



HEADLINE NEWS

ECLIPSE ON THE LINE AT LAUREL?

Seven sprinters go after the lion's share of the purse in today's GI Frank J. DeFrancis Dash at Laurel Park, but that may not be all that's on the line. "Everyone's saying the winner of this race wins the Eclipse Award," said trainer Bruce Headley, who saddles **Kona Gold** (Java Gold) in the six-furlong event. Last year's Sprint champion looked certain to pick up another year-end award after starting 2001 with wins in the Mar. 4 GI San Carlos H., Apr. 1 GII Potrero Grande Breeders' Cup H. and July 22 GII Bing Crosby Breeders' Cup H., but he has been beaten in his last two outings, finishing second in the Oct. 6 GI Ancient Title Breeders' Cup H. and a lackluster seventh in the Oct. 27 GI Breeders' Cup Sprint. "After the Breeders' Cup performance, people were questioning his abilities and my training methods," Headley said. "We wanted to be closer [to the pace in the Breeders' Cup], but it didn't happen, so we changed our training approach, working him short quick eighths for this one, and we plan on being right with the filly on Saturday." "The filly" would be **Xtra Heat** (Dixieland Heat), who went right to the front on Breeders' Cup Day, zipped through a half in :44 1/5 and five-eighths in :56 1/5, and then just failed to hold off Squirtle Squirt, running second by a half length. It was the three-year-old's first loss at six furlongs after 10 wins at the distance. But don't expect the bay to change tactics this time. "I'm sure everyone knows that she's pretty sudden away from the gate and they're going to try a little harder," trainer John Salzman said. "They're not going to throw their hands in the air and let me go. But she runs hard--she'll run her race. She couldn't train any better than she has done."

Saturday, Laurel Park, post time: 4:06 p.m. EST

FRANK J. DEFRANCIS MEMORIAL DASH-GI,
\$300,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Say Florida Sandy	Personal Flag	Serey	8-1
2	Xtra Heat	Dixieland Heat	Salzman	2-1
3	Delaware Township	Notebook	Perkins Jr	8-1
4	Early Flyer	Gilded Time	McAnally	12-1
5	Caller One	Phone Trick	Chapman	7-2
6	Boots On Sunday	Pine Bluff	Pish	30-1
7	Kona Gold	Java Gold	Headley	3-2

TIZNOW RETIRED

Tiz over. The first horse to successfully defend his GI Breeders' Cup Classic title, **Tiznow** (Cee's Tizzy--Cee's Song, by Seattle Song) has been retired from racing. Stud plans have not yet been announced for the four-year-old. "The final decision was made at 5:00 [Friday] morning," said co-owner Michael Cooper. "I had previously stated that I was interested in running him December 1st in the Hollywood Park Turf Cup and yesterday, a real nice horse broke down on the turf there [Mannard, see p2], and when I was reading that this morning I just decided that Tiznow has done everything anyone ever could have hoped for. I cannot disclose the parties currently, but he will be in the state of Kentucky." Cooper indicated that an official statement would be issued soon regarding Tiznow's stud plans. In 2000, the big colt set a new track record in winning the GI Louisiana Derby last year, covering the 10 furlongs in 1:59 4/5, then added a victory in the GII Goodwood H. before heading to Churchill Downs, where he defeated Giant's Causeway in a spectacular renewal of the GI Breeders' Cup Classic. That performance earned him honors as the nation's champion three-year-old colt and Horse of the Year. Tiznow won the GII San Fernando Breeders' Cup in January to start off the new year, but finished second in the GII Strub S. before bouncing back to take the GI Santa Anita H. by five lengths Mar. 3. The California-bred bay was diagnosed with a back problem following that effort and was laid up for six months, but returned to action with a third in the GI Woodward S. at Belmont Sept. 8. He followed that up with a third in the GII Goodwood H. Oct. 7, but returned to his best form to deny Arc hero Sakhee in a sensational GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Belmont Oct. 27. Rumors about the colt's future began to circulate soon after, with the GII Clark H. and the GI Hollywood Turf Cup mentioned as possibilities for his next start. However, Tiznow had not breezed since before the Breeders' Cup. His record stands at 15-8-4-2 with earnings of \$6,427,830. "I love him and I'm gonna keep loving him and I'm going to keep owning part of him," Cooper continued. "I saw [Tiznow] yesterday and he was glorious. It's nice to retire him that way--he doesn't have a pimple on him." *Cont. p2*

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★ FRANCE ★

SAINT PARDOUX TOPS GOFFS FRANCE FINALE

At yesterday's final session of the Goffs France Autumn Sale, **Saint Pardoux (Fr)** (Morespeed {GB}--Tarde {Fr}, by Kashtan {Fr}), a two-year-old full brother to Le Sauvignon (Fr) and Cognac Hennessy Gold Cup favourite Montifault (Fr), was sold to Highflyer Bloodstock for top price of FF580,000. Highflyer also paid FF440,000 for the second-highest price of the session, NH Listed winner **Coralisse Royale (Fr)** (Tip Moss {Fr}), in foal to Cyborg (Fr). During Friday's session, 79 lots sold for FF6,035,000 and averaged FF76,392. For the two-day sale, 181 horses sold for FF21,642,000. The sale average was FF119,560. At last year's sale, 123 horses sold for a gross of FF16,241,000 and an average of FF132,041.

Saturday, Marseille-Borely, France, post time: 3:00 p.m.
GRAND PRIX DE MARSEILLE-Listed, FF380,000,
 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	8	Cut Quartz (Fr)	Johann Quatz (Fr)	Gibson	129
2	10	Bedawin (Fr)	Double Bed (Fr)	Doumen	129
3	3	Copper Carnival (GB)	Petit Loup (USA)	Rossi	126
4	4	Isigny (Fr)	Ajdayt (USA)	Smaga	126
5	1	Sojourner (USA)	Gone West (USA)	Pantall	126
6	5	Jewel King (Fr)	Sicyos (USA)	Van Zuylen	126
7	7	Breknen Le Noir (Fr)	Pelder (Ire)	Barbe	122
8	9	Pour Le Plaisir (Fr)	Art Francais (USA)	Borgel	122
9	2	Sylflore (Fr)	Marignan (USA)	Pantall	122
10	6	Malacca (Fr)	Exit To Nowhere (USA)	Boulard	119

Saturday, Marseille-Borely, France, post time: 2:00 p.m.
PRIX DELAHANTE-Listed, FF240,000, 2yo, 1 1/8mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Inesperado (Fr)	Zayyani (Ire)	Rossi	123
2	4	Sao Meo (Fr)	Ski Chief (USA)	Gentile	123
3	2	Mangrove (Fr)	Bering (GB)	Rossi	123
4	5	Golden Cortez (USA)	Williamstown (USA)	Gibson	123
5	6	True Phenomenon (US)	Afternoon Deelites (US)	Rouget	123
6	9	Sophorific (Ire)	Danehill (USA)	M Easterby	120
7	1	La Premia (Fr)	Priolo (USA)	Rossi	120
8	7	Alozaina (Ire)	Perugino (USA)	Laffon-Parias	120
9	8	Agua Caliente (Fr)	Grape Tree Road (GB)	Cargeeg	120

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★ ITALY ★

ANAC MIXED SALE TODAY

Italy's last sale of the year starts today at Settimo Milanese at 10 a.m. In the "asta generale," organized by SGA, 174 of the 192 lots catalogued will go under the hammer, including mares in foal, fillies in and out of training, horses in training, foals and yearlings. For the first time, there are mares and fillies from Germany, including two lots from Gestut Fahrhof Stiftung. Among the Italians, lot 13, **Janestra (Ire)** (Steamer Duck {USA}), in foal to Central Park (Ire), looks an interesting prospect as the only Ascagnano offering, while the dispersal of the Allevamento del Velino near Rome is bound to attract attention. The possibility of buying mares and fillies using premiums won by breeders should help strengthen the market. The latest news and updated results can be viewed at www.anacpurosangue.com.

★ IRELAND ★

EGAN TAKES OVER AT TURF CLUB

Denis Egan was yesterday appointed the new chief executive of the Irish Turf Club, succeeding Brian Kavanagh as of Dec. 1. Senior steward Raymond Rooney said of Egan, who was Turf Club financial controller since 1995: "As we enter this very exciting time for Irish racing and indeed for the Turf Club, we are fortunate to be able to make this appointment. Denis Egan has a wealth of experience and his personal qualities will ensure that he will make a great success of this demanding position."

★ BRITAIN ★

DUNLOP ON THE MEND

Trainer John Dunlop has undergone an abdominal operation and is recovering well. In a statement issued to *PA Sport*, Dunlop's wife Sue said: "After undergoing tests in hospital it was deemed necessary for my husband to undergo an abdominal operation, which I am pleased to report he has come through well."

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★ AUSTRALASIA ★

WINNERS BY EUROPEAN STALLIONS:

Oxford Princess (Aus), f, 3, **Magic Ring (Ire)**--Mamma Rossa (Aus), by Red Anchor (NZ). Wyong (New South Wales), 11-15, Chandon Maiden, 3yo/up, 5fT, A\$5,200 to winner. B-Mr G Bonaccordo & Mr J Yee; T-Paul Sutherland.

Post (Aus), f, 3, **Octagonal (NZ)**--Merlene (Aus) (Ch. 2yo-Aus, MG1SW-Aus), by Danehill (USA). Bendigo (Victoria), 11-15, Pentax Maiden, 3yo, c/g, 7fT, A\$7,150 to winner. B-Mr K Packer; T-Miles Plumb.

Time Off (Aus), g, 4, **Night Shift (USA)**--Sonolia (NZ) (SW-NZ), by Sound Reason (Can). Wyong (New South Wales), 11-15, Sir James H., 3yo/up, 1mT, A\$5,200 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

Neptune's Gift (GB), f, 2, **Lugana Beach (Ire)**--Not So Generous (Ire), by Fayruz (GB). Southwell, Britain, 11-16, Minster Maiden Auction S. (Class F), 2yo, 5f (AWT), £2,919 to winner. B-P Balding. *2,800gns yrl '00 DONOCT.



WRITERS UP

DESTINATION UNKNOWN

By Tom Frary

"Quite simply, Aidan O'Brien is the story of the two-year-olds and he has shown himself to be an exceptional trainer. He is in a league of his own and he's just got it sussed." That is the summary of Matthew Tester, official handicapper of two-year-olds in Britain. Besides **Johannesburg (USA)** (Hennessy {USA}), O'Brien also delivered **Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)** (Danehill {USA}) to win the Railway, Gimcrack, Grand Criterium and Dewhurst without missing a beat. Tester speaks of the "Rock" as a "sweet, sweet horse" who was "brilliantly placed." He goes on: "What was exceptional about Rock of Gibraltar was his ability to repeat his rating over and over--that and the fact that O'Brien kept him sweet for so long." Tester is also aware of the immense promise of O'Brien's **Hawk Wing (USA)** (Woodman {USA}), winner of the G1 National S. at The Curragh Sept. 16: "He will be rated somewhere between Johannesburg and Rock of Gibraltar and the feeling is that he will come on next year. When you look at his National S. form, there isn't a figure anywhere in that race that looks loose. Everything points to him being a Group 1

three-year-old."

O'Brien aside, this year's International Classifications will point to an overall lack of strength in depth in the juvenile department, particularly regarding the British-trained contingent. The colts from Britain suffered a whitewash which even the French managed to avoid, thanks to G1 Criterium International winner **Act One (GB)** (In The Wings {GB}), who may have arrested what Tester calls the recent French "slump." That blank sheet may be surprising as David Loder's army had looked destined for great things at the beginning of the 2001 season, Loder's first back in Newmarket since 1998. Their failure to capture a single Group 1 race among them may be indicative of a downturn in the overall quality of British-trained two-year-olds, so readily quashed by the concerted efforts of the Ballydoyle raiders. Tester explains that his offering to the panel of international handicappers who meet in December will testify to the common impression. He says: "The number of horses I'm submitting at 110 pounds plus this year looks significantly lower. Queen's Logic looks exceptional, and what Johannesburg did achieve is exceptional but if you look beyond those what other superstars are there?"

That is the question that faces Tester as he looks at the season's other notables from Britain. Apart from the enigmatic **Captain Rio (GB)** (Pivotal {GB}), **Dubai Destination (USA)** (Kingmambo {USA}), winner of Doncaster's Champagne S. Sept. 14, is set to carry the flag. His length defeat of Rock of Gibraltar there was a rare reverse for Ballydoyle and left an indelible mark on those who witnessed it. Unquestionably David Loder's best two-year-old, his absence in the G1 Dewhurst S. at Newmarket Oct. 20 due to a setback robbed all of a memorable re-match. Tester likes him: "We haven't seen the best of Dubai Destination and I was hoping he would turn up for the Dewhurst. He won in tremendous style at Doncaster and won by a length only because the jockey chose to and his rating will reflect that sort of superiority." Was Tester disappointed with the performance of Loder's juveniles at the highest level? He goes on: "It seemed to be the pattern with Loder's two-year-olds that there were a lot of horses with capital 'P' for progressive after their maiden wins but that promise didn't get translated. However, those that demonstrated inherent ability will find an opportunity to express that later."

However, without any credible prospects from the yards of Henry Cecil, John Gosden or Richard Hannon, filling important places in the ante-post betting for the Classics, is all hope lost for a domestic success in the early Classics next year? Tester does not think so: "If you asked me now what could be a British winner of a Guineas, it would be Dubai Destination. Remember, ratings are a history lesson and not a prediction for the



future.”



WEST NILE VIRUS DIAGNOSIS CONFIRMED

The Kentucky State Veterinarian's office has confirmed a preliminary diagnosis of the West Nile virus in a horse that had been stabled at Churchill Downs. The two-year-old colt Rocket Express was suspected to have laminitis in late October and was taken to Hagyard-Davidson-McGee equine clinic in Lexington, where he was euthanized Oct. 25. Samples from Rocket Express were examined at the National Veterinary Services Laboratory in Ames, Iowa. Additional testing of the samples will take place. The number of confirmed cases of West Nile fever in Kentucky is now eight. The virus causes encephalitis, inflammation of the brain. Horses may be incidental hosts, but are not believed to be carriers of the disease.

☆ NEW YORK ☆

Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$56,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:49, fm.

1--**I'M ALL YOURS, 120, c, 4, Belong to Me--**

Phalanopsis, by Cormorant. O-Anstu Stables; B-Gerald A Nielsen (NY); T-Todd A Pletcher. Lifetime Record: MSW, 12-7-0-2, \$287,630. *1/2 to Roman Dancer (Polish Numbers), SW, \$101,940.

2--**Little Ghazi, 117, h, 5, Ghazi--Country Chelsie, by Country Pine.**

3--**Strike Zone, 117, h, 8, Time for a Change--Music Zone, by The Minstrel.**

Margins: 3/4, NK, NO. Odds: 3.75, 4.20, 50.00.

Six-for-nine on the grass coming into this race, I'm All Yours posted a rallying victory over fellow New York-breds in the Oct. 20 Mohawk H. last time out. The second choice facing open company off that effort, the bay trailed the field for the opening six furlongs, then came flying down the lane to score the narrow victory.

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7th-AQU, \$48,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:34 4/5, ft.

1--**MONGOOSE, 119, c, 3, Broad Brush--Salty Gal, by Cox's Ridge.** O-West Gary L & Mary E; B-Beth H Clifton (KY); T-William I Mott. Lifetime Record: SW & GSP, 13-4-1-2, \$310,531.

2--**Justification, 117, c, 4, Miner's Mark--Uncanny Tam, by Assert (Ire).**

3--**No Bad Habits, 114, h, 7, Roanoke--Meg's Habit, by Crafty Prospector.**

Margins: HF, 1, 7 3/4. Odds: 0.45, 4.20, 6.30.

The front-running winner of the Cradle S. at River Downs at two, Mongoose was considered a Triple Crown candidate, finishing a distant third in the Mar. 24 GII Spiral S. But he was taken off the trail after a dismal ninth-place showing in the Apr. 14 GII Arkansas Derby. The bay improved to be fourth in the off-the-turf GIII Jersey Derby at Monmouth Park May 27, then took a three-month vacation. Off the board in a Saratoga turf allowance in his Aug. 25 return, the \$370,000 KESEP yearling was then second in the Sept. 22 Summing S. at the Meadowlands before running away to a 10 1/2-length victory in a Belmont allowance test Oct. 26. Looking to make it two in a row, he pressed the early pace, took over after six furlongs and outfinished Justification for the win.

4th-AQU, \$42,000, Msw, 2yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:44, fm.

ORCHARD PARK (c, 2, Hennessy--Blue Begum {MSP-Ger}, by With Approval) missed by 3/4-length in his turf bow Oct. 4 and switched back to the main track Oct. 28 at Belmont, where he was again the runner-up. Back on turf, the chestnut colt rated along the inside, angled out at the top of the stretch and went on to score by 2 1/2 lengths over Victory Gallop's half-brother Run to Victory (Gilded Time) as the 7-5 favorite. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-1, \$48,970.

O-Peter Vegso. B-Vegso Racing Stable (FL). T-William I Mott.

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☆ MIDWEST ☆

Spain Trains:

Spain (Thunder Gulch) drilled five panels in :59 4/5 yesterday at Churchill Downs, the second fastest time of the day. The 2000 GI Breeders' Cup Distaff heroine goes next in the GIII Falls City H. on Thanksgiving.

McPeek Mulling his Options:

Trainer Kenny McPeek will likely run both of his graded-stakes winning juveniles, **Repent** (Louis Quatorze) and **Harlan's Holiday** (Harlan), in the GII Kentucky Jockey Club S. Nov. 24. McPeek had considered the GII Remsen S. at Aqueduct the same day for either colt, but has apparently ruled out that option. "I'm not really happy about running them against each other," he said. "At this point we're planning on running them both. This is not a dilemma. A dilemma is when you don't have anything for the race. So two is not a problem, it's a really good thing. We'll take it how it comes."

Geri Moving to Hill 'n' Dale:

Geri (Theatrical {Ire}--Garimpeiro, by Mr. Prospector), whose first crop hit the tracks this year, will move to Hill 'n' Dale Farm in Lexington for 2002. The nine-year-old chestnut, a Grade I winner of more than \$1.7 million, will stand for a fee of \$5,000 live foal. The sire of stakes winner Bedanken from his first crop, he joins his sire at Hill 'n' Dale.

Yesterday's Results:

8th-CDX, \$44,200, Alw, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, ft. THUNDER DAYS (c, 2, Thunder Gulch--Mercenary Hawk, by Silver Hawk), third in the GI Hopeful S. at Saratoga Sept. 1, tired trying a one-turn mile and a sixteenth in the Oct. 6 GI Champagne S. in his next start and finished fifth. He dropped back to a mile last time out and was an even third in the Oct. 26 GIII Nashua S. at Belmont. Trying two turns for the first time after a trip to Louisville, the dark bay closed from the middle of the pack to win going away by 2 1/2 lengths as the 17-10 chalk. Lifetime Record: GISP, 6-2-1-2, \$106,933. O-Tom R Durant. B-James Moffett (KY). T-Ronny Werner.

10th-CDX, \$40,300, Msw, 2yo, 7f, 1:23 2/5, ft. EASYFROMTHEGITGO (c, 2, Dehere--Montera, by Easy Goer), a \$125,000 KEESEP yearling, put together three straight runner-up finishes, most recently missing by 1 1/2 lengths with first-time Lasix at Churchill Downs Oct. 28. Off at 19-10 to find the winner's circle this time, the bay stalked the leaders to the stretch before striding to the front and pulling away to a 3 3/4-length tally. Lifetime Record: 4-1-3-0, \$49,725. O-Cassels James & Zollars Bob. B-Twilite Farms Inc (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.

4th-CDX, \$39,370, Msw, 2yo, 7f, 1:22 3/5, ft. +BUNK N TED (c, 2, Belong to Me--Littlemountaingirl, by Synastry), a \$30,000 KEESEP yearling purchase, posted a bullet 1:13 2/5 going three-quarters over the Churchill training track, but was let go at 18-1 for his career opener. Bumped at the start, the grey colt tracked the pace from the inside, rallied up the rail in the stretch and was bumped repeatedly by Perfect Drift (Dynaformer), but showed determination to get the win by a neck over that rival. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,265. O-Brook T Smith & Danny Hutt. B-Lazy E Ranch Inc (KY). T-Danny Hutt.

Thursday's Late Results:

6th-HOU, \$13,000, Msw, 11-15, 3yo, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft. +POMPANO BEACH (c, 3, Mr. Greeley--Merry Deputy {MSW, \$114,455}, by Silver Deputy), a \$20,000 KEENOV weanling and a \$42,000 FTKJUL yearling, was the 9-10 choice in his career opener. The dark bay bided his time at the back of the pack for a half mile, circled the field at the top of the stretch and got up to beat 2-1 Tainted Chimes (Chimes Band) by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$7,800. O-Nelson Bunker Hunt. B-Clair N Hume III (KY). T-S M Asmussen.

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Yesterday's Results:

7th-WOX, \$55,400, Msw, 3&4yo, 1 1/8m, 1:52 2/5, ft.

NORTHERN POLE (c, 3, Polish Numbers--Sue Warner, by *Forli), a \$600,000 FTSAUG yearling, finished off the board in his first three appearances, but got it together when trying two turns on the main track for the first time here. The 1/2 to Najecam (Tremolino), MGSP, \$175,605, let go at 8-1, went right to the front and added to his advantage at every pole, romping under the wire a 12 1/2-length winner. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-0, \$36,414.

O-Cam Allard. B-Derry Meeting Farm, et al. (PA).

T-Roger L Attfield.

☆ FOREIGN ☆

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN BRITAIN:

Fiennes, g, 3, Dayjur--Arctic Strech, by Arctic Tern. Southwell, 11-16, Carnation Claiming S. (Class F) (Div 1), 3-5yo, 6f (AWT), \$3,307 to winner. O/T-Norma Macauley; B-Golden Gate Stud. *\$6,410 2yo '00 TATAUT.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNER BY U.S. STALLION:

Randoman (NZ), g, 4, Personal Escort--Random Rose (NZ), by Random Chance (NZ). Bendigo (Victoria), 11-15, Tooheys New H., 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT, \$3,729 to winner. B-E W Ottrey & E A Peat; T-Vicki Rhind.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-CDX, \$46,800, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:42 4/5, ft. **MINISTER'S BABY (f, 3, Deputy Minister--Halo My Baby, by Halo)** Lifetime Record: SP, 13-3-4-1, \$101,077. O-Lucky Seven Stable. B-Jular Farm (KY). T-Kenneth G McPeek. *1/2 to Art Work (Czaravich), SW & MGSP, \$113,750.

6th-AQU, \$46,000, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 3/5, fm.

BICENTENNIAL (c, 3, Dynaformer--Cardonessa, by Olden Times) Lifetime Record: SP, 10-3-3-2, \$124,040. O-December Hill Farm & Ryan Michael J. B-Snowberry Farm (NY). T-Christophe Clement. *1/2 to Lilly's Moment (Timeless Moment), MSW & GSP, \$293,748.

9th-AQU, \$43,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:24 3/5, ft.

DANCE FOR CHARITY (f, 3, Phone Trick--Bright Tribute, by Barrera) Lifetime Record: 9-2-2-2, \$79,690. O-Nielsen Gerald A. B-Mr & Mrs Gerald Nielsen (NY). T-Harold James Bond. *1/2 to Lord Beer (Cormorant), SW, \$195,923; and Eliot Chacer (Clever Trick), SW, \$107,950.

7th-HOL, \$39,000, 11-15, (S), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:21 2/5, ft.

SIMONY (c, 4, Mr. Integrity--First Silver Hawk, by Silver Hawk) Lifetime Record: SP, 16-3-3-3, \$91,360. O-Richard A Englander. B-Jude T. Feld (CA). T-Scott Hansen.

7th-GGX, \$34,400, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09 3/5, ft.

KONA QUEEN (f, 3, Aloha Prospector--Second Front, by Assault Landing) Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-2, \$79,620. O-Alesia Bran Jam Stable & Ciaglia. B-Sunrise Stable South (FL). T-Peter Eurton.

7th-HAW, \$30,000, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

DELLIONAIRE (c, 4, El Prado {Ire}--Grace's Favour, by Bold Ruckus) Lifetime Record: 19-4-6-2, \$105,138. O-Mary A Calabrese. B-Andy Stronach (ON). T-Thomas F Tomillo.

10th-HAW, \$28,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:38 4/5, fm.

DEFYING ANGEL (f, 4, West By West--Instant Asset, by Slewpy) Lifetime Record: 9-2-3-1, \$58,340. O-Team Block. B-Essex Bloodstock (KY). T-Chris M Block.



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9th-PHA, \$24,928, 3yo/up, a1m70yd, 1:41 4/5, ft. REALLY IRISH (c, 4, Irish Open--Knockamore, by Christopher R.) Lifetime Record: 32-8-9-8, \$195,806. O-S S R Stable. B-Stone Church Farm (MD). T-R Vega.

2nd-CRC, \$24,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:49 3/5, fm. UNBEARABLE (c, 3, Sir Leon--Spicy Pearl, by Bet Big) Lifetime Record: 13-3-2-0, \$58,146. O-Barbara Smollin. B-Dr. A. L. Smollin (FL). T-Ralph Ziadie. *Full to Sir Bear, MGISW, \$2,406,659.

11th-HOO, \$24,000, 11-15, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:42 1/5, ft. CUCHALIAN (f, 4, Brunswick--Chapilca {Fr}, by Sicyos) Lifetime Record: 11-3-1-1, \$59,268. O-Shaw Joe & Davis Gary K. B-Gary Bouchard & Dan Mallory (IN). T-Gary K Davis.

9th-HOO, \$18,000, 11-15, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39, ft. STORMY CHEROKEE (c, 4, Mystery Storm--Happy Cherokee {MSP, \$295,984} Cherokee Fellow) Lifetime Record: 13-3-2-2, \$45,343. O-Biggs Karen J & Hays M. B-Harry T Mangurian Jr (FL). T-Steve Wren.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

Custers Last, f, 2, Allen's Prospect--Citi Sounds (SW, \$124,384), by Citidancer. HAW, 11-16, 6f, 1:13 1/5. B-CLF & Garcia & Glenn & Horwitz LLP (Md). *\$32,000 wlng '99 KEENOV.

Sir Austin, c, 2, American Chance--Edgy, by Boundary. WOX, 11-16, (C), 5f, :59 3/5. B-Glencrest Farm Llc (Ky). *\$3,000 wlng '99 KEENOV; \$15,468 yrl '00 CBSOCT.

Bee Line Genius, f, 2, Beau Genius--Makin' a Bee Line, by Lomond. CDX, 11-16, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Rick & Nancy R Kaster (Ky). *\$3,500 yrl '00 FTKOCT.

+ Bunk N Ted, c, 2, Belong to Me--Littlemountaingirl, by Synastry. CDX, 11-16, 7f, 1:22 3/5. B-Lazy E Ranch Inc (Ky). *\$30,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

Easyfromthegitgo, c, 2, Dehere--Montera, by Easy Goer. CDX, 11-16, 7f, 1:23 2/5. B-Twilite Farms, Inc (Ky). *\$125,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

Italian Wine, f, 2, Desert Wine--D' Amelia, by Hoist the Silver. GGX, 11-16, (C), 1m, 1:39 3/5. B-Ronald P Balbi (Ca).

Orchard Park, c, 2, Hennessy--Blue Begum (MSP-Ger), by With Approval. AQU, 11-16, 1 1/16mT, 1:44. B-Vegso Racing Stable (Fl).

Miss Sugar, f, 2, Lord Carson--Fairway Forever, by Quadratic. HOL, 11-15, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5. B-Dr Dan W White (Ky). *\$20,000 yrl '00 ARKOC; \$32,000 2yo 2001 OBSAPR.

Out of the Gloom, c, 2, Moses Tablet--Think of Vodka, by Cornish Cup. HOU, 11-15, (S), 1m, 1:41 3/5. B-R Margarette Higgins (Tx).

+ Whiskey Tango, f, 2, Numerous--Roving Girl, by Olden Times. CDX, 11-16, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Cypress Farms 1991 (Ky). *\$2,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

+ Pretty as Ashley, f, 2, Oliver's Twist--My Sisters Gold, by Fountain of Gold. CRC, 11-16, (C), 5f, 1:00 4/5. B-Randy Byrd (Fl). *\$5,200 2yo '01 OBSAPR. **Third winner for freshman sire (by Horatius).

Mind Reader, f, 2, West By West--Ring for Me, by The Minstrel. WOX, 11-16, (C), 7f, 1:25 3/5. B-Scott E Ricker & Richard Kaster (Ky). *\$5,200 yrl '00 FTKOCT.

Orchard Street, c, 3, Ascot Knight--Kalispera (SP), by Golden Reserve. WOX, 11-16, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:47. B-Tod Mtn Thoroughbreds (Bc). *\$21,475 yrl '99 CBSSEP. **1/2 to Bartholomew Bandy (Silver Deputy), MSP, \$342,342.

Photo I. D., f, 3, Caller I. D.--Harp Strings (Fr), by Luthier (Fr). PHA, 11-16, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 3/5. B-DJ Stable (Ky). *1/2 to Cat Attack (Styorm Cat), GSW, \$161,580.

Admiral Zimbobby, g, 3, Cryptoclearance--Megan's Navy, by Polish Navy. AQU, 11-16, (C), 9f, 1:50 3/5. B-CJ Domino Racing, Inc & Robert S Fox (Ky).

+ Dare to Be Wild, c, 3, Dare and Go--Wild and Wonderful, by Kennedy Road. GGX, 11-16, (C), 6f, 1:10. B-Patrick & Charlotte Hurley (Ca). *\$27,000 yrl '99 CALAUG.

+ Pompano Beach, c, 3, Mr. Greeley--Merry Deputy (MSW, \$114,455), by Silver Deputy. HOU, 11-15, 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Clair N Hume, III (Ky). *\$20,000 wlng '98 KEENOV; \$42,000 yrl '99 FTKJUL.

Northern Pole, c, 3, Polish Numbers--Sue Warner, by *Forli. WOX, 11-16, 1 1/8m, 1:52 2/5. B-Derry Meeting Farm, et al (Pa). *\$600,000 yrl '99 FTSAUG. **1/2 to Najecam (Tremolino), MGSP, \$175,605.

Piney Creek Duck, c, 3, Secret Hello--Ruthless Rumors, by Charging Falls. HAW, 11-16, (S), 6f, 1:13 2/5. B-Mr & Mrs Terrel Gore (Il).

Shenandoah Smile, f, 3, Virginia Rapids--Smiles With a Fist (MSW, \$250,361), by Buckley Boy. CTX, 11-15, 6 1/2f, 1:23. B-John Brincat & Jonabell Farm Inc (Ky).

We, c, 3, You and I--Whinheny (SP), by Great Above. LRL, 11-16, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:47 4/5. B-C A Hill Jr (Ky).

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Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

ALPHABET SOUP (Cozzene), Adena Springs, \$30K, 83/7/0
4-CRC, Alw, 1 1/16mT, Left Hook

ATTICUS (Nureyev), Three Chimneys, \$20K, 61/7/0
11-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Gold Tic

DIPLOMATIC JET (Roman Diplomat), Hooper, \$5K, 13/0/0
11-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Florida Diplomat, \$8K OBS OCT yrl

EDITOR'S NOTE (Forty Niner), Overbrook, \$10K, 66/9/0
9-CD, Msw, 7f, Bridge Edition, \$65K OBS AUG yrl, 10-1

GOLD CASE (Forty Niner), Adena, \$5K, 46/6/0
6-WO, Alw, 1 1/16m, Classic Case, \$145K EAS MAY 2yo, 5-2

HOLD FOR GOLD (Red Ransom), Crestwood, \$1000, 17/3/0
1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Miss Spain, 15-1

JULES (Forty Niner), Bridlewood, \$5K, 86/6/2
10-PHA, Msw, 6f, Julie's Tale, 7-2

JUST A CAT (Storm Cat), Hill 'n' Dale, \$4K, 39/4/0
1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, I'm a Cat, \$6K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

LANGFUHR (Danzig), Vinery, \$20K, 127/10/0
7-WO, Msw, 7f, Landler, 8-1
4-CRC, Alw, 1 1/16mT, White Flame

LOST SOLDIER (Danzig), Franks, \$4K, 55/9/1
5-CD, Msw, 7f, Trixie Wac, \$14K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
8-WO, Stk, 1 1/16m, Funny Soldier, \$22K OBS AUG yrl, 12-1

LOUIS QUATORZE (Sovereign Dancer), Ashford, \$20K, 130/9/1
9-CD, Msw, 7f, Dance to Dawn, \$230K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

NATIVE REGENT (Vice Regent), Franks, \$3K, 20/5/0
11-CRC, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Tame Native

PULPIT (A.P. Indy), Claiborne, \$35K, 53/8/1
5-CD, Msw, 7f, Sermon, 15-1
5-CD, Msw, 7f, Moments From Glory, \$105K KEE SEP yrl, 20-1
9-CD, Msw, 7f, Lady Pulpit, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1

SANDPIT (BRZ) (Baynoun {Ire}), Vinery, \$5K, 88/7/1
5-AQU, Msw, 7f, Dungeon, \$100K FTK JUL yrl

SIPHON (BRZ) (Itajara {Arg}), Airdrie, \$15K, 80/6/1
9-CD, Msw, 7f, Siphia, \$60K FTK JUL yrl, 30-1

SIR CAT (Storm Cat), Gainesway, \$8K, 63/5/1
5-AQU, Msw, 7f, +Sir Hero, \$4K KEE JAN yrl

SMOKE GLACKEN (Two Punch), Gainesway, \$10K, 69/15/3
10-PHA, Msw, 6f, Smokeumifyougotem, 12-1

TAMAYAZ (Gone West), Northview, \$5K, 42/1/0
1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +My Veela, \$11K EAS DEC wnl, 10-1

TEJANO RUN (Tejano), Hill 'n' Dale, \$5K, 43/6/2
6-WO, Alw, 1 1/16m, Anglian Prince, \$6K ONT AUT yrl, 8-1

TOP ACCOUNT (Private Account), Bridlewood, \$5K, 58/4/0
3-HOL, Msw, 1 1/16mT, T's Cafe, \$19K CAL AUG yrl

VALID EXPECTATIONS (Valid Appeal), Huisache, \$5K, 67/24/2
8-WO, Stk, 1 1/16m, Mapp Hill, \$150K OBS FEB 2yo, 10-1
6-WO, Alw, 1 1/16m, Expected Command, \$29K OBS APR 2yo, 3-1
8-WO, Stk, 1 1/16m, Pat's Expectation, \$24K OBS APR 2yo, 9-2

VICTORY SPEECH (Deputy Minister), Ashford, \$15K, 103/4/0
6-WO, Alw, 1 1/16m, Recite, \$7K KEE SEP yrl, 8-5

WHISKEY WISDOM (Wild Again), Windfields, \$5K, 57/3/1
7-WO, Msw, 7f, +Glenmorangie, \$37K FTK JUL yrl, 6-1

WORLD STAGE (IRE) (Sadler's Wells), Starview, \$3K, 57/4/0
4-CRC, Alw, 1 1/16mT, Worldly Victor

2001 LEADING FRESHMEN SIRES OF 2YO WINNERS (through Nov. 14)

SIRE	State	Foals	Wnrs
Valid Expectations (Valid Appeal)	Tx	67	24
Open Forum (Deputy Minister)	Tx	72	18
Smoke Glacken (Two Punch)	Ky	69	15
Spinning World (Nureyev)	Ky	110	13
Outflanker (Danzig)	Fl	34	10
Editor's Note (Forty Niner)	Ky	66	9
Langfuhr (Danzig)	Ky	81	9
Lost Soldier (Danzig)	Fl	54	9
Louis Quatorze (Sovereign Dancer)	Ky	117	9
Matty G (Capote)	Ky	35	9
Appealing Skier (Baldski)	Fl	18	8
Captain Bodgit (Saint Ballado)	Ky	69	8
Pulpit (A.P. Indy)	Ky	53	8
Suave Prospect (Fortunate Prospect)	Fl	38	8
Alphabet Soup (Cozzene)	Ky	83	7
Boston Harbor (Capote)	Jpn	72	7
Devious Course (Crafty Prospector)	Tx	37	7
Fabulous Frolic (Green Dancer)	Fl	22	7
Gold Case (Forty Niner)	Ky	44	7
Halo's Image (Halo)	Fl	50	7
Helmsman (El Gran Senor)	Ca	46	7
Meadow Monster (Meadowlake)	Md	26	7
Sandpit (Brz) (Baynoun {Ire})	Ky	87	7

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TIZNOW RETIRED (*cont. from p1*) Tiznow's dam, Cee's Song (Seattle Song) sold for \$2.6 million at Keeneland last week carrying a full sibling to the champion, while his weanling full sister brought \$950,000. Both were sold to settle the estate of breeder Cecilia Straub Rubens, who passed away three days after the 2000 Breeders' Cup. Tiznow is a full brother to Budroyale, a multiple graded-stakes winner of \$2.8 million, and has an unraced two-year-old full brother named Tizbud. "He's never had an easy morning on the racetrack," Cooper added. "Even when he's just going out to gallop, he gallops like a madman, works like a madman. So just the chance to let him go and roam on one of those 20-acre pastures is spectacular. I was there last week-end and to see it, and I tell you what, I'd live there."

MANNDAR INJURED, CAREER OVER Multiple Grade I winner **Manndar (Ire)** (Doyoun {Ire}--Madiriya {Ire}, by Diesis {GB}) broke down just after breezing five furlongs over the Hollywood turf course Thursday morning. The five-year-old is scheduled to undergo surgery on Monday. "He fractured a sesamoid in his left fore," said trainer Beau Greely. "Dr. [Wayne] McIlwraith is coming in and will try to fuse it. We're trying to save him for a stallion career." Last year, Manndar captured both the GI Manhattan H. and the GI Woodford Reserve Turf Classic. In his most recent start, he finished second by a neck in the GII Knickerbocker H. Oct. 26 at Belmont. His career record stands at 20-4-6-3 and \$1,128,810.

SAKHEE LEADS GODOLPHIN WORLD CUP
FOUR Sakhee (Bahri) heads Godolphin's four entries at the first nomination stage for the \$6 million G1 Dubai World Cup at Nad al Sheba Mar. 23. The winner of the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe at Longchamp Oct. 7 and runner-up in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic at Belmont Park Oct. 27 may be joined by **Street Cry (Ire)** (Machiavellian), **Noverre** (Rahy) and **E Dubai** (Mr. Prospector).

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 3:44 p.m. EST
RED SMITH H.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Eltawaasul	Nureyev	Reynolds	4-1
2	Serazzo	Kris S.	Kimmel	20-1
3	Regal Dynasty	Dynaformer	Voss	15-1
4	Mr. Pleasantfar (Brz)	Emmson (Ire)	M D Wolfson	8-1
5	Lodge Hill	Cozzene	England	10-1
6	Williams News	Alleged	Amoss	5-1
7	Deeliteful Irving	Afternoon Deelites	Pletcher	20-1
8	Cetewayo	His Majesty	Dickinson	3-1
9	Certantee	Known Fact	Murray	20-1
10	Just Listen	Local Talent	Soyer	15-1
11	Gritty Sandie	Manila	Toner	6-1
12	Man From Wicklow	Turkoman	Violette Jr.	12-1
AE	Berchtesgaden	Wallenda	Nevin	20-1
AE	Esperence	Wild Again	Schosberg	20-1
AE	Good Boy Sam	Technology	Sciaccia	20-1
AE	Country Be Gold	Summer Squall	Kappes	5-2

Eltawaasul, claimed for \$50,000 after finishing a troubled fourth at Saratoga Aug. 25, made his first start under new management a month later and, despite getting trapped in traffic in the stretch, got up for a neck victory in the Manila S. at the Meadowlands. The five-year-old was sent off at 25-1 in his most recent start, the Oct. 26 GII Knickerbocker S. at Belmont, and just missed, finishing less than a length behind winner Sumitas (Ger). "We were going to run him back in a \$75,000 claimer at Belmont, but that was the week of the attacks and with the races cancelled, we had to find another spot for him," explained owner Christopher Connors. "Pat [trainer Reynolds] told me he was really responding to the program, so we tried the stake at The Meadowlands." **Mr. Pleasantfar**, a Group 1 winner on the dirt in his native Brazil, has taken two of his four starts since shipping to the U.S. Racing exclusively on the grass since arriving stateside, the four-year-old captured an optional claimer going a mile and a sixteenth at Calder in August and added a victory in the Flying Pidgeon H. at this distance Oct. 13. **Cetewayo** defends his title in only his fourth start since taking this event last year. Away for 9 1/2 months after that victory, the seven-year-old was an even fifth in the Sept. 1 Sussex S. at Delaware Park, then took on elite company in the Sept. 29 GI Turf Classic and finished third after being steadied on the second turn. He disappointed in his latest, finishing a tired 10th in the Knickerbocker, but is two-for-four at 1 3/8 miles.

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Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 4:07 p.m. EST

MRS. REVERE S.-GII, \$150,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Casual Feat	Cozzene	Penrod	4-1
2	Quick Tip	Unaccounted For	Howard	5-1
3	Ransom's Pride	Red Ransom	Hernandez	6-1
4	Snow Dance	Forest Wildcat	Ward Jr.	5-2
5	Stylish	Thunder Gulch	Mott	8-1
6	Cozy Island	Cozzene	Gothard	20-1
7	Atrial Flutter	Lear Fan	Jackson	30-1
8	Chausson Poire	Northern Spur (Ire)	Knipe	10-1
9	Cozy Corner	Cozzene	P J Kelly	8-1
10	Ever With You	With Approval	Perkins	5-1

Snow Dance reeled off four consecutive turf victories, including the Aug. 20 GII Lake Placid H. at Saratoga and the Sept. 15 GIII Pucker Up S. at Arlington, before suffering her first defeat on the surface. Taking on Grade I rivals for the first time in the Oct. 13 Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup at Keeneland, the gray was unruly in the gate, dashed to the lead at the start and tired late to be third over a course labeled "good." She faces a softer test here. **Ever With You**, three-for-four on the lawn and a perfect two-for-two at this route, makes her stakes debut after back-to-back allowance wins at Keeneland Oct. 14 and at Churchill Downs Nov. 7. **Chausson Poire** bids for a fifth straight win. The bay took three in a row at Louisiana Downs, then traveled to Keeneland for the GIII Valley View S. Oct. 20 and rallying to dead-heat with **Cozy Corner** for the score.

Saturday, Hollywood Park, post time: 4:07 p.m. EST

HOLLYWOOD PREVUE S.-GIII, \$100,000, 2yo, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Iza Chili Bean	Iz a Saros	Bean	113
2	Popular	Saint Ballado	Baffert	113
3	Heavyweight Champ	Two Punch	Terranova II	115
4	Fonz's	Out of Place	La Croix	113
5	Dial A Hero	Sea Hero	Parga	113
6	Roman Dancer	Polish Numbers	Paasch	119
7	Labamta Babe	Skywalker	Frankel	113
8	Royal Moro	With Approval	Garcia	113

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Sunday, Rome, Italy

PREMIO ROMA - SIS-G1, L510,500,000, 3yo/up, c/f/m, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	12	Altieri (GB)	Selkirk	Bietolini	127
2	2	Anzillero (Ger)	Law Society	Woodburn	128
3	14	Blu For Life (Ire)	Rainbows For Life	M Vargiu	128
4	9	Falbrav (Ire)	Fairy King	D Vargiu	127
5	4	Krombacher (Ger)	Lando (Ger)	Mundry	127
6	7	Little Rock (GB)	Warning (GB)	Fallon	128
7	11	Luna D'Irlanda (Ire)	Up And At 'Em (GB)	Monteriso	125
8	3	Monos (Ger)	Kornado (GB)	Johnson	127
9	6	Poseidon (GB)	Polar Falcon	Pasquale	128
10	13	Shibuni's Falcon (GB)	Polar Falcon	Esposito	128
11	10	Snetterton (GB)	Machiavellian	Agus	128
12	1	Spettro (Ire)	Spectrum (Ire)	Fancera	127
13	8	Sunstrach (Ire)	Polar Falcon	Colombi	127
14	5	Syrakus (Ger)	Kris (GB)	Starke	127
15	15	Van Veen (Ire)	Hernando (Fr)	Corniani	127

PEDIGREE PERSPECTIVES

by Alan Porter

PEDIGREE SHORTS

The burgeoning Deputy Minister/Blushing Groom cross received another boost when **Mountain Forum (c, 2, Open Forum--Mountain Affair, by Mt. Livermore)** won the Fabulous Frolic S. at Calder. The third stakes winner from the first crop of two-year-olds by his sire, Mountain Affair is bred on a cross which has previously produced GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner Awesome Again as well as graded stakes winners Better Than Honour, Red Hannigan and Turnberry Isle, as well as the promising young sire Service Stripe.

Freshman sire, Matty G, recorded a first stakes winner when **Little Billy (c, 2, Matty G--Carmen Copy, by Copelan)** came home first in the Anthony Despirito S. at Suffolk. This is a rather interesting pedigree as Matty G's broodmare sire Pia Star is by Olympia out of a mare by Mahmoud. Little Billy's broodmare sire Copelan is by Tri Jet, and his dam is closely related to Pia Star, as she is by Olympia out of a three-parts genetic relative to Mahmoud.

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