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DAVID MILCH TO DISPERSE IN NOVEMBER

After 20 years in the business, owner David Milch will disperse his racing stable at Fasig-Tipton's Select Mixed Sale in Lexington Nov. 3. Topping the dispersal, which will number approximately 10 horses, is **Disturbingthepeace** (Bold Badgett), a multiple-graded stakes winner of \$520,780. The four-year-old gelding has



Disturbingthepeace Benoit Photo

won six straight races, including the July 6 GII Triple Bend Breeders' Cup H., July 27 GII Bing Crosby Breeders' Cup H. and the Aug. 18 GII Pat O'Brien H. He is scheduled to compete in the Oct. 26 GI Breeders' Cup Sprint the weekend before the sale. Also slated to sell is MSW **Echo Eddie** (Restless Con), a five-year-old Calbred gelding who finished second by a head in the G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen in March; and four-year-old filly **Above Perfection** (In Excess {Ire}), a graded-stakes winner of seven of her nine starts with earnings of \$380,737. Commenting on the dispersal, Milch, 57, told *The Blood-Horse* that leaving the horse business, "was like breaking up with a crazy woman. You love her, but you know you have to do it." The Emmy Award-winning Hollywood writer/producer raced Breeders' Cup winners Gilded Time and Val Royal (Fr).

STREET CRY TOPS CLASSIC FUTURE BET

Street Cry (Ire) (Machiavellian), winner of the G1 Dubai World Cup and GI Stephen Foster H. and third in the GI Whitney H., has been made the 6-1 morning-line favorite for the Breeders' Cup Classic Future Bet. Future betting on the Classic, the Breeders' Cup Distaff and the Breeders' Cup Sprint opens Aug. 30 at 1 p.m. and closes Sept. 2 at 7 p.m. **Azeri** (Jade Hunter) tops the Distaff morning-line at 4-1, and, at 6-1, the field heads the morning-line for the Sprint. Odds were set for 23 horses in each race; there is also a 24th betting interest for each race that includes any horse not named on the morning-line. The *Daily Racing Form* has set up a special Breeders' Cup Future Bet section, including updated odds, on its website at www.drform.com/bc_futures.html.

CRYSTAL CASTLE TAKES MEAUTRY

A Kentucky-bred son of Gilded Time, **Crystal Castle** took the G3 Prix de Meautry yesterday at Deauville for his first stakes score since his success in the G3 Prix de Cabourg at this track two years ago. He had displayed a new vitality when taking the competitive seven-furlong Tote International H. at Ascot July 27 last time, showing tenacity in overcoming the smart Ghannam by a half-length. Settled behind the main group in the early stages here, he quickened past halfway to wear down the long-time leader **Swedish Shave (Fr)** (Midyan) with 75 yards remaining before asserting for the score. Trainer John Hammond said, "This was a nice horse as a two-year-old, but he had his share of problems last year and had to be gelded at the end of the season. He has really come back to himself now. He will now go for the G2 Diadem S. [at Ascot Sept. 28] next. He will then be rested and have the major sprint race in Dubai as his first major target next year." [Click here for the racingpost.com chart.](#) (Stakes Results cont. p5)

Tuesday, Deauville, France

PRIX DE MEAUTRY-G3, €66,000, Deauville, 8-27, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:12.40, sf.

1--**CRYSTAL CASTLE**, 127, c, 4, by [Gilded Time](#)

1st Dam: **Wayage**, by Mr. Prospector

2nd Dam: **Wayra (Fr)**, by Faraway Son

3rd Dam: **War Path III**, by Blue Prince

(\$65,000 yrl '99 KEESEP). O-J Raw; B-Mrs L G Basset; T-John Hammond; J-Yutaka Take; €33,000. Lifetime Record: 10 starts, 3 wins, 4 places, €227,294. *1/2 to Secrage (Secreto), Hwt. 2yo Filly-Ity, GSW & G1SP-Fr, MSW-Ity & GSP-GB, \$128,831-Fr & GB.

2--**Swedish Shave (Fr)**, 127, c, 4, Midyan--Shavya (GB), by Shavian (GB). (FF200,000 yrl '99 DEAAUG). O-Sten Thynell; B-Societe Sogir; €13,200.

3--**Danger Over (GB)**, 127, h, 5, Warning (GB)--Danilova, by Lyphard. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; €9,900.

Margins: 3/4, NK, NK. Odds: 8.60, 13.20, 9.30. Also ran: Chercheuse, War Zone, Monkston Point (Ire), Cayoke (Fr), Ashdown Express (Ire), General Ridge (GB), Iron Mask. Also ran (not classified): Dobby Road (Fr), Urgele (Fr), Zizoune (Fr).

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FROM THE DESK OF...

Bill Oppenheim



SEPTEMBER PROSPECTS

After two straight years when the gross of the three U.S. summer sales reached \$148,770,000 and change, this year's summer sales dropped 26 percent in gross to \$109,417,000. Deauville, Europe's first major yearling sale of the season, suffered 27-percent drops in gross and average. Anybody who thinks there's the remotest shot of this year's Keeneland September Sale (which gets underway on Monday, Sept. 9) equaling last year's figures just hasn't been reading the papers.

In Y2K, when 4,652 yearlings were catalogued, the September Sale grossed a record \$290.9 million; last year, with 4,483 catalogued, the gross dropped back to \$254.2 million, though the average remained virtually unchanged at \$87,839.

This year, there are 4,367 catalogued. If the sale follows the summer trends--a 26-percent drop in gross--the final tally will be \$188 million. If the gross drops by 20 percent, the sale could still finish up grossing over \$200 million, but that looks like the upper ranges of reasonable expectations.

Back in 1999, 69 percent of the summer yearlings catalogued sold and 74 percent of the yearlings catalogued for September found new homes. The clearance rate has declined rather precipitously since then: 63 percent of summer yearlings catalogued sold in 2000, 57 percent in 2001 and just 54 percent this year. In September 2000, the corresponding clearance rate was 71 percent of those catalogued, but last year it dropped to 65 percent--just 61 percent in Book 1.

Refinements in vet work, mainly the repository, have been responsible for part of this trend, but overproduction of horses as the market advanced and the decline in buyers as the world's economy worsened--and the most untimely death this year of The Thoroughbred Corp.'s Prince Ahmed Salman--have been major contributing factors as well.

Book 1 Tells the Tale...

Whereas the sales till now forecast the Northern Hemisphere major auction market, the September Sale IS the market. In 2000, I calculated that the major North American and European yearling and mixed sales during the second half of the calendar year broke the \$1-billion mark in gross revenues. That year, the September Sale grossed \$290.9 million--about 29 percent of the total market. In 2001, the corresponding sales grossed around \$850 million and September had grossed \$254.2 million--exactly 30 percent of the market. It's by far the single most important sale in the horse business now.

But we won't need to wait until close of business on Sunday, Sept. 21, to identify the trends. In 2000, Book 1 (\$161.4 million) contributed 56 percent of the September Sale gross; last year, Book 1 (\$136.1 million) constituted 54 percent of the entire sale's gross. So once we see the Book 1 gross at the end of Tuesday's session, you can multiply by 1.8 to estimate what the overall sale will gross. If you're really ambitious, like I am, you can multiply the Book 1 gross by 6.25 to estimate what the major Northern Hemisphere sales will have grossed by the end of the December Sales. The last two years, Keeneland September Book 1 has constituted almost exactly 16 percent of that figure.

Sire Power...

Although there are plenty of good arguments for wishing it was not so, the fact is that the top 10-20 sires go a very long way toward determining the final numbers. At all yearling sales covered by Racing Update last year, for example, three top sires--Storm Cat, Mr. Prospector and Seattle Slew--grossed almost \$75 million. There were 56 yearlings catalogued in the 2001 September Sale by those three sires.

This year, there are 20--no Mr. Prospectors (\$21.2 million in yearling sales last year), one Seattle Slew (12 in 2001) and 19 Storm Cats. Of course, it all consists of a whole lot more than just those three sires, but it has to be significant that the number of yearlings catalogued by three sires who among them grossed \$75 million last year is down by 64 percent.

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Oppenheim cont.

Sire power is the single most important influence on yearling prices (yes, even more important than conformation, which is next most important). Last year, what I would call "the top 15 commercial sires" (see table below) had 229 yearlings catalogued in Book 1--40 percent of the 574 catalogued. This year, the same 15 sires have 230 catalogued--38 percent of the book. But you'll note some very significant changes in the numbers. Dead Generals Mr. Prospector (last yearlings last year), Seattle Slew, Nureyev and Unbridled have significantly fewer catalogued, while Kingmambo--who increasingly now being recognized as a top-class sire--Deputy Minister, Seeking the Gold, Theatrical and especially Unbridled's Song all have significantly more.

That alteration of the composition of the catalogue is also liable to cost money, no matter how solid those second five named are.

<u>Sire</u>	<u>2002 Book 1</u>	<u>2001 Book 1</u>	<u>+/-</u>
A.P. Indy	23	25	-2
Danzig	10	6	+4
Deputy Minister	32	24	+8
Gone West	20	19	+1
Kingmambo	32	21	+11
Mr. Prospector	0	23	-23
Nureyev	3	9	-6
Rahy	3	4	-1
Sadler's Wells	3	2	+1
Seattle Slew	1	12	-11
Seeking the Gold	19	10	+9
Storm Cat	19	21	-2
Theatrical	24	13	+11
Unbridled	14	30	-16
Unbridled's Song	27	10	+17

The McCoy Phenomenon...

Tony McCoy, already a seven-time champion jump jockey in Britain at age 28, yesterday broke Richard Dunwoody's all-time record with his 1,700th win. It came in a handicap hurdle over three miles at Uttoxeter, and no doubt will be the greatest lifetime claim to fame for his mount, Mighty Montefalco. Appropriately, McCoy had to work at it to win it on the six-year-old Mtoto (GB) gelding.

Richards' record was 269, but McCoy ended the season with 289 in his relentless march to the all-time record. It is another mighty achievement--if Britain has a more deserving Sportsman of the Year in 2002, it's hard to imagine who it would be.

**WEEKEND PEDIGREE
PERSPECTIVES**
by Alan Porter

Saturday, Del Mar

DEL MAR OAKS-GI, \$300,000, DMR, 8-24, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:47 (NSR), fm.

1--#**@▲DUBLINO, 121, f, 3, by Lear Fan**

1st Dam: Tuscoga, by Theatrical (Ire)

2nd Dam: Noble Times (NZ), by Drums of Time

3rd Dam: Juvel (NZ), by Noble Bijou

(\$180,000 yrl '00 KEESEP). O-Geringer, Klein, Liberty Road Stables, Et Al; B-Arthur B Hancock III (KY); T-Laura de Seroux; J-K J Desormeaux; \$180,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 4-2-2-0, \$304,011.

Just four weeks ago we were examining the pedigree of Lear Fan's son Sarafan following his victory in the GI Eddie Read H. On Saturday, Lear Fan's daughter Dublino captured the GI Del Mar Oaks to give her sire a second Grade I victory in the space of a month.

Both Sarafan and Dublino began their racing careers in Europe before coming back to the U.S. Dublino started just twice in France, winning on her two-year-old debut last year and then running subsequent G1 Coronation S. winner Sophisticat to a length in the G3 Prix de la Grotte on her reappearance. Dublino made her first North American start in the American Oaks and crossed the wire a half-length in front of Megahertz, but was disqualified to second for interfering with her rival. This time, Dublino produced a flying finish to catch Megahertz by a nose, ending a five-race winning streak for that one.

There's a firmly established precedent for sons and daughters of Lear Fan to start out in Europe before making their mark in North America. Two outstanding distaff examples are Eclipse Award winner Ryafan and Windsharp, a millionairess who defeated colts in the GI San Luis Rey S. before earning honors as champion older mare and champion grass mare in Canada. Among Lear Fan sons re-imported from overseas are the previously mentioned Sarafan as well as Grade I winner Labeeb and graded-stakes winners Fanmore and Fantastic Fellow.

There has also been some fairly serious travelling on the part of the distaff side of Dublino's pedigree. Her sire Theatrical raced in Europe until being imported towards the end of his four-year-old season.

 <p>Arrowfield Home to Flying Spur (AUS) Danehill – Rolls</p>	<p>The sire of four GI winners including a Classic winner, a Champion 2yo, Hong Kong GI winner Firebolt, and Mister Links, recent winner of the G3 July Stakes (2yo) at Newmarket.</p> <p>Contact: John Messara Tel: +612 9223 8277 Fax: +612 9223 5795 jmm@arrowfield.com.au www.arrowfield.com.au</p>	 <p>ARROWFIELD <i>where breeding is everything</i></p>
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Pedigree Perspectives cont.

Of course, the following year he earned the title as champion turf male and he is now one of the world's leading sires of turf performers. Dublino's granddam Noble Times came from even further afield. She began her career in New Zealand, where she was high-weighted filly on the two-year-old handicap after winning four races including the G2 Matamata Breeders' S. Noble Times could manage only one third in six starts in North America, but she has subsequently proved her worth as a broodmare.

Dublino's pedigree is an example of the power of pedigree patterns to upgrade, and also of the value of "if at first you don't succeed, try, try again." Although Noble Times was good enough to lead her division as a juvenile in New Zealand, none of her first three dams produced another horse of significance, and both her sire, Drums of Time, and maternal grandsire, Noble Bijou, were unraced. In fact, Drums of Time and Noble Bijou were typical of the majority of the stallion population of New Zealand prior to the advent of shuttle sires, basically well-bred nonentities.

Drums of Time, by Olden Times out of champion Drumtop, was a half-brother to the good sire Topsider. Noble Bijou, who had a deformed foreleg but became a multiple champion sire, was even better bred, as he was by *Vaguely Noble out of Priceless Gem, making him a half-brother to the great mare Allez France.

This doesn't exactly appear to be the foundation for a Grade I-producing family, but, bred to Theatrical, Noble Times produced as her second foal Duda, winner of the GI Matriarch S. and GII Sheepshead Bay H. Dublino's dam Tuscoga is a sister to Duda and was foaled just a year after her sibling. She failed to win in two starts, but has produced Dublino as only her third foal.

It would appear that the main key to the upgrading in the family is the wonderful family of Rough Shod II. We mentioned that Noble Times' sire Drums of Time is out of Drumtop, who is in turn a daughter of Zonah.

Since Zonah was by Nasrullah out of Rough Shod II's daughter Gambetta, she was a three-quarters sister to Thong (as well as Ridan, Moccasin and Lt. Stevens) who was by Nantallah (by Nasrullah) out of Rough Shod II.

Since Theatrical is by Thong's grandson Nureyev, Duda and Tuscoga have the three-quarters sisters Thong and Zonah 4x4. Since the pattern worked for Duda, but not apparently for Tuscoga, what could be more logical than to reinforce it again?

Enter Lear Fan, who is out of a mare by Lt. Stevens, a brother to Thong. The result, Dublino, is a Grade I winner who has Lt. Stevens/Thong/Zonah 3x5x5. Of course, it's no secret that Lear Fan has worked very well with mares by Theatrical's sire Nureyev (giving Lt. Stevens/Thong 3x4). From 26 foals out of Nureyev mares, Lear Fan has sired 18 runners and five stakes winners (19-percent stakes winners to foals, as opposed to Lear Fan's overall figure of 8-percent stakes winners to foals) and they include French champions Verveine and Loup Solitaire and graded-stakes winner Fantastic Fellow. Lear Fan is also sire of a stakes winner out of a mare by Topsider, a close relative to Nureyev and a half-brother to Drums of Time, who gives Lt. Stevens/Zonah 2x4.

In closing, we should also note that Theatrical is beginning show considerable promise as a broodmare sire. It's interesting that four of the group/graded stakes winners out of Theatrical mares are by sons of Roberto (giving a 3x5 cross of Roberto's grandsire Hail to Reason). It's also worth observing the only other Grade I winner to date out of a Theatrical mare, GI Atto Mile winner Numerous Times. His sire, Numerous, is out of Number, a three-quarters sister to Nureyev, so he has Number/Nureyev (both from the Rough Shod II family) 3x3.

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CRYSTAL CASTLE wins Prix de Meautry-G3 at Deauville

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Stakes Results cont.

Tuesday, Baden Baden, Germany

69TH DARLEY OETTINGEN-RENNEN-G3, €65,500,

Baden-Baden, 8-27, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:38.10, gd.

1--ZAREWITSCH (IRE), 121, c, 3, by Night Shift

1st dam: Zayraba (Ire), by Doyoun (Ire)

2nd dam: Zaydiya (Ire), by Shernazar (Ire)

3rd dam: Zarzaya, by Caro (Ire)

O/B-Gestut Bona; T-Peter Schiergen; J-Andreas

Suborics; €38,000. Lifetime Record: 7 starts,

5 wins, 2 places, €130,999.

2--Horeion Directa (Ger), 115, c, 3, Big Shuffle--

Hosianna (Ger), by Surumu (Ger). O-Rennstall Directa;

B-Herbert Kahrs; €15,000.

3--Touch Down (Ger), 129, c, 4, Dashing Blade (GB)--

Time to Run (Ger) by Sicyos. (DM60,000 yrl '99

BBASEP). O-Reinhold Wolfermann et al; B-Gestut

Etzean; €8,000.

Margins: 3/4, NK, 1. Odds: 3.60, 6.80, 2.20.

Also ran: Up And Away (Ger), Sambaprinz (Ger), War

Blade (Ger), Royal Dragon, No Merci (Ger).

Scratched: Pardus (Fr).

Zarewitsch proved too strong for the early pacesetter Horeion Directa and the staying-on Touch Down to record his second stakes success. He was stepped up in class by connections to contest the Listed Preis der Hotellerie Baden-Baden May 29 and rewarded that faith by finishing the short head runner-up to Karlsson (Ger). Having beaten Pardus (Fr) by a half-length in the G3 Deutscher Herold-Preis at Hamburg June 29, he took a valuable conditions event at Cologne July 20. Here he was settled in second off the moderate early pace set by Horeion Directa. That runner wound up the tempo past halfway and stole a healthy march on his rivals, but Zarewitsch had a superior turn of foot and grabbed the lead at the quarter-mile marker. That burst settled the result and he was firmly on top in the closing stages despite Touch Down's valiant late charge.

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☆ PREVIEW ☆

Wednesday, Baden Baden, Germany, post time: 4:35 p.m

132nd JACOBS GOLDENE PEITSCH-G2, €111,000,

3yo/up, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	7	Call Me Big (Ger)	Big Shuffle	Gröschel	128
2	2	Chagall (GB)	Fraam (GB)	Hellier	128
3	6	Kaka (GB)	Sharpo (GB)	Hofer	128
4	8	Nobel Prize (Arg)	Lode	Lowther	128
5	3	Sacho (Ger)	Dashing Blade (GB)	Kujath	128
6	5	Just Heavens Gate (GB)	Slip Anchor (GB)	Heidenreich	123
7	1	Toylsome (GB)	Cadeaux Geneveux (GB)	P Schiergen	123
8	4	Red Liason (Ire)	Selkirk	J Dunlop	119

Third in this event last year, **Call Me Big** limbered up by beating **Just Heavens Gate** by 3/4-length in the G3 Benazet-Rennen over this course May 31. Subsequently fourth behind El Gran Lode (Arg) in the G3 Holsten-Trophy at Hamburg July 6, he holds **Kaka**, runner-up in this race in 2000, on that form and should be in the shake-up again. John Dunlop won with Vision of Night last year and bids to follow up with the filly **Red Liason**, winner of the Listed Surrey S. at Epsom June 7. Previously third behind Portella (Ger) in the G2 Henkel-Rennen (German 1000 Guineas) at Dusseldorf May 12, she was beaten a short head by **Toylsome** in the G3 Grosser Preis von Berlin at Hoppegarten July 26, where **Nobel Prize** finished 2 1/2 lengths back in third. She is dropping back in trip again here and commands the utmost respect, as does **Sacho**, impressive winner of the Listed Dallmayr Coupe Lukull at Munich Aug. 4.

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"One thing we've got to look forward to next year," said Fasig-Tipton CEO Boyd Browning, "is we've got two fantastic, good-looking stallions with foals on the ground this year. It's going to be fun selling **FUSAICHI PEGASUS** and **GIANT'S CAUSEWAY** foals.

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☆ EAST ☆

Yesterday's Results:

QUILL S., \$60,300, DEL, 8-27, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37, fm.

1--**LADY OF THE FUTURE, 123, f, 4, Eastern Echo--Future Starlet (GSP, \$111,229), by Theatrical (Ire)**. O-Max H Pearson; B-Charles Nuckols Jr & Sons (KY); T-Thomas M Greene; J-J C Caraballo; \$35,820. Lifetime Record: 15-7-2-0, \$240,858.

2--**Shag, 123, m, 6, Dixieland Band--Ismelda, by Wavering Monarch**. O-Mr & Mrs William S Farish. \$11,940.

3--**Sandra's Song, 120, f, 4, A.P. Indy--Waterside, by Topsider**. (\$90,000 yrl '99 KEESEP). O-George & Sandra Melillo. \$6,567.

Margins: 1 3/4, 1 3/4, NO. Odds: 9.30, 7.50, 3.00.

Seventh in this track's Rosenna S. June 8, Lady of the Future bounced back to take the New Castle H. by 3/4 of a length June 24, but was most recently a wide fourth in the Gill All Along BC S. at Colonial Downs July 13. The second-longest shot in the field despite the class relief, the chestnut was unhurried early, accelerated sharply on the far turn to loom a threat turning for home and drove clear in the final furlong.

7th-DEL, \$44,200, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft. SAFE IN THE U S A (c, 3, Gone West--Safely Kept {Ch. Sprinter, MGISW, \$2,194,206}, by Horatius) returned from a four-month vacation to be third in an Aqueduct maiden Apr. 13 before adding Lasix in a runner-up finish at Delaware 16 days later. A half-length graduate over course and distance May 20, the homebred was the 9-10 favorite in his first try versus winners. A forward factor throughout, he bid three wide into the far turn, hooked up with Chain (Linkage) at the head of the lane and outgamed that foe to the wire to win by a 1/2 length. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-1, \$67,310.

O/B-Jayeff B Stables (KY). T-Alan E Goldberg.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28:

09-07 \$175,000a **British Columbia Breeders' Cup Oaks-III, Hst, 3yo, f, 9f (200)**

09-14 \$150,000a **Col. R.S. McLaughlin-II, Wo, 3yo, 9f (150)**

TOMORROW, THURSDAY, AUGUST 29:

09-07 \$300,000 **Del Mar Derby-II, Dmr, 3yo, 9fT (300)**

09-07 \$150,000a **River Cities Breeders' Cup, LaD, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5fT (0)**

09-08 \$150,000 **Palomar H.-II, Dmr, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5fT (150)**



6th-DEL, \$40,800, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12 4/5, ft. + YIPPIE SKIPPY (f, 2, Carr de Naskra--Ripped, by *Grey Dawn II) prepped for her debut at Laurel Park and capped a solid work tab with a bullet five furlongs in 1:01 Aug. 21. The chestnut prompted the pace two wide, poked a head in front approaching the eighth pole and inched away to win by 1 1/4 lengths at odds of 6-1. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$23,400. O/B-Tavner B Dunlap (KY). T-Scott A Lake.

4th-PHA, \$25,080, Msw, 2yo, 6f, 1:12 3/5, ft. YO (c, 2, Valid Wager--Talcum Dee, by Talc) debuted with a runner-up finish in the Philly slop Aug. 3, a race in which Valleyman (Valley Crossing) finished another half-length behind in third. Bet down to 9-10 favoritism to improve off that effort, the Pennsylvania-bred was void of early speed, rallied wide into the stretch and drew clear late to defeat Valleyman by 1 1/2 widening lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$21,280. O-Edward A Rudley. B-E & D Enterprises (PA). T-Edward J Coletti Jr.

☆ MIDWEST ☆

Tale of the Cat Filly Tops Early Returns on Texas Day 2:

Hip #349, a filly by freshman sire Tale of the Cat out of stakes winner Winthrop Arms (Val de l'Orne {Fr}), brought a final bid of \$85,000 to top the early returns during the second session of Fasig-Tipton's Texas Summer Yearlings Sale at Lone Star Park yesterday. The dark bay, a half-sister to stakes winner Valarone (Navarone) and stakes-placed Armed and Ready (Hawkster), was consigned by Highclere Sales, agent, and purchased by Stonerside Stables LLC. The opening session of the sale, held Monday, saw two yearlings bring \$60,000. The first was a colt by Wild Zone consigned by Diamond G Ranch. The second was a colt from the first crop by Kentucky Derby winner Silver Charm out of stakes winner Liz Cee (Topsider). The bay, from the Highclere Sales consignment, was purchased by Assault Stables. Monday's session saw 129 lots bring an aggregate of \$1,338,100 for an average of \$10,373. The opening-day median was \$5,000. The final numbers for the sale will be in tomorrow's TDN.

☆ FOREIGN ☆

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN IRELAND:

Premier View, g, 4, Distant View--Carra Mia, by Carr de Naskra. Tralee, 8-27, Tankard Bar and Restaurant H. (Div. 2), 3yo/up, 1mT, \$6,781 to winner. O-J O Browne; B-David L & Virginia Mullins; T-W P Browne. *\$27,000 2yo '00 OBSAPR.



BREEDERS' EDITION

STAKES RESULTS:

CLINT ESSENTIAL H., \$38,300, CRC, 8-27, 3yo/up, 5f (off turf), :59, wf.

1--**PLEASE ME DOC**, 114, c, 4, **Doc's Leader--Carats Please**, by **Schaufuss**. O-Dennis Foster & Robert Leonard; B-Hurstland Farm, Inc, Michelle Mullins & David Lemieux (KY); T-Robert W Leonard; J-R B Homeister Jr; \$22,980. Lifetime Record: 18-5-4-1, \$158,620. *Full to Gimmeakissee, GSW, \$180,842.

2--**Concorde's Appeal**, 114, c, 3, **Concorde's Tune--Silk Appeal**, by **Valid Appeal**. \$7,660.

3--**Bog Hunter**, 112, c, 3, **Hunting Hard--United Bog**, by **Linkage**. (\$3,000 wlng '99 OBSOCT; \$20,000 yrl '00 OBSAUG). \$4,213.

Margins: 3/4, 2 3/4, 10HF. Odds: 2.20, 1.10, 6.80.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-**FEX**, \$28,500, NW4LX, 3/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51 1/5, ft. **WHATA KISS** (g, 5, **Kissin Kris--Whata Rock {MSW, \$205,500}**), by **Malagra** Lifetime Record: 18-4-4-1, \$83,585. O/B-John Franks (FL). T-Layne Giliforte.

4th-**MNR**, \$25,000, 8-26, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:37 2/5, fm.

SHENANDOAH RAIN (f, 3, **Home At Last--Wise N Wishful**, by **Northern Jove**) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$39,124. O/B-E & H Stable (KY). T-William M Howard. *1/2 to **Wise Blues** (Take Me Out), MSW, \$143,626.

9th-**PHA**, \$20,880, NW1X, 3/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 3/5, ft. **COMEONTHREE** (c, 4, **Colony Light--Yukon's Kitty**, by **Yukon**) Lifetime Record: 18-4-7-2, \$55,390. O-E & G Stables. B-J D Farms (FL). T-John S McCaslin. *\$10,000 yrl '99 OBSAUG.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Yippie Skippy**, f, 2, **Carr de Naskra--Ripped**, by *Grey Dawn II. DEL, 8-27, 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-T B Dunlap (Ky).

Highest Value, c, 2, **Fortunate Prospect--Horseshoe Peak**, by **Olympio**. CRC, 8-27, (C), 4 1/2f, :53 4/5. B-Farnsworth Farms (Fl). *\$15,000 2yo '02 OBSAPR.

Yo, c, 2, **Valid Wager--Talcum Dee**, by **Talc**. PHA, 8-27, 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-E & D Enterprises (Pa). *\$22,000 yrl '01 KEESEP. **1/2 to **Miss Sandy Dee** (Line In The Sand), MSW, \$141,135.

Bull Princess, f, 3, **Holy Bull--Lucky Chelsey**, by **Danzig Connection**. CRC, 8-27, (C), 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-J Mack Robinson (Fl).

Sevens Wild, f, 3, **Wild Gold--Dominating Dottiet** (SP), by **Dominated**. DMR, 8-26, (C), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Waterbury Resources (Fl). *\$10,000 yrl '00 OBSAUG; \$100,000 2yo 2001 OBSAPR; \$800 yrl '00 OBSJAN.

Exclusive Tale, c, 4, **Pleasant Colony--Secretary's Story**, by **Secretariat**. MNR, 8-26, 1mT, 1:37 2/5. B-Edward P Evans (Ky). *Full to **Colonial Secretary**, MSW & MGSP, \$393,422; and 3/4 to **Tucumcari** (Cherokee Colony), MSW, \$364,978.



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Wednesday, August 28

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1999 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW

Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

FORMAL GOLD (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), **Gainesway**, \$15K, 71/4/0 3-MTH, Msw, 5f, +**Union Street**, \$115K FTK JUL yrl, 4-1

GENTLEMEN (ARG) (Robin des Bois), **Walmac**, \$30K, 66/3/0

3-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +**Prince in Command**, \$160K KEE SEP yrl, 6-1

KIRIDASHI (Bold Ruckus), **Park**, \$4K, 62/1/0

1-FE, Msw, 5f, +**Amazonian Stalker**, \$13K ONT SEP yrl, 12-1

1-FE, Msw, 5f, +**Irma La Douce**, \$13K CAN JUN 2yo, 6-1

ORDWAY (Salt Lake), **Claiborne**, \$5K, 48/3/0

1-FE, Msw, 5f, **Ferrybank**, \$17K ONT SEP yrl, 6-1

PYRAMID PEAK (Mt. Livermore), **Darby Dan**, \$8K, 8/0/0

5-ELP, Msw, 7f, +**Le Jester**, \$32K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

SOUVENIR COPY (Mr. Prospector), **Hopewell**, \$20K, 105/8/0

1-DMR, Str, 6f, **Weekend Pow Wow**

STORMY ATLANTIC (Storm Cat), **Bridlewood**, \$3K, 48/2/0

3-MTH, Msw, 5f, +**Double Storm**, \$80K OBS APR 2yo, 2-1



SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

First-time Starters & Stakes Progeny: Wed., Aug. 28

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW

Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

EDITOR'S NOTE (Forty Niner), **Overbrook**, \$10K, 132/32/0

1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +**Mia Editor**, \$6K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

3-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +**Erinsouthernman**, 12-1

K. O. PUNCH (Two Punch), **Hopewell**, \$5K, 107/18/0

1-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +**Keystone Punch**, \$2K EAS FEB yrl, 10-1

OPEN FORUM (Deputy Minister), **Lanes End Texas**, \$5K, 147/47/3

1-FE, Msw, 5f, +**One Eyed Bandit**, 12-1

PULPIT (A.P. Indy), **Claiborne**, \$35K, 107/24/2

6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +**Brilliant Sermon**, \$150K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

SMOKE GLACKEN (Two Punch), **Gainesway**, \$10K, 130/46/5

6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +**Two Sparks**, \$45K FTF FEB 2yo, 20-1

SUAVE PROSPECT (Fortunate Prospect), **Farnsworth**, \$3K, 83/22/2

3-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +**Chinese**, \$90K OBS APR 2yo, 12-1

VAUDEVILLE (Theatrical (IRE)), **Wilson**, \$5K, 52/3/0

7-SAC, Msw, 6f, +**Provident Star**, 6-1

VICTORY SPEECH (Deputy Minister), **Japan**, \$15K, 101/21/1

3-MTH, Msw, 5f, +**Mister Flowers**, \$7K OBS APR 2yo, 15-1

TDN TODAY

American 2 pages

★ **BRITAIN** ★

Wednesday, Brighton, post time: 3:40 p.m
TOTE EXACTA VIRGINIA S.-Listed, £25,000, 3yo/up,
f/m, 9f 209ydsfT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	4	Averted View (USA)	Distant View (USA)	Phillips	133
2	9	Barzah (Ire)	Darshaan (GB)	Stoute	126
3	11	Bible Box (Ire)	Bin Ajwaad (Ire)	Pearce	125
4	6	Mubkera (Ire)	Nashwan (USA)	E Dunlop	125
5	8	Feathers Flying (Ire)	Royal Applause (GB)	G Butler	120
6	3	Scenic Lady (Ire)	Scenic (Ire)	Dace	119
7	1	Shalamantika (Ire)	Nashwan (USA)	Stoute	118
8	13	Pie High (GB)	Salse (USA)	Johnston	115
9	7	Celtic Ballet (GB)	Celtic Swing (GB)	M Jarvis	111
10	2	Ryme Intrinseca (GB)	Hector Protector (USA)	Channon	111
11	10	Trekking (USA)	Gone West (USA)	Charlton	111
12	5	Groovy (GB)	Shareef Dancer (USA)	J Hills	111
13	12	Princess Miletrian (Ire)	Danehill (USA)	G L Moore	111

Yesterday's Results:

4.10 Ripon, Betfair.com Conditions S. (Cond.) (Class C), £11,450, 2yo, 5fT, 1:00.30, gd.
TILAK (GB) (g, 2, Tagula {Ire}--Costa Verde {GB}, by King of Spain {GB}) broke well and raced in second early as Mardoof (GB) (Piccolo {GB}) cut out the running. Passing that rival with a quarter-mile remaining, the 7-1 chance had to battle to ward off the attentions of Redding (GB) (Puissance {GB}), but proved equal to the task, asserting in the closing stages to win by a length. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, £14,816.
O-Michael Burley; B-Auldyn Stud Ltd; T-Alan Berry; J-Fergal Lynch.

2.40 Ripon, Betafir.com Betting Exchange Maiden Auction S. (Class E), £6,300, 2yo, 5fT, 1:01.00, gd.
CATMINT (GB) (f, 2, Piccolo {GB}--Kitty Kitty Cancan {GB}, by Warrshan {USA}), sent off the 6-4 favourite, was sent to the front of the stands' side group as Amanda's Lad (Ire) (Danetime {Ire}) led overall on the far side. Quickening to the front with 200 yards remaining, she was the convincing 1 3/4 length winner from that rival at the line. An 800gns yearling at TATFEB, she resold for 5,000gns at TATAUT later that year. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, £5,546.
O-The Foursome Partnership; B-G Herridge; T-Henry Candy; J-Chris Rutter.

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★ **IRELAND** ★

Yesterday's Results:

2.30 Tralee, EBF Fillies Maiden, €14,400, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:42.20, gd.
+ VINTAGE TIPPLE (IRE) (f, 2, Entrepreneur {GB}--Overruled {Ire}, by Last Tycoon {Ire}), a 1/2 to Spettro (Ire) (Spectrum {Ire}), G1SP-Ity, settled in mid-division early as Solas Mo Chroi (Ire) (King's Theatre {Ire}) showed the way. Quickening on the outer in the straight, she swept to the front at the furlong marker before stretching clear for a comfortable three-length success at odds of 11-2. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €10,350.
O-Patrick J O'Donovan; B-E J Loder; T-Paddy Mullins; J-Johnny Murtagh.

6.00 Tralee, T J Cross Fillies Maiden, €9,600, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT, 2:39.20, gd.
SHARENA (IRE) (f, 3, Kahyasi {Ire}--Sharemata {Ire}, by Doyoun {Ire}) was settled in sixth early as Euro Flyer (Ire) (Muharib {USA}) led. Travelling strongly on the turn into the straight, the 5-4 second favourite quickened to lead with 50 yards remaining before holding Striking Pose (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}) by a cosy half-length margin. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, €9,880.
O/B-H H The Aga Khan; T-John Oxx; J-Johnny Murtagh.

Wednesday, Tralee, post time: 4:00 p.m

CARLSBERG RUBY S.-Listed, €60,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	11	Avorado (Ire)	Royal Academy (USA)	Bolger	128
2	1	Exceptional Paddy (Ire)	Common Grounds (GB)	Halford	128
3	6	Maumee (Ire)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Weld	128
4	4	Provosky (Ire)	Polish Patriot (USA)	Oakes	128
5	9	Vinthea (Ire)	Barathea (Ire)	Burns	126
6	12	Aquila Oculus (Ire)	Eagle Eyed (USA)	A Mullins	125
7	13	Chiming (Ire)	Danehill (USA)	C O'Brien	125
8	10	Crevelli (Ire)	Dolphin Street (Fr)	T Stack	125
9	8	Lorli (Ire)	Mukaddamah (USA)	Treacy	125
10	2	Tortue (Ire)	Turtle Island (Ire)	Meade	125
11	5	Blatant (GB)	Machiavellian (USA)	Oxx	122
12	15	Czaritza (Ire)	Spectrum (Ire)	Oxx	119
13	16	Fearn Royal (Ire)	Ali-Royal (Ire)	Casey	119
14	3	Lady Digby (Ire)	Petorius (Ire)	Harrington	119
15	7	Madame Cerito (USA)	Diesis (GB)	Grassick	119
16	17	Mahsusie (Ire)	Mukaddamah (USA)	Ennis	119
17	14	Synchronize (Ire)	Entrepreneur (GB)	Rothwell	119
Reserve:					
18		Gerobies Girl (USA)	Deposit Ticket (USA)	Halford	125



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★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

12.45 Deauville, Prix de Falaise (Cond.) (Class D), €22,000, 2yo, f, 7½fT, 1:41.40, sf.

STATE OF ART (FR) (f, 2, Highest Honor {Fr}--Estava {Fr}, by Top Ville {Ire}) settled in second early in the centre of the track as Queen Shara (Fr) (Welkin {Can}) cut out moderate fractions on the rail. Always travelling easily, the 7-10 favourite was asked to quicken with 300 yards remaining and instantly quickened to the front before sprinting away to an impressive four-length score. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €14,400.

O/B-Baron Thierry de Zuylen de Nyevelt; T-David Smaga; J-Dominique Boeuf.

2.15 Deauville, Prix de Caumont l'Evente (Cond.) (Class D), €22,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:51.20, sf.

BINYA (GER) (c, 3, Royal Solo {Ire}--Beaconaire {USA} {MSW-Fr}, by Vaguely Noble {Ire}), sent off at odds of just over 3-1, raced keenly in second early as Spindor (USA) (Spinning World {USA}) led. Taking command with 175 yards remaining, he was driven out to hold Tenderly (Ire) (Danehill {USA}) by a neck. He is a half brother to Sabin (USA) (Lyphard {USA}), MGISW, \$1,098,341; Fatah Flare (USA) (Alydar {USA}), GSW-GB. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 1 win, 3 places, €23,100.

O-G W Sybrecht; B-Gestut Hof Iserneichen; T-Tony Clout; J-Thierry Gillet.

★ UNITED STATES ★

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNER:

Atarama (Ire), f, 3, Sadlers Wells (USA)--Regal Portrait (Ire), by Royal Academy (USA). Del Mar, 8-26, Allowance, 1 1/16mT, \$36,000 to winner.

O-Thoroughbred Corp; B-Mervyn Stewkesbury; T-Kristin Mulhall. *400,000gns yrl '00 TATHOU. **MSP-GB.

★ AUSTRALASIA ★

EHV OUTBREAK IN VICTORIA

Fourteen cases of equine herpes virus abortions have been confirmed in Victoria, the state's first outbreak since 1989. Thoroughbred Breeders Victoria has issued a statement to its members, urging them "to speak with their veterinarians to become aware of the protocol and its requirements. This includes the isolation of properties with recorded cases for at least 30 days from the last recorded testing. A major part of the control of this disease is the isolation of mares into smaller groups and not allowing direct contact with visiting, pregnant broodmares." No outbreaks have been reported in any other Australian states to date.

CORRECTION: Tuesday's *TDN* incorrectly stated that **Giant's Causeway (USA)** had been detained in quarantine. The five-year-old stallion has, in fact, safely arrived at Coolmore Australia in Jerry's Plains, New South Wales. We regret the error. A Standardbred stallion from Canada exhibited symptoms of the West Nile virus upon arrival at Eastern Creek Quarantine station in Sydney, but tests have proved negative to date. Australian officials have begun testing that stallion for the possibility of the equine herpes virus. According to racenet.com.au, 59 other stallions remain at the quarantine facility, including horses en route to Coolmore, Woodlands, Arrowfield and Widden. The Southern Hemisphere breeding season is set to start Sept. 1.

★ GERMANY ★

Yesterday's Results:

3.15 Baden Baden, Preis der Jahrlingsauktionen (Restricted Cond.), €50,000, 3yo, 1½mT, 2:32.92, gd. **LIQUIDO (GER) (f, 3, Lomitas {GB}--Lolli Pop {Ger}, by Cagliostro {Ger})** Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 3 wins, 4 places, €38,180. O-Georg Engel; B-Gestut Evershorst; T-Horst Steinmetz; J-Andreas Helfenbein.

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British Report cont.

McCOY SETS NEW RECORD

Jump jockey Tony McCoy broke Richard Dunwoody's record for the most career national hunt wins yesterday at Uttoxeter. Having equalled Dunwoody's record of 1,699 winners with success on 1-3 favourite **Dream With Me (Fr)** (Johann Quatz {Fr}) in the opening novices' hurdle, he partnered 8-13 favourite **Mighty Montefalco (GB)** (Mtoto {GB}) to take the Everedge Handicap Hurdle and set the new record. After steering home the latter, he said, "It's a brilliant feeling and I'm over the moon. Richard Dunwoody is a very good friend of mine and he was my hero. For me he was the best jockey I've ever ridden against. Obviously Adrian Maguire and Charlie Swan would be right up there with him, but I'm pleased to be mentioned in the same breath as someone like him." McCoy, who was champion conditional jockey with 74 winners in his first season in Britain in 1994/95, has been champion jockey every season since. He broke the all-time record of 269 winners in a season set by Sir Gordon Richards aboard Valfonic (Fr) at Warwick last April, ending up on 289 winners at the end of the that season. Although he fell just short of the target of 300 winners, Paddy Power quote him at odds of 3-1 to reach that milestone this year.

MUBTAKER TO CANADA?

Mubtaker (USA) (Silver Hawk {USA}) may line up for the GI Canadian International at Woodbine Sept. 29, it was revealed yesterday. Having taken the G2 Geoffrey Freer S. at Newbury Aug. 17, the Marcus Tregoning-trained colt looks likely to contest the mile and a half contest, although he has the possibility of going for the G1 Irish St Leger at The Curragh Sept. 14. Angus Gold, racing manager to owner Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum, told the *Racing Post*: "We're thinking of the Canadian race and the Breeders' Cup is under consideration, but we also have the option of the Irish Leger. I think the ground will play its part as he does seem to like it on the fast side and the added lure of Woodbine is that we won the race last season with Mutamam and it would be lovely if we could do that again."

FEET SO FAST SOLD TO SHEIKH RASHID

Feet So Fast (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) has been purchased by Sheikh Rashid bin Mohammed al Maktoum, it was revealed yesterday. Winner of the Shergar Cup Sprint at Ascot Aug. 10, the three-year-old gelding has been transferred from trainer Willie Musson's yard and is currently stabled at Darley Stud's Rockingham Yard in Newmarket. Feet So Fast, who was recording his fifth win in six starts at Ascot last time, is likely to be sent to Dubai for the winter, along with **Simeon (GB)** (Lammtarra {USA}), winner in April of the G3 Heathorns Classic Trial at Sandown.

German Report cont.

Wednesday, Baden Baden, Germany, post time: 3:00 p.m

ABU DHABI-CUP-Listed, €36,500, 3yo/up, 1 3/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	1	Stingray (Ger)	Lomitas (GB)	Suerland	130
2	8	Harishon (Ire)	Waajib (Ire)	Weiss	128
3	9	Larssarto (Ger)	Lomitas (GB)	Hiller	128
4	3	Maitre Levy (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Hofer	126
5	6	Malinda (Ger)	Law Society (USA)	Figge	126
6	2	Our Majestic (Ger)	Lomitas (GB)	Vanova	126
7	7	Subiaco (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Schütz	126
8	5	Mendosino (Ger)	Acatenango (Ger)	Schiergen	119
9	4	Uriah (Ger)	Acatenango (Ger)	H Remmert	115

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

+ **Vintage Tipple (Ire)**, f, 2, **Entrepreneur (GB)**--Overruled (Ire), by Last Tycoon (Ire). Tralee, Ireland, 8-27, EBF Fillies Maiden, €14,400, 2yo, f, 1mT. B-E J Loder. *1/2 to Spetto (Ire) (Spectrum {Ire}), G1SP-Ity.

State of Art (Fr), f, 2, **Highest Honor (Fr)**--Estava (Fr), by Top Ville (Ire). Deauville, France, 8-27, Prix de Falaise (Cond.) (Class D), €22,000, 2yo, f, 7 1/2 fT. B-Baron Thierry de Zuylen de Nyevelt.

Catmint (GB), f, 2, **Piccolo (GB)**--Kitty Kitty Cancan (GB), by Warrshan (USA). Ripon, Britain, 8-27, Betfair.com Betting Exchange Maiden Auction S. (Class E), £6,300, 2yo, 5fT. B-G Herridge. *800gns yrl '01 TATFEB; 5,000gns yrl '01 TATAUT.

Sharena (Ire), f, 3, **Kahyasi (Ire)**--Sharemata (Ire), by Doyoun (Ire). Tralee, Ireland, 8-27, T J Cross Fillies Maiden, €9,600, 3yo/up, 1 1/2 mT. B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs S C.

Gaudeamus (Ger), c, 3, **Laroche (Ger)**--Goldene Aue (Ger), by Gondel (Ger). Baden Baden, Germany, 8-27, Preis der Technologie-Region (Mdn), €5,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Uwe Stallman.

Binya (Ger), c, 3, **Royal Solo (Ire)**--Beaconaire (USA) (MSW-Fr), by Vaguely Noble (Ire). Deauville, France, 8-27, Prix de Falaise (Cond.) (Class D), €22,000, 2yo, f, 7 1/2 fT. B-Gestut Hof Iserneichen. *1/2 to Sabin (USA) (Lyphard {USA}), MGISW, \$1,098,341; Fatah Flare (USA) (Alydar {USA}), GSW-GB.

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