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SKY MESA's 12th 2YO Winner Makes Him #2 Juvenile Sire by Winners

DEAUVILLE AUGUST GETS UNDERWAY

Arqana launches its four-day August Yearling Sale at Deauville today with expectations high amongst the team that a strong, deep catalogue will attract the



Doctor Dino Adam Coglianese

serious players. Following two previous prosperous years under a new format established by the young sales company and a record banner year in 2007, it is tempting to believe the old French proverb "jamais deux sans trois," or, never two without three. In recent months, GI Man o'War S. and G1 Hong Kong Vase hero **Doctor Dino** (Fr) (Muhtathir {GB}), bought for just €38,000 in 2003; the G1 Prix de Diane and G1 Irish

Oaks placegetter **Gagnoa** (**Ire**) (Sadler's Wells); and old-stager **Geordieland** (**Fr**) (Johann Quatz {Fr}), who captured the G2 Yorkshire Cup, have heightened the profile of this sale. Last year's G1 Prix du Jockey-Club one-two **Lawman** (**Fr**) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) and **Literato** (**Fr**) (Kendor {Fr})--who later won Newmarket's G1 Champion S.--and G1 Prix Saint-Alary scorer **Coquerelle** (**Ire**) (Zamindar), are among the better graduates of recent times. One third of the dams in the catalogue have

earned black type, a percentage which stands at 50 percent on the vital opening day, which also sees 30 percent of the yearlings being out of group-winning or group-placed mares. The 2008 catalogue puts the accent on youth, as a third of the yearlings



for sale are the first or second offspring of their dams. Two-thirds of the yearlings qualify for French-bred and owners' premiums. Included in the list of 515 lots set to come under the hammer are some of Europe's powerhouse sires such as Galileo (Ire), Invincible Spirit (Ire), Monsun (Ger), Montjeu (Ire), Pivotal (GB) and Sadler's Wells. Among the freshman sires should bring keen interest are Afleet Alex, Antonius Pius, Azamour (Ire), Dubawi (Ire), Footstepsinthesand (GB), Leroidesanimaux (Brz), Motivator (GB), Oratorio (Ire), Rakti (GB), Shamardal, Starcraft (NZ) and Whipper. Selling gets underway today at 2:30 p.m. Full catalogue and updates are available on www.arqana.com. Cont. p2

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ISN'T THAT SPECIAL

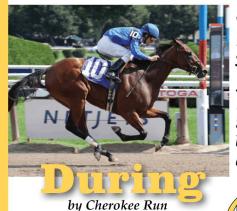
He didn't exactly live up to his name, but unbeaten Run Away and Hide (City Zip) kept his career record

unblemished with a game 1 1/4-length victory over **Break Water Edison** (Lemon Drop Kid) in the GII Saratoga Special yesterday. "It worked out like we wanted; it sure did," said winning trainer Ronny Werner. "He got away a little bit slow, which was okay. That's what we were looking for. Robby [jockey Albarado] did an



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excellent job. He set him up just right. He gave us a little spot on the rail. It worked out great." Run Away and Hide kicked off his career with a 3 1/4-length maiden score on the Keeneland Polytrack Apr. 18, and followed up with a victory in the May 1 GIII Kentucky S. at Churchill. Freshened after that effort, the bay had been working steadily at Saratoga since the middle of July, and he was ready to roll in his Spa debut. Albarado settled Run Away and Hide in third as Join in the Dance (Sky Mesa) led them along through a swift opening half in :44.80. He found running room at the rail as they straightened for home, grabbed a short lead at the eighth pole and outfinished Break Water Edison to make it three-for-three. "Ronny has done a remarkable job of taking his time with him," Albarado said. "This colt hasn't run since Derby Day, and that's a pretty long time to be coming into this race against some talented two-year-olds. He has been a laid-back horse and he has done everything we've asked him to do. When I rode him the last time, I told Ronny that he wants to settle. He has worked off horses and inside of other horses. He has shown a lot of professionalism from Day 1. We had a lot of expectations for him, and he exceeded them by winning this race." Cont. p2



1st Crop 2YO Wins Spa Debut!

Spina wins by 4 ¹/2 lengths at Saratoga





Rough Trip for the Chalk...

O"TDN Rising Star" O Revnaldothewizard

(Speightstown), sent off the slight 5-2 choice on the



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strength of his 4 3/4-length maiden score at Churchill July 2, broke in the air and was at the back of the pack through the opening exchanges. The bay was caught in traffic at the half-mile pole, was fanned six wide at the top of the lane and was bumped

around some more as he tried to close between horses, but he showed good interest when he finally got some running room to get up for third. Click for the brisnet.com chart, the brisnet.com PPs or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

Thursday, Saratoga Race Course SARATOGA SPECIAL S.-GII, \$150,000, SAR, 8-14, 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:15 3/5, ft.

1--RUN AWAY AND HIDE, 122, c, 2, by City Zip 1st Dam: Jilted, by Runaway Groom 2nd Dam: Likeashotabrandi, by Stalwart 3rd Dam: Likeashot, by Gun Shot

O-Ronald K Kirk, John Bates, Michael Riordan; B-Ron Kirk, Joint Ventures & Michael Riordan (KY); T-Ronny W Werner; J-Robby Albarado; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$224,684. Werk Nick Rating: C+. Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.

- 2--Break Water Edison, 118, c, 2, Lemon Drop Kid--August Storm, by Storm Creek. (\$150,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$525,000 2yo 2008 OBSMAR). O-Eli Gindi; B-Caldara Farm (KY); T-John C Kimmel; \$30,000.
- 3--Reynaldothewizard, 118, c, 2, Speightstown--Holiday Runner, by Meadowlake. (\$400,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$775,000 2yo 2008 FTFFEB). O-Zabeel Racing International; B-Gibraltar Group LP (KY); T-Eoin G Harty; \$15,000.

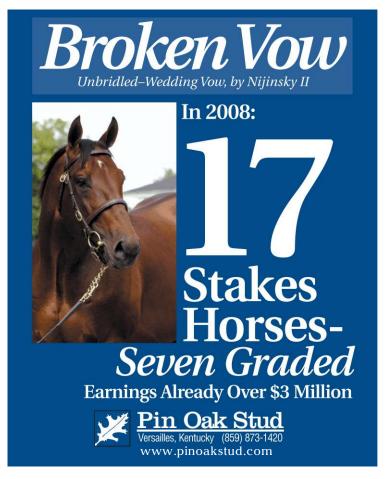
Margins: 1 1/4, 5 3/4, NK. Odds: 3.40, 6.40, 2.95. Also Ran: Join in the Dance, Proud Jefe, Medaglia d'Onore, Dueling Alex, Unsung Song, Lyin' Heart.

TODAY'S VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS

\$300,000 OBS Two-Year-Old Sale Grad 2YO Maiden Winner, 3-Time G1 Winner Look for his first crop of yearlings at **OBS August and Keeneland September**

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GII Saratoga Special S. Run Away and Hide (City Zip) runs his record to three-for-three.



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Mezeray Means Business...

Charles-Henri de Moussac's Haras du Mezeray is one of the sale's leading consignors, finishing fourth on the list in 2007 and second in 2006. The Normandy-based stud, founded in 1962 by Paul de Moussac and responsible for the likes of the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe winners Trempolino and Subotica (Fr) and Mill Native, et al, has a formidable selection of yearlings on offer this time. Their draft includes hip 25, a High Chaparral (Ire) half-brother to the 2002 G1 Deutsches Derby winner Next Desert (Ire) and 2003 G1 Preis der Diana (Greman Oaks) heroine Next Gina (Ger); and hip 109, a Monsun (Ger) colt who is a descendant of the Stud's star broodmare Luth de Saron (Fr).

They are but a few aces de Moussac hopes he is holding coming into the sale, and the Frenchman is optimistic.

"Everybody would obviously be happy if the figures of the sale can equal those of last year, especially with the general state of the economy worldwide," de Moussac said. "The catalogue this year is of a much higher quality and the conformation of the horses is also superior to 2007, so hopefully it will be a good sale. We have been very active showing our horses over the past three days and, from what I gather, it has been the same all around the sales complex." Argana cont. p3



Argana cont.

Charles-Henri de Moussac continued, "From a personal point of view, we had a fairly good sale last year with horses that were not exceptional. We have a draft that looks superior in quality this year, and I think that most vendors have good reasons to be reasonably optimistic. I have looked at some horses, mostly fillies, and there is a strong contingent of good fillies in this sale. It seems to me that, for someone who would like to get starting in breeding, there are many good opportunities to buy fillies with a nice pedigree and good conformation."

Capucines Makes Its Presence Felt...

Éric Puerari's Haras des Capucines was another bighitter at this venue; it was outdone only by Haras d'Etreham 12 months ago when selling 37 yearlings for over €4.3 million. Third-highest consignor the previous two years, the establishment has a host of eye-catching lots headed by hip 73, a half-sister to MGISW You by Empire Maker; and hip 101, a Montjeu (Ire) half-brother to the 2005 G2 Prix de Pomone heroine Diamond Tango (Ger).

"I am not in the guessing business, but I see no reason why this sale will not be a good one," commented Puerari, adding another voice to the general air of optimism surrounding this renewal. "The business of selling horses is very peculiar, and the trend in horse sales is not necessarily the one of the general economy. We have a very good catalogue where all leading European sires are represented, such as Galileo (Ire), Montjeu, Dansili (GB), Danehill Dancer (Ire) and Giant's Causeway. They are associated with good pedigrees on the dam side, and this is what works."

Puerari added, "We are very happy with our yearlings, and they all look good and are in great form. It is difficult to have to sell as early as the second week in August, but that is the challenge at Deauville and we accept it. It looks like our draft is stronger with fillies, as they are all well-bred and looking good. It helps us feel more secure about the outcome of the sale and it is like taking out an insurance on what will happen."

What They're Saying At The Sales...

Lady O'Reilly, Haras de la Louviere:

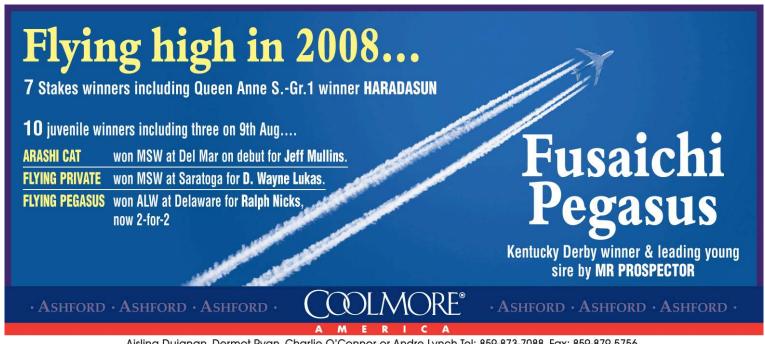
"I think that the yearling sales in general will not be as good as the previous years because of the difficult economic context. The positive point is that the catalogue is of a high standard, and the ones that I have seen here have a conformation which matches the pedigree. I have an interesting lot of colts who are all good movers and have had as many visits as last year. I sell the brother to Silver Frost (Ire), who has won the G3 Prix de Cabourg since the catalogue was printed."

Alec Head, Haras du Quesnay:

"In the French breeding industry, there are some days to harvest, and the days of the August sale are part of it. As a father always likes his kids, I think that my yearlings are beautiful and even more so than last year."

Tim Richardson, Haras de Fresnay le Buffard:

"The catalogue has improved a lot in terms of pedigree and conformation, especially on Friday and Saturday. We have a good draft of yearlings and are very happy with them. It is more uniform than last year, and I am confident that we will sell well."





What They're Saying cont.

Franck Benillouche, Haras de Bernesq:

"The catalogue offers a large choice, especially pedigree-wise. The selection has been very rigorous and all the animals look good in terms of conformation. My horses are better than last year, and I like to sell in France. I can then follow my horses more easily than if I was selling at Newmarket or elsewhere."

Eric Hoyeau, executive president of Argana:

"The gross of our sale has grown significantly over the last two years. We had a 64-percent increase in 2007 compared to 2005, and it was up by 25 percent in 2007 compared to 2006. So the aim is to consolidate on the results of the past two years and improve on the top end of the market.

"We feel that the results of the sales in the United States at Fasig-Tipton and Saratoga are satisfying and encouraging. Our catalogue is more international than ever; we have tried to offer more to potential buyers, and the comments we have received so far on the conformation of the horses by those who have seen them are excellent. We feel we have all the aces and we enter the sale with confidence.

"On the European market, we have always been the challenger, but we have been capable of gaining shares of the market and have the capacity to gain more. Consignors seem quite happy and are not too worried by the present economic situation--they are grateful for the large advertising job we have done all over the world to promote our sale. They have had a lot of visits so far, and they have a lot of confidence in their respective stock.

"We had the choice to hold our sale before or after the York Ebor meeting and decided that this week was the right time, as it is right in the middle of the Deauville meeting, and there is plenty of action at this time. On Sunday, the Prix Jacques le Marois is the showcase of the meeting and the weather is more pleasant now than it could be later in the month. We have no regrets at this stage. Without making any predictions, we are realistic and we feel we can be reasonably optimistic about the outcome of the sale."

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2007 AUGUST SALE STATISTICS

CUMULATIVE	2007
Catalogued	513
No. Offered	486
No. Sold	382
RNAs	104
% RNA	21.4%
No. €500K+	9
Top Lot	1,400,000 #108, c, by Galileo (Ire)
Gross	37,448,000
Average	98,031
Median	60 000

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What They're Saying cont.

Robert Nataf, bloodstock agent, Horse France:

"Obviously, there has been a lot of improvement since the new management took over two years ago. There is an evident will to promote this sale and improve it at the highest international level. Foreign investors have always loved to come to Deauville, as it is a great place to stay with all that it has to offer, but they had often been disappointed at the quality of horses for sale. Now we can say that the quality of the catalogue totally matches the pleasure of coming here and potential buyers will just love that.

"It has been the ambition of the new management at Arqana to fulfill that goal, and they have succeeded totally. It is clear that French breeders and consignors have made huge efforts over the last eight years, and these efforts are now paying off, with better mares and better stallions used.

"Also, breeders and consignors do not seem too worried by the actual economic situation. Anyway, the impact of the economy cannot be discarded as it has affected all sectors, including the luxury products. But previous horse sales this year show that there is no sign of imminent collapse, with only slight decreases in some cases. There is therefore no reason why Deauville's market will be the only one to feel the effects of the economic downturn--new investors are coming from countries not affected by it like Russia, Qatar, Oman, the Emirates, Australia and Japan. They should support this market well, and the sale should be good.

"Also, all the traditional buyers in Deauville are expected, such as the Arabs and the Irish, and we just hope that Sheikh Mohammed will be a little more involved than he has been in the past."

☆ HIP HAPPENINGS ☆

Hip <u>25</u>, c, <u>High Chaparral (Ire)</u>--Night Petticoat (Ger), by Petoski (GB)

Consigned by Haras du Mezeray

One of only two day-one offerings by the dual Derby winner, this April-foaled brown colt--already named Next Hight (Ire)--has a page laced with German Classic success. Half-brother Next Desert (Ire) (Desert Style {Ire}) won the 2002 G1 Deutsches Derby and half-sister Next Gina (Ger) (Perugino) won the following term's G1 Preis der Diana. Dam Night Petticoat won the 1996 Preis der Diana when it was a Group 2 contest.

Hip <u>35</u>, f, <u>Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)</u>--Pharmacist (Ire), by Machiavellian

Consigned by Ballylinch Stud

The only filly by her sire available during the opening session, this is another offering foaled in April. She is out of the stakes-winning Pharmacist, a half-sister to 1989 G1 Phoenix S. victress Pharaoh's Delight (Ire), and thus a half-sister to 2006 GI Breeders' Cup Turf winner and recent GI Man o'War S. hero Red Rocks (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}). Half-sister Pill (Ire) (Linamix {Fr}), a debut third at the local track last Sunday, realised €620,000 at this venue last year.

Hip 37, f, Sadler's Wells-Race the Wild Wind, by Sunny's Halo

Consigned by Haras d'Etreham

Offered by last year's leading consignor, this Aprilfoaled bay is the last of two representatives of her recently retired sire to go through the ring at this year's sale. She is out of the GI Santa Maria H. heroine Race the Wild Wind, making her a half-sister to 2001 G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest winner King Charlemagne (Nureyev), who won each of the four pattern races he contested, and Meshaheer (Nureyev), who won the G3 July S. during the same 2001 season.

Hip 43, f, Dubawi--Rotina (Fr), by Crystal Glitters Consigned by Haras de la Reboursiere et de Montaigu

This March-foaled bay is the only filly--from three catalogued--of her first-crop sire to go under the hammer on day one. Dam Rotina has already produced five stakes performers, including dual Group 2 victress Whortleberry (Fr) (Starborough {GB}), 2005 G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches third Ysoldina (Fr) (Kendor {Fr}) and this term's G1 Prix Saint-Alary heroine Belle et Celebre (Fr) (Peintre Celebre).

Hip 108, c, Red Ransom--Gaily Tara, by Caerleon Consigned by Haras du Quesnay

His sire's only colt on offer during the opening day's trading, the April-foaled bay is a half-brother to 2006 G1 Prix Saint-Alary winner and G1 Prix de Diane runner-up Germance (Silver Hawk). Other close relations include this term's G2 Prix Hocquart winner Democrate (GB) (Dalakhani {Ire}) and G1 Dubai World Cup hero Almutawakel (GB) (Machiavellian).

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☆ RESULTS ☆

Thursday, Deauville, France
PRIX MINERVE - SHADWELL-G3, €80,000, Deauville, 8-14, 3yo, f, 1 9/16mT, 2:50.20, gd/sf.

1--@DAR RE MI (GB), 121, f, 3, by Singspiel (Ire)
1st Dam: Darara (Ire) (G1SW-Fr, \$142,470), by Top Ville (Ire)
2nd Dam: Delsy (Fr), by Abdos (Fr)
3rd Dam: Kelty (Fr), by Venture (GB)

O-Lord Lloyd-Webber; B-Watership Down Stud; T-John Gosden; J-Olivier Peslier; €40,000. Lifetime Record: SW & GSP-Eng, 6-3-1-2, €105,741. *1/2 to Dariyoun (Shahrastani), Ch. Imp Older Horse-Spn, MSW & G1SP-Fr, SW-Spn, \$187,775-Fr; Darazari (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), G1SW-Aus, GSW-Fr & GSP-HK, \$148,900-Fr; Rhagaas (GB) (Sadler's Wells), G1SP-Fr & GSP-Ger, \$116,003; Diaghilev (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), Ch. Older Horse-HK, G1SW-HK. Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree. Werk eNick rating: A+.

- 2--Shemima (GB), 121, f, 3, Dalakhani (Ire)--Shemaka (Ire), by Nishapour (Fr). O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre; E16,000; €16,000.
- 3--Alpine Rose (Fr), 121, f, 3, Linamix (Fr)--Fragrant Hill (GB), by Shirley Heights (GB). O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; €12,000.

Margins: 1HF, 3/4, 1. Odds: 2.60, 6.10, 5.30. Also Ran: Tangaspeed (Fr), Astrologie (Fr), Cosmic Fire (Fr), Kareemah (Ire). Scratched: Carolina Directa (Ger).

Dar Re Mi gained **O "TDN Rising Star" O** status with a wide-margin success at Sandown on sophomore bow Apr. 25 and followed up with a creditable third in the May 14 G3 Musidora S. at York. She hit the board in the June 29 G2 Prix de Malleret at Saint-Cloud next time, bagged a first stakes score in the July 19 Listed Aphrodite S. at Newmarket and continued up the ladder with a personal best in this test. Stalking the pace in second until asked for her effort off the final turn, she took a slight lead at the eighth pole and was ridden out from there to comfortably assert superiority. "She ran very well in the Prix de Malleret, but just ran out of ground after travelling at the rear in a slowly run race," explained conditioner John Gosden. "She's done well since winning at Newmarket; she handled the cut in the ground well, and those conditions are probably what she likes. We would like to go for the G1 Prix Vermeille lat Longchamp Sept. 141 because her dam won it, but we have a lot of respect for the favorite, Zarkava, who is a top-class filly. We'd be very happy if we could place in that race." Click for the Racing Post chart.



You can also pick up a copy of the TDN today at the Argana Yearling Sale.

August Has Been Hot, Hot, Hot!

The Monarchos runners are on a tear this summer:

Aug. 2: STONES RIVER-3yo \$75,000 SW by 4 1/2

Owner: Two Bucks Stable & Glenn Bromagen

Aug. 3: LIGHTNING DIABLO-2yo 3rd \$65,000 CA Stakes

Owner: Kenney, Leib, Margolis et al.

Aug. 3: AROYAL-3yo
Maiden winner at Calder by 5 1/4
Owner: Donald Dizney

Aug. 4: TEXAS WILDCATTER-3yo 2nd \$110,000 Stakes Owner: Glen Todd & Patrick Kinsella

Aug. 6: GREYSTONE WARRIOR-3yo Maiden winner at Monmouth by 2 Owner: J & J Racing Stable

Aug. 7: BINGHAM-3yo \$68,000 Del Mar Allowance in 1:34.68 Owner: Dennis Weir

Aug. 9: FOREST COMMAND-3yo \$67,000 Saratoga Allowance by 6 Owner: John Oxley

And this follows two new stakes horses in July!

MONARCHOS

Maria's Mon - Regal Band, by Dixieland Band





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Thursday, Salisbury, Britain

SOVEREIGN S.-G3, £65,000, Salisbury, 8-14, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:44.24, gd/sf.

- 1--@ORDNANCE ROW (GB), 126, g, 5, by Mark of Esteem (Ire)

 1st Dam: Language of Love (GB), by Rock City (Ire)

 2nd Dam: Indian Love Song (Ire), by Be My Guest

 3rd Dam: Indian Bird (GB), by Relko (GB)

 (110,000gns HIT '07 TATAUT). O/B-Mrs Pauline
 Good; T-Richard Hannon; J-Ryan Moore; £36,901.

 Lifetime Record: 24-6-5-3, £202,070. Click for the

 eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree. Werk eNick
 rating: A.
- 2--Laa Rayb, 126, g, 4, Storm Cat--Society Lady, by Mr. Prospector. O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Mark Johnston; £13,988.
- 3--Redolent (Ire), 119, c, 3, Redback (GB)--Esterlina (Ire), by Highest Honor (Fr). (22,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC; €120,000 yrl '06 GOFORB). O-de la Warr Racing; B-R O'Callaghan & D Veitch; T-Richard Hannon; £7,001.

Margins: 3/4, 2 1/4, NK. Odds: 5-1, 17-2, 4-1. Also Ran: Redford (Ire), Third Set (Ire), Caldra (Ire), Wise Dennis (GB), Mount Pleasure. Scratched: Elusive Warning, Metropolitan Man (GB), Duntulm (GB).

Runner-up in this last term, Ordnance Row garnered a first stakes success in the May 12 Listed Royal Windsor S. and ran fifth in the Listed On the House S. at Goodwood May 31 before claiming second in the June 28 Listed Midsummer S. back at Windsor last time. Handily placed for the most part here, he came under pressure to challenge at the quarter-mile marker and kept on strongly under a power drive from there to deny the tenacious Laa Rayb nearing the line. "There would be a lot of horses with more class than him, but he's a very tough horse," admitted the winning trainer's son and assistant Richard Hannon Jr. "He's a bit of a streetfighter, is hard to get by and was first off the bridle, but he loved the ground and that is a big factor for him. [His dam is] a half-brother to a French Derby winner, so he's well entitled to win a race like that. If we go to a Group 2 race, it's a whole different level, so we might stick to Group 3 company and carry a penalty, but he deserves a step up." Click for the Racing Post chart.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the GII LAKE PLACID S. AT SARATOGA.

For pps and a complete race analysis, click here.

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A SPELL IN SARATOGA

Looking to exact revenge on the two Godolphin fillies, GI Kentucky Oaks heroine **Proud Spell** (Proud Citi-

zen) arrived at the Spa Thursday afternoon from her home base at Fair Hill Training Center. Never worse than third in her 10 career starts, the bay was third behind **Little Belle** (A.P. Indy) after a rough start in the GI Ashland S., and was demoted to third after a horror of a trip when runner-up to **Music Note** (A.P. Indy) in the GI Mother Goose S. She shook off that defeat and, just two weeks later, drove home a winner in the



Proud Spell *Adam Coglianese*

July 12 GII Delaware Oaks. Trainer Larry Jones, who saddled Hard Spun to victory in the GI King's Bishop S. at Saratoga last year, feels his filly deserves another chance against the Godolphin duo. "I understand Music Note came out of [the Mother Goose] with one lost shoe and another bent shoe, and [Proud Spell] got butchered, so you can't gauge anything off that race," Jones said. "We've never been ashamed of [Proud Spell] and, when we lead her over there Saturday, we'll feel the same way." He added, "This is where champions are made, and that's why she's here."

Saturday, Saratoga Race Course

ALABAMA S.-GI, \$600,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/4m

PP HORSE SIRE **JOCKEY** 1 Proud Spell Proud Citizen Saez 2a Music Note A.P. Indy Castellano 3 Skylighter Sky Mesa Prado 4 Mushka **Empire Maker** Velazquez 5a Little Belle A.P. Indy Maragh 6 Sweet Vendetta Stephen Got Even Dominguez All carry 121 pounds.



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☆ SALESNEWS ☆

FASIG ENJOYS 'BRISK' POST-SALE SALES

The final figures at the recently concluded Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Selected Yearling Sale, held Aug. 4-5 at the Spa, were largely unchanged from 2007. The averaged bumped up 2.2 percent to \$295,738, while the median remained static at \$227,500. The opening session posted a reasonably high RNA rate of 29.4 percent, but that number came down a bit in the second session and the sale wound up with an RNA rate of 25.6 percent--not atypical of yearling auctions these days.

One figure that Fasig-Tipton doesn't track--nor does any other auction house--is the number of horses who fail to meet the reserve, but who are then sold privately, often while still on the grounds. In such instances, buyers might approach sellers, offer a bit more or a bit less than the reserve, and a deal is done. And while there is no official statistic gauging these transactions, it is a relevant bit of information that can help industry watchers judge the health of the marketplace.

According to Boyd Browning Jr., executive vice president and COO of Fasig-Tipton, recent anecdotal evidence does seem show an upswing in that area.

'We did see a brisk private market at both July [Selected Sale] and Saratoga," said Browning. "I don't have an exact count, but it seemed there was a higher-thannormal level of post-sale interest in yearlings. There was good activity."

Asked what price range those private transactions represented, Browning said, "Well, buy-backs, generally, tend to be at a little less than the average price at the sale. But we still had some fairly expensive RNAs that got sold." Browning declined to identify any of those more expensive private transactions.

For its part, Fasig-Tipton does its best to help buyers and sellers find common ground, whether inside the ring or out.

"We do try to facilitate those private sales," Browning said. "We can handle the administration requirements--billing, collecting, the transfer of papers and so forth. We do it, I know Keeneland does it, and I'm sure OBS and Barretts do, too."

Despite any involvement by the sales company after a horse leaves the ring unsold, Browning said that the official sales statistics are rarely changed to reflect private sales unless "it occurs almost immediately after the hammer falls. For the most part, 95 percent of those sales aren't reflected in our stats."

And regardless of the final price tag on the horse, Fasig collects the usual five percent of whatever the final hammer price in the ring. For instance, if a horse RNAs for \$100,000 and is later sold privately for \$110,000, Fasig receives \$5,000, not \$5,500--even if the company facilitates the private sale.



DANEHILL MARE BRINGS RECORD A\$1.05 MIL

The six-year-old mare Danevade (Aus) (Danehill--Subterfuge {GB}, by Machiavellian) provided serious fireworks during an otherwise modest opening session of the Inglis August Thoroughbred Sale, eliciting a bid of A\$1.05 million from Morning Rise Stud. It was a record for a Victorian broodmare. MGSP Danevade, who sold as a broodmare prospect as hip 362, will now go directly to Coolmore Stud, where she'll be bred to resident star Encosta de Lago (Aus). She is from the family of English champion and G1 Epsom Derby winner Slip Anchor (GB) and is a full to top Hong Kong sprinter Scintillation (Aus) and to four-time Australian group winner Shania Dane (Aus). Offered by Riverend Park and D'Arcy Thoroughbreds, the mare was a late addition to the sale, and officials weren't surprised by the attention she drew. "A mare of this calibre is always going to be highly sought after this close to the breeding season, and she brought a figure that her pedigree demanded," said Inglis Director Peter Heagney. It was easily the highest price of the session; the next-highest mares sold for A\$115,000. In all, 123 horses sold for A\$2,082,200, an average of A\$16,928. The median was A\$2,500 and the RNA rate was 15.2 percent. Last year's renewal was held over a single session. This year's second and final session kicks off today at 11 a.m. For complete results, visit www.inglis.com.au.



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Friday, Saratoga, post time: 4:56 p.m. EDT LAKE PLACID S.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT

PΡ	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Encanto Park	Exchange Rate	Collazo	20-1
2	Rosa Grace (GB)	Lomitas (GB)	Guest	8-1
3	I Lost My Choo	Western Expression	Serpe	3-1
4	Namaste's Wish	Pulpit	Mott	9-2
5	Much Obliged	Kingmambo	Pierce	4-1
6	Backseat Rhythm	El Corredor	Reynolds	6-1
7	Zaskar (GB)	Anabaa	Terranova II	15-1
8	Raw Silk	Malibu Moon	Albertrani	7-2
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I Lost My Choo scratched from a New York-bred stakes affair last week when torrential rain forced a last-minute switch to the main track. The bay chased Raw Silk around the track in the May 31 GII Sands Point S. at Belmont and lost the nod for second that afternoon, but changed tactics for the June 28 Elmont S. against fellow state-breds. A rallying head winner in that one-mile test, she also rated off the pace in the July 19 GIII Virginia Oaks going 1 1/8 miles and finished well to win by 1 1/2 lengths over the closing Namaste's Wish. Raw Silk was gifted an easy lead in the Sands Point, but had a tougher time of it on the front end in the July 5 GI American Oaks. After cutting out the early fractions in that 10-panel feature, she weakened late to be eighth, six lengths behind winner Pure Clan (Pure Prize). The Darley colorbearer should appreciate the cut back in distance, but she will may have to contend with longshot Encanto Park early. Encanto Park sped through an opening half in :46 3/5 in the June 28 GIII Boiling Springs S. at Monmouth before tiring to be fourth.

Saturday, Saratoga Race Course SWORD DANCER INVITATIONAL S.-GI, \$500,000,

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Equitable	A.P. Indy	Desormeaux	116
2	Grand Couturier (GB)	Grand Lodge	Garcia	120
3	Red Rocks (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Castellano	123
4	Interpatation	Langfuhr	Espinoza	116
5	Presious Passion	Royal Anthem	Castro	123
6	Better Talk Now	Talkin Man	Dominguez	120

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HUNGERFORD S.-G2, £100,000, 3yo/up, 7fT

Danehill

Saturday, Newbury, Britain

7 Dancing Forever

8 Champs Elysees (GB)

3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	7	Arabian Gleam (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Murtagh	131
2	9	Aeroplane (GB)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	O'Neill	129
3	2	Al Qasi (Ire)	Elnadim	Fortune	129
4	6	Beaver Patrol (Ire)	Tagula (Ire)	Carson	129
5	1	Excusez Moi	Fusaichi Pegasus	Dwyer	129
6	5	Laa Rayb	Storm Cat	Ffrench	129
7	3	Welsh Emperor (Ire)	Emperor Jones	Culhane	129
8	4	Paco Boy (Ire)	Desert Style (Ire)	Moore	126
9	10	Alexandros (GB)	Kingmambo	Dettori	124
10	8	II Warrd (Ire)	Pivotal (GB)	Durcan	124

Saturday, Monmouth Park

PHILIP H. ISELIN SGIII , \$300,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m					
	PP HORSE	SIRE		JOCKEY	WT

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1	Gottcha Gold	Coronado's Quest	Trujillo	121
2a	Cuba	Not for Love	Cotto Jr	119
3	Honest Man	Unbridled's Song	Thompson	117
4	Five Steps	Yarrow Brae	Acosta	119
5a	Actin Good	Yes It's True	Marquez Jr	117
6	Kiss the Kid	Lemon Drop Kid	Centeno	117
7	Pleasant Strike	Smart Strike	Bravo	117
8	Grasshopper	Dixie Union	Albarado	121
9	Shopton Lane	Quiet American	Lezcano	117

Saturday, Ellis Park

7 Windyindy

GΑ	RDENIA HGIII,	\$150,000, 3yo/up,	f/m, 1m	
PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Kathleens Reel	Lemon Drop Kid	Lanerie	116
2	Miss Atlantic	Stormy Atlantic	Hebert	113
3	Marquee Delivery	Marquetry	McKee	114
4	Fancy Fusaichi	Fusaichi Pegasus	Hernandez Jr	117
5	Swift Temper	Giant's Causeway	Lebron	112
6	Unforgotten	Northern Afleet	Theriot	116

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This fall in Lexington, the NTRA will host a two-day gathering of industry leaders to discuss implementation and funding of yet-to-be determined industry reforms. The list of potential reforms includes: mandatory medication and testing standards, safety benchmarks for all surfaces, mandatory pre-race inspections and injury reporting, the use of the whip, toe grabs, horses-intraining sales, and racehorse retirement. What's on your short list of racing reforms, and why?

CHARLES HAYWARD

President and CEO, New York Racing Association

At the head of my list is the implementation of stan-



Adam Coglianese

dardized steroid testing and appropriate penalties. In addition increased funding for research and development of new tests for new "designer" drugs that may be developed to circumvent the existing drug testing protocols is essential. Also, much work needs to be done to provide statistical information on the safety of all types of racing surfaces for both racing and training. NYRA continues to support the work and recommendations of

the Jockev Club Safety Committee.

BRUCE HILL

General Manager, Live Oak Stud

On medication:

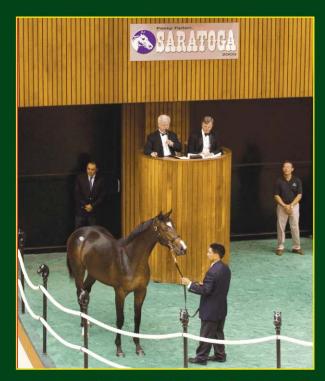
Live Oak is definitely a "hay, oats and water" kind of racing stable. We're going to welcome the day when that's where we end up. It's pretty simple. We would like to be in the same spot that a number of countries are, like Japan or those in Europe, where there are basically no drugs allowed in racing.

On implementing change:

When you have something like 36 jurisdictions, that's where the bottleneck is. It's extremely complicated and not as easy as many of us wish it to be. But somehow, you got to have just one single (regulatory) group, whoever it is.

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Bruce Hill cont.

On surgery disclosure:

The procedures altering conformation is a pretty tricky issue. You remember the days when you saw horses that were incorrect and off-set and had a number of issues going on, but knew some of those sires could breed horses that could run through that. But you knew what you were looking at. Today, you never see incorrect horses at the sales for the most part. People have perfected that to the point where we don't know what we're looking at anymore. Maybe we'd rather even see the procedures not even performed. That needs to be considered pretty hard. I'm smart enough to which road that's taking us down.

People have identified the problems but now they're into the complicated task of getting those resolved. Finding solutions that are practical and will work.

EOIN HARTY

Trainer

I think we need uniform medication rules--and by "uniform," I mean "national." I would like to see national

licensing, which would make life easier for owners and trainers to ship horses around the country.

I think racetrack surfaces are very a important issue, to establish some uniformity, whether you are running on synthetics or on conventional racetracks. I know that's pretty hard to achieve, because it's hard to get the same material from Florida that you're going to have in New York, and vice-versa, which leads



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me to my bandwagon about synthetic tracks. I'm a big proponent of synthetic tracks. Saratoga has suffered unbelievably this year with the attendance and the handle simply because of the weather. I feel that if we had a synthetic track, we wouldn't have lost that day of racing last week and we probably wouldn't have had nearly as many scratches. When you have scratches, it affects the handle, which eventually affects everybody.

On the toe grab issue, we never used front toe grabs much on the conventional racetracks in California and since the advent of synthetic tracks, we don't use any toe grabs whatsoever. [Not using toe grabs] certainly keeps them sounder longer. I think a toe grab on the synthetic track compromises the soundness of your horse.

JOHN OXLEY Owner/Breeder

On racing surfaces:

I recommend a one- or two-year study of certain dirt

tracks and certain synthetic tracks. Study to monitor each horse in training and racing as to frequency and type of injuries with statistical analysis to determine if there is a safety bias in favor of dirt or synthetic. The movement to synthetic may be correct; however, the decision needs to be proven. There is some indication that synthetic increases the frequency of soft tissue injury. Meanwhile, excellent dirt tracks (ie: Churchill and Saratoga) should measure up well statistically.



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On whips:

Stewards should be pressed to properly govern and penalize for improper use of the whip. The whip, lightly and properly used, can assist in a safer trip for the horse, encouraging a straight line and safer position on the track.

On two-year-olds:

- A. Breezes prior to the sales should be limited to one.
- B. As to distance of races, the current progression from five furlongs to 1 1/16 miles seems proper. As horses stretchout, their fractional speeds are less, and that may be safer.

The most important issue facing the industry is curtailment of use of *improper drugs*.

- A. The effort of the Equine Drug Research Institute headed by Dr. Catlin has been very positive. This continued study to define detrimental drugs can keep the industry ahead of cheaters.
- B. Labs should be improved to required standards and reduced in number.
- C. <u>ENFORCEMENT</u>: more severe penalties must be applied to those found guilty. Veterinarians as well as trainers should be eliminated from the sport for proper periods to be increased for second- and third-time violations. Owners using trainers previously found guilty should be on notice and should suffer consequences if their trainer is found guilty. Trainers found guilty should not be eligible for industry awards for a period of time.

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TODD PLETCHER

Trainer

I think we need to identify an industry leader, whether it's the NTRA or a designated racing spokesperson, who



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can address certain issues when they come up, like the Eight Belles incident. We need someone who is savvy and can go in front of the national media and the public and show them that, yes, we had a fatality here; these are all the precautions that are taken beforehand, and these are all the things we are currently doing to correct these problems; that there are a number of solutions already in place. We do have things that we still have to fix, but, by the same

token, someone needs to be out there telling people what's right with our game right now.

It seems like a lot of this negative publicity is internally generated, and I don't see any other organization, league or sport doing that to themselves. We have no one out there who is going forward and saying, 'Yes, we do have some problems, like all industries have problems, but we are taking great strides to try and solve them.'

Rather than just focus on the negative, we need some-body out there showing people what's still great about our game. Our game is no different than it was prior to the Kentucky Derby. In fact, maybe it's better already. But I think a lot of the negative perception is created from within our own industry. I'm sure everyone would agree that all of the issues that are going to be discussed at the NTRA meeting need to be addressed. They are all equally important in their own right, so let's go ahead and do that.

However, I would also like to see some new faces at this NTRA summit. Let's get owners, trainers, jockeys and veterinarians to participate. Let's get some people who know what's happening on the backside and get their input, as opposed to having the same people discussing the same issues over and over again with no results.

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SOTH TO STEP DOWN AS FAIR GROUND

PRESIDENT Randall Soth, who has served as president Fair Grounds Race Course since September 2004, will step down from the position effective Aug. 30, 2008. Soth, who is leaving to pursue other career avenues, previously held the post of vice president and general manager at Calder Race Course. Both tracks are owned by Churchill Downs Inc. "It has been a great honor to work as a member of the CDI management team," said Soth. "I've enjoyed my years with the company and am very grateful for the opportunities I've had. I want to thank the entire Fair Grounds team for their hard work and dedication, especially through the challenges of Hurricane Katrina in 2005. It has been a privilege to work with and learn from them." Added CDI's Executive Vice President Steve Sexton, "Randy has truly been a great asset for our Company. He guided Fair Grounds through what was certainly the most trying and uncertain period in its history after the devastation wrought by Hurricane Katrina, and his unwavering leadership helped bring a strong and solid racing product back to New Orleans. He also oversaw the expansion of the Fair Grounds facility into a flourishing entertainment destination that includes alternative gaming. We are grateful for these contributions, and wish Randy all the best in his future endeavors." Austin Miller, currently the vice president and general manager of slots and OTB operations at Fair Grounds, will assume Soth's responsibilities in racing operations while a search is conducted for a replacement.

NYRA TO REGULATE TOE GRABS Beginning with the opening of the Aqueduct Fall Meet, Oct. 29, toe grabs with a height greater than two millimeters will be banned on front shoes in all races at New York Racing Association tracks. The ban follows the recommendation of the Thoroughbred Safety Committee that was released in June. Effective Jan. 1, 2009, the American Graded Stakes Committee announced earlier this month that graded stakes held at tracks that do not implement the ban will lose their graded status.

NEW RACING SECRETARY AT GULFSTREAM

Doug Bredar, who currently serves as racing secretary at Louisiana Downs, has been named to fill that post at Gulfstream Park. The 2009 Gulfstream meet opens Jan. 3. Bredar, a member of The Jockey Club's Committee on the Welfare and Safety of the Racehorse, worked as the director of racing and racing secretary at Churchill Downs and Ellis Park from 2002-06, and also held positions at Hollywood Park, Turf Paradise and Prairie Meadows.



5:30p 2nd-SAR, \$63K, Msw, 2yo, 1 1/16mT

HR/TVG EVOLUTIONIST (El Prado {Ire}) debuts for owner/breeder Kinsman Stable and trainer Bill Mott. The half brother to GISW Majestic Warrior has been working steadily of late, including a four-furlong move in :49 3/5, the 17th fastest of 61 over the Saratoga training track July 26. Mott also has Stormalory (Storm Cat) entered for main track only. Owned and bred by Stonerside Stable, the colt is the first foal out of his dam, Miss Halory (Mr. Prospector), who is a half to five graded stakes winners. brisnet.com pps

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Yesterday's Results:

Ward Juveniles Work Before Races:

Trainer Wesley Ward sent out two of his top juveniles at noon Wednesday to breeze on the Saratoga main track. Notonthesamepage (Catienus), pointing for the Sept. 1 GI Three Chimneys Hopeful S., and stablemate Mine All Mine (Belong to Me), getting ready for the Aug. 31 GI Spinaway S., worked six furlongs in company before the day's card. The colt and Hall of Famer Angel Cordero Jr. went in 1:10 1/5, and the filly, with recent inductee Edgar Prado in the irons, covered the distance in 1:11 2/5. Notonthesamepage was named a TDN Rising Star" after his Apr. 30 maiden win at Churchill Downs. Ward decided to work the duo before the races because recent bad weather has made for muddy conditions in the morning. "This place, it just never stops raining," Ward said, "If I hadn't gotten a big, stiff work into them a couple weeks out from their races...I was just going to have to cancel that race and go somewhere else. This way, I can come back next week with a nice, easy maintenance drill. That work was almost like a mini race. So, everything worked out perfect. The filly set the pace in front with Prado, and we took the blinkers off Notonthesamepage because we're wanting him to not show the blazing speed that he showed. He sat back nice and relaxed. Cordero kept the perfect space. Initially, he tried to go, but then he settled right into it. Then, at the 3/8 pole, he came to the filly and stayed with her in hand and then went off."

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Saratoga cont.

VAN RAALTE S., \$79,650, SAR, 8-14, (S), 3yo, 7f, 1:22 1/5, gd.

- 1--#MEGAPIXEL, 116, c, 3, Tale of the Cat--Picture, by Roar. O/B-Flying Zee Stables (NY); T-Carlos F Martin; J-Edgar S Prado; \$48,750. Lifetime Record: 9-4-3-1, \$188,220.
- 2--Law Enforcement, 116, c, 3, Posse--Zambezi Belle, by Lord At War (Arg). O-Camelia J Casby. \$16,250.
- 3--Be Bullish, 120, g, 3, Pure Prize--Smart Holly, by Smarten. O-Herbert T & Carol A Schwartz. \$8,138. Margins: NK, HD, 9 3/4. Odds: 0.95, 1.55, 11.90.

Megapixel bested Law Enforcement by two lengths in a state-bred optional claimer at Belmont June 7 and came back to run third to Finger Lakes sensation Tin Cup Chalice in the Mike Lee S. at the downstate oval June 22. Odds-on in this five-horse affair, the Flying Zee homebred was shadowed throughout by Law Enforcement, but kept digging in gamely to earn his first stakes trophy.

7th-SAR, \$63,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 7f (off turf), 1:23 4/5, ft.

EASY TO SAY NO (c, 3, Mr. Greeley--Really Quick, by In Reality) came within a neck of the win going 8 1/2 furlongs at Pimlico May 29, but failed to fire and finished fifth most recently going two turns at Delaware June 30. Entered as main-track only here, the half to Medford (Meadowlake), SW, \$138,370, stalked the pace along the inside early, swung out on the turn and responded late to win by 2 3/4 lengths over Blazing Taurus (Aldebaran). Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-0, \$51,320. O-R Larry Johnson. B-Needham/Betz Thoroughbreds & Liberation Farm (KY). T-H Graham Motion.

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5th-WOX (\$35K, Msw) HIGH MIST (Olmodavor), fifth winner for her freshman sire, wins by 5 3/4 lengths.

6th-WOX (\$85K, Alw) CALLWOOD DANCER (IRE) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) collects third stateside win.

2nd-SAR, \$60,760, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04, gd. + ARGYLE PINK (f, 2, Sky Mesa--Majesty's Crown, by Magesterial), sent off the 5-2 third choice, broke alertly and pressed pacesetter Selective (Tapit) through opening splits of :22.13 and :45.62. Wearing down that rival in the stretch, the bay inched clear to score by 3/4 of a length. The winner is a half to Smoke Glacken (Two Punch), Ch. Sprinter, GISW, \$759,560; Smokey Glacken (Forestry), MGSW, \$656,960; and Capote's Crown (Capote), SW, \$132,467. Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$37,200. O-John L Wieczorek, B-Avalon Farms (KY), T-Eddie

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Yesterday's Results:

8th-MTH, \$45,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$75,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 1/5, fm.

- 1--GET SERIOUS, 121, c, 4, City Zip--Java Gal, by Java Gold. (\$130,000 yrl '05 FTMOCT). O-James M Dinan & Jacques J Moore; B-Morgan's Ford Farm (NY); T-Patrick B McBurney. Lifetime Record: SP, 15-4-1-2, \$152,057.
- 2--Heavyweight, 121, g, 4, Orientate--Lo Cal Bread, by Native Prospector. (\$110,000 yrl '05 KEESEP).
- 3--Victory Alleged, 121, h, 7, Victory Gallop--Buck's Lady, by Alleged. (\$17,000 yrl '02 KEEJAN). Margins: 3HF, 1HF, 2HF. Odds: 3.00, 9.60, 1.80.

Get Serious returned from a five-month respite to be a close-up fourth sprinting over Monmouth's turf course June 26 and appreciated the added yardage when stretched to a mile last time out here July 20. Sent off the third choice here, the chestnut took command early and held the advantage all the way to the wire.

8th-LRL, \$30,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000-\$45,000), NW1X, 2yo, 6f, 1:13, my.

PEACE TOWN (c, 2, Peace Rules--Darnestown {MSP}, by Williamstown) broke his maiden by an emphatic eight lengths at Delaware June 17 and was 2-5 to make it two in a row. Off to an awkward start, the chestnut colt bided his time off the pace, but came with a wide late rally that carried him to a 3/4-length decision over Helookslikearnold (Lion Hearted). The winner was a \$37,000 FTMDEC weanling and a \$50,000 KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$41,100.

O-Vinery Stables. B-Bowman & Higgins Stable (MD). T-Michael J Trombetta.

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★ CENTRAL **★**

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-APX, \$28,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f (AWT), :58, ft. + SCORING CHICK (f, 2, Even the Score--Maid of Manila, by Manila) was dismissed at 11-1 despite some solid works over the local Polytrack. The Maryland-bred grey jumped out quickly from her rail post and built a seemingly insurmountable advantage in midstretch, but began to tire. She hung on to prevail by a nose over the fast-finishing Afleet Deceit (Northern Afleet). Scoring Chick, a \$4,000 KEENOV weanling, \$18,000 FTMOCT yearling and \$35,000 OBSFEB juvenile, is the third winner for her freshman sire (by Unbridled's Song). Click for the brisnet.comchart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,800. O-Steve Lewis. B-Mrs Wylie F L Tuttle (MD). T-L Davis.

★ CANADA ★

Yesterday's Results:

6th-WOX, **\$85,133**, **Alw**, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:48 2/5, fm.

- 1--CALLWOOD DANCER (IRE), 122, f, 4, <u>Danehill Dancer (Ire)</u>--Ahdaab, by Rahy. (€100,000 yrl '05 GOFORB).
 O-Harlequin Ranches; B-Quay Bloodstock (IRE);
 T-Roger L Attfield. Lifetime Record: GSW-Eng,
 16-6-1-5, \$445,411.
- 2--Quiet Jungle, 120, f, 4, Forest Wildcat--Split the Arrow, by Smart Strike.
- 3--**Sprung**, 122, f, 4, Grand Slam--Springhurst, by Lord At War (Arg). (\$55,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). Margins: NK, 4 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.55, 0.85, 2.70.

Callwood Dancer kicked off her U.S. campaign with a win against allowance foes on the Polytrack here May 9 before adding the GII Nassau S. when moved to the grass May 31. Tiring to fifth in the GII Dance Smartly S. July 12, the Irish-bred filly was given ample support in this drop to easier company. Settled off the early pace, Callwood Dancer swung out three wide turning for home and drove to the front in the final stride to eke out the victory. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

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AQUEDUCT

Kip Deville (Kipling), 6fT, 1:18.52, 1/1

BELMONT PARK

Sharp Susan (Touch Gold), 4f (tr.), :50.56, 17/33

GOLDEN GATE

Indyanne (Indian Charlie), 5f, 1:00.00, 1/17

SARATOGA

Cool Coal Man (Mineshaft), 4f (tr.), :48.42, 5/27 Les Grands Trois (Officer), 5f (tr.), 1:01.90, 10/14 Secret Gypsy (Sea of Secrest), 5f (tr.), 1:01.43, 6/14 Sognatore (Fr) (Oasis Dream {GB}), 5f (tr.), 1:01.94, 11/14 Ventura (Chester House), 5f (tr.), 1:00.53, 2/14 5th-WOX, \$35,708, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10 3/5, ft. + HIGH MIST (f, 2, Olmodavor--High Humidity {MSP, \$195,016}, by Petionville), picked up for just \$22,000 at ADNMAR earlier this year, went postward as the 7-5 chalk on the strength of several sharp drills. The Ontario-bred bay quickly sprinted to the lead and never looked back as she was hand-ridden to a 5 3/4-length score. High Mist marks the fifth winner for her freshman sire (by A.P. Indy). Deeveetee (Doneraile Court) completed the exacta. Click for the brisnet.comchart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$20,669.

O-N C Stable & W Anderson. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-Reade Baker.

Thursday's Results:

1st-WOX, **\$64,645**, **Msw**, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45 2/5, ft.

+ SLIGO KING (g, 3, Sligo Bay {Ire}--Prom Princess, by Gold Case), sent off at 4-1, took command from the start, held a comfortable advantage throughout and drew clear to score by 2 3/4 lengths over Whisper to Me (Thunder Gulch). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$37,256.

O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Sean Smullen.

* DELMAR *

Yesterday's Results:

2nd-DMR, **\$65,790**, **Alw**, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:38, ft.

WICKEDNWACKYINGRID (f, 3, High Yield--Buttercup's Song, by Unbridled's Song) triumphed going six panels at Hollywood May 22 before tiring to fourth over the Cushion Track there June 27. A close-up fourth sprinting over the Del Mar turf July 17, the \$15,000 FTKOCT yearling went off at 3-1 here. On the engine this time, the \$33,000 OBSJUN and \$95,000 BESNOV juvenile remained in control throughout and was two-lengths clear of Dona Amelia (Big Blue) at the wire. Lifetime Record: 10-3-3-1, \$143,920.

O-La Canada Stables LLC. B-B & B Thoroughbreds Inc & Marty Hughes (KY). T-Jack Carava.

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STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, SATURDAY, AUGUST 16:



08-30 \$500,000 **Woodward-I, Sar**, 3yo/up, 9f (500)

08-30 \$250,000 Forego-I, Sar, 3yo/up, 7f (250) 08-30 \$400/100,000 Kent Breeders' Cup-III, Del, 3yo, 9fT (500)

08-31 \$250,000 **Spinaway-I, Sar**, 2yo, f, 7f (250) 09-01 \$250,000 **Hopeful-I, Sar**, 2yo, 7f (250)

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Del Mar cont.

7th-DMR, \$62,200, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :55 4/5, fm.

QUEEN OFTHE CATSLE (f, 4, Tale of the Cat--Kiawah Queen, by Lord At War {Arg}) returned after a 3 1/2-month layoff to finish fifth in an optional claimer on the Santa Anita all-weather Apr. 18. Obviously sharper in her second start back, the dark bay filly posted a 3/4-length allowance score on the turf at Hollywood May 24, then was sidelined for nearly two months. She resurfaced when second by a neck in an optional test over this course July 17, and was the 17-10 choice to go one better here. Rated just off the pace, the Grether homebred set her sights on front-running Perfectly Natural (Forestry) as they raced down the lane and got up in the final yards for a 1 1/4-length tally. Lifetime Record: 10-3-5-0, \$149,800.

O/B-C T Grether, Inc (KY). T-Howard L Zucker.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

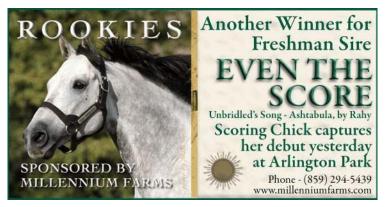
IN FRANCE:

Sefroua, f, 3, Kingmambo. See "France."

IN BRITAIN:

Hendersyde, c, 3, Giant's Causeway--Cimmaron Lady, by Grand Slam. Sandown Park, Britain, 8-13, Hcp, 3yo, 1 3/4mT. B-Iron County Farms, Inc. *\$300,000 yrl '06 KEESEP.

Hallings Overture, g, 9, Halling--Sonata (GB), by Polish Precedent. Great Leighs, Britain, 8-14, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Spectrum Bloodstock S A and Partners. *\$130,000 wnlg '99 KEENOV; 70,000gns yrl '00 TATDEC. **1/2 to Regal Solo (Louis Quatorze), SW, \$153,240.



First/Second-crop starters to watch: Friday, Aug. 15 Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2004 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

CACTUS RIDGE (Hennessy), Walmac, \$7K, 138/35/19-CLS, Stk, 1m, Big Dog Daddy, 7-2CHOISIR (AUS) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), 199/55/57-DMR, Stk, 1mT, Porto Marmay (Ire)DECARCHY (Distant View), Magali, \$5K, 99/18/25-DMR, Msw, 51/2f, +His Boy Elroy

ESSENCE OF DUBAI (Pulpit), Hartley, 120/21/0 7-DMR, Stk, 1mT, Dubai Majesty, \$7K FTK OCT yrl GREATNESS (Mr. Prospector), Adena South, \$5K, 83/25/0 4-WO, Msw, 6f, +Lord of Greatness, \$55K OBS MAR 2yo, 5-2 HARLAN'S HOLIDAY (Harlan), Airdrie, \$18K, 170/52/6 3-PID, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Joe's Irish Echo, \$32K EAS DEC wnl, 20-1 9-CLS, Stk, 1m, Diamond Highway, \$25K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1 HOOK AND LADDER (Dixieland Band), Sequel NY, \$10K, 100/23/3 6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Brazen Action, 5-1 MACHO UNO (Holy Bull), Adena South, \$15K, 139/34/4 4-WO, Msw, 6f, +Faye's Gray, \$4K OBS AUG yrl, 6-1 MILWAUKEE BREW (Wild Again), Adena South, \$15K, 163/45/2 2-WO, Msw, 6fT, +Getting Away, \$12K ADS SPR 2yo, 8-1 MINESHAFT (A.P. Indy), Lane's End, \$100K, 151/19/3 7-DMR, Stk, 1mT, La Mina, \$90K BAR MAR 2yo $9\text{-}SAR,\,Msw,\,1\,\,1/16mT,\,+Toby\,the\,\,Coal\,\,Man,\,\$325K\,\,FTF\,\,FEB\,\,2yo,\,3\text{-}1$ WHYWHYWHY (Mr. Greeley), Gainesway, \$8K, 100/34/3 4-WO, Msw, 6f, +B'cause B'cause, \$10K FTK OCT yrl, 4-1 WISEMAN'S FERRY (Hennessy), Castleton Lyons, \$5K, 126/27/1 6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Wise Guy Kelly, 8-1

First-crop starters to watch: Friday, Aug. 15 Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2005 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

CANADIAN FRONTIER (Gone West), Airdrie, \$10K, 41/0/0 5-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Ukons Pic, \$95K FTF FEB 2yo, 9-2 CHAMPALI (Glitterman), Glencrest, \$8K, 58/0/0 6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Hudson Heights, 12-1 CHAPEL ROYAL (Montbrook), Ashford, \$10K, 173/11/0 5-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Rowes Royal Chapel, \$40K OBS APR 2yo, 15-1 CONGAREE (Arazi), Adena Springs KY, \$15K, 93/6/2 2-WO, Msw, 6fT, +Wiggle and a Wink, \$45K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1 EVEN THE SCORE (Unbridled's Song), Millennium, \$9K, 77/3/0 9-SAR, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Take the Points, \$160K FTK JUL yrl, 5-1 FRIENDS LAKE (A.P. Indy), Airdrie, \$15K, 85/2/1 2-WO, Msw, 6fT, +Divine Destiny, 12-1 LION HEART (Tale of the Cat), Ashford, \$30K, 181/11/2 5-LAD, Msw, 5fT, True Emotion, \$20K FTK JUL yrl, 30-1 MEDAGLIA D'ORO (El Prado {Ire}), Stonewall, \$35K, 150/9/0 9-SAR, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Precious Beans, 5-1 **PEACE RULES** (Jules), Vinery, \$15K, 103/11/1 5-LRL, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Rocket Defense, 12-1 4-WO, Msw, 6f, L. A. Rules, \$40K OBS FEB 2vo, 3-1 PLEASANTLY PERFECT (Pleasant Colony), Lane's End, \$40K, 78/2/0 9-SAR, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Into My Soul, \$50K FTF FEB 2yo, 15-1 **SPEIGHTSTOWN** (Gone West), WinStar, \$40K, 100/5/0 4-WO, Msw, 6f, Barrichello, \$32K OBS MAR 2yo, 8-1 TAPIT (Pulpit), Gainesway, \$15K, 96/6/0 5-DMR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Tap Tap I Win, \$10K BAR OCT yrl TEN MOST WANTED (Deputy Commander), Gainesway, \$13K, 81/0/0 9-SAR, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Luv Gov, 20-1 TENPINS (Smart Strike), Walmac, \$7K, 72/2/0 2-CBY, Msw, 5 1/2f, Webber, 12-1



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NOUNCE 'ALLIANCE' Goffs Bloodstock Sales. Ireland, and Magic Millions Sales Pty Limited yesterday announced a 'strategic alliance' between the two sales companies. The announcement followed Magic Millions' invitation to Goffs Chairman Eimear Mulhern to attend its recent National Sale at the Gold Coast to discuss the opportunity. The companies said that they will work together to support clients, to direct business to each others companies 'where appropriate,' and to help the companies grow. Commenting on the alliance, Goffs Chief Executive Henry Beeby said, "For many years now Goffs have worked hard to attract clients from around the world to our sales. We have had an ever increasing number of Southern Hemisphere purchasers attending Goffs, and we wanted to offer them the support and assistance they need when they are preparing to visit us and during their trip. This link up with the team at Magic Millions will allow us to do this."

★ BRITAIN★

SPIRIT HAS ABBAYE TARGET

Fleeting Spirit (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) has the G1 Prix de l'Abbaye de Longchamp as her main aim this year, connections announced yesterday. Not seen since finishing third in the G1 King's Stand S. at Royal Ascot June 17, the Jeremy Noseda-trained sophomore will be freshened up for a tilt at the Oct. 5 five-furlong sprint. "She was given a break and it is very unlikely she will go to Haydock for the Sprint Cup," the Searchers Syndicate's Andy Stewart said. "We are likely to wait and go straight for the Abbaye instead."

Yesterday's Results:

Great Leighs, 6.00, Cond, £6,000, 2yo, 6f (AWT), 1:15.30, stn.

CELTIC SPUR (IRE) (c, 2, Celtic Swing {GB}--Kart Star {Ire} {SW-Fr, \$117,614}, by Soviet Star), runner-up at Kempton on debut June 25, was sent off the 15-8 chalk and shadowed the early leader Zaffaan (GB) (Efisio {GB}). Overcoming that rival before the furlong marker, the 12,000gns TATOCT yearling was kept up to his work to score by a length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £5,042. Video, courtesy of atheraces.com. O-M & J Mariscotti; B-J O'Connor; T-Andre Balding.



3.00 Dundalk, Mdn, €15,000, 2yo, f, 7f (AWT)

MARQUESA (<u>Kingmambo</u>) is dropped back to maiden company by David Wachman following her second to Cuis Ghaire (Ire) in the G3 Swordlestown Stud Sprint S. at Naas in June. Susan Magnier and Michael Tabor's daughter of the dual group scorer Dietrich should have little trouble in opening her account.

3.30 Newbury, Mdn, £5,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT

PARTY FROCK (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}) makes her belated debut for Khalid Abdullah and the John Gosden stable, which looked after her half-sister Costume (GB) (Green Desert) before Bobby Frankel took over to guide her to wins in this year's GII Buena Vista H. and GII Santa Ana H

4.15 Nottingham, Mdn, £5,000, 3yo, 1m 75ydsT SUMMER'S LEASE (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) is another late starter with a smart pedigree, as Mrs Philipson and Hugo Lascelles's homebred is a sister to the high-class sprinter and sire Needwood Blade (GB) from the Michael Bell stable.



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Sandown Park, 2.50, Mdn, £8,000, 2yo, 1m 14ydsT, 1:46.78, gd/sf.

+ TOO MUCH TROUBLE (GB) (c, 2, Barathea {Ire}-Tentpole, by Rainbow Quest), sent off the 15-8 favorite, was settled in fourth early before making steady
progress under a considerate ride passing halfway.
Reeling in the long-time leader Miss Sophisticat (GB)
(Alhaarth {Ire}) passing the eighth pole, the 80,000gns
TATOCT yearling asserted to best that rival by a cozy
1 1/4-length margin. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £5,181.
O-Jaber Abdullah; B-Fittocks Stud; T-Mick Channon.





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Sandown Park, 4.00, Mdn, £6,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 14ydsT, 1:46.06, gd/sf.

CENSORED (GB) (f, 3, Pivotal {GB}--Confidante {SP-Eng}, by Dayjur), runner-up at Doncaster 12 days ago, was hammered into 4-6 and raced behind the leading duo throughout the early stages. Getting to the front with a quarter mile remaining, the homebred drew away to record a convincing nine-length success. The victress is a half to Confidential Lady (GB) (Singspiel {Ire}), G1SW-Fr, G1SP-Eng & Ity, \$938,912. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £4,849.

O/B-Cheveley Park Stud; T-Sir Michael Stoute.

Salisbury, **2.00**, **Mdn**, £4,500, 2yo, 6f 212ydsT, 1:30.42, gd/sf.

+ SUCH OPTIMISM (GB) (f, 2, Sakhee--Optimistic {GB}, by Reprimand {GB}), a 20,000gns TATOCT yearling, dwelt from the gate and raced in rear from the outset of this first go. Inching closer after halfway, the 11-1 chance made smooth headway to lead at the two pole and was pushed clear inside the closing panel to best Sunny Future (Ire) (Masterful) by an easy five lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £2,914.

O-G C Myddelton; B-Mystic Meg Ltd; T-Ralph Beckett.

Friday, Newbury, post time: 2:20 p.m.

ST HUGH'S S.-Listed, £30,000, 2yo, f, 5f 34ydsT SC PP HORSE SIRE TRAINER 1 1 Kerrys Requiem (Ire) King's Best Channon Indian Haven (GB) Bailey 2 5 Aspen Darlin (Ire) 3 6 Cat Patrol (GB) One Cool Cat H Dunlop 4 8 Excellerator (Ire) Exceed and Excel (Aus) Baker 5 7 Lucky Leigh (GB) Piccolo (GB) Channon 3 Madame Trop Vite (Ire) 6 Invincible Spirit (Ire) K Ryan 7 9 Night Seed (Ire) Exceed and Excel (Aus) Hannon 8 2 Riotista (Ire) Captain Rio (GB) O'Neill 9 4 Shyrl (GB) Acclamation (GB) Callaghan All carry 124 pounds, bar Kerrys Requiem, 127.



* FRANCE *

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX DE LIEUREY - SHADWELL-Listed, €55,000, Deauville, 8-14, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:44.90, gd/sf.

1--#SEFROUA, 123, f, 3, by Kingmambo

1st Dam: Sophisticat (G1SW-Eng, GSW & G1SP-Fr & G1SP-Ire, \$444,231), by Storm Cat 2nd Dam: Serena's Song, by Rahy

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O-Nelson Radwan; B-Pacelco SA; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Ioritz Mendizabal; €27,500. Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €80,800. Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A.

- 2--Trip to Glory (Fr), 128, f, 3, Where or When (Ire)--Trip to Fame (Fr), by Lordmare (Fr). €11,000.
- 3--Quarayed, 128, f, 3, Dynaformer--Golden Aster, by Seeking the Gold. (\$190,000 yrl '06 KEESEP). €8,250. Margins: HD, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 3.40, 4.90, 16.00. Also Ran: Rainbow Crossing (GB), Lessing (Fr), Time to Beat (Ger), Desert Chill, Thanks Again (Ire). Scratched: Conference Call (GB).

Stepping up from a first win at Longchamp Apr. 21, Sefroua doubled up back there May 15 and ran second in the Listed Prix des Lilas at Saint-Cloud on stakes debut June 9. She lined up for this off another second in the Listed Prix Amandine back at the Bois de Boulogne track July 12. Restrained in rear until coaxed closer off the home turn, she challenged at the eighth pole and kept on strongly under urging to deny Trip to Glory in the shades of the post to lead home a trifecta for the Jean-Claude Rouget yard. "That is certainly a nice result for the stable," commented Rouget. "Sefroua deserved to win such a contest, but it looks as though her future lies abroad. I will now get her ready to run in the [Sept. 6] GI Garden City H. at Belmont Park next time. Trip to Glory and Quarayed will keep running at this level and their day will come." U.S. fans are well familiar with Sefroua's second dam, the brilliant champion Serena's Song, while her dam Sophisticat was a Group 1 winner in England. Sophisticat's 2006 foal, a filly by Fusaichi Pegasus named Pursuit of Glory (Ire), is as yet unraced.

Deauville, 2.50, Cond, €29,000, 2yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:06.10, gd/sf.

ANYAAR (IRE) (f, 2, Green Desert-Petit Calva {Fr} {MSW & GSP-Fr, \$102,111}, by Desert King {Ire}), third at Maisons-Laffitte last time July 29, was given an early smack to claim the advantage after the initial strides in this. Pushed along with 350 meters remaining, the 13-5 chance was ridden out in the closing stages to just hold the late thrust of Privalova (Ire) (Alhaarth {Ire}) by a short head in the bobber. The winner was a €90,000 GOFNOV foal and a €150,000 DEAAUG yearling. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €18,850.

O-Sh. Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Kildaragh Stud; T-F Head.



★ IRELAND ★

BLANDFORD AIM FOR KATIYRA

His Highness The Aga Khan's **Katiyra** (**Ire**) (Peintre Celebre) is likely to step back up in grade and tackle the G2 Blandford S. following her success in the Listed Hurry Harriet S. Trainer John Oxx has pinpointed the Sept. 13 Curragh contest as the next port of call for the G1 Epsom Oaks third, who opened her stakes account at Gowran Park on Wednesday. "We were very happy with her at Gowran and it was a bit of a relief, as the ground was very heavy and it was a bit of a decision to make to actually run her," Oxx told *PA Sport*. "She put in a good show and moved well, so we will probably run her in the Blandford S. at the Curragh next."



GROUP WINNER BY U.S. SIRE IN ARGENTINA:

Marsigliese (Arg), f, 3, Mutakddim--Marsella (Arg), by Southern Halo. La Plata, 8-12, Clasico Diego White-G3, 1700m, 1:44.99. Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0, P33,000. O/B-Santa Ines; T-Juan Udaondo.

Compasivo Cat (Arg), c, 4, Easing Along--La Tosquera (MGSW & G1SP-Arg), by Tempranero (Chi). San Isidro, 8-13, Clasico Pippermint-G2, 1000mT, :54.26. Lifetime Record: MG1SW-Arg, 11-6-3-1, P34,485. O-Stud Aladino; B-Haras El Alfalfar; T-Roberto Pellegata. *2008 Gran Premio Carreras de las Estrellas Sprint winner added his fifth victory at the group level to his resume.

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STAKES RESULTS:

GEORGE SLOAN NOVICE HURDLE S., \$70,000, SAR, 8-14, (R), 4yo/up, 2 1/2mT, 4:47 4/5, sf.

- 1--#LOOK AT HIM, 142, g, 6, Crowd Pleaser--Visioness, by Buckfinder. O-William L Pape; B-WM L Pape & Jonathan E Sheppard (PA); T-Jonathan E Sheppard; J-Robert Walsh; \$39,900. Lifetime Record: 9-4-1-0, \$88,800.
- 2--Swagger Stick, 146, g, 7, Cozzene--Regal State, by Affirmed. (220,000gns HRA '04 TATHIT). O-Mrs S K Johnston, Jr. \$12,600.
- 3--Sermon of Love, 142, g, 5, Pulpit--Plenty of Sugar, by Ascot Knight. (\$62,000 HRA '07 KEEJAN). O-Calvin Houghland. \$7,000.

Margins: 3 3/4, 1, 4. Odds: 6.60, 3.60, 7.60.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

3rd-WOX, **\$69,931**, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45 2/5, ft.

DANCINGALL THEWAY (g, 3, A Fleets Dancer--Roses At Sunset, by Valid Appeal) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$144,904. O-K K Sangara. B-Cam Allard (ON). T-Lorne Richards. *\$10,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT.

2nd-WOX, \$67,455, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000-\$77,500), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT, 1:22 3/5, gd. SECOND OFFENSE (f, 4, Johannesburg--Hard Evidence, by Alleged) Lifetime Record: SP, 18-4-2-2, \$212,455. O-Luis De Hechavarria. B-Dolphus C Morrison (KY). T-lan Howard. *\$100,000 wlng '04 KEENOV. **1/2 to Rapid Proof (Fast Play), MSW & MGSP, \$506,338.

2nd-WOX, **\$59,482**, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2fT, 1:15 4/5, fm.

ROCKGLEN (c, 3, Bold n' Flashy--Katebyrne, by Geiger Counter) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$84,384. O-James and Alice Sapara. B-Michael C Byrne (ON). T-Josie Carroll. *C\$160,000 yrl '06 ONTSEP. **1/2 to Ruby Park (Bold Ruckus), SW & GSP, \$286,984; Tothemoonandback (Perigee Moon), SW, \$246,021; Backgammon (Perigee Moon), SP, \$168,030.

7th-PID, **\$53,200**, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04 1/5, ft.

THORNY (g, 3, Cat's Career--Chenin Rose, by Chenin Blanc) Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$96,000. O/T-Barbara E Burdick. B-Jerome C Burdick (PA).

7th-MTH, \$**51,000**, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:43 3/5, ft.

EXCITABLE MISS (m, 5, Why Change--Verde Valley, by Evening Kris) Lifetime Record: 19-3-4-4, \$158,935. O/B/T-Joseph H Pierce Jr (NJ).

5th-PID, **\$41,580**, NW4L, 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09 1/5, ft.

NAKAYAMA ARASHI (c, 4, Is It True--Fortunate Chick, by Fortunate Prospect) Lifetime Record: SP, 10-4-0-3, \$88,283. O-Miho Izumi. B-McKathan Bros, T Bowling & B Dodd Inc (FL). T-Akiko M Gothard. *\$41,000 wlng '04 OBSOCT; \$230,000 2yo '06 OBSFEB; \$55,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

1st-EVD, \$38,250, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft. BARUFF (g, 3, <u>Afternoon Deelites</u>--Filaree {SP, \$319,257}, by Saros {GB}) Lifetime Record: 6-3-0-0, \$60,950. O/B-Earl & Keith Hernandez (LA). T-F Leggio.

8th-PID, **\$37,000**, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:09 3/5, ft.

PROUD HEIRESS (f, 4, <u>Broken Vow</u>--Raise a Carter, by Dr. Carter) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-2, \$62,044. O/B-Respite Farm Inc (KY). T-Wayne D Mogge. *1/2 to Red Chili Pepper (Unbridled), MSW-Jpn, \$1,826,520.



7th-APX, **\$34,500**, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW3X, 3yo/up, a5fT, :58 2/5, gd.

ROCK GOLD (g, 4, El Prado {Ire}--Nice Change, by Gulch) Lifetime Record: 19-5-6-1, \$199,136. O-Mrs S K Johnston, Jr. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Walter M Bindner Jr. *\$115,000 2yo 2006 ADNMAR. **1/2 to Sidcup (Running Stag), SW, \$183,306.

8th-LRL, \$32,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000-\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, a1 1/16m, 1:44 2/5, ft. P V LIGHTENING (g, 4, Sultry Song--McKilts {MSW & GSP, \$260,968}, by Deputed Testamony) Lifetime Record: SW, 11-3-2-1, \$94,364. O-Dave Chappell, Bill Pershin & Michael Sutherland. B-North Highland Farm (MD). T-Gary Capuano.

7th-LRL, \$31,000, Opt. Clm. (\$32,000-\$28,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 1m (off turf), 1:38 4/5, my. TERMSOFENGAGEMENT (g, 3, Private Terms-Summers Sassy Gal, by Black Tie Affair {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SW, 15-4-1-5, \$112,817. O-Chance Romance Racing. B-Summer Place Farm (FL). T-Nancy H Alberts.

1st-APX, **\$30,500**, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1X, 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:10 2/5, ft.

SUMMER FLIGHT (f, 3, Trippi--Summer Sweetheart, by Honor Grades) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$47,755.

O-Greg Besinger. B-Mr & Mrs Samuel H Rogers Jr (FL).

T-Frank L Brothers.

9th-LAD, \$26,000, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 2/5, gd.

MAN NAMED SUE (g, 4, Commanchero--Susue Sue, by Sky Classic) Lifetime Record: SW, 10-3-1-2, \$70,038. O/B-Griffon Farms (TX). T-Michelle Lovell.

7th-LRL, **\$26,000**, NW1X, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT, 1:01 2/5, fm.

EARLSWOOD PETE (g, 3, Mojave Moon--Lady Beaumont {SW, \$104,285}, by Lord Gaylord) Lifetime Record: 11-2-1-0, \$44,250. O-Gene Pantalone. B-Mrs J W Y Martin Jr (MD). T-Martin E Ciresa. *\$16,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT. **1/2 to First Arrival (Deputed Testamony), SW, \$239,386.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- + Truthy, f, 2, Grand Slam--Hope for Love (MSP, \$101,440), by Fortunate Prospect. DMR, 8-14, (C), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05 1/5. B-Terrapin Stables Inc, Brian Morgan & Kevin McGoey (KY). *\$85,000 wlng '06 KEENOV; \$100,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; \$220,000 2yo '08 OBSMAR.
- New God Code, c, 2, Omega Code--Kylie Is for Real, by Prospect Bay. CRC, 8-14, (C), 5f, :59 3/5. B-Majestic Farm (FL). *\$17,000 2yo '08 OBSAPR. **Eighth winner for freshman sire (Elsuive Quality).
- Charter Class, g, 2, Out of Place--Holy Class, by Holy Bull. APX, 8-14, (S), 1m (AWT), 1:40. B-Doyce & Shirley Ellenburg (IL).

- + My Reflection, f, 2, Roaring Fever--Frans Reflection, by Aloha Prospector. CRC, 8-14, (C), 5f, 1:00 3/5. B-Lynne M. Scace (NY). *First winner for freshman sire (by Storm Cat).
- Humble Storm Kathy, f, 2, Storm and a Half--Humble Kathy, by Forever Dancer. EVD, 8-14, 5f, :58 4/5. B-Jim Danaher (AR).
- Jet Set Guy, c, 2, Unbridled Jet--Special Virtue, by Affirmed. MTH, 8-14, (S), 5f, :58 3/5. B-Charles & Marianne Hesse (NJ).
- Vinnies Wild Tale, g, 2, West Acre--Royal Prairie, by Louis Quatorze. SAR, 8-14, (C), 6f, 1:11. B-John Dillon & John McGreevy (FL). *\$7,000 yrl '07 OBSAUG.
- Our Bernadette, f, 3, <u>Bernstein</u>--Witchwayisopen, by Irish Open. PID, 8-14, (S), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05 1/5. B-EQB Inc (PA).
- Chicks Are Better, f, 3, Gold Token--I'm So Agreeable, by I Enclose. SAR, 8-14, (S), 7f (off turf), 1:23 4/5. B-Very Un Stable (NY). *\$25,000 yrl '06 OBSAUG. *1/2 to Longingtobeme (Belong To Me), MSP, \$214,812.
- Cool Haleigh, f, 3, Gulch--Cool Ashlee (SW & GISP, \$197,563), by Mister Baileys (GB). DMR, 8-14, (C), 6f (AWT), 1:11 2/5. B-Sequel 2004 (KY). *\$40,000 yrl '06 KEESEP; \$150,000 2yo 2007 BESMAY.
- Romilly Rascal, g, 3, One Way Love--Lively U, by Lively One. WOX, 8-14, (S), 6f (AWT), 1:11 2/5. B-Dennis Morrison & Karin Schmidt (ON). *C\$20,000 yrl '06 ONTSEP. **1/2 to U R Flashy (Bold N' Flashy), SW, \$113,771.
- Chauette, f, 3, Pleasant Tap--Quiet Fun (SP, \$158,277), by Quiet American. SAR, 8-14, (C), 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:04 1/5. B-Shawn Dugan (KY). *\$70,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT.
- Sarah's Best Day, f, 3, Storm Day--Shesa Due (SW), by Fast Gold. EVD, 8-13, (S), 7f, 1:24 4/5. B-Clear Creek Stud LLC & Valene Farms (LA). *\$16,500 yrl '06 LOUOCT. **1/2 to Autobesarah (Autocracy), MSP, \$397,399.
- Brother Sy, c, 3, Syncline--Cozzy Rhythm, by Cozzene. PEN, 8-13, (S), 1mT, 1:34 2/5. B-Mr & Mrs Randall L Rolfe (PA). *\$2,000 yrl '06 FTMOCT.
- Shes a Real Keeper, f, 3, Unusual Heat--Woodlyn Miss, by Slew's Royalty. DMR, 8-14, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:41 4/5. B-Fanning & Burnett (CA). *SP.
- Laffans Bridge, f, 3, West Acre--Riccio's Best, by Pappa Riccio. MTH, 8-14, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:41 4/5.

 B-William F & Annabel Murphy (FL). *1/2 to Red Ruffle (Montreal Red), SW, \$131,986.
- Corporate Mistress, f, 4, Pin Stripe--Corporate Romance, by Corporate Report. PID, 8-14, (S), 1m (AWT), 1:40 3/5. B-William J. Solomon DVM (PA). *\$7,000 HRA 2007 MNTSPR.

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IN AUSTRALASIA:

Black Routine (NZ), g, 5, Black Minnaloushe--Reining Stars (NZ), by Star Way (GB). Rosehill (Sydney), 8-9, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7 1/2fT. B-Windsor Park Stud Ltd.

Rash Promise (Aus), m, 6, More Than Ready--Triattica (Aus), by Centaine (Aus). Doomben (Brisbane), 8-2, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1m 20ydsT. B-Vinery Australia NSW Pty Ltd.

IN ARGENTINA:

Crazy Gulch (Arg), c, 3, Thunder Gulch--Crazy Fitz (Arg), by Fitzcarraldo (Arg). Palermo, 8-11, Mdn, 1400m, 1:23.10. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0. O-Stud La Frontera; B-Haras Firmamento; T-Juan C Etchechoury Jr.

Sarky (Arg), c, 4, Salt Lake-Sarka (Arg), by Cipayo (Arg). Palermo, 8-11, Cond, 1000m, :56.14. Lifetime Record: 9-3-0-0. O-Stud Rincon de Piedra; B-Haras La Quebrada; T-Marcelo Sueldo.

IN CHILE:

Grabadoenelcorazon (Chi), c, 3, Muqtarib--Villa Devoto (Chi), by Polar Gap (Chi). Valparaiso Sporting Club, 8-13, Mdn, 1400m. O-Stud Los Tablones, B-Haras Itihue. T-Carlos Garcia.



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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Vichy, 6.20, 8-14, €27,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:43.94, sf.
MONDOVINO (FR) (h, 5, Black Minnaloushe--Divinite,

by Alleged) Lifetime Record: 20 starts, 3 wins, 11 places, €95,280. O-Ecurie Foret Jaune; B-Haras du Mezeray; T-Rodolphe Collet.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Athania (Ire), f, 2, Fath--Xania (GB), by Mujtahid. Salisbury, Britain, 8-14, Mdn, 2yo, 6f 212ydsT. B-Mrs Anne Marie Burns. *5,000gns yrl '07 DONSEP.

Red Kyte (GB), f, 2, Hawk Wing-Ruby Affair (Ire), by Night Shift. Beverley, Britain, 8-14, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5fT. B-Peter Hodgson and Star Pointe Limited. *55,000gns yrl '07 TATOCT.

Racconigi (Ity), c, 2, <u>Spinning World</u>--Ravana (Ger), by Lomitas (GB). Varese, Italy, 8-13, Mdn, 2yo, 7 1/2fT. B-Gialloblu. *1/2 to Rastignano (Ire) (Spartacus {Ire}), MSW-Ity, \$144,077.

Dalaval (Ire), c, 3, Dalakhani (Ire)--Mayenne, by Nureyev. Tramore, Ireland, 8-14, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-Kilcarn Stud. *1/2 to My Renee (Kris S.), Hwt. Older Mare-Ire at 11-14f, SW & GSP-Eng, SW-Ire, \$128,023.

Kouradj (Fr), c, 3, Kingsalsa--Kuneitra (Fr), by Lead on Time. Vichy, France, 8-14, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Mme Henri de la Chauvelais. * 1/2 to Kouroun (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}), GSW-Fr; Kourka (Fr) (Keos), MGSP-Fr, \$209,995.

Willridge (GB), g, 3, Tumbleweed Ridge (GB)--Minnina (Ire), by In the Wings (GB). Salisbury, Britain, 8-14, Mdn, 3-4yo, 6f 212ydsT. B-Mayden Stud, J A Dewhurst & D S Dewhurst.

