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MILWAUKEE BREW INJURED

Milwaukee Brew (Wild Again--Ask Anita, by Wolf Power {SAf}) was injured while running last of four in Sunday's GI Pacific Classic and will not race again this year, according to *The Blood-Horse*. Trainer Bobby Frankel said the ankle injury could force the six-year-old's retirement. Owned by Frank Stronach's Adena Springs Farm, Milwaukee Brew won last year's GI Santa Anita H. by four lengths and added a second Big 'Cap win this



Milwaukee Brew *Benoit*

past March with a determined head win over Congaree. He also won the 2002 GII Californian S. and the 2000 GII Ohio Derby. On the board in 17 starts, the bay won eight races and earned \$2,879,612.

DEAUVILLE DOING WELL

The fourth day of the Deauville August Yearling Sale proved to be so strong that with 30 more to be sold, the aggregate on the day had already reached last year's total mark for the equivalent session. So it was no surprise to see yesterday's aggregate soar by 52 percent and the average climb by 28 percent. For Philippe Augier, President and General Manager of the Agence Française, it was a superb and very satisfactory result. "After yesterday's strong session, business is still going well," said Augier. "We still have foreign demand, even if domestic buyers are more and more active. At this point we can hope that by tomorrow evening, when the sale will conclude, we will not be very far from last year's figures. With 90 horses less in the catalogue, it will be a real good result." A total of 19 horses sold for €50,000 or more, compared with seven in 2002. Tuesday's top price was [Hip 327](#), a bay filly by Vettori (Ire) out of the Linamix (Fr) mare Salvinaxia (Fr). Knocked down for €105,000 to Guislain Bozo of Meridian International, she is a half sister to two-year-old Via Milano (Fr) (Singspiel {Ire}), who updated the catalogue page with a second in the G3 Prix du Calvados this past Saturday. *Cont. p. 2*

WHORTLEBERRY TAKES MINERVE

Whortleberry (Fr) (Starborough {GB}) took the lead with three furlongs to run and bested **Monetary (Ger)** (Winged Love {Ire}) by 1 1/2 lengths in yesterday's G3 Prix Minerve at Deauville. The lone black mark on Whortleberry's scorecard for the season was an eighth-place finish in the G3 Prix Penelope at Saint-Cloud Apr. 8, but the chestnut had placed in four Listed races this term, most recently when second in the Prix Urban Sea at Lion d'Angers June 15. Returning to group company, she rose to the occasion here with a determined final furlong effort to record a deserved first stakes success. Thierry Jarnet urged Whortleberry forward inside the final quarter mile and did well to negotiate a path past the subsequently demoted **Floreeda (GB)** (Linamix {Fr}) approaching the final furlong. "She has been in Deauville for quite a while and has been training well, and I was delighted to see such a strong pace as she stays so well," said winning trainer Francois Rohaut. "I am certain that her owner will be delighted to have a runner in the [G1] Prix Vermeille [at Longchamp Sept. 14] and I hope that the ground will get softer by then, the softer the better." **Click for the Racing Post [chart](#).**

PRIX MINERVE-G3, €66,000, Deauville, 8-26, 3yo, f, 1 9/16mT, 2:43.20, gd.

1--**@WHORTLEBERRY (FR)**, 121, f, 3, by Starborough (GB)

1st Dam: Rotina (Fr), by Crystal Glitters

2nd Dam: Rudolfina (Ire), by Pharly (Fr)

3rd Dam: Rojanya (GB), by Petingo (GB)

(FF70,000 yrl '01 DEAAUG). O-Jacques Beres; B-Gilles & Mme Forien; T-Francois Rohaut; J-Thierry Jarnet; €33,000. Lifetime Record: 10 starts, 4 wins, 5 places, €91,500. *1/2 to Valentino (Fr) (Valanour {Ire}), SW & GSP-Fr. **Second SW and first group winner for sire (by Soviet Star).

2--**Monetary (Ger)**, 121, f, 3, Winged Love (Ire)--Molto Forte (Ger), by Surumu (Ger). (DM36,000 yrl '01 BBASEP). O-M Lazzari; B-Gestut Eulenberger Hof; €13,200.

*3--**Sovana (Ire)**, 121, f, 3, Desert King (Ire)--Piacenza (Ire), by Darshaan (GB). O-G A Oldham; B-Citadel Stud Establishment; €9,900.

Margins: 1HF, 1, 1. Odds: 8.20, 15.80, 5.50.

Also ran: *Floreeda (GB), Village D'Eze (Fr), El Laoob, Sindy, Suborneuse.

*Floreeda finished third, but was DQ'd to fourth.

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"I bought her for an American client, Mr Lansdon Robbins, and I chose her with Richard Gibson, who will train her," Guislain Bozo of Meridian International said of yesterday's session-topping daughter of Vettori. "She is a lovely filly." Gibson added. "The form of all of her older sister's races is excellent and Via Milano has proved to be one of the top juvenile fillies. [Hip 327] is athletic and looks like a real nice type. In that strong market, I think that we got her at a bargain price."

TOP FIVE AT DEAUVILLE

Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price (€)
<u>327</u>	f	Vettori (Ire)	Salvinaxia (Fr)	105,000
Consigned by Haras des Capucines Purchased by Lansdon Robbins				
<u>324</u>	f	Daylami (Ire)	Reine Lasty (Fr)	100,000
Consigned by Haras des Capucines Purchased by McKeeever St. Lawrence Ltd.				
<u>362</u>	f	Septieme Ciel	Green Song (Fr)	82,000
Consigned by Haras d'Etream Purchased by Suprina				
<u>301</u>	c	Diktat (GB)	Lyphard's Dream (Ire)	77,000
Consigned by Haras de Fresnay-le-Buffard Purchased by FIPS				
<u>344</u>	c	Cape Cross (Ire)	Blue Lure	75,000
Consigned by Haras des Crouas Purchased by Mead Goodbody Ltd for Jeff Smith				

Relaxing in Deauville

Noel Forgeard, president of Airbus Industries, was a happy owner Tuesday afternoon at the races when he witnessed his two-year-old colt Ximb (Fr) post an easy success in the seven-furlong Listed Prix du Haras de La Huderie to remain undefeated in two career starts. The youngster opened his account first time out over the same course July 31, the first day of the meeting. Forgeard is now a regular at the Deauville Sales. "This is the first time I have won a Listed race under my colours, with this colt that we bought here last year," he said. "I like to have a partner in order to spread the risks and I currently own six [horses] with some friends. I don't have much time to go racing, as I am very busy as you can imagine, but for the past few years I have been taking a two-week break in August, which I end with a stay in Deauville for a few days during the sales. I have loved horses for a long time and worked daily with Jean-Luc Lagardère for 16 years; he introduced me to racing and has passed on to me his love for the sport. I bought two more on Monday, which were selected by our trainer Jean-Claude Rouget, [Hip 212](#), a Sendawar colt for €55,000 and [Hip 225](#), a beautiful Xaar filly, for €140,000. I have realized that with a reasonable investment, without being extremely wealthy, you can enjoy it and have a lot of fun."

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L'AGENCE FRANCAISE		
AUGUST SALE STATISTICS		
TUESDAY, AUG. 26, 2003		
SESSION TOTALS	2003	2002
No. Offered	74	78
No. Sold	63	52
RNAs	11	26
% RNA (% change)	14.8% (-55%)	33%
Gross	2,623,000	1,693,000
Average (% change)	41,635 (+28%)	32,558
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L'AGENCE FRANCAISE		
AUGUST SALE STATISTICS		
AUG. 23-26, 2003		
CUMULATIVE	2002	2001
No. Offered	326	414
No. Sold	259	283
RNAs	67	131
% RNA (% change)	20.5% (-35%)	31.6%
Gross	23,567,000	24,963,000
Average (% change)	90,992 (+3%)	88,208
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Breeder's Bonanza

Aliette Forien, who owns and runs the Haras de La Reboursière et de Montaigu with her husband, bloodstock agent Gilles Forien, could not have been more happy this week in Deauville. Not only she is having an excellent sale presently, laying second on the vendors list behind Haras d'Etream, but she had a great moment Tuesday afternoon at the races. She is the breeder of the aforementioned **Ximb (Fr)** (Septieme Ciel). This half brother to group-placed Welcome Millenium (Fr), now racing in the U.S., looks like a promising sort. Forien is also the breeder of the three-year-old filly **Whortleberry (Fr)** (Starborough {GB}), who took in good style the G3 Prix Minerve, her first win at this level. She was sold for FF70,000 at the 2001 Deauville August Sale. Forien looked to be on a cloud when the filly returned to the winner's circle. "This is a beautiful day," she said. "We might not get the Eclipse Award for Breeder of the Year, but we are definitely Breeder of the Day."

Buy Back Goes to Wertheimer

The well-bred **Lot 46**, presented Saturday by the Haras de Mezeray on behalf of German breeder Gestut Karlshof, was led out unsold at €320,000. The Monsun (Ger) filly, a full sister to the 2000 G1 German Derby hero and G1 Grosser Preis von Baden winner Samum (Ger) as well as last year's G1 German Oaks heroine Salve Regina (Ger) looked to be on her way back to Germany, but the Wertheimer family made a winning offer of €400,000 to secure the bay filly. She will reportedly be trained by Carlos Laffon-Parias.

CLARIFICATION: Anthony Stroud, who purchased the €900,000 Sadler's Wells colt at the Deauville August Sale last Saturday, is no longer affiliated with the BBA. He signs tickets now on behalf of his Anthony Stroud Bloodstock. We regret any confusion.

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

WEEKEND PEDIGREE PERSPECTIVES
by Alan Porter

Saturday, Saratoga

TRAVERS S.-GI, \$1,000,000, SAR, 8-23, 3yo, 1 1/4m, 2:02, ft.

1--▲**TEN MOST WANTED, 126, c, 3, by Deputy Commander**

1st Dam: Wanted Again, by Criminal Type

2nd Dam: Landera, by In Reality

3rd Dam: Good Landing, by First Landing

(\$70,000 yrl '01 FTSAUG; \$145,000 2yo 2002 FTFEB). O-J Paul Reddam, Michael Jarvis, James Chisholm, Kennet Smole, Et Al; B-Jim H Plemmons (KY); T-Wallace Dollase; J-P Day; \$600,000. Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-1, \$1,253,460.

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Among the new sire intake for 1999 were three Grade I-winning sons of Deputy Minister, all from his outstanding foal crop of 1994. This trio--Awesome Again, Deputy Commander and Touch Gold--posed an interesting question. Deputy Minister was already at least promising as a sire of sires, but his best stallion sons to that point--Silver Deputy and Salt Lake--had been speedy and precocious. What's more, by the time the offspring of Awesome Again, Deputy Commander and Touch Gold had reached the sales ring, two other fast Deputy Ministers, Dehere and French Deputy, had started to make good progress.

Awesome Again, Deputy Commander and Touch Gold were rather different horses than the earlier Deputy Ministers: of these three, only Touch Gold started at two, and all had shown a predilection for running over a distance of ground. So, the question to ponder was whether these staying sons of Deputy Minister would match or better the stud achievements of their sire's faster representatives. *Cont. p. 8*

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

- 544 **Giant's Causeway** – Winsome (GB) filly
- 746 **End Sweep** – Magical Sunday (Jpn) filly
- 852 **Theatrical** (Ire) – Shahoune colt
- 872 **Red Ransom** – Sopran Mariduff (GB) filly

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

- 1456 **Afleet** – Hillbilly Boogie (Ire) colt
- 1583 **High Yield** – Pushing Fifty filly
- 1676 **Smart Strike** – Toll Fee colt



FROM THE DESK OF...
Bill Oppenheim



THE MAIN EVENT

The North American yearling market peaked three years ago, in the year 2000, when over 3,300 yearlings were sold at the three summer sales and Keeneland September combined and generated just under \$440 million in revenue. The summer sale averages were actually 20 percent higher again in 2001, but the far bigger September Sale's average was within \$100 of the 2000 average, and nearly 15 percent fewer horses sold. So the gross for the four major sales dropped to \$402 million. Last year there were declines across the card. The three summer sales, which had grossed \$148 million both in 2000 and 2001, dropped over a quarter, to \$109 million. September, which had grossed over \$290 million in 2000, had lost \$80 million, or 28 percent, in two years when it grossed \$210 million last year. The four sales combined grossed \$320 million in 2002, almost \$120 million below the 2000 peak.

This year, we've had two summer sales instead of three, and, though Fasig's two sales grossed \$76.4 million--an \$11-million increase over 2002--we still go into September \$33 million down on last year coming out of the summer sales. It's hard to predict exactly what will happen in Keeneland's all-important first four days, Books 1 and 2. Will the summer declines be offset to some extent by former Keeneland July yearlings (though that sale had fewer than 90 yearlings sell in each of its last two years)?

Or is the effect of MRLS that there are so many fewer foals that any theoretical gains from Keeneland July will be offset by early foal losses? One thing for sure: the peak years of 2000-01 are history. The relevant comparison this year is really going to be from last year only, and even then, we come out of the summer sales one sale, 90 horses, and \$33-million down on last year. It's entirely possible that this year's sale will be strong, but down.

Last year there were 604 yearlings catalogued in Book 1, of which 377 ended up selling (a low 62 percent of the catalogue) for just over \$100 million. Right away we notice that only 534 are catalogued this year, a drop of 12 percent in the number catalogued. If everything else went exactly as last year, that fact alone would knock \$12 million off the gross. So, for the first two days to gross \$100 million, prices would have to be up 12 percent; possible, but a gross of somewhere between \$88-\$100 million seems more likely. Book 2, which grossed another \$50 million last year, has 771 catalogued, virtually the same number as each of the last five years. By the end of Book 2, somewhere around 75 percent of the entire sale's gross will have been realized. In terms of the overall North American yearling market, the two big numbers we'll be looking at for comparison are last year's \$100-million gross in Book 1, and \$150-million gross by the end of Book 2.

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SEPTEMBER STALLIONS: SEVEN SIRES WITH FIRST THREE-YEAR-OLDS IN 2003

SIRE	1st FOALS	ST	FEE03	FEE01	RNRS ('97-'03)	A RNRS ('97-'03)	A INDEX	Sept Yrls (Bk1-2)
AWESOME AGAIN	2000	KY	\$50,000	\$50,000	89	4	2.25	13
<u>CORONADO'S QUEST</u>	2000	KY	\$50,000	\$75,000	71	2	1.41	24
DEPUTY COMMANDER	2000	KY	\$15,000	\$25,000	116	7	3.02	10
<u>DISTORTED HUMOR</u>	2000	KY	\$20,000	\$12,500	89	9	5.06	10
<u>GRAND SLAM</u>	2000	KY	\$30,000	\$30,000	161	6	1.86	22
<u>TALE OF THE CAT</u>	2000	KY	\$25,000	\$30,000	137	6	2.19	14
TOUCH GOLD	2000	KY	\$50,000	\$40,000	98	5	2.55	21

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- Aug. 23 - TENPINS - 1st Philip H. Iselin H.-G3
- Aug. 16 - SOARING FREE - 1st Play the King H.-G3
- Aug. 24 - FLEETSTREET DANCER - 3rd Pacific Classic S.-G1
- Aug. 9 - SHOAL WATER - 2nd \$500,000 Breeders' S.
- Aug. 24 - STRIKES NO SPARES - 3rd Emerald BC Distaff H.-L
- Aug. 16 - HARD EDGE - 2nd \$108,000 With Approval S.



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53 Sires: the Names You Need to Know...

Though Seattle Slew, [Unbridled](#), and Kris S. have died, and [Danzig](#) is winding down, all are among 53 sires who have 10 or more yearlings catalogued in Books 1-2. This group simply has to be regarded as the elite among North American commercial yearling sires, because among them they have sired 94 percent of the yearlings catalogued in Book 1 (501 of 534), and almost 80 percent (1,034) of the 1,305 yearlings catalogued in Books 1-2. This seems to me to be a remarkable concentration of sire power, especially when you consider the same 53 sires are responsible for only 17 percent of the almost 3,000 yearlings catalogued to sell after Book 2. These 53 really are the names you need to know.

Of these 53 sires, 32, or a little over 60 percent, have first four-year-olds and up racing in 2003 (see p. 6). Only one of those, [Pulpit](#), actually has first four-year-olds; so almost 60 percent do have first five-year-olds (and up) racing, meaning they really should have sufficient disclosed form to have a good idea about how proven they really are. Another 21 sires with 10+ catalogued in Books 1-2 have first foals

which are three-year-olds (see p. 4), two-year-olds, or yearlings. Interestingly, the strong group with first three-year-olds has seven representatives, which I'd say is a lot for sires with three-year-olds. There are five with oldest two-year-olds, and nine, not surprisingly, from what has looked all summer like a strong group of sires with their first yearlings.

The accompanying tables provide some relevant information on the 53 sires, including, for the 39 of them with three-year-olds and up, new APEX ratings, generated for us by The Jockey Club Information Systems, through racing of mid-August, and covering racing 1997-2003 in North America, Britain, Ireland, France, Germany, and Japan. The World Top 3 are all here: [A.P. Indy](#) (5.48) has 40 yearlings catalogued in Books 1-2; [Danzig](#) (5.42) has 12, and [Storm Cat](#) (5.30) has 18. The only two Kentucky sires with APEX A Runner indices over 3.00 (World Top 25) not among the 53 are Broad Brush (nine catalogued in Books 1-2) and [Smart Strike](#), who has just two in Books 1-2, and another 20 later in the sale. But, the truth is, as these 53 sires go, so goes the September Sale, and the North American yearling market.

Additional September Stallion Statistics p. 6-7

SEPTEMBER STALLIONS: NINE SIRES WITH FIRST YEARLINGS

SIRE	1st FOALS	ST	FARM	FEE03	FEE01	Sept Yrls (Bk1-2)
CAT THIEF	2002	KY	Overbrook	\$35,000	\$35,000	14
CHESTER HOUSE	2002d	---	Dead	\$20,000	\$25,000	16
DIXIE UNION	2002	KY	Lane's End	\$30,000	\$30,000	17
FUSAICHI PEGASUS	2002	KY	Ashford	\$125,000	\$150,000	47
GIANT'S CAUSEWAY	2002	KY	Ashford	\$125,000	\$105,000	26
HIGH YIELD	2002	KY	Ashford	\$30,000	\$35,000	27
LEMON DROP KID	2002	KY	Lane's End	\$50,000	\$100,000	20
WAR CHANT	2002	KY	Three Chimneys	\$60,000	\$75,000	27
YANKEE VICTOR	2002	KY	Airdrie	\$15,000	\$15,000	0

SEPTEMBER STALLIONS: FIVE SIRES WITH FIRST TWO-YEAR-OLDS

SIRE	1st FOALS	ST	FARM	FEE03	FEE01	Sept Yrls (Bk 1-2)
EXPLOIT	2001	KY	Taylor Made	\$25,000	\$30,000	18
FORESTRY	2001	KY	Taylor Made	\$50,000	\$50,000	26
OLD TRIESTE	2001d	---	Dead	---	\$25,000	17
SILVER CHARM	2001	KY	Three Chimneys	\$25,000	\$25,000	10
STRAVINSKY	2001	KY	Ashford	\$17,500	\$35,000	14

ANY WAY YOU LOOK AT IT

(NO. OF WNRS - **17**, REPEAT WNRS - **5**, SWs - **2**, STKS HORSES - **6**, EARNINGS - OVER **\$580,000**)

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32 SIREs WITH 4YOS AND OLDER IN 2003

SIRE	1st FOALS	ST	FARM	FEE03	FEE01	RNRS ('97-'03)	A RNRS ('97-'03)	A INDEX	Sept YrIs (1-2)
A.P. INDY	1994	KY	Lane's End	\$ 300,000	\$300,000	757	83	5.48	40
BELONG TO ME	1995	KY	Lane's End	\$20,000	\$40,000	757	31	2.05	17
BOUNDARY	1996	KY	Claiborne	\$10,000	\$30,000	443	13	1.47	10
CAPOTE	1989	KY	Three Chimneys	\$30,000	\$40,000	912	30	1.64	10
CARSON CITY	1992	KY	Overbrook	\$35,000	\$35,000	1112	45	2.02	20
COZZENE	1987	KY	Gainesway	\$60,000	\$60,000	752	43	2.86	14
DANZIG	1982	KY	Claiborne	\$200,000	\$280,000	636	69	5.42	12
DEPUTY MINISTER	1985	KY	Brookdale	\$100,000	\$150,000	787	56	3.56	26
DIESIS	1985	KY	Mill Ridge	\$30,000	\$30,000	695	28	2.01	13
DIXIELAND BAND	1986	KY	Lane's End	\$60,000	\$75,000	1008	44	2.18	24
DYNAFORMER	1991	KY	Three Chimneys	\$50,000	\$30,000	1097	54	2.46	15
FOREST WILDCAT	1998	KY	Brookdale	\$60,000	\$25,000	383	17	2.22	12
GONE WEST	1989	KY	Mill Ridge	\$125,000	\$125,000	942	40	2.12	25
GULCH	1990	KY	Lane's End	\$50,000	\$60,000	1002	42	2.10	10
KINGMAMBO	1995	KY	Lane's End	\$200,000	\$200,000	658	47	3.57	27
KRIS S.	1983d	---	Dead	\$ 0,000	\$150,000	897	38	2.12	13
MR. GREELEY	1997	KY	Spendthrift	\$50,000	\$15,000	587	25	2.13	15
MT. LIVERMORE	1987	KY	Gainesway	\$40,000	\$50,000	1165	36	1.55	14
PULPIT	1999	KY	Claiborne	\$75,000	\$40,000	163	7	2.15	23
RAHY	1991	KY	Three Chimneys	\$80,000	\$75,000	859	51	2.97	23
RED RANSOM	1992	GB	Dalham Hall	\$30,000	\$75,000	1035	38	1.84	13
SAINT BALLADO	1994d	---	Dead	\$0,000	\$125,000	754	40	2.65	33
SEATTLE SLEW	1980d	---	Dead	\$0,000	\$300,000	575	35	3.04	14
SEEKING THE GOLD	1991	KY	Claiborne	\$225,000	\$300,000	775	56	3.61	22
SILVER DEPUTY	1990	KY	Brookdale	\$40,000	\$75,000	1009	49	2.43	16
SILVER HAWK	1984	KY	Airdrie	\$50,000	\$75,000	608	28	2.30	14
STORM CAT	1989	KY	Overbrook	\$500,000	\$400,000	943	100	5.30	18
THEATRICAL	1989	KY	Hill 'N' Dale	\$75,000	\$100,000	847	48	2.83	18
THUNDER GULCH	1997	KY	Ashford	\$65,000	\$50,000	578	24	2.08	41
UNBRIDLED	1993d	---	Dead	\$0,000	\$225,000	681	43	3.16	22
UNBRIDLED'S SONG	1998	KY	Taylor Made	\$100,000	\$40,000	304	22	3.62	40
WOODMAN	1988	KY	Ashford	\$30,000	\$45,000	1555	51	1.64	17

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7/31 - HASSLEFREE won by 4 3/4 lengths *(Click for [chart](#))*



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SEPTEMBER STALLIONS

30 SIREs WITH 30+ CATALOGUED AT KEENELAND SEPTEMBER

SIRE	1st FOALS	ST	FARM	FEE03	FEE01	Sept Yrls (Bk1-2)	(Bk 3-6)	Sept. Total
THUNDER GULCH	1997	KY	Ashford	\$65,000	\$50,000	41	24	65
HONOUR AND GLORY	1998	KY	Ashford	\$20,000	\$40,000	9	44	53
FUSAICHI PEGASUS	2002	KY	Ashford	\$125,000	\$150,000	47	4	51
MR. GREELEY	1997	KY	Spendthrift	\$50,000	\$15,000	15	32	47
EXPLOIT	2001	KY	Taylor Made	\$25,000	\$30,000	18	29	47
UNBRIDLED'S SONG	1998	KY	Taylor Made	\$100,000	\$40,000	40	6	46
HIGH YIELD	2002	KY	Ashford	\$30,000	\$35,000	27	19	46
MARIA'S MON	1998	KY	Pin Oak	\$35,000	\$12,500	9	35	44
SAINT BALLADO	1994d	---	Dead	\$0,000	\$125,000	33	9	42
ARTAX	2001	KY	Taylor Made	\$15,000	\$30,000	3	38	41
A.P. INDY	1994	KY	Lane's End	\$300,000	\$300,000	40	0	40
CARSON CITY	1992	KY	Overbrook	\$35,000	\$35,000	20	20	40
GRAND SLAM	2000	KY	Ashford	\$30,000	\$30,000	22	15	37
FORESTRY	2001	KY	Taylor Made	\$50,000	\$50,000	26	10	36
TALE OF THE CAT	2000	KY	Ashford	\$25,000	\$30,000	14	22	36
YANKEE VICTOR	2002	KY	Airdrie	\$15,000	\$15,000	10	26	36
STORMIN FEVER	2001	KY	Airdrie	\$15,000	\$15,000	3	32	35
ROYAL ANTHEM	2002	KY	Hopewell	\$10,000	\$10,000	3	31	34
OLD TRIESTE	2001d	---	Dead	\$0,000	\$25,000	17	17	34
SKIP AWAY	2000	KY	Hopewell	\$20,000	\$30,000	0	33	33
SIPHON	1999	KY	Airdrie	\$20,000	\$20,000	2	31	33
HORSE CHESTNUT	2001	KY	Claiborne	\$10,000	\$10,000	5	28	33
CRAFTY FRIEND	2001	KY	Hopewell	\$7,500	\$7,500	0	33	33
LEMON DROP KID	2002	KY	Lane's End	\$50,000	\$100,000	20	12	32
OUT OF PLACE	1994	KY	Claiborne	\$17,500	\$12,500	7	25	32
GILDED TIME	1995	KY	Vinery	\$15,000	\$20,000	3	29	32
DIXIE UNION	2002	KY	Lane's End	\$30,000	\$30,000	17	14	31
BELONG TO ME	1995	KY	Lane's End	\$20,000	\$40,000	17	14	31
MAZEL TRICK	2001	KY	Airdrie	\$12,500	\$15,000	3	28	31
VICAR	2002	KY	Darby Dan	\$10,000	\$10,000	3	28	31
DIXIELAND BAND	1986	KY	Lane's End	\$60,000	\$75,000	24	6	30

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(Pedigree Perspectives cont. from p. 3)

Well, it is early days yet, but the answer promises to be a resounding yes. In fact, both Awesome Again and Touch Gold actually had Grade I-winning two-year-olds in their first crop, Awesome Again with Toccet (who recently made a successful return to the races after a setback took him off the Triple Crown trail) and Touch Gold with the now-retired Composure. In addition, Awesome Again has been represented by GSW Awesome Time, SW Awesome of Course and the very promising Ghostzapper, while Touch Gold has additional first-crop GSWs Region of Merit and Midas Eyes. Now, Deputy Commander has joined his paternal half brothers in siring a GISW in his first crop by virtue of Ten Most Wanted's triumph in the GI Travers S.

It's appropriate that the Travers should supply an initial highpoint in Deputy Commander's stud career, as the same race gave him his defining moment as a runner. Deputy Commander had already captured a graded event coming into the Travers, taking the GIII Affirmed S. six weeks earlier. However, he still appeared to have a little ground to make up on the best of his generation, as he prepped for the Travers by finishing second in the GII Swaps S., beaten by Free House, himself runner-up in the GI Preakness S. and third in the GI Kentucky Derby and GI Belmont earlier in the year. In the Travers, Deputy Commander confirmed that he had continued to progress by nosing out Behrens with Awesome Again back in third. Deputy Commander ended the year with a three-length victory in the GI Super Derby and a second to the year-older Skip Away in the GI Breeders' Cup Classic. The following year, Deputy Commander started just three times, his best effort being his last, a two-length second to Mud Route in the GII California H.

On his distaff side, Ten Most Wanted comes from a family which has now produced top-class horses in each of the last three generations. He is the second foal and first winner for his dam, Wanted Again. A daughter of champion older horse Criminal Type, Wanted Again failed to do better than second in four starts, but she was half sister to Cutlass Reality, who upset the 1988 renewal of the GI Hollywood Gold Cup when scoring by 6 1/2 lengths from Alysheba, with Ferdinand back in third.

Ten Most Wanted's granddam Landera, a stakes-placed daughter of In Reality, is out of the First Landing mare Good Landing. Good Landing never produced a stakes winner, but two of her daughters are Grade I producers: My Locket, a stakes-placed daughter of Key to the Mint, became dam of the GI Milady H. heroine Seldom Seen Sue, while the unraced Naskra mare Becky Be Good appears as dam of GI Del Mar Oaks winner Bail Out Becky and as granddam of GI King's Bishop S. victor More Than Ready. Ten Most Wanted's fourth dam Best Side is a half sister to Cohoes, a top-class performer whose victories included the Brooklyn H. and Whitney S., and she also owns an intriguing pedigree pattern. A granddaughter of La Troienne, Best Side is by Better Self, who in turn is by La Troienne's son Bimelech. So, Best Side has La Troienne 3x2, with her grandsire actually being a 5/8-relative to her dam.

Bimelech also appears in the pedigrees of Deputy Commander and Ten Most Wanted's broodmare sire Criminal Type. Interestingly, in both cases Bimelech is combined with the mare Bellesoeur: in Deputy Commander's pedigree they are together in Jabneh (by Bimelech out of Bellesoeur), the sire of Deputy Minister's second dam, and when we look at Criminal Type's dam Klepto, we find that she is by No Robbery (dam by Bimelech) out of a mare by Beau Gar (out of Bellesoeur). That this is not coincidence is suggested by the fact that Deputy Commander's other stakes winner, Lx Commander, is also out of a mare by Criminal Type. It's also worth mentioning that Deputy Commander's GI Blue Grass S. runner-up, Brancusi, is out of a mare by Alysheba, another son of Criminal Type's sire Alydar.

The presence of the double of Bimelech and Bellesoeur might be indicative of the continuation of a phenomenon which we have mentioned before, that of Deputy Minister to throw to the concentrations of the great mare Queen Mary which lie deep in his background. Bimelech's sire Black Toney is out of a mare inbred to Queen Mary, and Bellesoeur's sire Beau Pere was inbred 4x4x4 to Hampton, a great-grandson of Queen Mary, and was by Son-in-Law, who was inbred 4x4 to Queen Mary's grandson Blair Athol. So, perhaps the Queen Mary concentrations are still working for Deputy Commander.

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BREEDERS' CUP FUTURE BET FIELDS SET

The National Thoroughbred Racing Association set the morning-line odds yesterday for Pool 2 of the Breeders' Cup Future Bet and Suburban H. winner **Mineshaft** (A.P. Indy) has been pegged the 5-1 favorite for the \$4-million Classic. Races open for wagering this weekend are the Classic, Distaff, Sprint and Turf. Pools open Friday, Aug. 29 at 1:00 p.m. EST and close at 9:00 p.m. EST Monday, Sept. 1. **Azeri** (Jade Hunter) leads the fray at 2-1 on the morning-line for a repeat win in the Distaff; **Shake You Down** (Montbrook) is favored at 6-1 in the Sprint; and **Alamshar (Ire)** (Key of Luck) heads the Turf at 8-1. Odds were established by Mike Watchmaker of *Daily Racing Form*. "There are multi purposes to the bet," explained NTRA Senior Vice President of Product Development Ken Kirchner. "It is a marketing effort to keep the fans informed and to educate them, while for the players, it offers the opportunity to lock in value." Click [here](#) for complete morning-line odds for Breeders' Cup Future Bet Pool 2.

MERVIN MUNIZ DIES Mervin Muniz, Jr., longtime racing official at Fair Grounds, died Monday after a long illness. He was 60. Muniz, a New Orleans native and the son of a jockey agent, began his racing career as an official at Evangeline Downs in 1966. He began working in the Fair Grounds publicity department in 1967 and moved to the track's racing office in 1968. Muniz took over as racing secretary at the New Orleans track during the 1976-77 season, a position he held through the end of last season. "This is a sad day for Fair Grounds," said Bryan Krantz, the track's president and general manager. "I lost a friend and confidant. Mervin and our family had a tremendous history. His first job as a racing secretary was at Jefferson Downs [also owned by the Krantz family] in 1972." Visitation will be held from 9:00 a.m.-noon Aug. 28 at All Faiths Funeral Home, 5200 Canal Blvd. in New Orleans and funeral mass is at noon in the All Faiths chapel. Interment to follow at Metairie Cemetery Mausoleum.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, THURSDAY, AUGUST 28:

09-06 \$300,000 **Del Mar Derby-II, Dmr, 3yo, 9fT (300)**

09-07 \$200,000 **Palomar BC H.-II, Dmr, 3yo/up, f/m, 8.5fT (200)**

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VALID EXPECTATIONS COLT TOPS TEXAS

SALE A colt by Valid Expectations brought a final bid of \$125,000 to top Monday's Fasig-Tipton Texas Summer Yearlings sale at Lone Star Park. The gray yearling, out of Jovial Wings (Northern Jove), was consigned by Stoneview Farm, agent for Ruth Brightbill and Ann Jones. Mark Casse made the winning bid on the half brother to graded stakes winner Pioneer Boy (Pioneering). Fasig-Tipton sold 219 yearlings Monday for a total of \$2,694,000 and an average of \$12,301. The average rose 18.8 percent from last year's two-day auction.

★ EAST ★

Padua, Bradshaw Part Ways:

Randy Bradshaw has left his position as farm trainer for Satish Sanan's Padua Stables and has been replaced by Shane Tripp. "Randy has left and we wish him and his family the best," Padua General Manager Nadia Sanan told *The Blood-Horse*. She declined to offer any further detail. Bradshaw, a successful trainer in his own right and former assistant to D. Wayne Lukas, had been with Padua since the summer of 2001. Tripp began his career with the Asmussen family in Texas and has trained in Ocala for the past 16 years. "He comes with the highest recommendations of [trainers] Billy Turner and Allen Jerkens," Sanan told *The Blood-Horse*.

Monday Late Results:

9th-MNR, \$25,000, Alw, NW2L, 3yo, 1m, 1:38 2/5, ft. LATE SURVIVOR (g, 3, Devil His Due--Emulate, by Copelan) was an impressive 3 1/4-length winner in his debut going six panels against statebreds at Thistle-down Aug. 7 and the crowd backed the gelding down to 5-2 favoritism to take his route bow. Far back in the early going, the \$5,000 FTKFEB yearling purchase powered to the front after three quarters of a mile and drew clear late to annihilate his nearest foe by 12 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$21,460. O-Barbara Madrigal & Albert T Skinner. B/T-Madrigal Rodrigo (OH).

Yesterday's Results:

8th-DEL, \$33,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft. + VOGUE GIRL (f, 2, Souvenir Copy--Rogue Girl, by Sham) was sent off the 8-5 chalk to graduate while receiving first-time Salix. The half to Scrimshaw (Gulch), GSW & GISP, \$408,879, broke well and pressed the early pace set by Meadow Fox (Defrere). Too strong to contain, the dark bay took over on the far turn and drew clear late to score by 7 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$19,800. O-Stan Stefanski. B-Stan & Ingrid Stefanski (KY). T-Allen Iwinski.



(Eastern report cont.)

7th-PHA, \$21,356, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05 1/5, ft.
 + TSUZOMIN (c, 2, You and I--Stoneleigh's Hope {GSW, \$258,809}, by Damascus), the 8-5 favorite here, tracked in fourth through an opening quarter in :22.08, was fanned three wide before taking command on the turn for home and drew clear late en route to a 6 3/4-length victory. The winner was an \$8,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$20,000 FTMMAY juvenile purchase. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$11,400.
 O-Joseph E Asbell. B-Spears Lockhart (KY). T-Philip T Aristone.

★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Monday Late Results:

8th-DMR, \$49,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5, ft.
 + STEAL MY KISSES (f, 2, Rio Verde--Foursacharm, by Sovereign Dancer), a 7-1 shot for her debut, settled off a quick early pace set by Mary Swan (Proud Irish), closed on the leader on the turn and rallied late, while drifting out, to score by a nose over her gallant foe. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$29,400.
 O-John Costello, Dick London & Terry C Lovinger. B-Terry C Lovingier (CA). T-Leonard M Duncan.

 **FRESHMAN FOCUS**

First-crop progeny to watch: Wednesday, August 26

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

- DONERAILE COURT** (Seattle Slew), Buck Pond, \$8K, 75/5/0
 6-DEL, Msw, 1m, Shamoiselle, 4-1
- 6-DEL, Msw, 1m, Baldomera, 4-1
- GOOD AND TOUGH** (Carson City), Lakland, \$6K, 44/5/0
 7-ELP, Msw, 5f, +Kathy Lynn, 12-1
- PRECOCITY** (Aferd), Franks, \$3K, 31/3/0
 4-AP, Msw, 1m, Miss Precocity, \$1K ARK OCT yrl, 15-1
- SILVER CHARM** (Silver Buck), 3 Chimneys, \$25K, 75/3/0
 2-DMR, Msw, 5fT, Sea of Silver, \$200K BAR MAR 2yo, 9-2
- STAR OF VALOR** (Phone Trick), Meadowbrook, \$4K, 11/0/0
 2-DMR, Msw, 5fT, Dinner At Ago's, 15-1
- TRAIL CITY** (Red Ransom), Pepper Oaks, \$4K, 23/0/0
 2-DMR, Msw, 5fT, Trail Mix, \$26K BAR OCT wnl, 7-2

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the Race 6, \$54,000 Allowance at Del Mar. For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

 **SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

First-time starters/stakes runners: Wednesday, Aug. 26

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

FORMAL GOLD (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), Gainesway, \$15K, 130/34/2
 6-DEL, Msw, 1m, +Real Endurance, \$40K FTF FEB 2yo, 6-1



★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX DU HARAS DE LA HUDERIE-Listed, €41,000, Deauville, 8-26, 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:27.30, gd.

- 1--**XIMB (FR)**, 123, c, 2, by Septieme Ciel
 1st Dam: Tambura (Fr), by Kaldoun (Fr)
 2nd Dam: Belle du Bresil (Fr), by Akarad (Fr)
 3rd Dam: White Face (Fr), by Exbury (Fr)
 (€60,000 yrl '02 DEAAUG). O-N Forgeard; B-Gilles & Mme Forien; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; J-Ioritz Mendizabal; €33,000. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €29,000. * 1/2 to Welcome Millenium (Fr) (Kendor {Fr}), SW & MGSP-Fr.
 - 2--**Lovage (Fr)**, 123, c, 2, Pursuit of Love (GB)--Balsamita (Fr), by Midyan. €8,200.
 - 3--**Saville Row**, 123, c, 2, Gone West--Style Setter, by Manila. €6,150.
- Margins: 5, 1, 3/4. Odds: 2.10, 6.60, 0.90.
 Also ran: Pivotal Guest (GB), No Swing (Fr), Zakros (Ire).
 Successful on his only other start in a conditions event over six furlongs at this course July 31, Ximb maintained his perfect record, earning his first stakes win in the process. Settled in second from the outset as stablemate Zakros (Ire) (Zafonic) set a solid pace, he started his bid for glory soon after turning for home. The grey was sent to the front at the quarter-mile marker and was pushed out inside the final furlong to secure an easy victory from Lovage. "This is a nice colt with a lot of speed, but he has a tendency to be keen and that is why we put a pacemaker in the race," said winning trainer Jean-Claude Rouget. "He won it nicely and the manner of victory suggests he could stay further in time. In the meantime, we will stay at around seven furlongs and the G3 Prix La Rochette [at Longchamp Sept. 11] is a possibility for his next race."



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(French report cont.)

Deauville, 4.15, Cond, €29,000, 3yo, 1mT, 1:45.70, gd.

LIGHT SABER (FR) (f, 3, Kendor {Fr}--Leariva {GISW-US & MGSW-Fr, \$669,701}, by Irish River {Fr}) had placed in her first five starts before achieving success last time at Deauville Aug. 12. Assuming control exiting the back stretch, the 43-10 chance was ridden to maintain her position approaching the final furlong and ran on strongly in the latter stages to safely account for Puppeteer (GB) (Singspiel {Ire}) by 2 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 2 wins, 5 places, €54,450. O/B-Baron Thierry de Zuylen de Nyevelt; T-David Smaga.

★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

Yarmouth, 3.30, Mdn, £5,820, 3yo/up, 11f 101ydsT, 2:27.32, gd/fm.

RICH AFFAIR (GB) (f, 3, Machiavellian--Much Too Risky {GB}, by Bustino {GB}), a half to Seductress (GB) (Known Fact), SW & GSP-GB; and Little Rock (GB) (Warning {GB}), MGSW-GB, G1SP-Ity, GSP-Fr, \$252,200; and a full to Whitewater Affair (GB), Hwt. Older Mare-GB & Ire at 11-14f, GSW & G1SP-GB, G1SP-Ire, GSW-Fr, \$256,733, opened 2003 with a fourth in the Listed Oaks Trial at Lingfield May 10 and was most recently seventh in the G3 Lancashire Oaks at Haydock July 5. Leading from the outset, she was afforded an easy lead until coming under pressure when tackled approaching the final quarter mile. The 2-11 favourite was ridden along with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and was pushed out inside the final furlong to comfortably hold Estimada (GB) (Mark Of Esteem {Ire}) by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-0, £7,546. O/B-J M Greetham; T-Sir Michael Stoute.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-FEX, \$34,300, NW2L, 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, :58, ft. TRUE WIND (f, 4, Always a Classic--Sails Unfurled, by Capote) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-0, \$41,712. O/B-Sam-Son Farms (ON). T-Michael R Osborne.

7th-DEL, \$34,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 1/5, ft.

THE BLANK VANMAN (c, 4, Louis Quatorze--Cheap Wine, by Crafty Prospector) Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, \$44,040. O-Tuitions Due Stable. B-W Patterson & M Patterson (KY). T-Robert P Klesaris. *\$17,000 yrl '00 KEESAP; \$34,000 2yo 2001 OBSAPR.

7th-CRC, \$30,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:46 1/5, ft.

PATRIOTIC FLAME (c, 3, Concerto--Brandy Rose, by Distinctive Pro) Lifetime Record: SW, 16-4-3-3, \$173,950. O-Kinsman Stable. B-Henry G Steinbrenner & Kinsman Farm (FL). T-Emanuel Tortora.

6th-MNR, \$25,000, 8-25, W2L, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 2/5, ft.

TRULY SPOKEN (f, 3, Danjur--Social Service, by Green Forest) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$26,330. O/B-Stephen L Jolissaint (KY). T-Larry A Mayo.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:


Magic Jack, c, 3, John the Magician--Fabulous Sign, by Somethingfabulous. FEX, 8-26, 5f, :58 4/5. B-Huntington Stud Farm & R M C Stable (On). *MSP.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

BRITAIN, Ripon, 4.15, £12,270, 2yo, 5fT, 1:01.33, gd/fm.

HARRY UP (GB) (c, 2, Piccolo {GB}--Faraway Lass {GB}, by Distant Relative {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-1, £24,644. O/B-John E Rose; T-James Given.



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Compton's Eleven (GB), c, 2, **Compton Place (GB)**--Princess Tara (GB) (SP-GB), by Prince Sabo (GB). Yarmouth, Britain, 8-26, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 43ydsT. B-Lady Cobham. *24,000gns wnl '01 TATDEC; 90,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT. **1/2 to El Tango (GB) (Risk Me {Fre}), GSP-GB.

Wanchai Lad (GB), c, 2, **Danzero (Aus)**--Frisson (GB), by Slip Anchor (GB). Ripon, Britain, 8-26, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-G T Lucas. *14,000gns yrl '02 DONSEP. **Seventh winner for freshman sire (by Danehill).

Autumn Forest (Fr), f, 2, **Exit to Nowhere**--Tocabelle (Fr) (SW-Swi & GSP-Fr), by Beldale Flutter. Deauville, France, 8-26, Cond, 2yo, f, 7 1/2fT. B-C Mueller.

Summer Sunset (Ire), f, 2, **Grand Lodge**--Elegant Bloom (Ire), by Be My Guest. Tralee, Ireland, 8-26, Mdn, 2yo, f, 1mT. B-Limestone Stud. *SP-Ire. **€60,000 yrl '02 GOFORB. ***1/2 to Elegant Ridge (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), GSP-US & Ger, SP-Ity, \$229,954; Rolo Tomasi (Ire) (Mujtahid), Ch. Sprinter-Sca, SW-Ire & Fr, MSW-Swe, SW-Nor, \$169,989-Ire & Fr.

Quel Fou (Fr), c, 2, **Tel Quel (Fr)**--Folle Garde (Fr), by Garde Royale (Ire). Deauville, France, 8-26, Cond, 2yo, c/g, 7 1/2fT. B-Mme C Pastor & Mlle B Rossio.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EURO STALLIONS:

Solid As A Rock (Aus), g, 3, **Danehill**--Captiva (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Warwick Farm (Sydney), 8-20, 3yo, hcap, 5 1/2fT. B-Swettenham Stud.

Abdullah (Aus), g, 3, **Desert Sun (GB)**--Replicate (Aus), by Centro (NZ). Sandown (Melbourne), 8-20, 3yo, hcap, 5fT. B-J Munz.

Naden (Aus), g, 4, **Spectrum (Ire)**--Dancer's Choice (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus). Caulfield (Melbourne), 8-23, 4yo/up, hcap, 6fT. B-G & J Hayes.

Daneborough (Aus), h, 5, **Danehill**--Kingston Red (Aus), by Kingston Rule. Randwick (Sydney), 8-23, 3yo/up, hcap, 1 1/4mT. B-Pitt Place Pty Ltd.

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SIRE	State	Sws
Silver Deputy (Deputy Minister)	Ky	12
Saint Ballado (Halo)	dead	10
A.P. Indy (Seattle Slew)	Ky	9
Danzig (Northern Dancer)	Ky	9
Dynaformer (Roberto)	Ky	9
El Prado (Ire) (Sadler's Wells)	Ky	9
Wild Again (Icecapade)	Ky	9
Kris S. (Roberto)	dead	8
Storm Cat (Storm Bird)	Ky	8
Smart Strike (Mr. Prospector)	Ky	7
Woodman (Mr. Prospector)	Ky	7
Belong to Me (Danzig)	Ky	6
Carson City (Mr. Prospector)	Ky	6
Elusive Quality (Gone West)	Ky	6
Mountain Cat (Storm Cat)	Tur	6
Red Ransom (Roberto)	Ky	6
Tale of the Cat (Storm Cat)	Ky	6
Unbridled's Song (Unbridled)	Ky	6

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