KEENELAND NEARS CONCLUSION

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DANCE TO HER TUNE

It has been a long time since Milligram (GB) led home a one-two for the fairer sex when beating Miesque in



1987, but **Soviet Song (Ire)** (Marju {Ire}) may be able to end the fillies' drought and beat the colts in today's G1 Queen Elizabeth II S. at Ascot. Having lived in the shadow of Russian Rhythm in 2003, she has come alive in that rival's absence this term, rattling off successes in the G1 Falmouth S. at Newmarket July 6, the G1 Sussex S. at Goodwood July 28 and the G1 Matron S. at Leopardstown last time Sept. 11. Her jockey thinks the best may be to come. "She won very well last time and her trainer says she's

Soviet Song Neil Tingle/Action Plus

come on for the run," said John Murtagh. "I'm expecting her to run a big race." Murtagh believes that Soviet Song, who took the G1 Fillies' Mile over course and distance two years ago on this card, kick-started her revival when winning the G2 Ridgewood Pearl S. at The Curragh May 22. "That race gave her confidence and she's gone from strength to strength and developed into a very high-class filly," he added. **QE II cont. p2**

ECHELON LOOKS TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP

Sir Michael Stoute, who collected this prize with Untold (GB) in 1985 and with Red Bloom (GB) 12 months ago, saddles an exciting prospect in **Echelon** (GB) (Danehill) in this year's edition of the G1 Meon Valley Stud Fillies' Mile, to be run at Ascot this afternoon. The bay, a half sister to MGSW Chic, was the lone filly in a 13-horse Newmarket maiden Aug. 28, but quickened nicely away to win by two lengths. She faces a steep rise in class here, but she looked made to measure for the top flight when beating the impressive subsequent Newbury maiden winner Newsround (GB) with a clutch of highly regarded rivals struggling five lengths and more in arrears. Fillies' Mile cont p2



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SATURDAY, SEPT. 25, 2004

Imperialism (Langfuhr), on the sidelines since finishing fifth in the May 15 GI Preakness S., makes his return in

the GII Super Derby at Louisiana Downs this afternoon. The gray looked to be headed for a turf career at the beginning of the season, but was switched to the dirt and to a new barn after running fifth in the Jan. 1 GIII Tropical Park Derby at Calder. He posted a rallying score in the Feb. 7 GII San Vicente S. in his first start for trainer



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Kristin Mulhall and made it two in a row in the Mar. 6 GII San Rafael S. Third under the wire in the Apr. 3 GI Santa Anita Derby, he was moved up to second on the DQ of Rock Hard Ten. He was third again in the May 1 GI Kentucky Derby, and earned a vacation after his fifthplace effort at Pimlico. "We freshened him up," Mulhall told Daily Racing Form. "He'd run hard as a two-yearold and he campaigned hard this year." She added that the colt enjoyed the time off. "He was out in a big three-acre pasture," she said. "He gained a little weight...and he came back good." Imperialism has been working well for his return, firing a bullet seven furlongs in 1:24 2/5 at Santa Anita Sept. 18. But he will face a tough local customer in South Africa (Cape Town). Three-for-three at Louisiana Downs, the bay gelding comes off a neck win over Fantasticat (Storm Cat), with Britt's Jules another neck back in third, in the Super Derby prep, the Aug. 28 Prelude S.

Saturday, Louisiana Downs, post time: 5:05 p.m. CDT SUPER DERBY-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Cryptograph	Cryptoclearance	Von Hemel	6-1
2	Britt's Jules	Jules	Guillot	6-1
3	South Africa	Cape Town	Norman	12-1
4	Xirius	Joyeux Danseur	Keen	20-1
5	Fantasticat	Storm Cat	Barnett	12-1
6	Borrego	El Prado (Ire)	Greely	5-2
7	Imperialism	Langfuhr	Mulhall	8-5
8	Mr. Jester	Silver Deputy	Wren	12-1
9	Caballero Negro	Formal Gold	Morales	15-1

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Saturday, Ascot, Britain, post time: 2:30 p.m. MEON VALLEY STUD FILLIES' MILE-G1, £200,000, 2vo. f. 1mT

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SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER		
1	6	Dash To The Top (GB)	Montjeu (Ire)	Cumani		
2	3	Dubai Surprise (Ire)	King's Best	Loder		
3	5	Echelon (GB)	Danehill	Stoute		
4	9	Ghasiba (Ire)	Daylami (Ire)	C Brittain		
5	7	Joint Aspiration (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Channon		
6	8	Maids Causeway (Ire)	Giant's Causeway	B Hills		
7	4	Mona Lisa (GB)	Giant's Causeway	A O'Brien		
8	2	Playful Act (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Gosden		
9	1	Shohrah (Ire)	Giant's Causeway	Tregoning		
All	All carry 122 pounds.					

Fillies' Mile cont.

Playful Act built on the promise of her Newmarket maiden win Aug. 27 when taking the G2 May Hill S. at Doncaster Sept. 9. G3 Sweet Solera S. winner Maids Causeway was beaten 3/4 lengths when third on that occasion, but renews rivalry on three pounds better terms. Despite his impressive record with juveniles, David Loder has yet to win this race. He relies on Dubai Surprise, who overcame adversity to win a competitive renewal of the G3 Prestige S. at Goodwood Aug. 29.

Saturday, Ascot, Britain, post time: 4:10 p.m. QUEEN ELIZABETH II S. (SPONSORED BY

NE	NEIJEIS -G1, £300,000, 3yo/up, 1m1							
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WТ			
1	7	Blatant (GB)	Machiavellian	bin Suroor	127			
2	5	Nayyir (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Butler	127			
3	14	Norse Dancer (Ire)	Halling	Elsworth	127			
4	13	Rakti (GB)	Polish Precedent	M Jarvis	127			
5	3	Refuse To Bend (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	bin Suroor	127			
6	8	Soviet Song (Ire)	Marju (Ire)	Fanshawe	124			
7	1	Ace (Ire)	Danehill	A O'Brien	123			
8	12	Antonius Pius	Danzig	A O'Brien	123			
9	2	Bachelor Duke	Miswaki	Scr	Scr			
10	11	Diamond Green (Fr)	Green Desert	Fabre	123			
11	9	Fantastic View	Distant View	Hannon	123			
12	4	Fong's Thong	Dr Fong	Meehan	123			
13	10	Haafhd (GB)	Alhaarth (Ire)	B Hills	123			
14	6	Lucky Story	Kris S.	Johnston	123			

Soviet Song's subsequent winning streak has been interrupted only by **Refuse to Bend (Ire)**, who bested her by a neck in the G1 Queen Anne S. over the straight mile at the Royal meeting here June 15. He went on to add the G1 Eclipse S. at Sandown July 3 before struggling home in last place in the Sussex S. last time. He bids to provide Godolphin with their fourth renewal since 1996. With the exception of **Diamond Green (Fr)**, this year's miling sophomores have lacked consistency at the top level. He has found one too good in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains May 16, G1 St James's Palace S. over course and distance June 15 and G1 Prix du Moulin de Longchamp last time Sept. 5.



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Saturday, Ascot, Britain, post time: 1:55 p.m. HACKNEY EMPIRE ROYAL LODGE S.-G2, £100,000,

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SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER		
1	2	Berkhamsted (Ire)	Desert Sun (GB)	Osborne		
2	7	Elliots World (Ire)	King's Best	Johnston		
3	5	Frith (Ire)	Benny The Dip	B Hills		
4	4	Grand Marque (Ire)	Grand Lodge	Hannon		
5	3	Kandidate (GB)	Kabool (GB)	C Brittain		
6	1	Perfectperformance	Rahy	bin Suroor		
7	6	Scandinavia	Fusaichi Pegasus	A O'Brien		
8	8	Wilko	Awesome Again	Noseda		
All	All carry 123 pounds					

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Aidan O'Brien, who has won this twice since 1999, relies solely on **Scandinavia**, a slow learner who typifies a change in direction by Ballydoyle regarding their juveniles. The odds-on favorite for his first two starts, at Tipperary June 10 and The Curragh June 25, he could only fill the runner-up spot behind subsequent stakes performers Elusive Double (Ire) and Indesatchel (Ire). But he was stepped up to an extended mile at the Galway festival July 31 and, ridden with supreme confidence by Jamie Spencer, opened his account with his first win. He was given a break subsequently and that patience is expected to pay off, as his pedigree suggests he will be better with time. He faces Godolphin's Perfectperformance, who followed a second in a decent Newmarket conditions event July 30 with a fluent three-length defeat of Grand Marque in the Listed Stonhenge S. at Salisbury Aug. 11. Wilko has been a model of consistency throughout the term and was unlucky not to finish closer than fourth behind Etlaala (GB) in the G2 Champagne S. at Doncaster Sept. 10.

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Saturday, Ascot, Britain, post time: 3:00 p.m. GNER DIADEM S.-G2, f100.000, 3vo/up, 6fT

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SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WΤ
1	12	The Tatling (Ire)	Perugino	Bradley	130
2	7	Capricho (Ire)	Lake Coniston (Ire)	Akehurst	126
3	2	Celtic Mill (GB)	Celtic Swing (GB)	Barker	126
4	10	Country Reel	Danzig	bin Suroor	126
5	6	Pivotal Point (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Makin	126
6	8	Ratio (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Hammond	126
7	5	Steenberg (Ire)	Flying Spur (Aus)	Tompkins	126
8	11	Mac Love (GB)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Akehurst	124
9	4	Airwave (GB)	Air Express (Ire)	Candy	123
10	9	Golden Nun (GB)	Bishop Of Cashel (GB)	T Easterby	123
11	1	Ringmoor Down (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Arbuthnot	123
12	3	Simianna (GB)	Bluegrass Prince (Ire)	A Berry	123

Airwave bids farewell to the track before fulfilling a date at the December Sales in Newmarket. Despite scoring only twice in the past two seasons, she has barely missed a dance on the sprinting circuit and has given the impression on more than one occasion that she should have added to her tally. She looked a world beater when claiming the scalp of Russian Rhythm in the G1 Cheveley Park S. at two and when overcoming a troubled trip to win the G2 Temple S. on her sophomore bow at Sandown last May. She was unfortunate to meet Choisir (Aus) in the G1 Golden Jubilee S. over course and distance at the Royal meeting the following month and held her form admirably when finishing third in the G1 July Cup at Newmarket and G1 Haydock Sprint Cup in September. Her 2004 campaign has been more miss than hit, but she hinted at a return when third behind The Tatling in the G3 World Trophy at Newbury last Saturday. That rival continues to scale the heights, with his customary fast-finishing style carrying him to success in the G2 King's Stand S. at Royal Ascot June 15 and to the runner-up spot for the second year in succession in the G1 Nunthorpe S. at York Aug. 19. Lack of early pace was blamed for his one-length defeat by Pivotal Point in the G3 Prix du Petit Couvert at Longchamp Sept. 5, but he reversed that form last week and is weighted to confirm it here. Stakes Previews cont. p4

NEWEST STAKES WINNER FOR GULCH Mr. Prospector – Jameela, by Rambunctious



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takes the Prairie Meadows Oaks on Sept. 18. She has now finished on the board in 5 of 7 starts and becomes **GULCH's 54th stakes winner**.







Saturday, Cologne, Germany, post time: 5:05 p.m. **GROSSE FUROPA-MEILE-G2** \neq 65,000, 3vo/up, 1mT

GROSSE EUROPA-MEILE-G2 , $\equiv 65,000, 3y_0/u_p, 1m_1$					
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WΤ
1	4	Eagle Rise (Ire)	Danehill	Schutz	127
2	3	Peppercorn (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Ostmann	127
3	5	Putra Pekan (GB)	Grand Lodge	M Jarvis	127
4	2	Ryono	Mountain Cat	Lautner	127
5	1	Assiun (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Schiergen	121
6	6	Lazio (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	A Trybuhl	121
7	7	Moon Over Miami (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Mader	121

Assiun has produced a string of consistent efforts in Germany's top mile events throughout the summer, winning the G3 Dr Busch-Memorial at Krefeld Apr. 18 before running third behind Brunel (Ire) and Lazio in the G2 Mehl-Mulhens-Rennen over course and distance May 16. He was beaten a head by one of his country's leading milers Martillo (Ger) when runner-up in the G2 Berlin-Brandenburg-Trophy at Hoppegarten July 11 before filling third behind Pepperstorm (Ger) in the G2 Oettingen-Rennen at Baden-Baden last time Aug. 31. He may have most to fear from the English challenger Putra Pekan, who beat subsequent G3 Winter Hill S. winner Ancient World in the Listed Royal Windsor S. May 10, but disappointed when down the field in the G3 Prix du Chemin de Fer du Nord June 13 and again in the Listed Robert Sangster Superior Mile Sept. 4.

Saturday, Kentucky Downs, post time: 5:02 p.m. CDT

KEľ	KENTUCKY CUP TURF HGIII, \$200,000, 3yo/up, 12fT					
PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WΤ		
1	Gorylla (Brz)	New Colony	McPeek	114		
2	Gottabeachboy	Mister Baileys (GB)	Hackworth	111		
3	Sharbayan (Ire)	Doyoun (Ire)	Kirby	115		
4	Art Variety (Brz)	Pleasant Variety	McPeek	115		
5	Sabiango (Ger)	Acatenango (Ger)	Yakteen	119		
6	Rochester	Green Dancer	Sheppard	117		
7	Dontbotherknocking	Farma Way	Rhone	112		
8	Quest Star	Broad Brush	Walden	115		

Saturday, Belmont Park, post time: 5:12 p.m. EDT

NO	NOBLE DAMSEL HGIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT						
PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WΤ			
1	Personal Legend	Awesome Again	Frankel	115			
2	Coney Kitty (Ire)	Lycius	Toner	115			
3	Dedication (Fr)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Clement	117			
4	Hour of Justice	Lit de Justice	Keogh	116			
5	Yell	A.P. Indy	McGaughey III	112			
6	Changing World	Spinning World	Tagg	113			
7	High Court (Brz)	Blush Rambler	Matz	114			
8	Finery	Lear Fan	Turner Jr	112			
9	Ocean Drive	Belong to Me	Pletcher	120			

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Saturday, Pimlico, post time: 4:55 p.m. EDT MARTHA WASHINGTON BREEDERS' CUP S.-GIII,

\$150,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT				
PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WΤ
1	Perilous Night	Coronado's Quest	Small	115
2	Academic Queen	Royal Academy	Cartwright	115
3	Plenty	Boundary	Young	115
4	Saree (GB)	Barathea (Ire)	McLaughlin	115
5	From Away	Gulch	Matz	115
6	With Affection	Red Ransom	Gaudet	115
7	Many Many Bows	General Royal	D Capuano	115
8	Western Ransom	Red Ransom	Dickinson	122
9	Humoristic	Sefapiano	Smith	115
10	Art Fan	Lear Fan	Smith	122
11	Pour It On	Cryptoclearance	Smith	115
12	Richetta	Polish Number	Graham	122
AE	Diavla	Bahri	Dowd	115
AE	Bay Tree (Ire)	Daylami (Ire)	Motion	115

Saturday, Hastings Park, post time: 4:19 p.m. PDT BRITISH COLUMBIA BREEDERS' CUP OAKS-GIII,

C\$	125,000, 3yo, f, 1	1/8m		
PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WТ
1	Skyhyla	Skywalker	Jacobson	121
2	Socorro County	Katahaula County	Forster	121
3	Gold Accent	Gold Legend	Forster	121
4	Summer Symphony	Summer Squall	Forster	121
5	Bullseye Bess	On Target	Brown	121
6	Galica	Dixieland Brass	Heads	121
7	See Me Through	Sky Classic	Krasner	121
8	Palace Rose	Mecke	Snow	121
9	Overact	Sir Cat	Forster	121

Sunday, Cologne, Germany

IV	IVG-PREIS VON EUROPA-G1 , €155,000, 3/up, 1 1/2mT						
SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WΤ		
1	9	Dano-Mast (GB)	Unfuwain	Hellier	132		
2	4	Longridge (Ger)	Surumu (Ger)	Carvalho	132		
3	5	Soterio (Ger)	Lavirco (Ger)	Ferguson	132		
4	7	Well Made (Ger)	Mondrian (Ger)	Mongil	132		
5	1	Albanova (GB)	Alzao	Sanders	128		
6	6	Deva (Ger)	Platini (Ger)	Kerekes	128		
7	3	Darsalam (Ire)	Desert King (Ire)	Boschert	122		
8	2	Egerton (Ger)	Groom Dancer	Helfenbein	122		
9	8	Salden tigerin (Ger)	Tiger Hill (Ire)	Starke	118		

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Sunday, Belmont Park

JAMAICA	HGII.	\$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT	
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PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WΤ	
1	Kennel Up	Joyeux Danseur	Santos	114	
2	Artie Schiller	El Prado (Ire)	Migliore	123	
3	Rousing Victory	Victory Gallop	Velasquez	113	
4	lcy Atlantic	Stormy Atlantic	Velazquez	120	
5	Reggie for Three	Belong to Me	Prado	111	
6	Dealer Choice (Fr)	Green Tune	Castellano	117	

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EL PRADO JOINS RANKS OF SIX-FIGURE STAL-

LIONS Adena Springs' El Prado (Ire) (Sadler's Wells--Lady Capulet, by Sir Ivor), who has been first or second on the leading sires' list the last three years' running,



will command a fee of \$100,000 in 2005, it has been announced. The 15-year-old stood for \$75,000 at Adena Springs Kentucky in Versailles in 2004. "He is one of the great success stories," said Adena's Jack Brothers. "I don't know a stallion that has been more consistent. He is the weekend sire -- a Saturday-

El Prado (Ire)

Sunday horse. I don't know of any stallion that has been able to do what he has done. He has had a great run." Brothers added that breeders have not blinked at the increase in El Prado's stud fee. "Judging by the response we've gotten so far, no one is begrudging him the bump," he said. "It's hard to argue with his success. He has a Grade I winner on the dirt [Medaglia d'Oro] and a Grade I winner on the turf [Kitten's Joy] this year, and he has a couple of rising stars. Everyone recognizes what he has accomplished. Day in and day out, he is the real deal." El Prado is currently second on the sires' list, some \$2.6 million behind Elusive Quality, who enjoyed a \$5 million boost from the bonus earned by Smarty Jones for completing the sweep of the Rebel S., GII Arkansas Derby and GI Kentucky Derby. El Prado has had 15 stakes winners and seven graded winners this season. He leads all sires in number of stakes wins with 25. Adena Springs has also raised the stud fee for Alphabet Soup (Cozzene) from \$10,000 to \$20,000.

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CATALOGUE UPDATES FOR KEENELAND SEPTEMBER

HOT HIPS

- Saturday, September 25: 4192 WHITEWATER WAY (f. Skip Away). 5 wins 2 and 3, \$119,469. 3rd in the \$75,000 **Rose DeBartolo Memorial** on 7/17 at Tdn. <u>chart</u> Won 9/13 Tdn alw by 5 lengths. <u>chart</u> 4248 NOT SHOWN: SOUTH BAY COVE (f. Fusaichi Pegasus -Fantasy Lake). 3 wins in 4 starts at 2, \$256,897. Won the \$160,000 Shady Well S. chart by 12 lengths 7/24 at WO.
- Won the \$170,000 Ontario Debutante S. on 8/22 at WO. chart 4278 Under the second dam: TOPANGO (f. by Distant View). 5 wins in 8 starts at 2 and 3, \$169,000. 3rd in the \$100,000 Lone Star Oaks 7/4 chart. Won the \$50,000 Senorita S.
 - 7/24 at LaD <u>chart</u>. 3rd in the \$50,000 Lyrique H. on 9/4 at
- LaD. <u>chart</u> NOT SHOWN: French Dressing (c. French Deputy--With Hollandaise). Winner in 1 start at 3, \$27,600. Broke his 4295 maiden in his debut at Sar 9/6 going 8.5f on the turf. chart
- PAY THE PREACHER (c. Groomstick). Now 9 wins, 3 to 6, \$325,729. Won 7/20 at Del by 6 lengths. <u>chart</u> 3rd at Pim 4300 9/18 in the \$148,500 John D. Schapiro Memorial Breeders' Cup H. chart

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Friday, Ascot, Britain

PRINCESS ROYAL JOHN DOYLE S.-G3, £50,000, Ascot, 9-24, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2mT, 2:30.24, gd/fm.
1--#@MAZUNA (IRE), 118, f, 3, by Cape Cross (Ire) 1st Dam: Keswa (Ire) (SP-Ity), by King's Lake 2nd Dam: Reves Celestes, by Lyphard 3rd Dam: Tobira Celeste, by Ribot (GB) (17,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT). O-Saeed Manana; B-B Freiha; T-Clive Brittain; J-Ryan Moore; £29,000. Lifetime Record: 11-2-3-1, £60,836. *10th stakes winner for sophomore sire (by Green Desert).

- 2--**My Renee**, 126, f, 4, Kris S.--Mayenne, by Nureyev. (Ir£280,000 yrl '01 GOFORB). O-Miss Pat O'Kelly; B-Kilcarn Stud; £11,000.
- 3--Hidden Hope (GB), 118, f, 3, Daylami (Ire)--Nuryana (GB), by Nureyev. O-Mrs Stephen Lussier;
 B-Hascombe & Valiant Studs; £5,500.

Margins: SHD, 1HF, 1HF. Odds: 14-1, 5-2, 9-2.

Also Ran: Summitville (GB), Astrocharm (Ire), Polar Jem (GB), Beneventa (GB), Castagna. Scratched: Bowstring (Ire), Poise (Ire).

Mazuna had placed in three handicaps at Newbury and this track in midsummer before being stepped up in trip to tackle the G2 Park Hill S. at Doncaster last time Sept. 8. Belying her odds of 100-1 on that occasion, she proved the only threat to the winner Echoes in Eternity (Ire) when producing a late rattle to get to within a length of that rival at the line. Settled in the rear by Ryan Moore throughout the early stages of this contest, she made steady progress wide on the turn tracking last year's winner My Renee. Hooking up with that rival with 100 yards remaining, she showed gritty determination to win the bobber in a thrilling finale. "The way to ride her is from the back and leave it late," Moore explained. "She can take a bit of a grip and you have to settle her and build up her confidence. She's pretty game and just did enough." Trainer Clive Brittain added, "She was put in the July Sales, but I thought it was too early and we hadn't seen anywhere near the filly I had seen on the gallops at home. It's taken a long time for her to get the confidence, but Ryan's been a big help, suggesting we could go a lot further with her.

I'd like to run her in the G1 Gran Premio del Jockey Club [at the San Siro Oct. 17]." Click for the racingpost.co.uk chart.

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UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
	GII Super Derby	Louisiana
Sept. 25	GIII Noble Damsel H.	Belmont
	GIII Martha Washington S.	Pimlico
	GIII British Columbia Oaks	Hastings
Sept. 26		Belmont
	GIII British Columbia Derby	Hastings
Sept. 29		Santa Anita
Oct. 2	GI Jockey Club Gold Cup	Belmont
	GI Flower Bowl	Belmont
	GI Turf Classic	Belmont
	GI Vosburgh H.	Belmont
	GI Yellow Ribbon	Santa Anita
	GII Goodwood BC H.	Santa Anita
	GII Oak Leaf S.	Santa Anita
	GII Sky Classic H.	Woodbine
	GII Cotillion S.	Philadelphia
	GIII Turfway Park Fall Chmp	
Oct. 3	GI CL Hirsch Turf	Santa Anita
	GII Lady's Secret BC H.	Santa Anita
	GII Norfolk S.	Santa Anita
	GII Mazarine BC S.	Woodbine
Oct. 8	GII Darley Alcibiades S.	Keeneland
	GIII Phoenix BC	Keeneland
Oct. 9	GI Beldame S.	Belmont
	GI Champagne S.	Belmont
	GI Frizette S.	Belmont
	GI Shadwell Mile	Keeneland
	GI Lane's End Breeders' Futurity	Keeneland
	GII Oak Tree BC Mile	Santa Anita
	GII Kelso BC H.	Belmont
	GIII Sycamore BC S.	Keeneland
Oct. 10	GI Overbrook Spinster	Keeneland
	GI Ancient Title BC H.	Santa Anita
	GII WinStar Galaxy	Keeneland
	GII Gallant Bloom H.	Belmont
Oct. 11	GII Grey BC S.	Woodbine
	GIII Pebbles H.	Belmont
Oct. 15	GII Raven Run S.	Keeneland
	GIII Cliff Hanger H.	Meadowlands
Oct. 16	GI QEII Challenge Cup	Keeneland
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HORSE CHESTNUT COLT TOPS DAY 11 AT KEENELAND A yearling from the third crop by South African Horse of the Year Horse Chestnut (SAf) brought



Horse Chestnut www.claibornefarm.com a final bid of \$170,000 to top the 11th session of the 2004 Keeneland September Sale in Lexington yesterday. The bay, a Jan. 31 foal, was consigned by Blanford Stud (Padraig Campion), agent, and purchased by trainer Bob Baffert, agent. His dam, the unraced nine-year-old Dr. Redoubtable (Storm Cat), was sold to Phillip Mote for

\$57,000 while carrying yesterday's topper at Keeneland November in 2002. Earning an immediate return on Mote's investment, the colt brought \$85,000 as a weanling at last year's November sale. His second dam is multiple stakes winner Irish Actress (Seattle Song). The top-selling filly yesterday was a daughter of Arch out of multiple stakes winner Tanja (Allen's Prospect). From the family of graded winner and track-record holder Midway Road and stakes winner and Grade I-placed Tuzia, the bay was purchased for \$140,000 from the consignment of Eaton Sales, agent. Her dam, who has produced two winners from three foals to race, was sold for \$45,000 at the 2002 Keeneland November sale. The 14-day Keeneland September sale continues today, with bidding once again beginning at 10 a.m. The sale ends Monday.

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KEENELAND SEPTEMBER YEARLINGS FRIDAY'S TOP FOUR LOTS

FRIDAY'S TOP FOUR LOTS					
Hip	Sex	Sire		Dam	<u> Price (\$)</u>
3673	С	Horse Che	stnut (SAf)	Dr. Redoubtable	170,000
		(\$57,000) in utero	'02 KEENOV	;
		\$85,00	0 wnlg '(O3 KEENOV)	
		B-J	' Phillip M	lote (Ky)	
Consi	gned	by Blandf	ord Stud	(Padraig Cam	pion), agent
		Purchase	d by Bob	Baffert, agen	t
<u>3898</u>	f	<u>Arch</u>		Tanja	140,000
		(\$45,000) in utero	'02 KEENOV)
		B-	Antrim O	aks (FI)	
		Consigne	d by Eato	on Sales, agen	t
		Purcha	sed by Br	uce Headley	
<u>3828</u>	f	<u>Vicar</u>		Reboot	125,000
			-	03 KEENOV)	
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	F		,	Bottom Racin	0
<u>3745</u>	С	Real Qui		Leah's Promise	100,000
				ms LLC (Ky)	
Consigned by Moreau Bloodstock International, agent					
Purchased by Bob Baffert, agent					
KEENELAND SEPTEMBER STATISTICS					
FRIDAY, SEPT. 24, 2004					
KEENELAND,					
SESSI	ON T	OTALS	<u>2004</u>	<u>20</u>	003
No. Of		_	336	26	56
No. So	ld		273	21	16
RNAs			63	50)
% RN/	A		18.8%	18	8.8%

% RNA	18.8%	18.8%		
Gross	\$5,783,200	\$2,912,600		
Average (% change)	\$21,184 (+57%)	\$13,484		
Median (% change)	\$13,000 (+53%)	\$8,500		
CUMULATIVE	<u>2004</u>	<u>2003</u>		
No. Offered	3,667	3,571		
No. Sold	2,819	2,796		
RNAs	848	775		
% RNA	23%	21.7%		
Gross	\$318,245,700	\$272,776,200		
Average (% change)	\$112,893 (+15.7%)	\$97,559		
Median (% change)	\$50,000 (+35%)	\$37,000		
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SATURDAY. **SEPTEMBER 25, 2004**



CHAPEL ROYAL RETIRED Chapel Royal

(Montbrook--Cut Class Leanne, by Cutlass), one of the top two-year-olds of 2003, has been retired due to a



minor injury, according to Daily Racing Form. The dark bay will begin his breeding career at Ashford Stud. Purchased by Demi O'Byrne for \$1.2 million at the OBS Calder Sale, the Florida-bred rattled off three straight victories to begin his career for the partnership of Derrick Smith and Michael Tabor, including the GII Sanford S. and the GIII Flash S. He followed those up with a pair of runner-

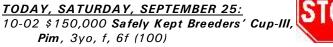
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Chapel Royal Adam Coglianese

up efforts in the GI Hopeful S. and the GI Champagne S. before closing out his two-year-old season with a third in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile. But Chapel Royal made only two starts during his sophmore year, finishing fourth in the GIII Swale S. at Gulfstream Park, then returning from a layoff only to sustain an injury in the Fly So Free S. at Belmont Sept. 12. "It's a minor injury, but one that would not allow him to make any significant races this fall," trainer Todd Pletcher told DRF. "He had a spectacular two-year-old year; he was second to Birdstone in the Champagne and third in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile. He's a beautiful horse that had a lot of talent. He's going to make a good stallion." Chapel Royal retires with a record of 8-3-2-1 and earnings of \$495,571.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25:



Pim, 3yo, f, 6f (100) 10-08 \$500,000 Meadowlands Breeders' Cup-II, Med, 3yo/up, 9f (300)

10-09 \$750,000 Beldame-I, Bel, 3vo/up, f/m, 9f (750) 10-09 \$500,000 Champagne-I, Bel, 2yo, 8.5f (500) 10-10 \$150,000 Gallant Bloom H.-II, Bel, 3yo/up, f/m, 6.5f (150)

TOMORROW, SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26:

10-02 \$500,000 Goodwood Breeders' Cup H.-II, SA, 3yo/up, 9f (10000s) www.stakesdigestweekly.com

COURT APPROVES CHURCHILL'S DEAL WITH FAIR GROUNDS The U.S. Bankruptcy Court, Eastern District of Louisiana, yesterday approved the \$47 million deal which gives Churchill Downs Incorporated controlling interest in Fair Grounds Race Course. CDI, the Fair Grounds Corporation and the Louisiana Horseman's Benevolent and Protective Association need to sign off on the acquisition, but the transaction is expected to be finalized by Oct. 15. "The bankruptcy court's ruling brought us one step closer to achieving what we believe is an excellent strategic fit between Fair Grounds and CDI and an ideal entree for our Company into a city and state with such a rich racing heritage," said CDI President and CEO Thomas Meeker. "Going forward, we will now turn our focus on closing the transaction, immersing ourselves in the New Orleans community and supporting the Fair Grounds staff in delivering an outstanding 2004-2005 meet." Upon closure of the deal, Fair Grounds will become the seventh racetrack owned and operated by CDI.

NEW YORK ★

Yesterday's Results:

7th-BEL, \$48,000, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, 1mT, 1:35 1/5, fm.

ARCTURUS (c, 2, Silver Deputy--Cuando {MSW & MGSP, \$329,967}, by Lord At War {Arg}), out of the good grass mare Cuando, captured his turf debut at Saratoga Aug. 11, then ran third to stablemate Dubleo -winner of the GII Summer S. last weekend--in the Continental Mile S. at Monmouth Sept. 5. Part of the evenmoney favored entry here, the chestnut ranged up turning for home, bounded to the lead and came home a length clear of Belarion (Belong to Me). The winner was a \$325,000 FTSAUG yearling. Lifetime Record: SP, 4-2-0-1, \$64,600.

O-Peachtree Stable. B-Mueller Farms Inc (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

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8th-BEL, \$47,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:22 4/5, ft.

DANCE TUNE (f, 3, French Deputy--Dance for Free, by Fly So Free), a \$60,000 KEENOV weanling and a \$150,000 FTSAUG yearling, broke her maiden second time out over track and trip June 19. The chestnut made three starts at Saratoga, finishing second both July 29 and Aug. 8, before settling for fifth Aug. 27 when taken up in the stretch. The 3-1 third choice in her return downstate, she kept tabs on the leaders early, moved four wide approaching the stretch and drew clear late for a 2 1/2-length triumph over Star Celebrity (Louis Quatorze). Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-1, \$87,310.

O-Overbrook Farm. B-Tom Evans, Macon Wilmil Equines & Marjac Farms (KY). T-D Wayne Lukas.

2nd-BEL, \$45,000, Alw, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 7 1/2f, 1:27 2/5, ft.

COMMENTATOR (g, 3, Distorted Humor--Outsource, by Storm Bird) had aired in each of his two previous career outings against state-breds at Saratoga, breaking his maiden by 10 1/2 lengths Aug. 9 and adding a sevenlength allowance tally Aug. 29. Bet down to 3-5 in his final New York-bred condition, the chestnut went straight to the front, drew away at will and coasted home a 9 3/4-length winner. Commentator was a \$45,000 KEENOV weanling and a \$135,000 FTKJUL yearling. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$77,400. O-Tracy Farmer. B-Michael Martinez (NY). T-Nicholas P Zito.

4th-BEL, \$42,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:37 2/5, fm.

+ SQUARE DANCING (f, 2, Western Expression--Dancing Approval, by With Approval) went postward as the 5-2 second choice despite breaking from the far outside in post 11. Allowed to settle into stride near the back of the pack, the grey filly made a four-wide move turning for home and finished up well to best T V Fan (A. P Jet) by a length. The Flying Zee homebred marks second winner for her freshman sire (by Gone West). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,200. O/B-Flying Zee Stable (NY). T-Patrick L Biancone.

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Yesterday's Results:

9th-CRC, \$29,000, Alw, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:39 2/5, ft.

ALIX M (f, 4, End Sweep--Dice Passer {MSW,

\$207,865}, by Affirmed) kicked off her career belatedly with a win July 10 before missing by a neck Aug. 8. The chestnut rebounded victoriously Aug. 29 in an optional claimer and was the 9-5 chalk in her first attempt at two turns. After a slow start, the Florida-bred took charge on the far turn and went on to score by 5 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$58,370. O/B-7 Oaks Farm (FL). T-Ronald B Spatz.

4th-MTH, \$37,000, Msw, 2yo, a1m70yd, 1:42 4/5, ft. PALACIOS APPEAL (c, 2, Successful Appeal--Wild Devil, by Wild Again) hadn't been out since finishing second against \$50,000 maidens at Saratoga Aug. 6. Stretching out for his return to action, the 6-1 shot took command at the outset and never looked back, posting a 4 1/4-length success over even-money Alexandersrun (Sweetsouthernsaint). The Texas-bred is the 11th winner for his leading freshman sire (by Valid Appeal), Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, \$37,000, O/B-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable (TX). T-Steven M Asmussen.

★ INDUSTRY INFO★

TVG to Air Arc Live:

TVG will once again present live coverage of the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe and several other prestigious races from Longchamp Sunday, Oct. 3. The special program will air from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., EDT. Hall of Fame jockey Gary Stevens, recently returned from a French riding excursion, will join the regular TVG hosts for the coverage. "The Arc is one of the great events in international horse racing, and we are excited that for the sixth year in a row we will be bringing it live to our viewers," said Tony Allevato, vice president and executive producer of TVG. "We are especially thrilled Gary Stevens will be on hand to offer his unique commentary." In addition to the Arc, the G1 Prix Marcel Boussac and the G1 Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere (Grand Criterium), both for two-year-olds, will be shown live.



The Well Hasn't Run Dry.

The class is still flowing. Selling Sunday: Hip #4470, a Running Stag colt, whose 2-year-old half sister HELLO LUCKY is now Grade 1 stakes-placed in the Del Mar Debutante S. (G1) since the catalogue. Look for him and our other horses selling Sunday.

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First-crop progeny to watch: Saturday, Sept. 25 Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2001 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available) BERNSTEIN (Storm Cat), Buck Pond, \$8K, 36/8/1 12-LAD, Stk, 1mT, Zone Stopper, \$28K TEX MAR 2yo, 10-1 BRUSHED ON (Broad Brush), Clermont, \$2K, 20/0/0 10-MTH, Msw, 6f, +Battle Babe CHESTER HOUSE (Mr. Prospector), Dead, 61/6/0 5-BEL, Msw, 6f, Port Chester, \$145K KEE NOV wnl GOLDEN MISSILE (A.P. Indy), Adena, \$25K, 68/4/1 5-BEL, Msw, 6f, +Going Wild, \$600K FTF FEB 2yo **IMPEACHMENT** (Deputy Minister), Meadowbrook, \$5K, 15/1/0 1-HST, Msw, 6 1/2f, Aim for the Wire, \$60K OBS JUN 2yo, 6-5 LEMON DROP KID (Kingmambo), Lane's End, \$50K, 57/2/0 9-CRC, Msw, 7f, Lemon Sky LION HEARTED (Storm Cat), Northview, \$5K, 48/4/1 5-MTH, Msw, 6f, +Karbobway, \$26K EAS SEP yrl 5-BEL, Msw, 6f, +Maddy's Lion MAGIC CAT (Storm Cat), Valor, \$3K, 44/9/0 12-LAD, Stk, 1mT, Major League, 10-1 MIGHTY (Lord At War {Arg}), Walmac, \$5K, 30/0/0 5-MTH, Msw, 6f, Border War **ROYAL ANTHEM** (Theatrical {Ire}), Hopewell, \$10K, 79/2/0 16-KD, Msw, 1mT, Royal Snooze, 10-1 RUNNING STAG (Cozzene), Adena, \$8K, 82/7/0 16-KD, Msw, 1mT, Sidcup, \$32K ADS SPR 2yo, 10-1 STORM AND A HALF (Storm Cat), McDowell, \$1000, 46/4/0 11-LAD, Msw, 6f, Humble Kelly, 6-1 12-LAD, Stk, 1mT, Z Storm, \$3K LOU OCT yrl, 6-1 SWEETSOUTHERNSAINT (Saint Ballado), Ocala, \$3K, 52/7/0 5-BEL, Msw, 6f, Better Than Bonds, \$67K OBS APR 2yo **TIGER RIDGE** (Storm Cat), Walmac, \$5K, 61/4/0 5-MTH, Msw, 6f, Anthony J., \$35K OBS APR 2yo UNBRIDLED JET (Unbridled), Country Life, \$8K, 67/0/0 6-DEL, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Sea Jet, 15-1 **UNTUTTABLE** (Unbridled), Stonehedge, \$3K, 24/2/0 11-CRC, Msw, 5 1/2f, Wisecrack VICAR (Wild Again), Darby Dan, \$10K, 62/5/0 10-MTH, Msw, 6f, +Ordain, \$21K EAS SEP yrl WORLDLY MANNER (Riverman), Creston, \$5K, 30/0/0 9-CRC, Msw, 7f, Talia's Choice 9-CRC, Msw, 7f, +Mulligan, \$15K OBS APR 2yo YANKEE VICTOR (Saint Ballado), Airdire, \$15K, 80/7/0 5-MTH, Msw, 6f, +Call the Marines, \$97K KEE SEP yrl YES IT'S TRUE (Is It True), Padua, \$10K, 70/8/2 6-DEL, Msw, 5 1/2f, Fab Four, 10-1 11-CRC, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Qureall 5-BEL, Msw, 6f, +Suny's Boy, \$90K OBS MAR 2yo



SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

First-time starters/stakes runners: Saturday, Sept. 25

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2000 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

ACCELERATOR (A.P. Indy), 121/36/0 12-LAD, Stk, 1mT, Swift Satan, \$12K EVA MAR 2yo, 15-1 ARCHERS BAY (Silver Deputy), Dead, 102/26/1 8-WO, Stk, 1 1/2mT, Sheer Enchantment, \$6K ONT SEP yrl BAQUERO (Forty Niner), Timber Crk, \$2K, 75/22/2 4-NP, Stk, 1m, Classa Red Wine, \$8K ALB AUG yrl, 8-1 BIANCONI (Danzig), Ashford, \$5K, 128/34/2 6-PRM, Stk, 1 1/16m, Hawkish, \$4K ARK DEC wnl, 5-1 DAYLAMI (IRE) (Doyoun {Ire}), Gilltown, \$20K, 152/30/4 9-PIM, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Bay Tree (Ire), 10-1 ETBAUER (Silver Deputy), Henson, \$5K, 27/10/0 6-LAD, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Time for Etbauer, 15-1 EXPLOIT (Storm Cat), Taylor Made, \$25K, 159/43/4 8-LAD, Stk, 8.5fT, Exploited Storm, \$190K BAR MAR 2yo, 7-2 FAMILY CALLING (Mr. Prospector), Hidden Point, \$5K, 137/39/0 6-PRM, Stk, 1 1/16m, Gamblin, \$45K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2 FASLIYEV (Nureyev), Coolmore, \$20K, 217/64/10 8-WO, Stk, 1 1/2mT, Faswiga GENERAL ROYAL (A.P. Indy), Crestwood, \$5K, 84/16/0 9-PIM, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Many Many Bows, 20-1 MENIFEE (Harlan), Stone, \$15K, 84/29/3 8-WO, Stk, 1 1/2mT, Can Ihavethisdance, \$57K KEE SEP yrl 6-PRM, Stk, 1 1/16m, Knox, 5-2 9-MTH, Stk, 1m, A Lulu Ofa Menifee, \$170K KEE SEP yrl NEW WAY (Danzig), Diamond G, \$4K, 38/7/0 3-RP, Stk, 6f, Eternal Joy PARADE GROUND (Kingmambo), 93/21/2 12-LAD, Stk, 1mT, My Parade, \$10K TEX MAR 2yo, 3-1 SEA OF SECRETS (Storm Cat), Walmac, \$5K, 80/26/1 6-RP, Stk, 1m, Secret Package STEPHANOTIS (Regal Classic), 52/12/2 1-HST, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Steffiena, 9-2 WESTERN TRADER (Herat), Millennium, \$2K, 11/1/0 12-LAD, Stk, 1mT, Trader West, \$2K LOU MAR 2yo, 30-1 WILD COLONY (Pleasant Colony), Champion, \$2K, 17/2/0 6-RP, Stk, 1m, My Mariah WILD WONDER (Wild Again), Dunhill, \$5K, 97/24/0 6-WO, Stk, 7f, Dr. Socrates, \$25K OBS APR 2yo 6-WO, Stk, 7f, Wild to Go, \$40K OBS AUG yrl

\star AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS \star

IN IRELAND:

Senor Benny, h, 5, Benny the Dip--Senora Tippy (SW-Fr, GSP-US, \$188,833), by El Gran Senor. Listowel, 9-24, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-Landon Knight. *1/2 to Tippity Witch (Affirmed), GSW, \$326,182.

Keeneland September <u>Hip 4310</u> welcomes a New Stakes Winner to his family!

His 3yo half-brother **JUST IN CASE JIMMY** won the \$134,125 Elgin S. at Woodbine September 5.





American-Bred Winners cont. IN BRITAIN: David Junior, c, 2, <u>Pleasant Tap</u>. See "Britain"

Straw Bear, c, 3, <u>Diesis (GB)</u>--Highland Ceilidh (Ire), by Scottish Reel (Ire). Haydock, 9-24, Hcp, 3yo/up, 10f 120ydsT. B-Cyril Humphris.

Desination Dubai, c, 3, Kingmambo. See "Britain"

Skylarker, g, 6, Sky Classic--O My Darling, by Mr. Prospector. Ascot, 9-24, Hcp (amateurs), 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-Peter Pritchard.



\star ARC DE TRIOMPHE \star

SULAMANI FACES VITAL WORKOUT

Godolphin will give **Sulamani (Ire)** (Hernando $\{Fr\}$) a crucial gallop today to determine if he will have a place in the line-up for Sunday's G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe at Longchamp. Trainer Saeed bin Suroor, who confirmed the G3 September S. winner **Mamool (Ire)** (In the Wings $\{GB\}$) as a certain runner in the feature event, explained yesterday that the team were unsure whether the G1 International S. scorer would join his stable companion. "We need to see him work before we decide," he said.

MURTAGH BOOKED FOR OUIJA BOARD

Johnny Murtagh has been booked to ride Lord Derby's dual Oaks heroine **Ouija Board (GB)** (Cape Cross {Ire}) in Sunday's G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe at Longchamp, it was announced yesterday. Trainer Ed Dunlop announced the call-up on the understanding that Kieren Fallon will ride the Weinstock Family's North Light (Ire). However, Dunlop stressed that, "in the unlikely event of Kieren becoming available again, it would be his ride."

$\star BRITAIN \star$

Yesterday's Results:

Ascot, **2.00**, **Hcp**, £26,150, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:07.70, gd/fm.

DESTINATION DUBAI (c, 3, <u>Kingmambo</u>--Mysterial, by **Alleged)**, a full brother to Dubai Destination, G1SW-Eng, \$367,713, was last of 13 in a Doncaster handicap on his most recent start Sept. 8. Pressing the leader in second from the outset, he came under pressure once into the stretch run, was sent to the front approaching the final furlong and was driven out in the closing stages to hold the late thrust of Courageous Duke (Spinning World) by a half length at odds of 9-1. The winner was a \$1.5 million KEEJUL yearling purchase. Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-1, £26,208.

O-Godolphin; B-Calumet Farm; T-Saeed bin Suroor.

Ascot, 4.15, Mdn, £11,500, 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:29.69, gd/fm.

DAVID JUNIOR (c, 2, <u>Pleasant Tap</u>--Paradise River, by Irish River {Fr}) went postward as the even-money favorite off a promising third on debut at Thirsk Sept. 14 and led from the outset of this one. Ridden along when hard pressed by Macabre (GB) (Machiavellian) inside the final quarter, he responded gamely to every call of Richard Hills to gamely deny that rival by threeparts of a length. The winner, a \$175,000 FTFFEB twoyear-old purchase, was produced from a full sister to 1994 U.S. champion turf horse Paradise Creek. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £8,143.

O-Roldvale Ltd; B-Arthur I Appleton; T-Brian Meehan.

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Date	Race	Course	
Oct. 2	Sun Chariot S.	Newmarket	
Oct. 3	Prix de l'Opera	Longchamp	
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British Report cont.

Haydock, 3.25, Mdn, £5,660, 3yo/up, 1m 30ydsT, 1:47.43, hy.

MUSICANNA (GB) (f, 3, Cape Cross {Ire}--Upend {Ire} {GSW-Eng}, by Main Reef {GB}), a 60,000gns

TATOCT yearling, was runner-up over this trip at Newmarket June 5. Reserved off the pace until gaining foward momentum after halfway, she was ridden along at the quarter-mile marker. The 5-2 pick was angled out for her challenge at the eighth pole and ran on well in the latter stages to assert a 1 3/4-length superiority. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £5,415.

O-Abdulla Buhaleeba; B-P D & Mrs Player; T-J Fanshawe.

Haydock, 4.35, Mdn, £5,420, 2yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:17.41, hy. DRAMATICUS (GB) (c, 2, Indian Ridge {Ire}--Corinium {Ire} {MSW-Eng}, by Turtle Island {Ire}) finished third on his debut at Warwick May 4 and returned here as the 7-2 joint favorite after a 143-day absence. Settled off the pace in midfield from the start, he made smooth headway to seize the initiative with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and was ridden out in the closing stages to safely account for Rio Riva (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) by 1 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £4,296. O/B-Derek & Jean Clee; T-David Loder.

FAIR MIX TO SHADE OAK STUD

Fair Mix (Ire) (Linamix {Fr}--Fairlee Wild, by Wild Again), who upset Falbrav (Ire) in the 2003 G1 Prix Ganay, will retire to Shade Oak Stud at the end of his racing career. In a transaction brokered by Fiona Marner's Kingswood Bloodstock, the six-year-old will become part of a roster that includes both flat and jumps stallions and will be used as a dual-purpose sire. Bred by the Lagardere family, the grey graduated from handicap company to win the G3 La Coupe de Maisons-Laffitte in 2002. While the Prix Ganay was his lone success from six starts last term, he is a dual winner this season, registering victories in the G3 Dubai City of Gold S. in March and the G3 La Coupe de Maisons-Laffitte in his latest effort Sept. 21.

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Yesterday's Result:

Listowel, 3.30, Mdn, €17,834, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 2:03.00, sf/hy.

LOYAL FOCUS (IRE) (c, 2, Definite Article {GB}--Temporary Lull, by Super Concorde), fourth in his only previous start at The Curragh May 3, was reserved off the pace in fifth until coming under pressure to close from the 3/8-pole. Ridden to challenge at the furlong marker, the 3-1 second choice was driven to the front with 150 yards to go and kept on well thereafter to best Purple Spirit (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) by 1 1/2 lengths. He is a half to Wait Till Monday (Ire) (Maelstrom Lake {Ire}), GSW-US, GSP-Ire, \$282,062; and Token Gesture (Ire) (Alzao), GSW-Ire. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, €13,584. O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld.

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SGA SALE HOLDS UP

The Societa Gestione Aste SRL two-day Select Yearling Sale kicked off with the record-setting excitement of Thursday's opening session, when Pegasus Farms' Herve Bargot paid €280,000 for a Woodman filly, and it ended with a far-from-weak finale yesterday. Sergio Scarpellini upheld the domestic end of Thursday's bidding war when buying three of the top four lots, but it was Scuderia Briantea who went home with the toppriced yearling of the second session. The owners of G1 Lockinge S. runner-up Salselon (GB) went to €75,000 to secure hip <u>122</u>, S.A.R.L SRL's Dr Fong filly out of the stakes winner Lucia Tarditi (Fr). Scarpellini was back in action on the second day, buying hip 136, a Sinndar (Ire) filly from the draft of Azienda Agricola Rosati Colarieti, one of 18 horses to be knocked down to the owner of Allevamento la Nuova Sbarra SRL during the two days. While the gross was markedly up on 2003, the overall average dipped slightly by 4.5 percent. The average of €19,322 was up over five percent on the 2003 figure. Full results can be found on www.anacpurosangue.com.

SGA SELECT YEARLING SALE OVERALL TOP FOUR LOTS

OVERALE FOR FOCKEOIS				
<u>Hip</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Sire</u>	<u>Dam</u>	<u>Price (€)</u>
<u>70</u>	_f	<u>Woodman</u>	Elbaaha (GB)	280,000
		Consigned by	y S.A.R.L. SRL	
		Purchased by	Pegasus Farms	
<u>42</u>	С	Peintre Celebre	Shibuni (GB)	150,000
Cor	nsigne	d by Azienda Agr	ricola Sant'Agosti	no e Vulci
	Pur	chased by Alleva	mento la Nuova S	barra
<u>24</u>	С	Desert Prince (Ire)	Michelle Hicks (GB)	140,000
		Consigned by	y S.A.R.L. SRL	
	Pur	chased by Alleva	mento la Nuova S	barra
<u>76</u>	С	Anabaa	Fracci (GB)	120,000
 Consigned by Azienda Agricola Oriano SRL				
	Pur	chased by Alleva	mento la Nuova S	barra
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CUMULATIVE	<u>2004</u>	<u>2003</u>	
No. Sold	178	136	
Gross	€5,324,000	€4,258,000	
Average (% change)	€29,910 (-4.5%)	€31,308	
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STAKES RESULTS:

GATEWAY TO GLORY S., \$58,200, FPX, 9-23, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:47 1/5, ft.

- 1--#THIS WIZARD ROCKS, 117, c, 2, Rubiano--Heart's Magic, by Mt. Livermore. O-Autumn Ridge, Branson & Dunham; B-Autumn Ridge & Ben Branson (CA); T-Daniel Dunham; J-M A Pedroza; \$33,000. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, \$82,780.
- 2--Cowboy Badgett, 118, g, 2, Bold Badgett--Gung Ho Ho, by Cartesian. \$10,800.
- 3--Arch Stanton, 119, c, 2, Malek (Chi)--Miss Minnelli, by Groovy. \$7,200.

Margins: 9HF, 13HF, HF. Odds: 2.10, 52.30, 2.50.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

2nd-WOX, \$65,800, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 4/5, ft.

ALLEGED RULER (c, 3, <u>A.P. Indy</u>--La Nana {Fr} {MGSP-Fr}, by Homme de Loi) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-0, \$95,188. O/B-Chiefswood Stable (ON). T-E Coatrieux.

7th-MTH, \$47,500, NW1X, (S), 3/up, 6f, 1:11 2/5, ft. **MR. MEGAN (g, 4, Northern Idol--Luckey Lipco, by Luckey Jin Beau)** Lifetime Record: 18-2-4-1, \$99,510. O/B-John Petrini (NJ). T-Frank Costa.

8th-MTH, \$45,000, Opt. Clm. (\$65,000), NW4X, 3yo/up, 5fT, :56 3/5, fm.

SCATTERING BREEZES (h, 5, Concorde's Tune--Buck N Cavalry, by Cavalry) Lifetime Record: SP, 19-7-3-4, \$151,500. O/B-Laurence Foggle (FL). T-Timothy A Hills. *Full to Curious Treasures, MSW & GSP, \$206,247.

4th-HAW, **\$28,000**, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43, fm.

DELAFIELD (g, 4, Silver Hawk--Olden Rijn {MSW-US, SW & GSP-Fr, \$213,974}, by Cozzene) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$40,000. O/B-Richard L Duchossois (IL). T-Chris M Block.

5th-HAW, **\$28,000**, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 4/5, ft.

NKOSI REIGNS (g, 3, <u>Out of Place</u>--Ms. Jiles, by Tejano) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$43,380. O-William Lydon, Arbaway Farms S Goldsher & Carson Springs Farm. B-Carson Springs Farm (FL). T-Christine K Janks.

9th-TPX, \$26,800, 9-23, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft.

MAE HAP (f, 4, Phone Trick--Hadee Mae {MSW, \$178,074}, by Goldlust) Lifetime Record: 12-3-2-2, \$83,985. O-Robert Alvin Reeves. B-Bacardi Bloodstock (KY). T-Mark E Thomas. *\$15,000 yrl '01 KEEJAN. 6th-LAD, \$26,240, 9-23, C, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft. FIRSTSTATEDEPOSIT (h, 6, Deposit Ticket--Ahsoloud {MSP, \$115,486}, by Explodent) Lifetime Record: MSP, 37-10-10-3, \$339,494. O-Kagele Brothers Inc. B-Dreabon Copeland (KY). T-Cole Norman. *\$42,000 yrl '99 KEESEP. **1/2 to Consider the Night (Twilight Agenda), SW, \$167,440.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Nickel Silver, g, 2, Cee's Tizzy--Officer Lea (MSP, \$149,302), by Nodouble. FPX, 9-23, (S), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Harris Farms Inc (Ca). *\$35,000 yrl '03 CALAUG.

Gallant Princess, f, 2, Slew Gin Fizz--Reality Will Be, by Kris S. BEL, 9-24, (C), 7 1/2f, 1:31 4/5. B-Thomas J Cooper & Jim Slack (FI). *\$10,000 wlng '02 OBSOCT; \$25,000 yrl '03 OBSAUG.

+ Man of Danger, g, 2, <u>Tiger Ridge</u>--Cope Lady, by Copelan. BEL, 9-24, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:17 1/5. B-Gary Pickel (FI). *\$42,000 2yo '04 OBSAPR. **Fifth winner for freshman sire (by Storm Cat).

Gather No Moss, g, 3, Awad--Caro Landing (SW), by Caro (Ire). PIM, 9-24, 1 1/8mT, 1:52 4/5. B-Ryehill Farm (Md). *\$6,000 wIng '01 FTMDEC; \$5,000 yrl '02 FTMSEP.

Bold Starlet, f, 3, Bold Executive--Princess Star, by Akureyri. WOX, 9-23, (C), 6f, 1:13. B-Michael C Murphy (On). *\$38,000 yrl '02 FTCSEP.

Aggravating Annie, f, 3, Lil's Lad--Alabama Anne (SP), by D'Accord. LAD, 9-23, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:18 4/5. B-Sharon L Pate (La).

Cya Baby, f, 3, **Lucky Roberto**--Bar None, by Major Impact. MTH, 9-24, 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Gus Schoenborn Jr (NY). *Won by five lengths.

Romney Marsh, g, 3, Prospectors Gamble--Petite Perle, by Quack. TPX, 9-23, 1 1/8m, 1:53. B-Joseph Medley (Ky).

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNER:

Alexia Rose (Ire), f, 2, Mujadil--Meursault (Ire), by Salt Dome. Haydock, Britain, 9-24, Mdn, 2yo, f, 6fT.
B-Sonarc Bloodstock. *€16,000 wnlg '02 GOFNOV; 15,000gns yrl '03 DONSEP.

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