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ANOTHER DISTAFF VICTORY?

Owner G. Watts Humphrey, Jr. and trainer Rusty Arnold took back-to-back runnings of the GII Churchill Downs Distaff H., winning with Dream Scheme in 1998 and Let in 1999. They will go for a third score in the race with **Victory Ride** (Seeking the Gold) in the one-mile test this afternoon.



Victory Ride at Monmouth Equi-Photo

The four-year-old filly suffered a condylar fracture to her right front cannon bone at the end of last season, but returned after undergoing surgery to win the Madison S. at Keeneland in April. "She's one of the best fillies we've had over the last four or five years," said Jack Bohannon, Arnold's assistant. "She came through a really dangerous injury and came back to win a stake. Rusty did a great job with her to get her back to the races." Third in the May 18 GII Shuvee H. in her second start back, Victory Ride was given a break, returning to take the Omnibus S. at Monmouth Park Sept. 1. The bay stretched out beyond a mile for the first time last time out and finished off the board for the first time in her career, tiring to sixth in the GI Overbrook Spinster S. at Keeneland Oct. 6. "We're just going to throw the last race out," Bohannon said. "She's trained very well up to this race and seems to like the Churchill surface very much. We're really looking for her to rebound and come back and give us a good effort."

Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 4:38 p.m. EST

CHURCHILL DOWNS DISTAFF H.-GII, \$200,000,

3yo/up, f/m, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Flaxen Flyer	Muftafal	Hicks	110
2	Bare Necessities	Silver Deputy	W Dollase	115
3	Habibti	Tabasco Cat	Baffert	119
4	Red n'Gold	Tabasco Cat	Holthus	113
5	Victory Ride	Seeking the Gold	Arnold II	118
6	Trip	Lord At War (Arg)	McGaughey III	118
7	Adoration	Honor Grades	Hofmans	115
8	Softly	Binalong	Nafzger	114
9	Lotta Rhythm	Rhythm	Wiggins	112

YANKEE VICTOR COLT TOPS KEENELAND

A weanling colt from the first crop by 2000 GI Met Mile winner **Yankee Victor** (Saint Ballado) brought a final bid of \$320,000 to top Friday's session of the Keeneland November Breeding Stock Sale in Lexington. The dark bay, bred in Florida by Glen Ridge Farm, was consigned by Bluewater Sales LLC, Agent VIII, and purchased by Athens Woods LLC. Foaled Feb. 23, he is a half-brother to stakes winner Secret Lover (Friendly Lover), who was third in the GII Adirondack S. at Saratoga. Yankee Victor stood the 2002 breeding season at Airdrie Stud for a fee of \$15,000 live foal.

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KING OF KINGS TO JAPAN

King of Kings (Ire) (Sadler's Wells--Zimmerudd {Ire}, by Habitat), winner of the 1998 English 2000 Guineas, will stand the 2003 breeding season at East Stud on the Japanese island of Hokkaido, according to *Thoroughbred Times*. The seven-year-old Ashford stallion will stand in Japan under a one-year lease arrangement between Coolmore Stud and the Japanese breeders. The deal was brokered by Japan Bloodstock. King of Kings won five of seven starts, including the 1997 G1 National S., and was the highweighted three-year-old in Ireland from seven to 9 1/2 furlongs. From his first North American crop to race, the Irish-bred stallion has sired G3 Prestige S. winner Geminiani (Ire).

HONG KONG RULED OUT FOR THE "ROCK"

Rock Of Gibraltar (Ire) (Danehill), the runner-up in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile last time out, may have run his last race, as Aidan O'Brien yesterday ruled out a tilt at the G1 Hong Kong Mile at Sha Tin Dec. 15 for the colt. The three-year-old is featured on Coolmore's list of stallions for 2003, so it appears unlikely that the record-setting miler will remain in training at four, although the conditioner was keen to stress that no decision had yet been finalized. "Rock Of Gibraltar is not going to run in Hong Kong, but other future plans have yet to be decided," he told *Racing Post*.

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KEENELAND NOVEMBER -- FRIDAY
TOP FIVE WEANLINGS

Hip#	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price
1691	c	Yankee Victor	Far Away Kisses	\$320,000
<i>B-Glen Ridge Farm (Fl)</i>				
Consigned by Bluewater Sales LLC, Agent VIII				
Purchased by Athens Woods LLC				
1602	f	Mr. Greeley	Yemanja	\$230,000
<i>B-Julia H. Sublett (Ky)</i>				
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CLXIX				
Purchased by Tracy Farmer				
1394	f	Our Emblem	Lingquoit	\$200,000
<i>B-Nursery Place & Keen Shackelford (Ky)</i>				
Consigned by Nursery Place, agent				
Purchased by Venture One Partnership				
1567	c	Forest Wildcat	Ten Out of Ten	\$180,000
<i>B-Dr & Mrs A L Pineau & Forest Wildcat Syndicate (Ky)</i>				
Consigned by Fred Seitz/Brookdale Farm,				
agent for Three Pines Farm				
Purchased by Chestnut Valley Farm				
1656	f	Touch Gold	Craftimae	\$160,000
<i>B-Franklin Farms (Ky)</i>				
Consigned by Bluewater Sales LLC, Agent XXI				
Purchased by W. Schettine				

TOP FIVE BROODMARES

Hip#	Name	Covering Sire	Price
1588	Warren's Whistle	Racing/B'mare Prospect	\$285,000
<i>(4, Wolf Power {SAf}--Velveteen, by Pirateer)</i>			
Consigned by Mineola Farm, agent			
Purchased by William A. Carl			
1671	Do Nice	Horse Chestnut (SAf)	\$200,000
<i>(4, Unbridled--Dream Launch, by Relaunch)</i>			
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CXXIII			
Purchased by Pin Oak Stud			
1632	Betty's Pet	Woodman	\$190,000
<i>(4, Dehere--Liturgism, by Native Charger)</i>			
Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency,			
agent for Roger Devenport			
Purchased by W. Schettine			
1461	Personal Spending	Elusive Quality	\$150,000
<i>(4, French Deputy--Foolish Beauty, by Foolish Pleasure)</i>			
Consigned by Three Chimneys Sales, agent			
Purchased by Ken Ellenberg			
1506	Sandra's Song	Racing/B'mare Prospect	\$150,000
<i>(4, A.P. Indy--Waterside, by Topsider)</i>			
Consigned by Darby Dan Farm, Agent XI			
Purchased by Paragon Farms LLC			

☆ HIP HAPPENINGS ☆

Hip 1588, Warren's Whistle, racing/broodmare prospect.

Warren's Whistle (Wolf Power {SAf}), a four-year-old racing or broodmare prospect, was the top-selling mare at Friday's session. Consigned by Mineola Farm, agent, the gray was purchased for \$285,000 by William A. Carl. The California-bred filly, a \$27,000 yearling purchase, has been a stakes winner at two, three and four and was also third in the Gill Santa Ynez S. and the Gill Rancho Bernardo H. last year and second behind Kalookan Queen in the Rancho Bernardo this season. Coming off a fourth-place finish in the Nov. 2 Cal Cup Distaff, she has seven wins, three seconds and 10 thirds from her 41 starts for earnings of \$606,058.

Hip 1602, Mr. Greeley--Yemanja (Alleged) filly.

The second-highest selling weanling yesterday, the bay is out of a daughter of Korveya, who is the all-time top-selling mare at Keeneland November. Consigned by Claiborne Farm, agent, Korveya was purchased for \$7 million by Reynold Bell, Jr., agent, in 1998; she is the dam of champions Bosra Sham and Hector Protector and Classic winner Shanghai.

KEENELAND NOVEMBER STATISTICS	
FRIDAY, NOV. 8, 2002	
KEENELAND.	
SESSION TOTALS	
No. Offered	2002 336 2001 324
No. Sold	270 260
RNAs	66 64
% RNA (% change)	20% (no change) 20%
Gross	\$11,997,500 \$11,646,700
Average (% change)	\$44,435 (-.8%) \$44,795
Median (% change)	\$32,000 (-9%) \$35,000
CUMULATIVE	
No. Offered	2002 1452 2001 1455
No. Sold	1136 1047
RNAs	316 408
% RNA (% change)	22% (-21%) 28%
Gross	\$162,934,200 \$154,067,300
Average (% change)	\$143,428 (-3%) \$147,151
Median (% change)	\$61,000 (-2%) \$62,000
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Saturday, Saint-Cloud, France, post time: 3:15 p.m.
CRITERIUM DE SAINT-CLOUD-G1, €150,000, 2yo, c/f,
 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	2	Graikos (GB)	Rainbow Quest	Fabre
2	4	Our Teddy (Ire)	Grand Lodge	Margarson
3	3	Rios (Fr)	Lost World (Ire)	Brillet
4	8	Marshall (Fr)	Anabaa	Laffon-Parias
5	7	Nelson Creek (Fr)	Brier Creek	van de Poele
6	6	Alberto Giacometti (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	A O'Brien
7	5	The Great Gatsby (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	A O'Brien
8	1	Cougar (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	A O'Brien
9	10	Delacroix	Gulch	A O'Brien
10	9	Summerland (Ire)	Danehill	Gosden
11	11	Excelcius (Ire)	Dr Devious (Ire)	J Dunlop

All carry 126 pounds.

As Europe's only 10-furlong Group 1 contest for juveniles, the criteria required to win this race is stamina, stamina and more stamina. The last five winners of this contest had all previously run over further than a mile and while class can prevail, as Darshaan (GB) underlined in the last two renewals, those without a staying pedigree need not apply. Aidan O'Brien saddled the first three home last year and holds fair prospects of a near repeat with a strong quartet headed by **The Great Gatsby**. Having demonstrated his staying qualities in winning an extended mile maiden at Galway Aug. 3, the colt was stricken with the cough before returning to finish sixth in the G3 Beresford S. at The Curragh Oct. 13. Improving off that effort, he found stable companion Brian Boru (GB) too strong when fourth in the G1 Racing Post Trophy at Doncaster last time Oct. 26, but will relish this extra quarter of a mile. He is passed over by Michael Kinane in favour of **Alberto Giacometti**, who impressed when winning a Curragh maiden Oct. 31, but who lacks the experience of battle that his stable companion boasts. **Delacroix** coped well with testing conditions when winning a Gowran Park maiden Oct. 11, but his stamina has to be taken on trust here, while **Cougar** is an unknown quantity on the basis of his sole start, a fifth placing in a Leopardstown maiden Oct. 26. Andre Fabre, responsible for three winners since 1988, saddles the main domestic hope in **Graikos**, who followed his third-placed effort behind subsequent G1 Criterium International winner Dalakhani (Ire) in the G3 Prix des Chenes at Longchamp Sept. 22 before winning the G3 Prix de Conde at that track Oct. 20.

Saturday, Woodbine, post time: 4:27 p.m. EST
WOODBINE SLOTS CUP H.-GIII, C\$150,000, 3yo/up,
 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Lil Personalitee	Personal Flag	Cardella	118
2	Grand End Sweep	End Sweep	Wright	108
3	Lucky Molar	Wheatly Hall	Wright Jr.	114
4	Captain Wallstreet	With Approval	Wright Jr.	111
5	Attest	Affirmed	Richards	113
6	Parose	Parlay Me	McPherson	117
7	Devil Valentine	Devil Begone	MacLean	110
8	Dream Launcher	Bright Launch	Cappuccitti	120
9	B.D. Victor	Vying Victor	Katryan	111
10	Divine Luck	Lucky North	Gilforte	109

Saturday, Aqueduct, post time: 4:05 p.m. EST
ATHENIA H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	High Lady	Lord Avie	Goldberg	113
2	Strawberry Blonde (Aus)	Ashkalani (Ire)	Clement	116
3	Polygreen (Fr)	Green Tune	Head	115
4	Silver Rail	Dispersal	Rice	112
5	Super Blue (Chi)	Single Dawn	Penna Jr.	113
6	Shooting Party	Sky Classic	H Jerkens	112
7	Love N' Kiss S.	Kris S.	Clement	115
8	Babae (Chi)	Barkerville	Alexander	120
9	Decencia (Arg)	Lode	Kimmel	113
10	Media Access	Devil's Bag	Murray	113
11	Golden Corona	Gulch	Orseno	114
12	New Ecomony	Red Ransom	Motion	114
AE	Brandala	Compliance	Walsh	112
AE	Vespers	Known Fact	McGaughey III	112
AE	Sparkling Ava	Royal Academy	Hushion	110
MT0	Unrestrained	Unbridled	Hennig	120

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Top 30 Covering Sires of Keeneland November 2002 (Books 1 & 2)
(Listed by Average Selling Price)

Rank	Sire	FYR	***** 2002 In-foal Mare Sales *****					*** 2002 Yearling Sales ***		
			Ring	Sold	Average	Median	TopMare	Sold	Average	Median
1	DANEHILL	F91	1	1	\$3,100,000	\$3,100,000	\$3,100,000	33	\$328,587	\$313,195
2	STORM CAT	F89	4	4	2,375,000	2,125,000	4,000,000	18	976,111	787,500
3	DANZIG	F82	1	1	1,250,000	1,250,000	1,250,000	10	708,558	500,000
4	BROAD BRUSH	F89	3	2	1,225,000	1,225,000	1,750,000	14	221,464	225,000
5	A.P. INDY	F94	4	3	928,333	500,000	2,000,000	25	408,360	275,000
6	FUSAICHI PEGASUS	F02	17	7	707,143	475,000	2,250,000	***	***	***
7	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	25	20	699,750	422,500	2,000,000	***	***	***
8	DEPUTY MINISTER	F85	6	4	612,500	362,500	1,525,000	23	296,391	200,000
9	SEEKING THE GOLD	F91	5	5	596,000	550,000	950,000	20	494,872	306,401
10	KINGMAMBO	F95	1	1	550,000	550,000	550,000	36	336,271	285,000
11	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	8	5	490,000	550,000	600,000	62	244,001	182,500
12	GONE WEST	F89	10	8	453,750	412,500	950,000	24	535,625	312,500
13	FORESTRY	F01	15	11	436,818	325,000	1,450,000	31	245,823	150,000
14	SAINT BALLADO	F94	8	7	423,571	430,000	775,000	48	133,042	100,000
15	OUT OF PLACE	F94	2	2	412,500	412,500	725,000	32	58,688	42,500
16	PULPIT	F99	6	5	394,000	460,000	800,000	24	261,333	185,000
17	COZZENE	F87	3	3	383,333	380,000	650,000	23	109,350	100,000
18	THUNDER GULCH	F97	7	6	380,833	227,500	1,300,000	19	177,039	55,000
19	THEATRICAL	F89	6	5	329,000	410,000	500,000	22	145,991	90,000
20	WAR CHANT	F02	5	4	282,500	302,500	425,000	***	***	***
21	TIZNOW	F03	9	9	268,889	230,000	675,000	***	***	***
22	CORONADO'S QUEST	F00	4	2	260,000	260,000	450,000	25	182,120	170,000
23	PIVOTAL	F98	1	1	250,000	250,000	250,000	26	67,429	43,139
24	GULCH	F90	11	6	237,500	197,500	550,000	20	138,651	120,000
25	HENNESSY	F98	5	5	222,400	175,000	625,000	57	109,818	80,000
26	CHARISMATIC	F01	6	5	200,000	155,000	450,000	39	68,621	42,000
26	RAHY	F91	3	2	200,000	200,000	200,000	22	119,261	95,000
28	EL CORREDOR	F03	1	1	190,000	190,000	190,000	***	***	***
29	FOREST WILDCAT	F98	10	8	188,750	170,000	325,000	37	92,306	65,000
30	POINT GIVEN	F03	16	15	188,000	175,000	525,000	***	***	***

Top 10 Freshman Covering Sires of Keeneland November 2002 (Books 1 & 2)
(Listed by Average Selling Price)

Rank	Sire	***** 2002 In-foal Mare Sales *****				
		Ring	Sold	Average	Median	TopMare
1	TIZNOW	9	9	\$268,889	\$230,000	\$675,000
2	EL CORREDOR	1	1	190,000	190,000	190,000
3	POINT GIVEN	16	15	188,000	175,000	525,000
4	MONARCHOS	7	7	183,143	100,000	420,000
5	APTITUDE	9	4	155,000	102,500	360,000
6	KING CUGAT	2	2	152,500	152,500	210,000
7	BRAHMS	3	2	85,000	85,000	100,000
8	BROKEN VOW	3	3	76,667	85,000	100,000
9	FIVE STAR DAY	1	1	55,000	55,000	55,000
10	BLACK MINNALOUSHE	5	3	52,333	50,000	75,000



TDN INSTA-TISTICS

Top 30 Sires of Weanlings from Keeneland November 2002 (Books 1 & 2)
 (Listed by Average Selling Price)

Rank	Sire	FYR	***** 2002 Weanling Sales *****						*** 2002 Yearling Sales ***		
			Ring	Sold	Average	Median	TopColt	TopFilly	Sold	Average	Median
1	STORM CAT	F89	1	1	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$500,000	\$***	18	\$976,111	\$787,500
2	SEATTLE SLEW	F80	5	5	453,000	375,000	800,000	640,000	1	85,000	85,000
3	CORONADO'S QUEST	F00	2	1	390,000	390,000	390,000	***	25	182,120	170,000
4	FUSAICHI PEGASUS	F02	7	5	322,000	350,000	725,000	410,000	***	***	***
5	A.P. INDY	F94	3	3	310,000	300,000	300,000	485,000	25	408,360	275,000
6	RAHY	F91	1	1	250,000	250,000	***	250,000	22	119,261	95,000
7	WAR CHANT	F02	6	5	244,000	200,000	200,000	610,000	***	***	***
8	DESERT PRINCE	F00	1	1	210,000	210,000	210,000	***	36	87,760	53,089
9	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	F02	6	4	202,500	207,500	290,000	290,000	***	***	***
10	QUIET AMERICAN	F93	1	1	200,000	200,000	***	200,000	24	82,203	64,500
11	PULPIT	F99	3	2	185,000	185,000	270,000	***	24	261,333	185,000
12	UNBRIDLED'S SONG	F98	9	5	179,000	150,000	380,000	150,000	62	244,001	182,500
13	EL PRADO	F94	6	4	168,750	77,500	95,000	480,000	37	97,505	75,000
14	GONE WEST	F89	2	2	167,500	167,500	***	200,000	24	535,625	312,500
15	DIXIE UNION	F02	2	2	157,500	157,500	270,000	45,000	***	***	***
16	SILVER DEPUTY	F90	1	1	135,000	135,000	***	135,000	30	148,217	86,000
17	GRAND SLAM	F00	7	6	126,833	61,000	370,000	185,000	69	126,993	80,000
18	FORESTRY	F01	5	4	125,000	100,000	230,000	125,000	31	245,823	150,000
19	FOREST WILDCAT	F98	8	6	122,667	111,000	250,000	67,000	37	92,306	65,000
20	THUNDER GULCH	F97	16	12	122,250	85,000	150,000	375,000	19	177,039	55,000
21	LEMON DROP KID	F02	8	5	121,400	155,000	***	190,000	***	***	***
22	SAINT BALLADO	F94	3	2	120,000	120,000	150,000	***	48	133,042	100,000
23	CHESTER HOUSE	F02	6	6	115,000	115,000	170,000	80,000	***	***	***
24	AWESOME AGAIN	F00	6	4	110,375	102,500	230,000	6,500	25	81,960	50,000
25	TWO PUNCH	F88	1	1	110,000	110,000	110,000	***	22	73,295	53,500
26	SEEKING THE GOLD	F91	2	2	107,500	107,500	140,000	***	20	494,872	306,401
27	MEADOWLAKE	F88	3	3	106,667	95,000	95,000	130,000	17	49,471	50,000
28	HIGH YIELD	F02	9	7	105,571	65,000	290,000	200,000	***	***	***
29	MR. GREELEY	F97	3	3	102,333	85,000	85,000	170,000	22	80,614	46,000
30	EXPLOIT	F01	5	4	95,000	97,500	130,000	135,000	51	139,278	87,000

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1	FUSAICHI PEGASUS	7	5	\$322,000	\$350,000	\$725,000	\$410,000
2	WAR CHANT	6	5	244,000	200,000	200,000	610,000
3	GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	6	4	202,500	207,500	290,000	290,000
4	DIXIE UNION	2	2	157,500	157,500	270,000	45,000
5	LEMON DROP KID	8	5	121,400	155,000	***	190,000
6	CHESTER HOUSE	6	6	115,000	115,000	170,000	80,000
7	HIGH YIELD	9	7	105,571	65,000	290,000	200,000
8	STEPHEN GOT EVEN	5	5	84,000	85,000	120,000	150,000
9	MORE THAN READY	5	4	83,750	60,000	70,000	180,000
10	BEHRENS	3	3	81,667	30,000	200,000	30,000

Statistics compiled by Racing Update.

For more information, please contact Mike Brown or April Clark at 888-329-8729 or 859-231-7966.

U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE JOINS PICK SIX INVESTIGATION

The United States Attorney's Office, Southern District is now actively involved in the investigation of possibly fraudulent wagers made on the Breeders' Cup Ultra Pick Six. The office will handle any criminal cases that arise from the investigation. In a related development, the National Thoroughbred Racing Association announced yesterday that it is calling for major changes in the way bets are processed and how suspicious wagers are handled. Within three weeks, tote companies must have in place the necessary software to transmit betting information immediately after wagering has closed. Currently, fearing a computer overload, tote companies do not transmit full information on some multiple-race wagers until after several legs of the bet have been run. NTRA Commissioner Tim Smith said that the three major U.S. tote companies have agreed to the new standards. In addition, NTRA member tracks will no longer do business with account wagering outlets that do not have the proper equipment to record wagers made with Interactive Voice Response systems, which allows a customer to make bets by hitting touch tone keys on the phone. Catskill OTB did not have the mechanism, making it more difficult for investigators to determine the exact nature of the Pick Six bets that were placed. The NTRA is also asking racing organizations to look at winning bets involving multiple races. Any suspicious wagers will be subject to review and the tote company that processed the bet will be asked to provide further information supporting the wager's legitimacy. The New York Racing Association, Churchill Downs Inc. and Magna Entertainment have jointly announced their approval of the measures.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9:
11-23 \$150,000 Red Smith H.-II, Aqu,
3yo/up, 12fT (150)

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Yesterday's Results:

8th-AQU, \$58,000, Alw, NW2\$RT6MX, 3yo/up,
1 3/8mT, 2:24 3/5, .

1--**QUIET RULER, 120, c, 4, Woodman--Rivermorn, by Riverman.** (\$17,000 yrl '99 FTKOCT). O-Randy J Sarf & Old Brookside Farm; B-Gallagher's Stud (NY); T-R Mueller. Lifetime Record: SW, 30-6-4-2, \$277,970.

2--**Gritty Sandie, 123, g, 6, Manila--Madam Sandie, by Our Native.**

3--**Perfect Stranger, 117, c, 4, End Sweep--Delicacy, by Pleasant Colony.** (\$90,000 yrl '99 FTSAUG; \$150,000 2yo 2000 FTFFEB).

Margins: 2 1/4, NK, 1HF. Odds: 3.45, 3.30, 3.80B.

Quiet Ruler found his winning form last time out, besting a group of 11 statebreds en route to a victory in the Mohawk H. Oct. 19 over the Belmont lawn. Trying open company off that win, the second choice set a quick pace on the rail, responded when roused entering the stretch and bested the favorite Gritty Sandie with plenty left if he needed it.

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New York Report cont.

7th-AQU, \$56,000, Alw, NW1 \$9M, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08 4/5, ft.

1--SAY FLORIDA SANDY, 116, h, 8, Personal Flag--Lolli Lucka Lolli, by Sweet Candy (Ven). O-John Rotella; B-Sanford Bacon (NY); T-Victor Cuadra. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 90-31-16-11, \$1,956,453. *1/2 to Dancin Renee (Distinctive Pro), GSW, \$497,546.

2--True Direction, 121, c, 3, French Deputy--Ms Paragon, by Tank's Prospect. (\$85,000 yrl '00 KESESEP).

3--Cherokee Beau, 117, c, 4, Cherokee Run--Beau Prospector, by Mr. Prospector.

Margins: NK, 5, 3/4. Odds: 3.70, 2.65, 20.10.

Say Florida Sandy, a multiple graded-stakes winner and the richest New York-bred of all time, had recently been off his best form, going winless in his last four starts. However, those beats came against stiff competition, including a strong second behind GI Breeders' Cup Sprint champion Orientate in the GII Alfred G. Vanderbilt H. Aug. 11 at Saratoga, and two fourth-place finishes in the Oct. 6 GII Forest Hills H. and the Oct. 19 Hudson H., both over the Belmont strip. Looking to move closer to the \$2 million mark in this start, the handsome bay raced with the pace through the first half mile, stuck a nose in front with 100 yards left to run and gamely dueled True Direction to the wire to a record a gutty victory.

5th-AQU, \$48,000, Alw, NW2L, 3/up, 1m, 1:36 1/5, ft.

PHISH (c, 3, Sea Hero--Private Banking, by Private Account), winless in his first four starts, finally broke through with a resounding 5 1/2-length win last time out, scoring against maiden-claiming company over this strip Oct. 24. Making it two straight here, the 10-1 shot was hustled to the front, carried that lead throughout and reported home 1 1/4 lengths clear at the finish. The winner was a \$35,000 KESESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$45,300.

O-Robert Sliwowski. B-Wright, Lenihan & Rankin (KY). T-Michael E Hushion.

3rd-AQU, \$46,000, Alw, NW1X, (S), 2yo, 1m, 1:36 4/5, ft.

SPITE THE DEVIL (c, 2, Devil His Due--Samantha D, by Cryptoclearance) broke his maiden at first asking June 26 at Belmont, but had yet to return to the winner's circle in sixth subsequent starts. The colt had been knocking on the door against steep competition, however, running third behind Whywhywhy in the GII Sanford S. July 25 and behind Zavata in the GII Saratoga Special Aug. 14, both at the Spa. In his latest, the bay was beaten a tough neck in the Oct. 19 Sleepy Hollow S. against state-bred company at Belmont. As the heavy chalk at 3-5 here, the colt was last of all through the first half mile, rallied four wide into the stretch and gamely earned a 3/4-length win at the wire. Lifetime Record: MGSP, 7-2-2-2, \$124,815.

O-Hardwicke Stable. B-Elisabeth R Jerkens (NY). T-H Allen Jerkens.

6th-AQU, \$45,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:23 4/5, ft.

HOUSE PARTY (f, 2, French Deputy--Bill Back {MSP}, by Relaunch) was second in her Sept. 27 debut on a muddy track at Belmont and came back to finish third in the slop over the same strip Oct. 13. Catching dry footing for the first time here, the gray showed good speed to chase three wide from the onset, put a head in front when straightening away in the stretch and drew clear to a one-length victory as the 6-5 crowd's choice. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$40,950. O/B-Joseph V Shields Jr (FL). T-H Allen Jerkens.

4th-AQU, \$43,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft.

+ SENSIBLY CHIC (f, 2, Distorted Humor--Rajana's Honor, by Hero's Honor), after working consistently at Belmont for her debut, contested the pace while racing on the rail, took the lead entering the stretch and dug deep to score a 1 1/2-length tally at a big price of 28-1. The winner is the 12th for this freshman sire (by Forty Niner). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$25,800.

O-Lois S Nervitt. B-Mcmahon Thoroughbreds & WinStar Farm Llc (NY). T-Robert J Ribaud.

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Yesterday's Results:

9th-CDX, \$58,200, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), NW2\$YX, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16 4/5, ft.

1--**ROXELANA, 119, m, 5, Boundary--**

Itstimetocelbrate (SW), by Timeless Native.

O/B-William L S Landes III (KY); T-William G Huffman. Lifetime Record: GSW, 9-6-0-1, \$230,126.

2--**Freefouracing, 119, f, 4, French Deputy--Gerri N Jo Go, by Top Command.** (\$47,000 2yo 2000 FTFEB).

3--**Dorothy Ann, 117, h, 6, Groovy--Forever Splendid, by Dewan Keys.**

Margins: 1, 2, 5 3/4. Odds: 0.50, 2.00, 12.60.

Roxelana had a brilliant campaign as a four-year-old last year, winning her first four starts, including an 11-length romp in the GIII La Troienne S. at Churchill. After that win, she finished the year with a tough third in the GI Acorn S. at Belmont in June and a fourth-place finish in the Raven Run S. at Keeneland in October. The bay started 2002 with a fourth in the Pan Zareta H. at the Fairgrounds Feb. 10, then was sidelined again until returning with a winning allowance effort Sept. 25 at Turfway. Looking for her second straight, the lightly raced mare gained the lead right out of the gate, was challenged by Freefouracing on the turn, but repelled that foe to score under moderate urging.

4th-CDX, \$48,240, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:35, ft.

HORRIBLE EVENING (c, 4, Evening Kris--Horrible Gift, by Pappa Riccio), second against state-bred competition in the Escaped H. Sept. 28 at the Meadowlands, had previously taken two straight open allowance affairs, winning July 12 and Aug. 22 at Arlington. Away as the 7-2 second choice here, the bay vied for the lead through the first quarter, took over rounding the far turn, widened to a two-length advantage with a furlong to run and was all out to hold off the 3-5 favorite E Z Glory (Cox's Ridge) by a neck. The winner was a \$5,200 FTMOCT yearling. Lifetime Record: SW & GSP, 22-7-2-5, \$239,742.

O-Morton Fink & Gene Voss. B-Louis Cocelli Jr (NJ). T-Niall M O'Callaghan.

7th-CDX, \$43,400, Alw, NW1X, 2yo, f, 1m, 1:36 2/5, ft. MY BOSTON GAL (f, 2, Boston Harbor--Western League, by Forty Niner) was much the best of an 11-horse field in her debut, scoring by 2 3/4 lengths Oct. 17 at Keeneland. Looking to remain undefeated, the 8-5 second choice sat comfortably behind the leaders into the turn, made an impressive move through a tight hole to take command entering the stretch and drew clear a 5 1/4-length winner. The winner was a \$95,000 KEESOP yearling. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$58,385. O-Stoneledge Racing Stable, Randall Bloch & Phil Miln. B-Overbrook Farm (KY). T-Carl A Nafzger.

6th-HAW, \$26,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12, ft.

BOLD HONOREE (f, 2, Double Honor--Worldly Bold, by World Appeal), a half to Bold World (Fortunate Prospect), GSW, \$376,710, flashed good speed in her debut Oct. 5 at Arlington, but weakened to fourth. Garnering even-money favoritism off that effort, the bay stalked the pace in second through a half, took over in midstretch and won driving by four lengths. She becomes the 12th winner for her freshman sire (by Gone West). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$17,280. O-M Reavis, F Mancari, J Diaz & M Triffle. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). T-Michael L Reavis.

Touch Tone Retired:

MSW Touch Tone (Pick Up The Phone--Super Seniorita, by El Baba) has been retired and will stand stud at JEH Stallion Station in Pilot Point, Texas in 2003. The four-year-old, winner of the Iowa Derby and the Alysheba Breeders' Cup S. last season, was also second by a half-length behind subsequent Horse of the Year Point Given in the GI Haskell Invitational H. He came back after a 13-month layoff to be third in the Oct. 5 GIII Phoenix Breeders' Cup S. before finishing ninth in the Oct. 26 GI Breeders' Cup Sprint. Overall, the Florida-bred bay had three wins, a second and three thirds from his eight career starts, earning \$632,850. Touch Tone will stand for a fee of \$2,500, live foal.

Nasty Storm to Skip Churchill Downs Distaff:

Nasty Storm (Gulch), who was purchased by Frank Stronach for \$1.075 million at the Keeneland November Sale Tuesday, will not defend her title in today's GI Churchill Downs Distaff H. "She missed five days of training while she was at the sale and she coughed a couple of times when she got back, so we're not going to run her," trainer Dallas Stewart said. The four-year-old could start next in the GIII Falls City H. Nov. 28.

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Mongoose To Hill 'n' Dale Farm:

GISW **Mongoose** (Broad Brush--Salty Gal, by Cox's Ridge) has been retired and will stand the 2003 breeding season at Hill 'n' Dale Farm in Lexington. The four-year-old colt captured the Miller Genuine Draft Cradle S. at two. Third in the GII Turfway Spiral S. at three, the bay capped a four-race winning streak with a neck win over Red Bullet in this year's GI Donn H. at Gulfstream. Second by a neck to Hal's Hope in the GI Gulfstream Park H. next time out, he made just one more start, running eighth in the June 1 GII MassCap. Mongoose heads to the breeding shed with six wins, two seconds and two thirds from 17 career starts for earnings of \$694,531. A \$370,000 yearling purchase, he is out of a mare that brought \$1.75 million at this year's Keeneland November Sale. "We are delighted that [owners Gary and Mary West] have decided to stand this horse at Hill 'n' Dale," said Hill 'n' Dale owner John Sikura. "I love Broad Brush, who is the only sire other than Storm Cat to be a top 20 sire in North America in every year since 1994. At \$5,000, this horse should be extremely popular."

Take Charge Lady Works:

Three-year-old **Take Charge Lady** (Dehere), sixth in the GI Breeders' Cup Distaff last time out, worked five furlongs in 1:00 at Churchill Downs yesterday morning. The filly, who is being pointed for the GIII Falls City H. at Churchill Nov. 28, has recovered from the minor respiratory infection discovered after her Breeders' Cup effort. "She just had a little stuff in her head," trainer Ken McPeck said. "She's fine." Also expected for the Falls City is GIII Delaware Oaks winner **Allamerican Bertie** (Quiet American), who took a Churchill turf allowance Thursday.

Syncline To Crestwood Farm:

Syncline (Danzig--Annie Edge {Ire}, by Nebbiolo {GB}), a stakes winner of \$172,790, will stand stud at Crestwood Farm in Lexington next year. The five-year-old, with five wins and three seconds from his 11 starts, earned a nose win over Dr. Kashnikow in his final career start, the Aug. 3 Sussex H. at Delaware Park. A half-brother to top sire Selkirk, Syncline will stand for a fee of \$2,500, live foal.

☆ EAST ☆

Yesterday's Results:

9th-WOX, \$89,000, Alw, NW3\$R3MX, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft.

1--**MALMAISON, 118, c, 3, Gulch--Dibs (SW, \$165,643), by Spectacular Bid.** O/B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras (KY); T-R L Attfield. Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-1, \$193,911.

2--**Recite, 118, c, 3, Victory Speech--Other, by Stage Door Johnny.** (\$6,500 yrl '00 KEESEP).

3--**Barbeau Ruckus, 118, c, 3, Barbeau--Chelsea Anne, by Fabuleux Dancer.** (\$14,123 yrl '00 CBSOCT). Margins: NO, 1 3/4, 7 3/4. Odds: 4.80, 12.60, 6.15.

Malmaison broke his maiden at first asking June 15 over this strip and subsequently scored once in three tries against allowance company before earning a third in the GIII C. McLaughlin H. Sept. 14. Back against allowance foes on the grass Oct. 14, the gray came flying late to score a game win by a neck at the wire. A 9-2 chance here, he stalked the pace between horses into the turn, found room to slip through along the rail and prevailed in the final strides while fully extended.

1st-LRL, \$25,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05, ft.

LOVE YOU MADLY (f, 2, Partner's Hero--Georgia K., by Horatius), a \$57,000 FTMOCT yearling, missed by a head in her Oct. 18 debut over this strip. Bet down to even money off that game performance, she stalked the early pace in a comfortable striking position, closed strongly from the outside going three-wide into the stretch and wore down Shake a Leg (Gold Alert) by a nose. She is the 11th winner for her freshman sire (by Danzig). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$19,500.

O-Longwood Stable. B-Mr & Mrs Charles McGinnes (MD). T-Rodney Jenkins.

Thursday's Late Results:

3rd-MED, \$18,198, Msw, 11-7, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

SILVER MEADOW (f, 2, El Prado {Ire}--Cobey's Girl, by Capote) was a well-beaten third on a sloppy track Oct. 16 over the local oval. Improving off that debut, the gray set the early pace while racing away from the rail, responded when challenged by favored Stargirl (Tactical Advantage) and edged clear late to score a two-length win as the 5-2 second choice. The winner was a \$11,000 KEENOV weanling, a \$19,000 OBSAUG yearling and a \$75,000 OBSAPR two-year-old. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, \$12,780.

O-Sterling Stables. B-Lambholm (FL). T-Terri Pompay.

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1st-CTX, \$17,000, Msw, 11-7, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :53 2/5, ft.

+ STRIKES VICTORY (f, 2, Semoran--Pedal Point {SP}, by Crafty Prospector), a \$29,000 OBSAUG yearling, hopped at the start, but recovered quickly to challenge for the early lead, took over entering the turn and demolished the field by nine widening lengths at a lucrative 7-1. The winner is number 13 for her freshman sire (by Phone Trick). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$10,200. O-SJB Jr Stable. B-Karen Essick (FL). T-Timothy Tullock Jr.

☆ FOREIGN ☆

AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS IN UAE:

Stentorian, c, 3, Devil's Bag--Jolie Bois, by Woodman. Nad al Sheba, 11-7, Mdn., 1400m, 1:26.31. B-Freshman Group LLC. *\$100,000 wnlg '99 KEENOV; \$275,000 yrl '00 FTSAUG.

Estimraar, g, 5, Holy Bull--Verbasle (GISP, \$250,801), by Sleppy. Nad al Sheba, 11-7, Hcp., 1800m, 1:51.39. B-Sheikh Rashid bin Mohammed Al Maktoum. *\$350,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.

State Shinto, h, 6, Pleasant Colony--Sha Tha (GSW-US, SW & MG1SP-Fr), by Mr. Prospector. Nad al Sheba, 11-7, Hcp., 1800m, 1:51.31. B-Darley Stud Management Inc (Ky). *Hwt. 3yo-Fr at 9.5-11f; MGSW-Fr, G1SP-Ger & MGSP-UAE, \$215,019.

**State Shinto will now point towards the Nov. 28 Umm El Dummin at Nad al Sheba and connections are hopeful that a good showing in that race could earn the horse a berth in the Mar. 29 G1 Dubai World Cup. "Sheikh Rashid rang me when I was on holidays in Australia and suggested we try for this race and the Umm El Dummin, where, if he could win that, he may get an invitation for the Dubai World Cup. If that happens then we can set him for the race," explained trainer John Sadler.

☆ INDUSTRY INFO ☆

Three New Members for Jockey Club:

The Jockey Club yesterday announced the election of three new members, adding Reynolds Bell, Jr., Larry Bramlage DVM and Richard Santulli to the roster. Bell, the vice president of the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association, has operated Reynolds Bell Jr. Thoroughbred Services since 1992. Bramlage, a partner in Rood and Riddle Equine Clinic and an adjunct professor at The Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine, is vice president of the American Association of Equine Practitioners. He was awarded The Jockey Club Medal in 1994 for his dedication and contributions to Thoroughbred racing. Santulli, a former investment banker, is a partner in Jayeff B Stables.

BREEDERS' EDITION

STAKES RESULTS:

RACINO INAUGURAL S., \$40,000, DED, 11-7, 3yo/up, 5f, :58 3/5, ft.

1--BELIEVE IM SPECIAL, 116, c, 3, Believe It--Queen's Silence, by Silent King. O/B-Frederick T Davis, Marshall Davis & Greg Defrates (LA); T-Thomas W Sam; J-S Carmouche Jr; \$24,000. Lifetime Record: 11-4-2-1, \$74,920.

2--Front Nine, 116, c, 3, Jules--American Gal, by American Standard. \$8,000.

3--Gracie's Dancer, 118, c, 4, Mt. Livermore--Erzulie Freda, by Fappiano. (\$80,000 yrl '99 KEESEP). \$4,400.

Margins: 3, 3/4, NK. Odds: 14.00, 7.40, 4.00.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

10th-CDX, \$41,300, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:51, fm.

FLYING MARLIN (f, 3, Marlin--Morning Dove, by Fortunate Prospect) Lifetime Record: 10-3-2-0, \$81,475. O-Frank L Jones Jr. B-B C Jones (KY). T-Dale Romans.

10th-HAW, \$36,672, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000-\$30,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36 1/5, fm.

AESTHETE APPROVAL (f, 4, With Approval--Aesthete, by Nijinsky II) Lifetime Record: SW, 27-5-4-4, \$139,795. O-Connie Phillips. B-Live Oak Stud (KY). T-Moises R Yanez.

1st-GGX, \$32,175, NW1X, 2yo, 6f, 1:09 3/5, sy.

GRAY JAG (c, 2, Ponche--Sparkling Speed, by Entropy) Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-2-0, \$54,360. O-Harry J Aleo. B-Carol & Georgie Yates (FL). T-Greg Gilchrist. *\$62,000 2yo 2002 OBSAPR.

9th-HAW, \$28,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft.

BOLD DAYS (c, 3, Bold Run {Fr}--Northern Days, by Magesterial) Lifetime Record: 11-3-3-1, \$61,800.

O-Christopher T & Angelo T Barney. B-Malnati Giancarlo Dvm (FL). T-Hector Magana.

7th-HAW, \$28,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43, fm.

CRUSADER JO (c, 3, Crusader Sword--Another Jo, by Transworld) Lifetime Record: 13-2-3-1, \$61,812.

O/B-Lawrence M Karp (IL). T-Joseph Kasperski Jr.

8th-LRL, \$28,000, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000-\$18,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23 3/5, ft.

ALPINE PASS (f, 3, Polish Numbers--Affirm Promise {SP}, by Affirmed) Lifetime Record: 10-3-0-1, \$59,472. O-Augustin Stable. B-George Strawbridge Jr (PA). T-Francis P Campitelli.



7th-MED, \$25,000, 11-7, NW2\$YX, 3yo/up, 5f, :56 4/5, ft.

HEROOFTHEGAME (h, 6, Montbrook--Clever Lou, by Tri Jet) Lifetime Record: GSP, 41-10-5-6, \$263,225. O-E & G Stables. B-Manuel Estevez & Ocala Stud Farms (FL). T-John S McCaslin. *\$95,000 2yo 1998 OBSFEB. **1/2 to Unembellished (True Colors), SW, \$134,477; Cache and Carry (On To Glory), SW, \$192,255 and Clever Thing (On To Glory), SW, \$115,150.

10th-HOO, \$24,000, 11-7, NW2L, (S), 3/up, 6f, 1:13, gd.
DERIGA BAY (c, 4, Victorian Line--Niesquaw, by Nielbueh) Lifetime Record: 17-2-0-3, \$40,680. O-Orion Stables. B-Beth E Bergmark (IN). T-Kelly Von Hemel.

4th-MED, \$23,750, 11-7, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.
THE FUSE (f, 4, Lite the Fuse--Alestaria, by Our Native) Lifetime Record: 6-2-3-0, \$59,400. O/B-James & Stacey Frangella (NJ). T-James Frangella Jr.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

Meanwhile, c, 2, Belong to Me--Saratoga Swing, by Saratoga Six. CDX, 11-8, (C), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-John A Toffan & Trudy McCaffery (Ky). *\$9,500 yrl '01 KEESEP; \$35,000 2yo 2002 TEXMAR; and \$77,000 2yo 2002 OBSFEB.

Fluid and Fast, f, 2, Birdonthewire--Wind Runner, by Gold Alert. LAD. 11-8, 5fT, :58 3/5. B-M Hummert (FL).

Storm Tale, c, 2, Crown Ambassador--Almost Mystical, by General Assembly. HOO, 11-7, (S), 6f, 1:14 1/5. B-Kenneth Ayres (In).

Not for Profit, c, 2, Cryptoclearance--Changing Fortunes, by Spend a Buck. CDX, 11-8, (C), 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5. B-Richard S Trontz (Ky). *\$57,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.

Purely Devious, c, 2, Devious Course--Pure Imagination (MSP), by Creole Dancer. PEN, 11-7, 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-J C Laird & Diamond D Ranch (Tx).

+ **Sensibly Chic, f, 2, Distorted Humor--Rajana's Honor, by Hero's Honor.** AQU, 11-8, (S), 6f, 1:11 4/5. B-Mcmahon Thoroughbreds & WinStar Farm Llc (NY). *12th winner for freshman sire (by Forty Niner).

Bold Honoree, f, 2, Double Honor--Worldly Bold, by World Appeal. HAW, 11-8, 6f, 1:12. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). *1/2 to Bold World (Fortunate Prospect), GSW, \$376,710. **12th winner for freshman sire (by Gone West).

Improvised, f, 2, Dove Hunt--Glimmering Hope, by World Appeal. CRC, 11-8, 1mT, 1:37. B-Brambly Lane Farm (FL). *\$7,000 wlng '00 OBSOCT.

Silver Meadow, f, 2, El Prado (Ire)--Cobey's Girl, by Capote. MED, 11-7, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Lambholm (FL). *\$11,000 wlng '00 KEENOV; \$19,000 yrl '01 OBSAUG; and \$75,000 2yo 2002 OBSAPR.

House Party, f, 2, French Deputy--Bill Back, by Relaunch. AQU, 11-8, 7f, 1:23 4/5. B-J V Shields Jr (FL).

+ **Mr. Mink, c, 2, Gold Case--Native Mary (MSP), by Super Native.** HOO, 11-7, (S), 6f, 1:11 4/5. B-South River Ranch Inc (In). *1/2 to Monk's Sister (Executive Order), MSW, \$216,119.

Roxie Lou, f, 2, Leo Castelli--Silver Lights, by Marfa. RPX, 11-7, 1m, 1:42 3/5. B-Ironwater Farms Joint Venture (Tx). *\$4,700 yrl '01 TEXAUG.

Flame in My Heart, f, 2, Lite the Fuse--Forever Young, by Shadeed. CDX, 11-8, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:19 4/5. B-Adena Springs (Ky). *\$15,000 2yo '02 ADNMAR.

Tribal Leader, c, 2, Metfield--Berg Venus, by Flying Paster. HOU, 11-7, 1m, 1:41. B-Margaux Stallions Llc & Art Baumohl (Ky). *\$2,500 yrl '01 KEEOCT.

Love You Madly, f, 2, Partner's Hero--Georgia K., by Horatius. LRL, 11-8, 5 1/2f, 1:05. B-Mr & Mrs Charles McGinnes (Md). *\$57,000 yrl '01 FTMOCT. **11th winner for freshman sire (by Danzig).

Kings of the Ring, c, 2, Pentelicus--Pyrotechnic, by Star de Naskra. AQU, 11-8, (C), 1m, 1:36 4/5. B-Stride Rite Racing Stables, Inc & Mr & Mrs W A T Rainbow (FL). *\$65,000 yrl '01 FTKJUL. **1/2 to Bogatyr (Proud Birdie), MSP, \$179,150; Do I Ever (Proud Birdie), MSW, \$422,697; and Danish Dynamite (Tactical Advantage), SW, \$141,862.

+ **Strikes Victory, f, 2, Semoran--Pedal Point (SP), by Crafty Prospector.** CTX, 11-7, 4 1/2f, :53 2/5. B-Karen Essick (FL). *\$29,000 yrl '01 OBSAUG. **13th winner for freshman sire (by Phone Trick).

Reynoldsrap, c, 2, Skip Away--It's a Wrap, by Cutlass. LRL, 11-8, (C), 7f, 1:26 2/5. B-Springwood Llc & Skip Away Syndicate (Ky). *\$50,000 2yo 2002 OBSFEB. **Sixth winner for freshman sire (by Skip Trial).

Unome's Star, c, 2, Unome--Bundleofstars, by Dixieland Band. RPX, 11-7, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-C R Trout (Ok).

Borabadura, f, 2, Western Gentleman--Show Ya, by Show Dancer. WOX, 11-8, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:20 3/5. B-Carol Baker (On).

Sportive Spirit, f, 3, Gremlin Grey--Sportin' Star, by Sportin' Life. MED, 11-7, (C), 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Dr K K Jayaraman & Dr V Devi Jayaraman (FL).

Jade Vixen, f, 3, Jade Hunter--Wixon (Fr) (Hwt Filly at Two-Fr, MGSW-Fr, \$164,473), by Fioravanti. HOL, 11-7, (C), 7f, 1:25. B-Allen E Paulson (Ky). *\$220,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

+ **Love That Moon, c, 3, Migrating Moon--It's Love Again, by Regal and Royal.** CRC, 11-8, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Robert Bakerman (FL).

Mia Villa, f, 3, Pancho Villa--Etiquetta Negra, by Native Tactics. HOU, 11-7, (S), a1m70yd, 1:45 4/5. B-S & C Hicks & G Smith (Tx). **Won in dead heat.

Pine Brook Road, f, 3, Pine Bluff--Luna Rossa, by Apalachee. LRL, 11-8, (C), 6f, 1:14 2/5. B-Ramona & Victor Divivo (Ky).

Nothing But, f, 3, Proud Truth--Lucky Loot, by Vice Regent. LRL, 11-8, 1 1/16m, 1:50. B-Mea Culpa Stables, Inc (Md). *\$15,000 wlng '99 FTMDEC. **1/2 to Saluteloot (Salutely), SW, \$261,786.



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Saturday, Nov. 9

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1999 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

AWESOME AGAIN (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$50K, 74/6/1
6-WO, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Easy Cruiser, \$100K KEE NOV wnl, 4-1
BANKER'S GOLD (Forty Niner), Airdrie, \$15K, 61/8/0
4-HOO, Stk, 6f, Jenny's Prospector, \$47K FTF FEB 2yo, 12-1
CHILITO (Strawberry Road {Aus}), Sugar Maple, \$3K, 12/0/0
6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, To Go
CYBERSPACE (Forty Niner), Stonebridge, \$, 24/4/0
8-AQU, Alw, 6f, Cyber Secret, \$20K EAS MAY 2yo
DANCE BRIGHTLY (Mr. Prospector), HillnDale, \$8K, 84/6/0
4-HOO, Stk, 6f, Ballado Belle, \$1,000 KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
ELAJJUD (Dayjur), Spring, \$, 13/0/0
1-FE, Msw, 6f, +Elajuud's Gold, 12-1
FORMAL GOLD (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), Gainesway, \$15K, 71/10/0
5-CD, Msw, 6 1/2f, K. J.'s Gold, \$250K FTF FEB 2yo, 12-1
GENTLEMEN (ARG) (Robin des Bois), Walmac, \$30K, 66/4/1
1-HOL, Msw, 1 1/16m, Gentlestone, \$90K FTS AUG yrl
GOLD TOKEN (Mr. Prospector), Questroyal, \$5K, 32/1/0
4-PHA, Msw, 1 1/16m, Blue's Prospector, 6-1
HALORY HUNTER (Jade Hunter), Rockin Rvr, \$8K, 49/3/0
6-WO, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Hunter Jay, \$17K ONT SEP yrl, 15-1
INDIAN CHARLIE (In Excess {Ire}), Airdrie, \$10K, 82/9/1
5-CD, Msw, 6 1/2f, Say Hey Charlie, \$6K OBS AUG yrl, 15-1
JAMBALAYA JAZZ (Dixieland Band), Nuckols, \$7K, 12/1/0
8-LAD, Msw, 6f, Jazzy Double, 20-1
JOYEUX DANSEUR (Nureyev), Lakeview, \$20K, 45/2/0
2-CT, Msw, 7f, Joyeux Niner, 4-1
MORTLOCK (FR) (Danehill), Lakeview, \$, 9/1/0
3-HOL, Str, 6 1/2f, Road to Mortlock, \$6K BAR MAY 2yo
NORTHERN AFLEET (Afleet), DBL Diamond, \$5K, 39/8/0
6-CRC, Msw, 6f, You're Darn Tootin
ORDWAY (Salt Lake), Claiborne, \$5K, 48/6/1
6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Ordvou
PARTNER'S HERO (Danzig), Northview, \$8K, 63/10/1
6-LRL, Alw, 1 1/16m, I Pay the Bills, \$12K EAS OCT yrl, 20-1
RAGE (Gulch), Stallion Park, \$3K, 6/4/0
2-CT, Msw, 7f, Bliss to Rage, \$5K OBS AUG yrl, 8-1
SEKARI (GB) (Polish Precedent), Payson, \$4K, 10/0/0
8-LAD, Msw, 6f, +Sweet Debbie, 20-1
SKIP AWAY (Skip Trial), Hopewell, \$50K, 94/5/1
7-CD, Alw, 1m, Skamper, \$27K KEE APR 2yo, 10-1
7-DEL, Stk, 6f, +Dixie's Hero, \$16K KEE SEP yrl, 9-2
SOUVENIR COPY (Mr. Prospector), Hopewell, \$20K, 105/13/0
5-CD, Msw, 6 1/2f, Global Attraction, \$240K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1
STORM BROKER (Storm Cat), Country Life, \$4K, 54/4/0
7-DEL, Stk, 6f, Krebsie, \$5K EAS OCT yrl, 6-1
SUBORDINATION (Mt. Livermore), Gainesway, \$10K, 41/5/0
6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Risk and Return, \$72K OBS MAR 2yo
6-WO, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Via Columbo, \$21K KEE SEP yrl, 2-1
SWEAR BY DIXIE (Dixieland Band), Bonita, \$3K, 18/3/0
4-PHA, Msw, 1 1/16m, Dixie Rap, 7-2

TOUCH GOLD (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$30K, 86/7/1
6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Twilight Racer, \$125K KEE APR 2yo
WILD RUSH (Wild Again), Adena, \$15K, 87/6/0
6-WO, Msw, 6 1/2f, Inarush, 12-1
8-LAD, Msw, 6f, Walkonthewildside, \$2K TEX AUG yrl, 5-1



SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

First-time Starters & Stakes Progeny: Saturday, Nov. 9

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 1998 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW
Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

CAT'S CAREER (Mr. Prospector), Airdrie Stud, \$5K, 124/25/1
1. 6-HAW, Stk, 6f, Galatea Cat, \$38K KEE NOV wnl, 12-1
CHEQUER (Mr. Prospector), McMahan, \$8K, 89/28/0
8-HOU, Stk, 1 1/16mT, Extra Check, 9-5
GOLD CASE (Forty Niner), Adena, \$5K, 117/33/3
4-HAW, Stk, 6f, She's the Fashion, 6-1
K.O. PUNCH (Two Punch), Hopewell, \$5K, 107/27/1
6-MNR, Msw, 5f, +Punchy Princess, \$3K KEE SEP yrl
LANGFUHR (Danzig), Vinery, \$20K, 173/60/4
6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Sir Claude, \$13K KEE SEP yrl
8-TUP, Stk, 7 1/2fT, Princess Forever, \$25K KEE SEP yrl
LOST SOLDIER (Danzig), Franks, \$4K, 107/36/5
4-HOO, Stk, 6f, Hurry Home, \$29K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1
8-HOL, Stk, 1 1/8mT, Company B
LOUIS QUATORZE (Sovereign Dancer), Ashford, \$20K, 115/29/1
6-WO, Msw, 6 1/2f, +King of Gold, \$46K CAN JUN 2yo, 12-1
8-HAW, Stk, 1 1/16m, Ioya Forever, 8-1
MARLIN (Sword Dance {Ire}), Turkey, \$10K, 115/18/2
6-WO, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Sea Walker, \$38K ONT SEP yrl, 20-1
MESOPOTAMIA (Deputy Minister), Highcliff, \$500, 40/10/0
7-SUF, Stk, 6f, Mr. Meso
PERFECT (Affirmed), Anderson, \$1000, 47/10/1
9-DED, Stk, 5f, Perfect Lil, 20-1
RAGTIME RASCAL (Dixieland Band), Dos Rio, \$750, 6/1/1
8-TUP, Stk, 7 1/2fT, She's Finding Time
SIPHON (BRZ) (Itajara {Brz}), Airdrie, \$15K, 168/31/3
6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Honorary Man
5-CD, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Our Friend Perk, \$40K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1
6-WO, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Mega Hit, 4-1
SMOKE GLACKEN (Two Punch), Gainesway, \$10K, 130/54/6
4-HOO, Stk, 6f, Southern Smoke, \$36K TEX MAR 2yo, 7-2
TEJANO RUN (Tejano), Hill 'n' Dale, \$5K, 68/23/3
6-HAW, Stk, 6f, Tejano Honey, \$60K ILL HRA 2yo, 3-1
TOP ACCOUNT (Private Account), Bridlewood, \$5K, 112/27/1
7-SUF, Stk, 6f, Comp, \$5K OBS JUN 2yo

Maiden Winners cont.

My Lucky Strike, c, 3, **Smart Strike**--Launch Time, by Relaunch. WOX, 11-8, 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-Austerson Hall Stud (Ky). *\$12,000 wlng '99 KEENOV; \$48,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

Have a Great Day, f, 3, **Tank**--Camaland, by Badger Land. AQU, 11-8, (S), 1 1/8m, 1:54 3/5. B-Camaland Partnership (NY).

★ **BRITAIN** ★

RAIN THREATENS FINALE

Officials at Doncaster racecourse are hoping that today's final card of the British turf flat season survives the heavy rain that lashed Town Moor yesterday. Featuring the November H. and two Listed events, the meeting is under threat as nine millimetres of rain fell on ground that was already soft and heavy in places yesterday. An inspection will be held at 8:00 a.m. today, with course spokesman Jonjo Sanderson describing the task of escaping abandonment "a tall order" yesterday. As the last race on the card was a contest for lady riders, it may be that Kieren Fallon recorded the final success of the 2002 turf season on Lady Mytton (GB), putting him 21 in front of Richard Hughes.

Saturday, Doncaster, post time: 4:05 p.m.
CHARLES SIDNEY MERCEDES BENZ WENTWORTH S.-Listed, £24,000, 3yo/up, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	16	Warningford (GB)	Warning (GB)	Fanshawe	129
2	7	Falcon Hill (GB)	Polar Falcon (USA)	Johnston	126
3	21	Monkston Point (Ire)	Fayruz (GB)	Arbuthnot	126
4	18	Smokin Beau (GB)	Cigar (GB)	Littmoden	126
5	3	Abjabjabba (GB)	Barrys Gamble (GB)	Fairhurst	123
6	20	Bond Boy (GB)	Piccolo (GB)	Smart	123
7	22	Fire Dome (Ire)	Salt Dome (USA)	Reid	123
8	2	Lucayan Monarch (GB)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Wilman	123
9	10	Millennium Force (GB)	Bin Ajwaad (Ire)	Channon	123
10	6	Now Look Here (GB)	Reprimand (GB)	McMahon	123
11	4	Orienteer (GB)	Inchinor (GB)	Goldie	123
12	8	Repertory (GB)	Anshan (GB)	Saunders	123
13	9	Tom Tun (GB)	Bold Arrangement (GB)	Given	123
14	5	Welsh Emperor (Ire)	Emperor Jones (USA)	Tate	123
15	19	Bright Edge (GB)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Palling	121
16	17	Canterloupe (Ire)	Wolfhound (USA)	Makin	118
17	15	Goldeva (GB)	Makbul (GB)	Hollinshead	118
18	1	Miss Jingles (GB)	Muhtarram (USA)	Gilbert	118
19	12	Moonlight Song (Ire)	Mujadil (USA)	J Harris	118
20	14	Roundtree (Ire)	Night Shift (USA)	Hannon	118
21	13	Star Of Normandie (USA)	Gulch (USA)	Margaron	118
22	11	Vincentia (GB)	Komaite (USA)	C Smith	118

Saturday, Doncaster, post time: 2:25 p.m.

CIU SERLBY S.-Listed, £24,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	9	Border Arrow (GB)	Selkirk (USA)	I Balding	130
2	4	Grand Finale (Ire)	Sadler's Wells (USA)	V Williams	125
3	5	Mesmeric (Ire)	Sadler's Wells (USA)	E Dunlop	125
4	8	Moyne Pleasure (Ire)	Exit To Nowhere (USA)	Johnson	125
5	3	Ovambo (Ire)	Namaqualand (USA)	Makin	125
6	6	Warning Reef (GB)	Warning (GB)	Alston	125
7	7	Red Carnation (Ire)	Polar Falcon (USA)	M Jarvis	120
8	1	Dusky Warbler (GB)	Ezzoud (Ire)	Bell	119
9	2	Digdaga (USA)	Machiavellian (USA)	Lamyman	114

Yesterday's Results:

2.10 Doncaster, Cond. S. (Class C), £12,540, 3yo/up, 14f 132ydsT, 3:29.40, sf.

POLE STAR (GB) (g, 4, Polar Falcon {USA}--Ellie Ardensky {GB} {SW-Eng}, by Slip Anchor {GB}), sent off the 11-10 favourite on the basis of his fourth in the G2 Jockey Club Cup at Newmarket Oct. 19, raced in third early as Random Quest (GB) (Rainbow Quest {USA}) led. He relished the testing ground to wear down Frosty Welcome (USA) (With Approval {Can}) in the final 75 yards and win by a half length. Lifetime Record: 13-2-4-2, £64,880.

O-D I Russell; B-Snailwell Stud Co Ltd; T-James Fanshawe; J-Pat Eddery.

12.00 Doncaster, Mdn S. (Class D) (Div 1), £8,350, 2yo, 7fT, 1:36.60, sf.

+ KINGHAM (GB) (g, 2, Desert Prince {Ire}--Marie De Flandre {Fr} {SW-Fr}, by Crystal Palace {Fr}) tracked the leaders in sixth as Backwell (USA) (Allied Forces {USA}) led but came under pressure soon after half-way. The 9-2 joint-second choice was driven from the quarter-mile marker, challenged at the eighth pole and ran on well in the closing stages to assert a three parts of a length superiority over Golano (GB) (Linamix {Fr}). The gelding, a half brother to Flanders Moss (GB) (Shareef Dancer {USA}, SW-Fr, \$102,795) and Solo Mio (Ire) (Sadler's Wells {USA}, Hwt. Older Horse-Ger at 14+ f, MGSW-Eng & Ger, MGSP-Fr, \$216,626), became the 13th winner for his freshman sire (by Green Desert {USA}). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £5,428. O-Cotswold Stud; B-London Thoroughbred Services Ltd; T-John Gosden; J-Dale Gibson.

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12.30 Doncaster, Mdn S. (Class D) (Div 2), £8,325, 2yo, 7fT, 1:36.66, sf.

MEZUZAH (GB) (c, 2, Barathea {Ire}--Mezzogiorno {GB} {SW & MG1SP-Eng, \$112,699}, by Unfuwain {USA})

followed the front rank in sixth as Alfred Sisley (GB) (Royal Applause {GB}) led but was pushed along approaching the final quarter mile. The 3-1 market choice was ridden to the front at the distance and was pushed clear in the latter stages to defeat Down Memory Lane (GB) (Pursuit Of Love {GB}) by an easy five lengths. The winner is a half brother to Monnavanna (Ire) (Machiavellian {USA}), SW-Eng & Fr, GSP-Fr. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, £5,411.

O/B-Rebecca Philipps; T-Geoff Wragg; J-Darryll Holland.

1.00 Doncaster, Mdn S. (Class E), £7,160, 2yo, 1mT, 1:51.85, sf.

SHELINI (GB) (f, 2, Robellino {USA}--Agama {USA}, by Nureyev {USA}),

sent off the 3-1 favourite, broke well among the far side and raced prominently as Sail With The Tide (Ire) (Charnwood Forest {Ire}) cut out the running. She quickened past that rival with 250 yards remaining before staying on well to win by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-2, £8,460.

O/B-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid al Maktoum; T-Michael Jarvis; J-Philip Robinson.

★ IRELAND ★

STAKES CALENDAR RECEIVES BOOST

Horseracing Ireland yesterday announced that the 2003 flat calendar will feature an additional 14 Listed races, with emphasis on creating further opportunities for fillies and mares. Naas and Cork will feature three of the new Listed events each, with The Curragh, Leopardstown and Navan set to add two such contests to their programs. Limerick and Tipperary also received a boost, learning that they will each stage an added Listed race next year.

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★ FRANCE ★

BOEUF DENIED LICENCE BY JRA

Dominique Boeuf has been denied a licence to ride in Japan by the JRA, the ruling body of domestic racing. That decision, which concerns his previous drug-related problems, means that the champion jockey will miss the ride on the Elie Lellouche-trained **Bright Sky (Ire)** (Wolfhound {USA}) in the G1 Japan Cup at Nakayama Nov. 24. Boeuf will be replaced in the feature event by Thierry Thulliez, but he will be able to ride **Aquarelliste (Fr)** (Danehill {USA}) in the G1 Hong Kong Vase Dec. 15. Alongside Bright Sky, **Storming Home (GB)** (Machiavellian {USA}), **Golan (Ire)** (Spectrum {Ire}), **Irresistible Jewel (Ire)** (Danehill {USA}) and **Falbrav (Ire)** (Fairy King {USA}) all received invitations to run in the Japan Cup yesterday.

BOEUF EXTENDS LEAD

Further rain fell in Paris yesterday ahead of today's card at Saint-Cloud. The card features the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud. Yesterday's action at Maisons-Laffitte featured an impressive maiden score for **Super Celebre (Fr)** (Peintre Celebre {USA}) in a conditions race under champion jockey elect Dominique Boeuf, who extended his lead over Olivier Peslier to 42 in the jockeys' title. However, it was Christophe Soumillon who stole the show by helping Manuel de la Rosa retrieve his reins mid-race in the fifth contest on the card, demonstrating the skills that have helped him gain world-wide recognition in 2002.

Yesterday's Results:

2.15 Maisons-Laffitte, Prix Mieuxce (Cond), €29,000, 2yo, c/g, 1 1/8mT, 2:06.60, hy.

SUPER CELEBRE (FR) (c, 2, Peintre Celebre {USA}--Supergirl {USA}, by Woodman {USA}), looking to become the eighth winner for his freshman sire (by Nureyev {USA}), was settled in third as On Your Way (USA) (Kris S. {USA}) led but made smooth progress to challenge with three furlongs remaining. The 4-5 favourite cruised to the lead at the quarter-mile marker and eased clear in the closing stages to defeat On Your Way by a facile six lengths. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €17,050.

O-Ecurie Wildenstein; B-Jean-Pierre-Joseph Dubois; T-Elie Lellouche; J-Dominique Boeuf.

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(French report cont.)

2.45 Maisons-Laffitte, Prix Belle Sicambre (Cond),
 €29,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 2:12.50, hy.

WHORTLEBERRY (FR) (f, 2, Starborough {GB}--Rotina {Fr}, by Crystal Glitters {USA}) was positioned in a tracking third as Nikita Pas (Fr) (Nicolotte {GB}) made the running but came under pressure approaching the final quarter mile. The 43-10 chance was pushed to the front at the eighth pole and was ridden out in the closing stages to safely hold Amazon Beauty ((Ire) (Wolfhound {USA})) by a length. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 3 wins, 1 place, €31,000.

O-Jacques Beres; B-Gilles & Mme Forien; T-Francois Rohaut; J-Thierry Jarnet.

4.15 Maisons-Laffitte, Prix de l'Escaut (Cond),
 €26,000, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:19.80, hy.

LA BALAGNA (GB) (f, 4, Kris {GB}--Belle Tempete {Fr} {SW & MGSP-Fr}, by Lovely Dancer {Ire}), a half sister to Folle Tempete (Fr) (Fabulous Dancer {USA}, MSP-Fr, \$129,928), was reserved off a modest pace in fifth as Bleu D'Altair (Fr) (Green Tune {USA}) led but made good progress to challenge approaching the final quarter mile. The 33-10 chance was ridden to the front at the eighth pole and was pushed out in the closing stages to account for Go Surfer (Ire) (Kaldoun {Fr}) by a cozy three parts of a length. Lifetime Record: 11 starts, 3 wins, 5 places, €50,745.

O/B-Mme C Del Duca; T-Jean de Roualle; J-Stephane Pasquier.

3.15 Maisons-Laffitte, Prix La Jave (Cond), €22,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:16.10, hy.

QUI ES TU (IRE) (f, 2, Desert King {Ire}--Voliere {USA}, by Arctic Tern {USA}) tracked the front rank in an advanced midfield position as first Star Melody (Fr) (Saumarez {GB}) then Voleuse (Fr) (Astair {Fr}) led, but took closer order from halfway. The 59-10 chance was ridden to the front at the distance and ran on well late to hold Claire Des Fieffes (Fr) (Adieu Au Roi {Ire}) by three parts of a length. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 1 win, 4 places, €20,800.

O/B-Maxime Jarlan; T-Jean-Marie Sauve; J-Thierry Jarnet.

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ROYAL DRAGON RETIRED

Gestut Park Wiedingen's **Royal Dragon (USA)** (Danehill {USA}--Carmelized {USA}, by Key to the Mint {USA}) has been retired and will take up stud duties next year at the north German Gestut Trona. Having won the G2 Mehl-Mulhens-Rennen (German 2000 Guineas) at Cologne and the G2 Berlin Brandenburg-Trophy at Hoppegarten last year, he returned as a four-year-old to take the G2 Oppenheim Meile back at Cologne on his penultimate start Sept. 22. Royal Dragon, who amassing career earnings of €254,233, is out of the Key To the Mint mare Carmelized, herself a close relative to the multiple Grade I winner and leading sire Chief's Crown (USA). His stud fee has been set at €4,000.

MONSUN YEARLING TOPS BBAG SALE

A yearling by Monsun (Ger) brought a final bid of €61,000 to top yesterday's final session of the Baden-Baden sale in Rennbahnstr. The filly, consigned by Gestut Etzean, is out of the Italian Group 1 winner Noble Pearl (Ger) (Dashing Blade {GB}). For the two-day auction, a total of 142 horses grossed €1,075,200 and averaged €7,571. The average rose four percent, while the median of €4,400 declined four percent.

**BBAG AUTUMN SALE
 Friday, November 8, 2002**

<u>SESSION TOTALS</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2001</u>
No. Offered	102	195
No. Sold	83	149
RNAs	19	46
% RNA (% change)	19% (-21%)	24%
Gross (€)	688,500	1,338,562
Average (% change)	8,295 (-8%)	8,983
Median (% change)	4,400 (-22%)	5,624
<u>CUMULATIVE</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2001</u>
No. Offered	177	300
No. Sold	142	221
RNAs	35	79
% RNA (% change)	20% (-23%)	26%
Gross (€)	1,075,200	1,605,967
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★ U.S. PREMIERES ★

Today at Hollywood Park:

5th Race, \$43,000, allowance, 3yo/up, 5 1/2fT
Pachara (GB) (c, 3, Mind Games {GB}--Miss Mercy {Ire}, by Law Society {USA}), off since April, was third in last year's G3 Cornwallis S. for trainer Micahel Bell. Lifetime Record: GSP-Eng, 11-1-3-4, \$37,586. O-Charles Ronald & Clear Valley Stables; B-T K & P A Knox (GB); T-Sanford Shulman.

8th Race, Matiara S. (listed), \$125,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT
Secret Garden (Ire) (f, 3, Danehill {USA}--Chalamont {Ire}, by Kris {GB}) makes her American debut off a five-length victory in the Oct. 12 October S. at Ascot. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$35,614. O-Robert Sangster; B-Swettenham Stud; T-John Gosden.

Today at Aqueduct:
9th Race, Athenia H.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT
Polygreen (Fr) (f, 3, Green Tune {USA}--Yxenery {Ire}, by Sillery {USA}), a listed stakes winner at Saint-Cloud in May, is coming off a runner-up finish in the listed Prix de Saint-Cyr Oct. 15. Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 8-2-3-0, \$53,631. O-Wertheimer Farm; B-Wertheimer & Frere (Fr); T-Freddie Head.

★ UNITED ARAB EMIRATES ★

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS:

River Celebre (Ire), c, 2, Peintre Celebre (USA)-- Diabolina (USA), by Lear Fan (USA). Nad al Sheba, 11-7, Cond., 1500m, 1:33.50. B-Lady Richard Wellesley & Grange Nominess. *40,000gns yrl '01 TATHOU. **1/2 to Polish Spring (Ire) (Polish Precedent {USA}), MSW-US, \$204,302.
Conceal (GB), g, 4, Cadeaux Genereux (GB)--Mystery Play (Ire) (G1SP-Eng), by Sadler's Wells (USA). Nad al Sheba, 11-7, Hcp., 1200m, 1:11.51. B-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum. *1/2 to Playacting (USA) (Forty Niner {USA}), SP-UAE & MSP-Ire.

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Valentino (GB), h, 5, Nureyev (USA)--Divine Dance (Fr) (MGSW-Fr & G1SP-Fr & Eng), by Kris (GB). Nad al Sheba, 11-7, Hcp., 1400m, 1:25.18. B-Hascombe & Valiant Studs. *110,000gns yrl '98 TATHOU. **G1SP-Eng & Fr. ***Trained in Bahrain by Nicolas de Croutte, Valentino could start next in the Tawi Murghem at 1500 meters over the Nad al Sheba turf Dec. 19, with a long-term goal of the Mar. 29 G2 Godolphin Mile. Of his charge's ninth-place finish in last year's Mile, De Croutte admitted, "I made a mistake with him last season by running him in the Jebel Hatta and he wasn't at his best in the Godolphin Mile. This season his main target will be the Godolphin Mile, but first he will come back here in a month's time."

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

Mezuzah (GB), c, 2, Barathea (Ire)--Mezzogiorno (GB) (SW & MG1SP-Eng, \$112,699), by Unfuwain (USA). Doncaster, Britain, 11-8, Mdn S. (Class D) (Div 2), 2yo, 7fT, £8,325. B-R Philipps. *1/2 to Monnavanna (Ire) (Machiavellian {USA}), SW-Eng & Fr, GSP-Fr.
Qui Es Tu (Ire), f, 2, Desert King (Ire)--Voliere (USA), by Arctic Tern (USA). Maisons-Laffitte, France, 11-8, Prix La Jave (Cond), 2yo, 6fT, €22,000. B-Maxime Jarlan.
+ Kingham (GB), g, 2, Desert Prince (Ire)--Marie De Flandre (Fr) (SW-Fr), by Crystal Palace (Fr). Doncaster, Britain, 11-8, Mdn S. (Class D) (Div 1), 2yo, 7fT, £8,350. B-London Thoroughbred Services Ltd. *13th winner for freshman sire (by Green Desert {USA}). **1/2 to Flanders Moss (GB) (Shareef Dancer {USA}), SW-Fr, \$102,795; Solo Mio (Ire) (Sadler's Wells {USA}), Hwt. Older Horse-Ger at 14 +f, MGSW-Eng & Ger, MGSP-Fr, \$216,626.
Lady Mytton (GB), f, 2, Lake Coniston (Ire)--The In-Laws (Ire), by Be My Guest (USA). Doncaster, Britain, 11-8, Cond. S. (Class C), 2yo, 1mT. B-Goldford Stud. *15,000gns yrl '01 DONSEP.
Green Ughetto (Ity), c, 2, Love The Groom (USA)--Valentina Smile (USA), by Smile (USA). Rome, Italy, 11-8, Premio Time Charter - FIA (Mdn), 2yo, c/g, 6fT, €15,300. B-n/a.
Calcatrippa (Ire), f, 2, Lycius (USA)--Canadian Guest (Ire), by Be My Guest (USA). Rome, Italy, 11-8, Premio Enci - FIA (Mdn), 2yo, f, 6fT, €15,300. B-Fattoria di Marciannella SRL. *1/2 to Canadian Hero (Ire) (Conquering Hero {USA}), Ch. 2yo Colt-Cze.
Super Celebre (Fr), c, 2, Peintre Celebre (USA)--Supergirl (USA), by Woodman (USA). Maisons-Laffitte, France, 11-8, Prix Mieuxce (Cond), 2yo, c/g, 1 1/8mT, €29,000. B-Jean-Pierre-Joseph Dubois. *Eighth winner for freshman sire (by Nureyev {USA}).
Shelini (GB), f, 2, Robellino (USA)--Agama (USA), by Nureyev (USA). Doncaster, Britain, 11-8, Mdn S. (Class E), 2yo, 1mT. B-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid al Maktoum.