STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14:
09-24 \$75/75,000a River Cities Breeders' Cup, LaD, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5fT, (0)

TOMORROW, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15:
09-29 \$200,000 Honey Bee H.-III, Med, 3yo, f, 8.5f, (100)



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Midwest Report cont.

Texas Juvenile Rule Change Considered:

The Texas Racing Commission is considering a rule change that would require two-year-olds to be at least 24 months old before racing, according to *Thoroughbred Times*. The proposal has the backing of the Texas Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association and state-commissioned veterinarians, who contend the new rule could lengthen the careers of horses competing in Texas. The Texas Thoroughbred Association opposes the new rule. "I think that the owner and trainer should be able to race their horses when they want and when they are fit," said David Hooper, executive director of the TTA. "It has been proven that some horses--especially fillies--mature faster than others. I believe that our board will have a strong opinion about any chance in the rules that would compromise their authority to determine when they can race their horses."

Turfway Cancels Program:

Turfway Park was forced to cancel live racing following last night's third race as the result of a power outage which shut down power to a portion of the track's facilities. Racing is scheduled to resume this evening.

☆ **DEL MAR** ☆

On the Del Mar Worktab:

Tiznow (Cee's Tizzy), runner up behind Skimming in the GI Pacific Classic at Del Mar Aug. 26, worked six furlongs in 1:13 4/5 handily as he prepares for his next start in the GI Super Derby at Louisiana Downs Sept. 30. Millionaire **Kona Gold** (Java Gold), the 3/4-length winner of the GII Bing Crosby Breeders' Cup at Del Mar July 29 in his last effort, zipped a bullet five furlongs in :57 3/5 and could make his next start in the GII Ancient Title Breeders' Cup at Santa Anita Oct. 14. Hal Earnhardt's **El Corredor** (Mr. Greeley), impressive when taking the GII Del Mar Breeders' Cup by 2 1/2 lengths Sept. 3, breezed an easy half mile in :51. A pair of Bobby Frankel trainees were out for work yesterday morning. **Happyanunoi** (NZ) (Yachtie {Aus}), second by a length in the GI Beverly D. S. at Arlington Aug. 19, covered five furlongs in 1:02 2/5 handily while stablemate **Aptitude** (A.P. Indy), the Kentucky Derby and Belmont runner up, continued towards a return to the races with an easy four furlongs in :50 2/5.

TDN TODAY

American **5 pages**

Yesterday's Results:

CALIFORNIA EQUINE RETIREMENT FOUNDATION H., \$75,887, DMR, 9-13, (R), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 1/5, ft. 1--**CHILUKKI, 120, f, 3, Cherokee Run--Song of Syria, by Damascus.** (\$100,000 yrl '98 KEESEP; \$875,000 2yo 1999 FTFEB). O-Stonerside Stable; B-Dr & Mrs R S West & Mr & Mrs M Miller (KY); T-Bob Baffert; J-J D Bailey; \$42,390. Lifetime Record: MGISW, 13-9-2-0, \$905,113.

2--**Sea of Ice, 115, f, 4, lam the Iceman--See and Believe, by Believe It.** O-Nicoletti Paul & Mari Ann. \$17,630.

3--**Trying Ty, 117, f, 4, Moscow Ballet--Tyzown, by Naevus.** O-Straub-Rubens Cecilia P. \$10,578.

Margins: 5, 2HF, 2. Odds: 0.20, 6.30, 6.90.

Second in the GIII Davona Dale at the Fair Grounds to begin 2000, two-year-old filly champion Chilukki was a dismal eighth in the GIII Fair Grounds Oaks, an effort which earned the diminutive bay a rest. The five-length winner of the Regret S. at Monmouth to celebrate Independence Day, Chilukki missed the break in the GI Test at Saratoga July 29, finishing a non-threatening sixth, but got back to her winning ways with a 1 1/4-length success in a Saratoga allowance Aug. 25. The overwhelming favorite showed good speed from the rail while chased on the outside by Sea of Ice through a 1/2 mile in :44 3/5. Jockey Jerry Bailey shook the reins and showed Chilukki the whip at the top of the lane and she cruised home to the easy victory.

7th-DMR, \$53,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 4/5, ft. MAGANDA (f, 4, Olympio--Crafty n' Hasty, by Medieval Man) was in contention every step of the way in her career debut Aug. 5 and just failed when second by 1/2 length. She celebrated graduation day in style Aug. 26 ridden out to a 10-length success. The 4-5 favorite dueled for the lead along the inside, shook loose to lead by three past the eighth pole and held on for a 1 1/2-length victory. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$69,400. O-Asistio Headley & Sterling. B-Harvey Liebeskind, MD (FL). T-Bruce Headley.

☆ **FOREIGN** ☆

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN BRITAIN:

Rebel Storm, f, 2, Storm Bird--Heavenly Rhythm, by Septieme Ciel. Yarmouth, 9-13, EBF Fleggborough Maiden S., 2yo, 7f 3ydsT, \$5,255 to winner. O-R Sangster, B Sangster & A Sangster; B-Prestonwood Farm Inc. *\$176,000 yrl '99 TAHOU.

BREEDERS' CUP NATIONAL STAKES CLOSINGS						
	<u>CLOSES</u>	<u>TRACK</u>	<u>RACE</u>	<u>CONDITIONS</u>	<u>PURSE</u>	<u>RUNS</u>
	9-14	ASD	Matron Breeders' Cup	3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m	\$60,000	9-24
	9-14	LAD	River Cities Breeders' Cup S.	3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT	\$150,000	9-24
	9-20	BM	Bay Meadows Breeders' Cup Derby (GIII)	3yo, 1 1/8mT	\$150,000	9-30
	9-20	HST	Ballerina Breeders' Cup (GIIC)	3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m	\$175,000	10-1
	9-20	HAW	Summertime Promise Breeders' Cup S.	3yo, f, 1 1/16mT	\$150,000	10-1

Foreign Report cont.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN FRANCE:

Dorlean, c, 2, Irish River (Fr)--Devolli (GB), by Saumarez (GB). Maisons-Laffitte, 9-13, Prix Hauban (Mdn), 2yo, c, 1mT, \$9,175 to winner. O-C Morange; B-Brookdale Thoroughbreds Inc; T-Freddie Head.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. SIRES

Doogall's Luck (NZ), g, 3, Housebuster--Asian Royale (Aus) (SW-Aus), by Slant. Ipswich (Queensland), 9-13, Allan Fitzsimmons Realty Maiden, 3yo/up, c/g, 6fT, \$2,712 to winner. B-Mr R A Scarborough; T-Bruce McLachlan.

Damavand (Aus), g, 3, Rahy--Miss Turkoman, by Turkoman. Newcastle (New South Wales), 9-13, Comutel Pty Ltd Maiden, 3yo/up, 4 1/2fT, \$5,201 to winner. B-Chatham Lodge Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd; T-Bart Cummings.

Win Dot Com (Aus), f, 4, Regal Classic--Virginia Springs (Aus), by Gold Carat. Port Macquarie (New South Wales), 9-12, Macquarie Hotel Maiden Plate, 3yo/up, 6fT, \$1,901 to winner. B-Mr P Carlyon; T-Alan Hayden.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN AUSTRALIA:

First Cut, m, 5, Diesis (GB)--Super Jamie, by Nijinsky II. Newcastle (New South Wales), 9-13, Newcastle Mazda Maiden, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, \$5,201 to winner. B-Vinery, John Sullivan & John R Gaines; T-Max Lees. *1/2 to Nijinsky's Gold (Lot O'Gold), MGSW-US, GSP-HK, \$494,152-US; and Super Firm (Affirmed), SW, \$212,609.

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BREEDERS' EDITION

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

1st-WOX, \$59,843, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35 1/5, fm. SKY CHARIOT (c, 4, Sky Classic--Stutz Goldrush {MSW, \$157,728}, by Mr. Prospector) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-0, \$92,312. O-Sam-Son Farms. B-Sam-Son Farm (ON). T-Mark Frostad.

1st-BEL, \$44,000, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:44 3/5, my.

BRAVE ONE (c, 3, Seattle Slew--Brave Hearted {GB}, by Dancing Brave) Lifetime Record: 14-2-6-2, \$119,120. O-O U Atonn Stable. B-Gallagher's Stud (NY). T-Gary C Contessa.

7th-BMX, \$40,050, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36 4/5, fm.

MICHIGAN BLUFF (m, 6, Skywalker--Middlefork Rapids {GSW, \$256,185}, by Wild Again) Lifetime Record: 43-6-9-5, \$316,396. O-Plan B Stable. B-Bev Aiello (Ca). T-Mark Glatt.

6th-DEL, \$34,900, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:40 2/5, ft.

CROWN GOLD (c, 3, Strike the Gold--Dual Crown, by Dayjur) Lifetime Record: 11-3-2-0, \$65,680. O-Anthony Lenci. B-Gallery Racing Stable (KY). T-Alfred E Cefalo.

5th-DEL, \$33,200, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

ASKARA (f, 3, Private Terms--In Twilight, by In Reality) Lifetime Record: 15-3-0-2, \$52,499. O-Locke Madeline & Schoue Vicki. B-W H Ferguson (KY). T-William E Moran.

8th-APX, \$33,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

CATCHTHECAT (f, 4, Crafty Prospector--Aly Sara {SW}, by Saratoga Six) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-0, \$73,288. O-Keith A Asmussen. B-Barbara B Wolfe (NJ). T-Sтивен M Asmussen.

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6th-APX, \$31,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft. GINGER ANN (f, 3, Saratoga Six--Mitten's Kitten, by Free Up) Lifetime Record: 14-3-1-1, \$52,606. O-Dorris Tom & Judy. B-Birge Eileen (IL). T-Tom Dorris.

7th-APX, \$31,000, (S), 3yo/up, a1 1/16mT, 1:47 1/5, sf. THAT'S WILD (c, 4, That's a Nice--One Wild Woman {SW, \$175,238}, by Bucksplasher) Lifetime Record: 12-2-2-1, \$56,812. O/B-Irish Acres Farm (IL). T-Mike Dini.

6th-MNR, \$18,000, 9-12, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:40 4/5, sy. SAMEE BRASS (f, 4, Dixie Brass--Samee Gay, by Risen Star) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-3, \$28,252. O-David D Walters. B-Hargus & Sandra Sexton (KY). T-Michael C Pappada.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

Bella Rouge, f, 2, A. P Jet--Sea Accord, by D'Accord. BEL, 9-13, (S), 7f, 1:26 1/5. B-John L Benzel & Kirk Hazen (NY). *Fourth winner for freshman sire (by Fappiano).

Screen Happy, f, 2, Brunswick--Happy Feet (SW), by Silent Screen. WOX, 9-13, (C), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Dr Ken Walters (Bc). *1/2 to Gallant Goalie (Gallant Best), SP, \$284,409; Overtime Victory (Knights Choice), MSW, \$439,631.

Mymmomadonetoldme, c, 2, Crusader Sword--Allen's Girl, by Allen's Prospect. DEL, 9-13, (C), 1m, 1:43 4/5. B-John E Gannon (Ny). *\$23,000 2yo 2000 FTMMAY.

Somewhat Chilly, c, 2, Eighty Below Zero--Ms. Something (SP), by Something Lucky. DMR, 9-13, (S), 5f, :58 2/5. B-Double Bar S Ranch (Ca).

☆ **TRACK OPENING** ☆

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Pluperfect, c, 2, Jeblar--Perfect Raj, by Rajab. RKM, 9-13, 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-Dr W S Karutz (FI). *\$15,000 wing '98 OBSOCT; \$16,000 yrl '99 OBSAUG. + Wanna Kat, f, 2, Katowice--Napawana, by Pancho Villa. RKM, 9-13, 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-Francis McDonnell (FI).

King La Boo, c, 2, My King (Ger)--Swingin Boo, by Swing Till Dawn. DMR, 9-13, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:04 1/5. B-Annabelle Stute (Ca). *First winner for freshman sire (by Fairy King).

No I Can't, c, 2, Numerous--Mt Queenmore, by Mt. Livermore. BEL, 9-13, (C), 6f, 1:13 1/5. B-Stonewall Farm, Eugene Hauman & Ernest Dahlman (Ny).

U So Fine, f, 2, Rizzi--Moment of Pleasure, by Timeless Moment. BEL, 9-13, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:07 3/5. B-Mockingbird Farm, Inc (FI). *\$28,000 yrl '99 OBSAUG.

Indeed I Hope, c, 3, Alydeed--Soon I Hope, by Peace Corps. TPX, 9-13, 1m, 1:40 1/5. B-Hobeau Farm (FI). *\$200,000 2yo 1999 FTFEB. **1/2 to Why Not Try (Cutlass), GSW, \$270,433.



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Thursday, September 14

A.P JET (Fappiano)

2nd-BEL, \$41,000, Msw (S), 7f - Company Jet

6th-BEL, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 7f - Lastcallforparis

BONUS MONEY (GB) (Chief's Crown)

3rd-FPX, \$30,000, Msw, (S), 6f - Bonus Paid

DIXIE POWER (Dixieland Band)

4th-BEL, \$42,000, Msw, 1mT - Ike's Power

FASTNESS (IRE) (Rousillon)

6th-BEL, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 7f - Fast Tempo

FRIENDLY LOVER (Cutlass)

4th-BEL, \$42,000, Msw, 1mT - Prospect Lover

JUDGE T C (Judge Smells)

4th-BEL, \$42,000, Msw, 1mT - Jordi Moi

MEADOW FLIGHT (Meadowlake)

2nd-BEL, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 7f - Game Magic

OUR EMBLEM (Mr. Prospector)

6th-BEL, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 7f - Mr. Karakorum

SILVER MUSIC (Silver Ghost)

6th-BEL, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 7f - Silver Issue

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WRITERS UP

NTRA UPDATE

By Greg Avioli

The support for the NTRA's voluntary ¼-percent funding program has been overwhelming so far this year and we are grateful to all the participants. Beginning this year, we have earmarked a substantial percentage of the income for lobbying and political action, including the creation of an NTRA PAC. Based on the response from the Keeneland and Fasig-Tipton yearling sales this summer and the recently concluded OBS sale, the horseracing industry will have significantly increased its collective political, legislative and lobbying strength.

In fact, as a result of increased participation in the voluntary funding process, it appears we will be able to more than triple our industry's spending in this important area. Now more than ever, getting stronger in the political and regulatory arenas will be a key to our industry's ability to prosper over the long term.

Throughout this summer, we have continued to work diligently with our supporters in Congress and the American Horse Council, our lobbyists, sports organizations like the NCAA and the NFL and law enforcement officials toward passage of HR 3125, the Internet Gambling Prohibition Act, (the "Kyl/Goodlatte bill") against formidable opposition.

While substantially curbing many forms of illegal, unregulated Internet gambling, as currently written, the bill would allow horseracing to continue account wagering and interstate simulcasting as we have conducted legally for more than two decades.

Our opponents are well organized and well funded and have waged a sophisticated public relations battle to portray the bill as an expansion of gambling, unfairly characterizing the horseracing exemptions in the process.

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Even more unfortunate is the public position of the Department of Justice in opposition to the bill. In its testimony before Congress, the DOJ has staked out the precarious position that our current account wagering and interstate simulcasting practices are in violation of the Wire Act, a criminal statute.

In fact, the exemptions for pari-mutuel wagering contained in the present text of the Internet Gambling Prohibition Act do not represent an expansion of gaming opportunities. They merely protect states' rights to sanction pari-mutuel wagering and the right of the racing industry to conduct current levels of interstate wagering and account wagering activity, which were previously encouraged by Congress in the Interstate Horseracing Act of 1978, years after passage of the Wire Act.

We are hopeful that the Kyl/Goodlatte bill will come up for a vote and pass in the next several weeks. Whether or not the bill passes in this session, it is incumbent upon our industry to ensure that the Justice opinion does not impact current simulcast operations and threaten current purse levels as a consequence. Voluntary contributions from the public sales process will help us accomplish that goal.

For additional information on NTRA voluntary funding programs or updates on our political efforts, contact Greg Avioli or Ben Haggin at 859-245-NTRA or at ntra@ntra.com.

Greg Avioli is the NTRA Deputy Commissioner

Maiden Winners cont.

Moriah Ifyouplease, f, 3, **Dixieland Band--Proud Caitlin** (SW), by Proud Appeal. PEN, 9-13, 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Rocky Hill Stable, Inc (Pa).

Exquisite Femme, f, 3, **Exclusive Era--Gleeful Femme**, by Hoedown's Day. BMX, 9-13, 6f, 1:09 3/5. B-Hugh C Stone (Ca).

Combo Nation, c, 3, **French Deputy--Madam President** (MSW, \$294,643), by Mr. Leader. APX, 9-13, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:18 2/5. B-White Fox Farm (Ky). *\$130,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.

Magic Merlin, c, 3, **Gulch--Shared Magic** (MSP), by Devil's Bag. MED, 9-13, (C), 1m (off turf), 1:39. B-Andrea Singer Pollack Revocabletrust (Ky). *\$275,000 2yo 1999 KEEAPR.

On the Couch, f, 3, **Private Terms--Shooting Starlet** (SW), by Great Above. MED, 9-12, (C), 1mT, 1:37. B-Rosemont Farm Inc (Ky). *\$10,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.

For the Music, f, 4, **Stop the Music--For Gracious Sakes** (MSW, \$137,703), by Princely Native. APX, 9-13, (S), 1m (off turf), 1:40 3/5. B-D Block (Ill). *1/2 to Deluxury (Lost Code), SW, \$126,050.

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THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS

★ EUROPEAN EDITION ★

Thursday, September 14, 2000

A GIANT FOR THE FESTIVAL? Ascot Racecourse will be counting the days until the Ascot Festival gets underway on Sept. 23, beginning the most valuable Saturday-Sunday fixture in the British Calendar. The anticipation is building since **Giant's Causeway (USA)** (Storm Cat {USA}) is on course for the feature, the £320,000 G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. on the Saturday. It is a case of coming back to finish off a job he started when winning the G1 St James' Palace S. at the Royal Meeting June 20, the first of five consecutive Group 1 successes. If he wins this mile event, he will equal Mill Reef's record of six consecutive Group One successes, from 1971-1972. The £200,000 G1 Meon Valley Stud Fillies' Mile, for two-year-old fillies run over a mile on Saturday, looks the likely target for Sir Michael Stoute's current ante-post favourites for the 2001 Epsom Oaks, **Karasta (Ire)** (Lake Coniston {Ire}), and **The Queen's Flight Of Fancy (GB)** (Sadler's Wells {USA}). Sunday sees the G2 Sodexo Diadem S. run over six furlongs, which is a possible target for G1 Nunthorpe S. winner **Nuclear Debate (USA)** (Geiger Counter {USA}), and the G2 Royal Lodge S., for two-year-old colts, run over a mile. There will also be a Celebration of the Horse, starring the Household Cavalry and other displays, including a portrayal the history of the horse in America. Douglas Erskine-Crum, Ascot's Chief Executive, said: "It will probably be his last race in Europe this season before he heads off to the Breeders' Cup in the States, so it would be wonderful if Giant's Causeway could match Mill Reef's record here on Saturday week. It's going to be a fantastic weekend for racegoers, horse lovers and anyone's who's looking for a fun and exciting day out."

★ BRITAIN ★

FUEL CRISIS BEGINS TO HIT

Britain's fuel crisis, caused by blockades of depots, has claimed today's Pontefract meeting. Thousands of filling stations are closed, and convoys are halting traffic on major roads, which has obvious implications for racehorse transport as well as spectators' transport. The necessary ambulance cover required cannot be provided for the Pontefract course, due to insufficient fuel. Ayr, the hosts of today's Listed Harry Rosebery S., are hopeful that they can survive. Richard Pridham, Clerk of the Course, said: "Nobody has told me of any problems regarding sending their horses here. At the moment it's all systems go."

A GOOD WESTERN

Ayr's three-day Western Meeting, Scotland's most famous and valuable flat fixture, starts today. The feature race is the £100,000 Ladbroke (Ayr) Gold Cup, which takes place over six furlongs on Saturday. Today's opening day offers the £17,500 Listed Harry Rosebery S., won last season by Khasayl (Ire) (Lycius {USA}), who went on to take the valuable Two-Year-Old Trophy at Redcar. Stakes action can also be seen on Saturday, when the £20,000 Listed Faucets First for Faucets Firth Of Clyde S., and the £21,000 Listed Doonside Cup, won last year by John Dunlop's filly Leggera (Ire) (Sadler's Wells {USA}) before finishing fourth in the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe. Richard Pridham, Ayr's General Manager and Clerk of the Course, said: "The Western Meeting always has a very special atmosphere and is the highlight of Ayr's Flat season."

NEWMARKET CHANGES

Newmarket has announced changes to two of its Group races, the G2 Sun Chariot and the G3 Jockey Club Cup, the *Racing Post* reported. The Sun Chariot, a 10-furlong race, will be run over a mile this year on Sept. 30, while the Jockey Club Cup, run over two miles, will be switched from that date to Oct. 14--Champions Day. "The change in distance for the Sun Chariot came about after the French applied to change the distance of the G2 Prix de l'Opera [Longchamp, Oct. 1] from a mile and a furlong to a mile and a quarter," said Nick Lees, Clerk of the Course at Newmarket. "Their race conflicted with the Sun Chariot, which has always been a mile and a quarter race, but we thought there was a gap in the programme for a race over a mile at that time." As for the Jockey Club Cup, Lees added, "We felt it made no sense to have a staying event on the same weekend as the [G1] Prix du Cadran, even though we got a better field last year."

UPCOMING SALES DATES

ANAC September Yearling Sale	Sept. 15
Tattersalls Autumn Horses in Training	Sept. 22
Tattersalls September Sale (Ireland)	Sept. 19-20
Goffs France Horse In Training Sale	Sept. 22
Tattersalls Houghton Yearling Sale	Sept. 26-28
Goffs France Arc Sale	Sept. 30

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British Report cont.

Today, Ayr, post time: 3:05 p.m.

HARRY ROSEBERY S.-Listed, £17,500, 2yo, 5ft

SC (PP)	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1 (9)	Mamma's Tonight (GB)	Timeless Times (USA)	A Berry	128
2 (2)	Silca Legend (GB)	Efio (GB)	Channon	126
3 (5)	Fairgame Man (GB)	Clantime (GB)	A Berry	123
4 (10)	Red Millennium (Ire)	Tagula (Ire)	A Berry	123
5 (1)	Time N Time Again (GB)	Timeless Times (USA)	Alston	123
6 (6)	Vicious Dancer (GB)	Timeless Times (USA)	Whitaker	123
7 (8)	Xaloc Bay (Ire)	Charmwood Forest (Ire)	Burke	123
8 (3)	Elsie Plunkett (GB)	Mind Games (GB)	Hannon	121
9 (11)	Siptitz Heights (Ire)	Zieten (USA)	Bravery	121
10 (7)	Effervesce (Ire)	Sri Pekan (USA)	Buckley	118
11 (4)	Nifty Alice (GB)	First Trump (GB)	A Berry	118
12 (12)	Proud Boast (GB)	Komaite (USA)	Rees	118

Yesterday's Results:

3.10 Yarmouth, Eastern Festival Conditions S. (Class C), £10,250, 3yo/up, 6f 3ydsT, 1:11.20, gd/fm.

FEMME FATALE (GB) (f, 3, Fairy King {USA}--Red Rita {Ire} {MGSP-GB}, by Kefaaah {USA}), sent off at odds of 7-2, was held up in rear early as Alhufoof (USA) (Dayjur {USA}) assumed command. Asked to quicken past halfway, she grabbed the lead soon after and held off the challenge of Blue Velvet (GB) (Formidable {USA}) to win by a short head. Lifetime Record: SW-GB, 6-2-1-1, £23,556.

O-Anthony Foster; B-Hugo Merry and Khalid Al-Mudhaf; T-William Jarvis; J-Jimmy Quinn.

3.50 Sandown, Norwest Holst Construction Classified S. (Cond.) (Class C), £10,010, 3yo/up, 8f 14ydsT, 1:41.21, gd/fm.

WILLOUGHBY'S BOY (IRE) (c, 3, Night Shift {USA}--Andbell {GB}, by Trojan Fen {GB}) was sent off at odds of 6-1. After racing at the back of the field until over a furlong and a half out, he quickened to close the gap between himself and the leaders Fredora (GB) (Inchior {GB}) and Nimello (USA) (Kingmambo {USA}) a furlong out and found a perfect split between the pair to quickly go clear and win comfortably by a length and a half from Fredora. Lifetime Record: 9-3-1-1, £20,375.

O-Mrs G E M Brown; B-Mrs M Campbell Andenaes; T-Ben Hanbury; J-Pat Eddery.

4.25 Sandown, European Breeders Fund Novice S. (Cond.) (Class D), £7,560, 2yo, 7f 16ydsT, 1:30.46, gd/fm.

ATTACHE (GB) (c, 2, Wolfhound {USA}--Royal Passion {GB}, by Ahonoora {GB}), an easy winner of a minor race at Redcar Aug. 26, was sent off the 2-1 favourite. Racing in second behind Gleaming Blade (USA) (Diesis {GB}) until well down the straight, the half to Tadeo (GB) (Primo Dominie {GB}), SW-GB, \$180,473, was carried wide by that rival and had to be determined to not lose his momentum. Having overcome the problems caused by the leader, he quickened well and won going away by a length and a half from the promising newcomer Dilshaan (GB) (Darshaan {GB}), who was also affected by Gleaming Blade's wanderings. Lifetime record: 3-2-1-0, £9,648.

O-Saeed Suhail; B-J R and Mrs P Good; T-Mark Johnston; J-Kevin Darley.

2.45 Sandown, European Breeders Fund Maiden Fillies S. (Class D), £6,510, 2yo, f, 8f 14ydsT, 1:46.07, gd/fm.

TIME AWAY (IRE) (f, 2, Darshaan {GB}--Not Before Time {Ire}, by Polish Precedent {USA}) finished a three-length runner-up to subsequent G3 May Hill S. winner Karasta (Ire) on her debut at Newmarket Aug. 25, so it was no surprise to see her start the 10-11 favourite here against just four opponents. Always travelling smoothly behind the leader Seyooll (Ire) (Danehill {USA}), she was shaken up a quarter mile out and quickened into the lead, soon going clear and only having to be ridden out hands and heels to score impressively by 2 1/2 lengths from the newcomer Gay Heroine (GB) (Caerleon {USA}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £5,732.

O-R Barnett; B-W and R Barnett Ltd ; T-John Dunlop; J-Pat Eddery.

3.40 Yarmouth, EBF Halvergate Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), £5,475, 2yo, f, 6f 3ydsT, 1:12.80, gd/fm.

NASMATT (GB) (f, 2, Danehill {USA}--Society Lady {USA}, by Mr Prospector {USA}), a half to Bint Allayl (GB) (Green Desert {USA}), Hwt. 2yo Filly-GB, MGSW-GB, \$143,084, was sent off the 11-10 on favourite. Breaking well, she raced in fourth early as Manuka Too (Ire) (First Trump {GB}) led. Asked to go on with quarter of a mile remaining, she picked up well, before holding the challenge of newcomer Rockerlong (GB) (Deploy {GB}) by a half-length. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, £8,830.

O/B-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; T-Mick Channon; J-Frankie Dettori.

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Hip 1220: full-brother to EL CORREDOR

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4.00 Beverley, EBF Garrowby Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), £5,700, 2yo, f, 7f 100ydsT, 1:35.20, gd/fm.
LOVE EVERLASTING (GB) (f, 2, Pursuit Of Love {GB}--In Perpetuity {Ire}, by Great Nephew {GB}), sent off the 11-10 favourite, raced in second on the rail early as Rosalia (USA) (Red Ransom {USA}) blazed the trail. Jockey Joe Fanning's attempts to keep the rail ended when he ran out of room for his challenge, and his switch to the outer, which caused him to interfere another of his rivals, gave him the space he needed. Quickening from there, she was produced to head Atamana (Ire) (Lahib {USA}) near the line and win by a neck. She is a half to Baron Ferdinand (GB) (Ferdinand {USA}), GSW-GB, GSP-Fr & Ger, \$178,700-GB & Fr. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, £6,870.
 O/B-Mr & Mrs G Middlebrook; T-Mark Johnston; J-Joe Fanning.

4.45 Yarmouth, EBF Fleggborough Maiden S. (Class D), £5,775, 2yo, 7f 3ydsT, 1:25.80, gd/fm.
REBEL STORM (USA) (c, 2, Storm Bird {Can}--Heavenly Rhythm {USA}, by Septieme Ciel {USA}) was sent off at odds of 8-1 to win this race, taken by Dubai Millennium (GB) in 1998. The 110,000gns TAHOU yearling raced in fifth early in the group racing in the centre of the track behind Tudor Reef (Ire) (Mujadil {USA}). Asked to go on, he responded well to hit the front with a furlong and a half remaining, before comfortably holding the challenge of Albashoosh (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB}) by a length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £3,754.
 O-R Sangster, B Sangster & A Sangster; B-Prestonwood Farm, Inc; T-John Gosden; J-Jimmy Fortune.

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX HEROD-Listed, FF260,000, Maisons-Laffitte, France, 9-12, 2yo, 7fT, 1:23.60, gd.
1--#INNIT (IRE), 125, f, 2, by Distinctly North (USA)
 1st Dam: Tidal Reach (USA), by Kris S. (USA)
 2nd Dam: Davie Lady, by Bold and Brave
 3rd Dam: Basie Blues, by Blue Prince
 (11,160gns yrl '99 TISEP) O-Tim Corby; B-P de Vere Hunt; T-Mick Channon; J-Thierry Thulliez; FF140,000. Lifetime Record: 13 starts, 3 wins, 7 places.
2--Storm Boy (Fr), 128, c, 2, Bering (GB)--Princess Balbao (Fr), by Highest Honor (Fr). FF48,000.
3--Aspiring Diva (USA), 125, f, 2, Distant View (USA)--Queen Of Song (USA), by His Majesty (USA). FF38,000.
 Margins: 3, HD, 5. Odds: 1.60, 2.70, 6.60.
 Also ran: Spainbird (Ire), Neyev (Fr), Legalis (USA).

Prix Herod Report cont.

The Mick Channon show rolls on and on, adding another impressive overseas stakes success here to his tally. His two-year-olds have now won the G3 Anglesey S. and Futurity S. at The Curragh in July and August in Ireland, and the G3 Prix du Calvados at Deauville Aug. 27. Here Innit was produced in as sharp form as she has been in all year, despite it being her 13th run of the year, to win this stakes race with authority. Settled in third early as Storm Boy led them, she was asked to quicken with a furlong and a half remaining, which she did instantly, before surging clear of her rivals.

2.25 Maisons-Laffitte, Prix Hauban (Mdn) (Class D), FF140,000, 2yo, c, 1mT, 1:41.00, gd.
DORLEAN (USA) (c, 2, Irish River {Fr}--Devolli {GB}, by Saumarez {GB}), sent off at odds of over 4-1, broke well, but was reined back off the pace set early by Akela (Fr) (Loup Solitaire {USA}). Finding the the rail before the straight, he quickened from there to take the lead from Spin Fast (Fr) (Sillery {USA}) with a furlong and a half remaining, before going clear under hands and heels riding to score by a comfortable two lengths. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, FF88,000.
 O-Mrs Cyril Morange; B-Brookdale Throughbreds Inc; T-Freddie Head; J-Davy Bonilla.

2.55 Maisons-Laffitte, Prix Hayati (Mdn) (Class D), FF140,000, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:42.30, gd.
SKATESHEBA (FR) (f, 2, Green Tune {USA}--Touraille {Fr}, by Jim French {USA}), sent off at odds of just under 3-1, raced prominently in fourth early as Duchesse Lawyer (Fr) (Sky Lawyer {Fr}) took them along. Making smooth progress on the outer as they rounded the turn into the straight, she was brought to challenge by jockey Olivier Peslier, before hitting the front with a furlong remaining. From there she was merely kept up to her work, before being eased to beat Venus Colony (USA) (Nureyev {USA}) by a comfortable half-length. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, FF83,500.
 O-D Li; B-Mr P Camus-Denais; T-Jean de Roualle; J-Olivier Peslier.

★ ITALY ★

Yesterday's Results:

4.25 Milan, Premio San Carlo (Cond.), L30,600,000, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT, 0:00.00, gd.
ALABAMA JACKS (IRE) (c, 4, Magical Wonder {USA}--Oh Jemima {GB}, by Captain James {Ire}) Lifetime Record: GSW-Ity, 19 starts, 9 wins, 6 places, L347,480,000. O-Zaro; B-W Nicholson; T-R Feligioni; J-M Tellini.

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★ UNITED STATES ★

Today at the Keeneland September Sale:

Hip 1105 Filly by A.P. Indy (USA)--Lightning Fire (GB), by Kris (GB) is out of a stakes-winning and multiple graded-staked placed full sister to current sire Common Grounds (GB). The filly is a 1/2 to Flame Valley (USA) (Gulch {USA}), a listed winner in England and multiple graded-stakes placed performer in the U.S., including the GII E.P. Taylor S. in 1996, and Grade II winner Beyrouth (USA) (Alleged {USA}).

Hip 1116 Filly by Capote (USA)--Madeleine's Dream (USA), by Theatrical (Ire) is out of the 1993 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches winner, who is out of L'Attrayante (Fr) (Tyrant {USA}), winner of the same event as well as the Irish 1000 Guineas in 1983. Madeleine's Dream is a full sister to Miss Lenora (USA), winner of the GIII Bewitch S.

Hip 1143 Filly by Gone West (USA)--Most Precious (USA), by Nureyev (USA) is a 1/2 sister to the 1995 French 1000 Guineas heroine Matiara (USA) (Bering {GB}) as well as G2 Prix du Muguet winner Marathon (USA) (Diesis {GB}). Most Precious (USA), a listed winner in France, was second in the G1 Prix de la Salamandre and third in the G1 Grand Criterium.

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNER:

Barrister (Ire), g, 4, Barathea (Ire)--Silver Hut (USA), by Silver Hawk (USA). Belmont, 9-13, Allowance, 1m, \$30,000 to winner. O-Highclere Stables; B-Liam Cashman; T-Christophe Clement. *Full to Thea River (Ire), MSP-Ity.

★ AUSTRALASIA ★

WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRES:

Sanctus (Aus), f, 3, Barathea (Ire)--St Clemens (GB) (MSP-Aus), by London Bells (Can). Strathalbyn (South Australia), 9-13, Fielders Steel Roofing Maiden, 3yo/up, 6f 165ydsT, A\$4,140 to winner. B-Classic Thoroughbred Breeding; T-Leon MacDonald. *1/2 to St. Clemens Belle (Aus) (Don't Say Halo {Aus}), G1SW-Aus.

Luxford (Aus), g, 4, Bigstone (Ire)--La Lucre (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus). Cranbourne (Victoria), 9-13, Cranbourne Auto Market Daihatsu H., 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$6,500 to winner. B-Wood Nook Farm Pty Ltd; T-Damien Williams.

Snip A Dane (Aus), c, 4, Danehill (USA)--Easy Date (Aus), by Grand Chaudiere (Can). Cranbourne (Victoria), 9-13, Beaconsfield Football Club Maiden, 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$6,500 to winner. B-Segenhoe Wakefield Partnership; T-Kel Newman. *1/2 to Snippets (Aus) (Lunchtime {Aus}), MG1SW-Aus; Quick Score (Aus) (Pag-Asa {Aus}), GSW & MG1SP-Aus; Asawir (Aus) (Last Tycoon {Ire}), SW & MGSP-Aus; True Blonde (Aus) (Naturalism {NZ}), SW-Aus.

Lord Kefalonia (Aus), g, 4, Magic Ring (Ire)--Copine (Aus), by Old Crony (USA). Newcastle (New South Wales), 9-13, Stockland Jesmond H., 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$13,400 to winner. B-Mr N Moraitis; T-Max Lees.

Briannon (Aus), m, 5, Night Shift (USA)--Papal Jewel (Aus), by Papal Power (USA). Newcastle (New South Wales), 9-13, Tibbie Plate, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, A\$39,000 to winner. B-G J Watts, A Kilgannon, P Kilgannon, R Kilgannon & B Kilgannon; T-John Size.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

Nasmatt (GB), f, 2, Danehill (USA)--Society Lady (USA), by Mr. Prospector (USA). Yarmouth, England, 9-13, EBF Halvergate Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), 2yo, f, 6f 3ydsT, £5,475 to winner. B-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum. *1/2 to Bint Allayl (GB) (Green Desert {USA}), Hwt. 2yo Filly-GB, MGSW-GB, \$143,084.

Time Away (Ire), f, 2, Darshaan (GB)--Not Before Time (Ire), by Polish Precedent (USA). Sandown, England, 9-13, European Breeders Fund Maiden Fillies S. (Class D), 2yo, f, 8f 14ydsT, £4,232 to winner. B-W and R Barnett Ltd.

Skatesheba (Fr), f, 2, Green Tune (USA)--Touraille (Fr), by Jim French (USA). Maisons-Laffitte, France, 9-13, Prix Hayati (Mdn) (Class D), 2yo, f, 1mT, FF70,000 to winner. B-Mr P Camus-Denais.

Dorlean (USA), c, 2, Irish River (Fr)--Devolli (GB), by Saumarez (GB). Maisons-Laffitte, France, 9-13, Prix Hauban (Mdn) (Class D), 2yo, c, 1mT, FF70,000 to winner. B-Brookdale Thoroughbreds, Inc.

Love Everlasting (GB), f, 2, Pursuit Of Love (GB)--In Perpetuity (Ire), by Great Nephew (GB). Beverley, England, 9-13, EBF Garrowby Maiden Fillies' S. (Class D), 2yo, f, 7f 100ydsT, £3,705 to winner. B-Mr & Mrs G Middlebrook. *1/2 to Baron Ferdinand (GB) (Ferdinand {USA}), GSW-GB, GSP-Fr & Ger, \$178,700-GB & Fr.

Rebel Storm (USA), f, 2, Storm Bird (Can)--Heavenly Rhythm (USA), by Septieme Ciel (USA). Yarmouth, England, 9-13, EBF Fleggborough Maiden S. (Class D), 2yo, 7f 3ydsT, £3,754 to winner. B-Prestonwood Farm Inc. *110,000gns yrl '99 TAHOU.

Prince Pyramus (GB), c, 2, Pyramus (USA)--Rekindled Flame (Ire), by King's Lake (USA). Beverley, England, 9-13, goracing.co.uk Maiden S. (Class D), 2yo, 5fT, £4,091 to winner. B-G Foster. *1,000gns yrl '99 TAOCT.

Mr Stylish (GB), g, 4, Mazillier (USA)--Moore Stylish (GB), by Moorestyle (GB). Beverley, England, 9-13, Saffie Joseph & Sons Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo/up, 5fT, £4,212 to winner. B-F D Harvey. *5,500gns yrl '97 TAOCT.