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MCGAUGHEY LOOKING TO BREAK MAIDEN

Despite a barn full of the bluest of blue-bloods, young and old alike, never has trainer Shug McGaughey had his name inscribed on the GI Spinaway S. trophy. That could all change this afternoon when he saddles Ogden Mills Phipps' **Daydreaming** (A.P. Indy) in Saratoga's



Daydreaming Adam Coglianese photo

centerpiece for juvenile fillies. Out of the Mr. Prospector mare Get Lucky, the bay is a full sister to Accelerator, winner at two of the GIII Pilgrim S. and third in the GII Remsen S. on the main track. Unfortunately, Accelerator passed away earlier this year while standing stud

in Turkey, but Daydreaming stands an excellent chance to take the family to new heights today. A 7 1/4-length maiden winner in her July 27 debut, she is the second choice on the morning line. "This is obviously going to be a big test for her," McGaughey commented. "We'll have to wait and see if she is up to it. If she had an allowance race leading up to the Spinaway, perhaps there could be a more definite answer. I expect her to run well here." **Ashado** (Saint Ballado) has been impressive in her two career trips to the post, a seven-length graduation in the Belmont slop June 18 followed by a three-length success in the Spa's GII Schuylerville S. on opening day July 23, also in the slop. Despite the possibility of a fast strip and going seven-eighths for the first time, trainer Todd Pletcher thinks she could be up to the task. "She's got tactical speed and can be placed anywhere in the race," he said. "Hopefully she will continue to progress. From a pedigree standpoint, she should have no trouble stretching out." Trainer D. Wayne Lukas has two chances at a seventh career Spinaway victory, GIII Debutante S. winner **Be Gentle** (Tale of the Cat) and GII Adirondack S. runner-up **Unbridled Beauty** (Unbridled's Song). (*Spinaway field, p3*)

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the
GI Spinaway S. at Saratoga.
For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

STRONG HOPE DONE FOR THE YEAR

Eugene and Laura Melnyk's **Strong Hope** (Grand Slam), who defeated Empire Maker in the GII Jim Dandy S. at Saratoga Aug. 3, will not race again this season after connections decided that the colt would not be suited by any of the Breeders' Cup races in October. Contrary to a published report, the colt is not suffering from any sort of injury. Most recently a well beaten third in last Saturday's GI Travers S. at Saratoga, Strong Hope was made one of the 23 individual betting interests in this weekend's Breeders' Cup Sprint future wagering, but has now been scratched from that pool. "Basically, I talked it over with Mr. Melnyk and we didn't feel that the Breeders' Cup Sprint and the Breeders' Cup Classic are optimal races for him," trainer Todd Pletcher explained. "We kicked around the idea of breezing him on the turf, but he's raced seven times as a three-year-old, and he is going to remain in training next year as a four-year-old, so we thought it would be the right thing to freshen him up." The bay colt will be sent to his owners' Winding Oaks Farm in Ocala, Florida, and will likely make one start during the Gulfstream Park meeting over the winter before being pointed to the GI Carter H. and the GI Met Mile next spring, according to Pletcher.

HOLD THAT TIGER TO WOODWARD?

Hold That Tiger (Storm Cat), third behind Vindication in last year's GI Bessemer Trust Breeders' Cup Juvenile, could make a return to the states to take on **Mineshaft** (A.P. Indy) in the GI Woodward S. at Belmont Park Sept. 6. The winner of three of his five juvenile starts, including a visually impressive score in the G1 Grand Criterium at Longchamp, the chestnut colt has been a non-factor in three starts this campaign, finishing 17th in the G1 2000 Guineas in May, fourth in the G1 St James's Palace S. the following month and most recently ninth in the G1 Coral Eclipse S. July 5. A \$1.1-million KEENOV weanling purchase, Hold That Tiger is a half brother to Editor's Note, winner of the 1996 GI Belmont S. Trainer Aidan O'Brien is also considering \$1.3-million KEESEP yearling **Statue of Liberty** (Storm Cat), a half brother to 1999 Belmont hero Lemon Drop Kid, for the Woodward. Jerry Bailey has been booked to ride whichever colt should start.



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A DANDY OF A DEAUVILLE SALE "We could not be more pleased with the results of our sale," Philippe Augier, president and general manager of the Agence Française, said yesterday morning, a day after the Deauville Yearling sale concluded. "The tight selection process, resulting in a smaller number of horses presented [102 less than in 2002] has led to a higher percentage of horses sold and more quality offered. Therefore, almost matching last year's figures is most satisfactory." During the five-day auction, 351 yearlings sold for €2,350,000 and averaged €73,838. The buy back rate was 22.5 percent, a drop of 33 percent from 2002. The best advertisement for any sales is racetrack results and the 2002 Deauville sale has already produced group winners. "Two year olds that sold in Deauville last year have registered tremendous results on the racecourse, with Group 2 winners Much Faster and Cool On Katie, to name just a few," Augier said. "And let's hope that [Much Faster] wins the G1 Morny on Sunday." Augier, already looking to the future, added, "There was a lot of talk about not having at least a Group 1 race during the first weekend of the sale. Next year, a bisextil year, we will again have five weekends of racing in Deauville. The program has not yet been written, but we hope that it will change. We didn't have fewew buyers [at the sale], but top-class racing would have attracted more persons in Deauville. There would have been more ambiance, which is essential at Deauville. Those who have never come to Deauville do not know what they are missing."

L'AGENCE FRANÇAISE		AUGUST SALE STATISTICS	
AUG. 23-27, 2003			
CUMULATIVE	2003	2002	
No. Offered	453	555	
No. Sold	351	368	
RNAs	102	187	
% RNA (% change)	22.52% (-33%)	33.7%	
Gross	€25,917,000	€26,701,000	
Average (% change)	€73,838 (+1.7%)	€72,557	
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The Toppers

A total of 41 yearlings sold for €150,000 or more at this year's Deauville sale. Among them the top prices of the sale: [Hip 21](#), a Sadler's Wells colt consigned by Haras d'Etream and sold for €900,000 to Anthony Stroud. [Hip 18](#), by King's Best out of Manureva, also consigned by Etream and sold for €450 000 to John Ferguson. Third highest priced was [Hip 56](#) by Anabaa out of Supergirl, consigned by Haras de La Reboursiere et de Montaigu who went for €450,000 to Horse France. The top filly was [Hip 54](#), by Fasliyev out of Style For Life, from the Reboursiere et Montaigu draft for €420,000 to Horse France.

The Leading Vendors

Marc de Chambure's Haras d'Etream, perennially the leading consignor, once again led all sellers. With 55 of its 60 yearlings selling for a gross of €5,262,000 (average €95,673), Etream maintained a comfortable lead over Haras de La Reboursiere et de Montaigu which sold 31 out of 37 for €2,771,000 (average €89,387). Third place on the consignor's list went to Eric Puerari and Michel Zerolo's Haras des Capucines (28/32, €2,453,000, €87,607), followed by Charles Henri de Moussac's Haras du Mezeray (15/20, €2,298,000, €153,200) and Chris O'Reilly's Haras de La Louviere (16/17, €1,246,000, €77,875). Pegasus Stud led consignors by average (with five or more sold), with an average of €155,000 for seven out of eight sold, followed by Haras du Mezeray and Voute Sales (average €103,667 for six out of six sold).

The Leading Buyers

With seven purchases for €1,640,000, including the sale topper, Hip 21, Anthony Stroud was the top buyer at the sale, followed by Robert Nataf of Horse France (nine for €1,591,000), who purchased the top filly, [Hip 54](#). Chantilly Bloodstock of Gerard Larrieu secured 11 lots, mainly for French owner Jean-Louis Bouchard (who owns Sunday's Prix Morny favourite Much Faster) for €1,395,000, followed by MAB Agency of Marc Antoine Bergrecht (20 for €1,374,000) and Meridian International of Guislain Bozo (10 for €1,163,000) who was very active for standardbred owner Lucien Urano.

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Deauville's Top Stallions

Anabaa, the Haras du Quesnay resident sire, remains a sure value at the sales. With 21 out of 24 selling for €2,293,000 he topped the sires' list at the sale, followed by Sadler's Wells (five for six for €1,850,000), King's Best (12/14, €1,800,000), Highest Honor, also at Le Quesnay (14/17, €1,216,000) and hot sire Fasliyev (seven for seven €1,115,000). These five sires are the only ones to pass the million-euros mark. In terms of average, the sensational Sadler's Wells is top of the list with €370,000 for five sold, followed by Diesis (three for three, an average of €233,333), Indian Ridge (two for five, €187,500), Fasliyev (seven for seven, €159,286) and Zafonic (five for eight, €126,000). Other top sires did well with limited offering: Monsun (1/2, sold privately for €400,000), Kingmambo (1/1 €350,000), Green Desert (1/2 €300,000), Kris (GB) (1/1 €250,000) Red Ransom (1/1 €220,000). Lemon Drop Kid topped the first-season sires list with an average of €190,000 but only had one yearling in the sale. King's Best is next (12/14, €150,000), followed by Bahri (1/1, €150,000), Giant's Causeway (3/4, €125,000), Almutawakel (2/2 €110,000), Montjeu (7/9, €96,000) and Dansili (5/5 €89,600).

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☆ PREVIEW ☆

Friday, Saratoga, post time: 4:47 p.m. EDT

SPINAWAY S.-GI, \$200,000, 2yo, f, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	America America	Mister Baileys (GB)	Mourier	10-1
2	Dixie Waltz	Dixieland Band	Zito	8-1
3	Ashado	Saint Ballado	Pletcher	2-1
4	Be Gentle	Tale of the Cat	Lukas	10-1
5	Charming Humor	Distorted Humor	Jolley	20-1
6	Daydreaming	A.P. Indy	McGaughey	5-2
7	Stoic	Forestry	R Dutrow	10-1
8	Unbridled Beauty	Unbridled's Song	Lukas	3-1

Friday, Deauville, France, post time: 3:55 p.m.

PRIX QUINCEY-G3, €66,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	6	Binary File	Nureyev	Gosden	128
2	5	Night Bokbel (Ire)	Night Shift	Smaga	126
3	8	Al Namix (Fr)	Linamix (Fr)	Cherel	126
4	2	Lugny (Fr)	Ski Chief	P Van De Poelle	126
5	3	My Risk (Fr)	Take Risks (Fr)	Beguigne	126
6	4	Mister Charm (Fr)	Linamix (Fr)	Rouget	122
7	10	Whim (Fr)	Poliglote (GB)	Bresson	122
8	9	Al Turf (Ire)	Alhaarth (Ire)	Hannon	122
9	7	Zanyboy (Fr)	Night Shift	Rob Collet	122
10	1	Star Valley (Fr)	Starborough (GB)	Rouget	120

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Friday, Baden Baden, Germany, post time: 4:25 p.m.

PREIS DER SPARKASSEN-FINANZGRUPPE (EX SPRETI-RENNEN)-G3, €65,500, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	6	Picotee (Ger)	Local Suitor	Bolte	126
2	5	Willingly (Ger)	Second Set (Ire)	Trybuhl	126
3	2	Diamante (Ger)	Acatenango (Ger)	Wöhler	123
4	10	Kanebo (Ger)	Lando (Ger)	Rau	123
5	8	Longridge (Ger)	Surumu (Ger)	Hofer	123
6	9	Near Honor (Ger)	Highest Honor (Fr)	Gibson	123
7	4	Serenus (Ger)	Acatenango (Ger)	Figge	123
8	7	Valentino (Fr)	Valanour (Ire)	de Royer-Dupre	123
9	3	Saldenschwinge (Ger)	In The Wings (GB)	Schütz	121
10	1	Fleurie Domaine (GB)	Unfuwain	Hofer	120

Saturday, Del Mar

DEL MAR DEBUTANTE-GI, \$250,000, 2yo, f, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	Halfbridled	Unbridled	Krone
2	Solar Fire	Stravinsky	Espinoza
3	Wind Flow	Indian Charlie	Nakatani
4	Shadow of Mine	Belong to Me	Valdivia Jr
5	Hollywood Story	Wild Rush	Valenzuela
6	Victory U.S.A.	Victory Gallop	Smith

All carry 116 pounds except Hollywood Story, 114.

Saturday, Saratoga

HOPEFUL S.-GI, \$200,000, 2yo, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	Notorious Rogue	Victory Gallop	Coa
2	Desert Patrol	Cherokee Run	Day
3a	Hasslefree	Forestry	Velasquez
4	Limehouse	Grand Slam	Albarado
5	Silver Wagon	Wagon Limit	Bailey
6a	Golden Tones	Seeking the Gold	Velasquez
7	Birdstone	Grindstone	Prado
8	Saratoga Episode	Wheaton	Castellano
9	Chapel Royal	Montbrook	Velazquez

All carry 122 pounds.

All horses in the *TDN* are bred in North America, unless otherwise indicated

Saturday, Woodbine

NIAGARA BREEDERS' CUP H.-GII, C\$300,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Mark One	Alphabet Soup	Landry	112
2	Cetewayo	His Majesty	Clark	118
3	Bowman Mill	Kris S.	McKnight	111
4	Portcullis	Smart Strike	Callaghan	117
5	Strut The Stage	Theatrical (Ire)	Kabel	123
6	Dr. Kashnikow	El Gran Senor	Dos Ramos	118
7	Better Talk Now	Talkin Man	Douglas	115
8	Revved Up	Sultry Song	Husbands	118
9	Stage Classic	Sky Classic	Montpellier	114
10	Jack's Own Time	Kris S.	Ramsammy	113

☆ RESULTS ☆

Sunday, Sao Paulo, Brazil

GRAN PREMIO BARAO DE PIRACICABA-G1, Hipodromo de Cidade Jardim, 8-24, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:33 3/5 (NSR), fm.

1--**HIPER VENCEDORA (BRZ)**, 123, f, 3, by Khatango

1st Dam: Zarzamora (Brz) (G1SW-Brz), by Our Captain Willie

2nd Dam: Kifantasia (Brz), by Cluet (Brz)

3rd Dam: Hepburn (Arg), by Hyphen (GB)

O/B-Haras Bandeirantes; T-Amazilio Magalhaes;

J-Antonio Mesquita. *Full to Gene de Campeao (Brz), MG1SW-Brz.

2--**Infusao (Brz)**, 123, f, 3, Mane Minister--Itaobi (Brz), by Figuron (Chi). O-Haras Preto e Ouro; B-Haras Novo Mossoro.

3--**Estrela de Roma (Brz)**, 123, f, 3, Romarin (Brz)--Minetonka, by Irish Fighter. O/B-Juan Pedro Abar.

Margins: NO, 1.

CURRENCY CONVERSIONS

	Unit/US\$	Unit/GB£
British pound	1.57762	1.00
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Yesterday's Results:

8th-SAR, \$50,000, Alw, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m,
1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5, fm.

BLU SPUR (f, 4, Northern Spur {Ire}--Seeking the Blue, by Seeking the Gold) weakened late to finish third in similar company over Churchill Downs' turf course June 1 before coming home a tired fourth last out going a panel longer over the Saratoga main track Aug. 8. Back on the grass for this effort, the 15-1 longshot was quickly in front, led the field throughout and held on to register a head win over Faraway Legend (Mr. Greeley). Lifetime Record: 13-3-3-3, \$123,360. O/B-Charles J Cella (KY). T-Peter M Vestal.

3rd-SAR, \$46,000, Msw, 2yo, 1 1/16mT, 1:44 4/5, fm.

TYNAN (c, 2, Irish River {Fr}--Sublime Beauty {SP-Ire}, by Caerleon) was a well-beaten seventh in his debut going six furlongs in the mud at Saratoga Aug. 2 and was given a 9-1 chance to rebound in his turf and route debut. Tracking the pace while saving ground for the opening six furlongs, the \$25,000 KEESEP yearling and \$75,000 FTFFEB juvenile launched his bid on the far turn, angled out to take the lead a sixteenth out and drew off to score by 2 3/4 lengths over Fifty Three Cards (Stacked Pack). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$27,600. O-Michael & Lynn Shanley. B-Kennelot Stables Ltd (KY). T-Randy Schulhofer.

6th-SAR, \$46,000, Msw, 2yo, 8.5fT, 1:44 1/5, fm.
+ **SOARING AWAY (c, 2, Skip Away--Dirca {Ire} {SW-Fr, MGSP-US, \$178,650}, by Thatching {Ire})** was pinched back at the start and remained an unhurried 10th through a lazy opening half mile. Moving up steadily thereafter, the \$32,000 KEESEP yearling closed with purpose in the final strides to win by a half length over Cartage Agent (Saint Ballado) at odds of 30-1. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,600.

O-Carolyn H Hine, Gene Stevens, Harvey Chaplin & Carl Bowling. B-Hopewell Investments LLC & Dr Barry Simon (KY). T-Joseph Orseno.

1st-SAR, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f,
1:13 4/5, ft.

+ **OVER THE TRANSOM (f, 3, Allen's Prospect--Through the Door {MGSP, \$223,010}, by At the Threshold),** sent off at generous odds of 9-1 to take her racetrack debut, took command early, opened up a 5 1/2-length advantage with a furlong to run and had just enough left in the tank to score by a half-length over Ms. Will a Way (Will's Way). Unbridled Spirit (Unbridled's Song), favored at 2-5, was off in a tangle and raced greenly thereafter, finishing a distant eighth. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$24,600.

O-Inniscarra Stable Inc. B-Wonderland Breeding, LLC (NY). T-Philip M Serpe.

Fried Jr. Named Outstanding NY Breeder:

Albert Fried Jr., who has bred and/or raced stakes winners such as Affirmed Success and Finality, will be honored by the Thoroughbred Owners and Breeders Association as the outstanding breeder in the state of New York. Peter Moore, representing Fried's Buttonwood Farm, will accept the award on Fried's behalf at ceremonies to be held Sept. 5 at Walmac International in Lexington.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, SATURDAY, AUGUST 30:

09-13 \$300,000 *Ruffian H.-I, Bel, 3yo/up,*
8.5f (300)

09-13 \$200,000a *Belmont Breeders' Cup H.-II, Bel,*
3yo/up, 9fT (100)

09-13 \$150,000 *Jerome H.-II, Bel, 3yo, 8f (150)*

09-14 \$200,000 *Futurity-I, Bel, 2yo, 8f (200)*

09-14 \$200,000 *Matron-I, Bel, 2yo, f, 8f (200)*

09-21 \$200,000 *Jamaica H.-II, Bel, 3yo, 9fT (200)*

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Mineshaft Sharp In Woodward Breeze:

William S. Farish's **Mineshaft** (A.P. Indy) continued his progress towards the GI Woodward S. Sept. 6 with a brilliant six-furlong move yesterday morning over the Saratoga main track, covering the distance in 1:11 2/5. The handsome dark bay got his first two furlongs in :25 2/5 before kicking into high gear in the middle portion of the work. He stopped the clock in :47 3/5 for the half mile, was out seven-eighths in 1:25 and a mile in 1:41 2/5. "He looked really good out there," commented trainer Neil Howard. "I wanted to go a nice three quarters of a mile. But I did not want to ask for his life. It was just a follow up to his other works." A son of Prospectors Delite, the four-year-old has won five of his seven starts in 2003, including the GI Pimlico Special. He is unraced since defeating Volponi by an easy 2 1/4 lengths in the July 5 GII Suburban H. at Belmont Park.



Saratoga Report cont.

Imperial Gesture Closer To Return:

Imperial Gesture (Langfuhr), one of the best of her generation last season with wins in the GI Gazelle H. and GI Beldame S., worked five-eighths of a mile yesterday morning at Saratoga in 1:02 4/5 and has trainer Tom Albertrani shopping around for a possible return spot for the four-year-old filly. "She's doing real good and we're just waiting for the right time to run her," Albertrani commented. "We missed a couple of opportunities this meet and will probably just wait till we're back in Belmont." The Godolphin colorbearer has not raced since finishing third behind Azeri in last year's Breeders' Cup Distaff. "We've been trying to get her ready and hopefully she'll stay ready," Albertrani continued. "She had some minor type of injury that's kept her away for a while, now we're trying to get her right."

Biancone Bulletin:

Trainer Patrick Biancone held fort yesterday morning to give updates on a number of his stakes-caliber horses. **Brancusi** (Deputy Commander), unraced since his last-place finish in the May 3 Kentucky Derby, worked five furlongs in 1:00 2/5, but will likely pass this Monday's GIII Saranac H. on the turf. "I don't think he's that fit yet," the trainer explained. "He was blowing hard after the workout." **Whoopi Cat** (Tale of the Cat), winner in her last start of the GII Adirondack S. Aug. 13, breezed five panels over the main track in 1:01 beneath Tony Farina and is scheduled to make her next appearance in the GI Matron S. at Belmont Park Sept. 14. **Whywhywhy** (Mr. Greeley), winner of Saratoga's GII Sanford S. last summer, worked a half mile in a solid :47 2/5 Wednesday morning and is being pointed to the GII Jerome H. at Belmont Park Sept. 13. GIII Amsterdam S. hero **Zavata** (Phone Trick), most recently eighth in the GI King's Bishop S. Aug. 23, is to return to California to begin preparations for his next scheduled start in the GI Ancient Title Breeders' Cup H. at Santa Anita Oct. 5. **Pomeroy** (Boundary), runner-up in the GII Saratoga Special S. July 24, posted a five-furlong work yesterday morning in 1:01 and will make his next start in either the GIII Kentucky Cup Juvenile at Turfway Sept. 13 or the GI Futurity S. at Belmont the following day.

★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-MTH, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft.

SEA PREACHER (c, 3, **Pulpit**--Ocean Queen {GSW, \$178,180}, by Zilzal) was a distant fourth last time going nine furlongs at Saratoga Aug. 8, but was backed down to 9-5 favoritism taking on easier company here. Off the pace early, the \$800,000 KEESEP yearling took command two furlongs out, increased his lead to three lengths a sixteenth from home and held it together late to score by 1 1/2 lengths over Governor Bennett (Evasive Quality). Ocean Queen is a half sister to multiple Group/Graded stakes winner Dance Parade (Gone West) and stakes winner Jig (Ire) (Catrail). Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-1, \$30,300. O-Jayeff B Stables. B-Newgate Stud Farm, Inc (KY). T-Alan E Goldberg.

Wednesday Night's Results:

8th-CTX, \$22,000, Alw, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:29, my.

ORIMINER (f, 3, **Miner**--Gami Girl, by Screen Trend) won by 4 1/4 lengths at this level in just her third career start June 28, but was no better than 5-1 to make it three out of four on the career. Quickest into stride over the off going, the South Carolina-bred dark bay made all the running en route to another 4 1/4-length tally. Lifetime Record: 4-3-1-0, \$39,400. O-Mary B Charpia. B-Earl K Charpia III (SC). T-Charles N Hostler Jr.

★ CENTRAL ★

Fair Grounds Renames Explosive Bid for Muniz:

Officials at Fair Grounds Race Course in New Orleans have announced that its biggest turf race of the year will be renamed in honor of Mervin H. Muniz Jr., the long-time racing secretary who passed away Monday at age 60. The Mervin H. Muniz Memorial H. will be conducted over an about distance of nine furlongs Sunday, March 21. The Grade II event, formerly known as the Explosive Bid H., carries a purse of \$500,000 and consistently attracts top turf horses from around the country. "After we purchased the track in 1990, Mervin thought a grass race in March would be well spotted [on the national stakes schedule] and had the chance to become a strong race," Fair Grounds President and General Manager Bryan Krantz commented. "It has certainly borne out his projection and to rename this race in Mervin's memory is most deserving."

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Central Report cont.

Yesterday's Results:

5th-ELP, \$27,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:39 2/5, ft.

ARMEE ROUGE (f, 4, [Miswaki](#)--All Along {Fr} {Horse of the Year & Ch. Turf Mare-US, 2x Ch. Older Mare-Fr, MG1SW-US, MG1SW-Fr, G1SP-Jpn, \$2,935,572}, by Targowice), who was zero-for-five in France, finished a close-up second in her second American start going 8 1/2 furlongs over this turf course July 20. A lackluster fifth when stretched to nine panels on the sod Aug. 14, the half to Along All (GB) (Mill Reef), MGSW & G1SP-Fr, \$144,738; and full to Arnaqueur, SW & MGSP-Fr, was the 9-2 third choice to graduate in this off-the-turf affair. Midpack early, the bay edged closer on the turn, came out six wide for the drive and caught Power of the Pad (Siphon {Brz}) late to score by 1 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 9-1-1-0, \$25,135.
O-Tom Wilson. B-Allez France Stables Ltd (KY). T-Peter W Salmen Jr.

3rd-ELP, \$25,200, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:05 3/5, ft.

+PREVALENT (f, 2, [Carson City](#)--Lethal Leta {MSW, \$300,600}, by Synastry) was backed down to 6-5 favoritism for her debut and did not disappoint. On top early, the \$32,000 FTKOCT yearling opened a clear lead and held the advantage all the way to the wire, scoring by 2 3/4 lengths over Prom Kiss (Kissin Kris). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,830.
O-Thomas F Conway & Ronald Hillerich. B-Albert Finney & Karen & Mickey Taylor LLC (KY). T-Bernard S Flint.

3rd-LAD, \$23,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, 6f, 1:12 4/5, ft.

+SPARKLE FOR HAILEY (c, 2, Mr. Sparkles--Lynzy's Pro, by Aspro) was overlooked at 23-1 odds for his debut. The half to Go Rail Go (Rail), SP, \$151,610, broke well to take an uncontested early lead, maintained an solid advantage entering the stretch and continued to dominate late en route to a 4 3/4-length win. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,800.
O-Verly L Touchet. B-Joseph & Verly Landry Touchet (LA). T-Joseph L Touchet.

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Del Mar Work Tab:

Storming Home (GB) (Machiavellian) and Hall of Fame jockey Gary Stevens both breezed for the first time since the Aug. 16 GI Arlington Million yesterday at Del Mar, but the pair weren't together. Stevens, who suffered a collapsed lung and fractured vertebra when thrown from a shying Storming Home near the finish of the turf race, worked GSP **Fun House** (Prized) for trainer Ron McAnally in his first day back in the saddle. The duo completed the six-furlong drill in 1:14.60. Storming Home, meanwhile, worked four furlongs over the turf course for trainer Neil Drysdale in :47.

Diamond In The Rough:

Diamond Fury (Sea of Secrets), who brought a world record \$2.7 million at the Barretts March Sale last winter, will make his much anticipated debut in Saturday's third race at Del Mar. Owned by Charles Fipke and trained by Bob Baffert, the chestnut colt has been in steady training since early July and the screws have been tightened of late, with near bullet works of :58 4/5 Aug. 16 and :59 Aug. 24. Mike Smith has been named to ride from the three hole in the 5 1/2-furlong maiden event.

Yesterday's Results:

7th-DMR, \$66,640, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:41 3/5, fm.

- 1--**ADALGISA, 119, f, 4, [Spinning World](#)--Vitola (GB) (GSP), by Sallust (Ire).** (FF750,000 yrl '00 DEAAUG). O-Mike Barnett, Robert Beck & David Hulkewicz; B-Sarrat Commercial Inc (KY); T-Julio C Canani. Lifetime Record: 13-4-3-2, \$173,852.
- 2--**Carbon Copy (GB), 119, m, 5, Pivotal (GB)--Astolat (Ire),** by Rusticaro (Fr).
- 3--**Madame Boulangere (GB), 119, f, 4, Royal Applause (GB)--Jazz (GB),** by Sharrood.

Margins: 1HF, 3HF, HF. Odds: 1.80, 0.70, 8.00.

Adalgisa came off a four-month hiatus to finish last of nine in the GIII WinStar Distaff S. at Lone Star May 26, but proved that was not representative of her true ability when she completed the exacta in Hollywood allowance company June 25. The Deauville August sale grad was coming into this effort off a third-place effort over this turf July 31, a race in which Carbon Copy was a nose second. The second choice in this field reduced by scratches to four, the chestnut saved ground while travelling sweetly throughout, tipped out in upper stretch and ran down Carbon Copy for a handy victory.

6th-DMR, \$58,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37 3/5, ft.

LYNCOLA (CHI) (m, 5, Louis Le Grand--Anna {Chi} {SP-Chi}, by Domineau) gave her trainer his first win from 51 starters in 2003. The bay had been knocking on the door at this meet, finishing third and second at this distance July 27 and Aug. 14, respectively. The 5-2 co-second choice raced wide around the first turn, advanced on the final bend and five deep into the stretch and wore down Ice-Girl (Arg) (Roy) for a two-length tally. Lifetime Record: 13-3-1-4, \$76,293.
O-Great Falls S A. B-Haras Mocito Guapo (CHI). T-Eduardo Inda.

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4th-DMR, \$54,324, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :56, fm.

CHARM A SONG (f, 4, **Unbridled's Song--Charm a Gendarme {GSW, \$224,305}**, by **Batonnier**), a half to Tout Charmant (Slewvescent), MGISW, \$1,781,877, returned from a 5 1/2-month absence to finish second by a neck going an extra half a furlong over the Hollywood turf June 22 and most recently disappointed when fifth as the chalk sprinting over the Inglewood lawn July 18. Always within easy striking distance from midpack, the 5-1 shot angled towards the rail on the turn, got through along the inside at midstretch and inched clear late to best Goodbye Gambler (Aloha Prospector) by a length. Lifetime Record: 9-2-1-1, \$77,400. O/T-Larry Barrera. B-Aaron U & Marie D Jones (KY).

1st-DMR, \$51,000, Msw, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:34 2/5, fm.
GOLD SPHINX (c, 4, **Storm Cat--Gold Splash, by Blushing Groom {Fr}**) made his first seven career starts in France and capped a largely unforgettable European career with a fifth-place effort in a Deauville handicap last August. A man among boys in his U.S bow, the 4-1 shot settled just off the early pace through an honest half mile in :45.89, assumed a narrow lead on the second turn, kicked clear in the stretch and held on late, winning by a length over But of Course (Kingmambo). Lifetime Record: 8-1-2-1, \$46,686. O-Wertheimer Farm. B-Wertheimer et Frere (KY). T-Gary Mandella.

★ **INDUSTRY INFO** ★

Courtney Sr. To Be Honored by TCA:

Robert E. Courtney Sr., the owner of Crestfield Farm outside of Lexington, has been named the honored guest of the Thoroughbred Club of America's 72nd Annual Testimonial Dinner to be held this year at Keeneland on the evening of Nov. 1. The 82-year-old native of Lexington is the son of W.H. and Harriet Courtney. His father was the president of the First National Bank of Lexington and was the founding treasurer of Keeneland. Involved in the horse business for most of his life, Courtney Sr. purchased the mare Hasty Queen II at the 1972 Keeneland January Sale for \$11,000. She went on to produce six stakes winners for Courtney Sr. and his partner Robert Congleton and was named broodmare of the year. Her best foal was Fit To Fight. Courtney Sr. was also instrumental in the establishment of the Kentucky division of the Fasig-Tipton Sale Company. "Mr. Courtney typifies the kind of horseman who has been the underpinning of the Thoroughbred breeding industry for many generations," said TCA President Arnold Kirkpatrick. "He is as close to the land as to his horses and all who have been associated with him have confidence in his word and his integrity."

★ **AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS** ★

IN BRITAIN:

Motivus, c, 2, **Cherokee Run**. See "Britain."

Alumni News, c, 3, **Belong to Me**. See "Britain."

IN IRELAND:

Glimmer Twin, f, 3, **Kris S**. See "European Breeders' Edition."



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Friday, August 29

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

ARCHERS BAY (Silver Deputy), Dead, 57/1/0

5-WO, Msw, 7f, +Passage Road, 15-1

CRYPTO STAR (Cryptoclearance), Murmur, \$4K, 41/1/0

6-TIM, Msw, 1m, +McMazel, 12-1

EXPLOIT (Storm Cat), Taylor Made, \$25K, 84/6/0

5-WO, Msw, 7f, Explosive Affair, \$47K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1

6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Exploiting, \$100K OBS MAR 2yo, 15-1

3-ELP, Msw, 5.5fT, +Exploited Storm, \$190K BAR MAR 2yo, 10-1

FORESTRY (Storm Cat), Taylor Made, \$50K, 75/6/1

3-ELP, Msw, 5 1/2fT, Golden Glen, \$245K BAR MAR 2yo, 10-1

8-SAR, Stk, 7f, Stoic, \$250K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

KEOS (Riverman), Fresnoy, \$4K, 28/0/0

3-ELP, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Mauk Me, \$17K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1

MENIFEE (Harlan), Stone, \$15K, 37/1/0

5-WO, Msw, 7f, Can Ihavethisdance, \$57K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1



SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

First-time starters/stakes runners: Friday, August 29

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

DISTORTED HUMOR (Forty Niner), Winstar, \$13K, 128/43/8

8-SAR, Stk, 7f, Charming Humor, \$72K OBS MAR 2yo, 20-1

FORMAL GOLD (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), Gainesway, \$15K, 130/34/2

6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Check Station, \$85K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1

GRAND SLAM (Gone West), Ashford, \$30K, 244/65/6

6-SAR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Sliding Home, \$75K FTK JUL yrl, 8-1

LABEEB (GB) (Lear Fan), Gainsborough, \$8K, 68/10/2

3-ELP, Msw, 5 1/2fT, +Daddys Shoes, \$4K ARK OCT yrl, 20-1

TALE OF THE CAT (Storm Cat), Ashford, \$25K, 235/64/8

8-SAR, Stk, 7f, Be Gentle, \$220K FTF FEB 2yo, 10-1

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★ BRITAIN ★

NAYEF CHAMPION-BOUND **Nayef** (Gulch), who sustained a minor injury during the G1 Juddmonte International S. at York Aug. 19, has made a quick recovery and will be aimed at the G1 Emirates Airlines Champion S. at Newmarket Oct. 18. The Marcus Tregoning-trained five-year-old, who finished third behind Falbrav (Ire) in the 10-furlong International despite striking himself, will resume work next week as he prepares to follow up his 2001 success in the Champion S. "Nayef picked up a superficial cut at York," Tregoning told the *Racing Post*. "Everything has gone well with him since he came back and we'll be up and away with him again next week. The Champion S. could well be on his agenda, or the Breeders' Cup Turf. It has to be one or the other, but I personally would favour the idea of keeping him at home."

FALBRAV IN IRISH CHAMPION? **Falbrav (Ire)** (Fairy King) may line up against Alamshar (Ire) and High Chaparral (Ire) in next Saturday's G1 Ireland the Food Island Champion S. at Leopardstown. The Luca Cumani-trained five-year-old was originally scheduled to have a break after winning the G1 Juddmonte International S. at York Aug. 19, but connections are considering the 10-furlong contest for the BHB Middle Distance champion. Meanwhile, Christophe Soumillon will take the ride on His Highness the Aga Khan's Alamshar in the race in the absence of retained jockey Johnny Murtagh, who is on a self-imposed vacation.

BACK ON SONG **Soviet Song (Ire)** (Marju {Ire}) is likely to reappear in the G1 Prix du Moulin de Longchamp Sept. 7. After finishing fourth and second to Russian Rhythm in the G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket May 4 and the G1 Coronation S. at Royal Ascot June 20, respectively, the filly will take on colts in the French mile. "She worked nicely this morning," trainer James Fanshawe's wife Jacko told *PA Sport*. "She might go to France if it doesn't come too early, but we're definitely getting excited about her again." She may be joined in the Moulin by the Terry Mills-trained **Where Or When (Ire)** (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), fourth in Saturday's G2 Celebration Mile at Goodwood. "He had missed two months without a run," Mills's son Robert told *PA Sport*. "We didn't get the thumbs up until three weeks before the Celebration, so it was always a bit of a race against time. The run was a stepping stone."

EDDERY GETS ROAD RIDE

Pat Eddery will ride **Westmoreland Road** (Diesis {GB}) in the G1 Seabiscuit St Leger at Doncaster Sept. 13. Eddery, who retires at the end of the 2003 season, will bid for a fifth renewal of the Classic on the Amanda Perrett-trained colt, who took a conditions race at Newmarket last time Aug. 16. "The horse has come out of it well and Pat knows him," Perrett told the *Racing Post*. "I've asked Pat to ride him in the St Leger and as far as I'm concerned that's what will happen. I'm pleased to play some part in what will be his last Classic ride in Britain."

Yesterday's Results:

Chester, 4.15, Cond, £26,250, 3yo, 7f 122ydsT, 1:34.50, gd/fm.

LAGO D'ORTA (IRE) (c, 3, Bahhare--Maelalong {Ire}, by Maelstrom Lake {Ire}), who disappointed when down the field in the competitive William Hill Mile H. at Goodwood last time Aug. 1, was sent off at odds of 13-2 as the highweight here. Held up in rear throughout the furious early exchanges, he challenged wide in the straight and reeled in Marching Band (Dixieland Band) in the final strides to win by a head. Lifetime Record: 11-5-2-1, £68,869.

O-Dennis Shaw; B-Camma SAS di Schiavi Andrea Co; T-Clive Cox.

Chester, 3.45, Cond, £18,700, 2yo, f, 6f 18ydsT, 1:17.32, gd/fm.

LATIN REVIEW (IRE) (f, 2, Titus Livius {Fr}--Law Review {Ire}, by Case Law {Ire}), fourth in the Listed St Hugh's S. at Newbury Aug. 16, was sent off the 11-4 favorite. Stalking the tearaway leader Saristar (GB) (Starborough {GB}), she took command as that rival gave up the rail on the final turn. Committed inside the final quarter by Kieren Fallon, she battled gamely to beat Dolce Piccata (GB) (Piccolo {GB}) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, £16,899.

O-Ann Jarvis; B-Anne Maris Burns; T-Alan Jarvis.

Chester, 2.15, Cond, £10,450, 2yo, 7f 122ydsT, 1:36.31, gd/fm.

MUTAHAYYA (IRE) (c, 2, Peintre Celebre--Winsa, by Riverman), runner-up to the promising Always First (GB) in a decent conditions event at Sandown Aug. 13, was sent off the 10-11 favorite. Sent to the front in the early stages by Richard Hills, he always had control and quickened in the short straight for a decisive three-length score from Old Malt (Ire) (Ashkalani {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, £15,014.

O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Company Limited; T-John Dunlop.



British Report cont.

Salisbury, 2.55, Mdn, £8,840, 3yo, 1mT, 1:42.91, fm.
ALUMNI NEWS (c, 3, Belong to Me--Private Status {SW & GISP, \$146,337}, by Alydar), a half brother to Secret Status (A.P. Indy, MGISW, \$1,053,705), had been off the track since finishing runner-up to subsequent G3 Classic Trial winner Shield (GB) in a Lingfield polytrack maiden in December. Taken to the front in the early stages, the 13-8 favorite lengthened passing halfway to comfortably beat Petrosa (Ire) (Grand Lodge) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, £7,024.
 O-W S Farish III; B-W S Farish, James Elkins & W T Webber Jr; T-John Gosden.

Salisbury, 2.25, Mdn, £8,350, 2yo, f, 6f 212ydsT, 1:28.22, fm.
+ MANGO MISCHIEF (IRE) (f, 2, Desert King {Ire}--Eurolink Mischief {GB}, by Be My Chief), sent off at odds of 9-1, was settled in mid-division off the respectable early tempo. Switched for her run past halfway, she responded gamely to Seb Sanders's urgings to wear down Secret Vision (Distant View) in the final strides to win by a head. The filly is a half sister to Eurolink Raindance (Ire) (Alzao, MSP-Eng & GSW-US, \$203,498). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £5,427.
 O-Antoniades Family; B-A G Antoniades; T-John Dunlop.

Lingfield, 2.05, Cond, £6,700, 2yo, 7f (AWT), 1:25.59, std.

MOTIVUS (c, 2, Cherokee Run--Noble Cause {GSP, \$123,042}, by Diesis {GB}), fourth in a decent Goodwood maiden last time July 29, was sent off at odds of 12-1. Breaking well from his high draw, he was settled in a stalking role throughout the early stages. Challenging at the top of the straight, he wore down Jack Sullivan (Belong to Me) in the final 50 yards to win by a half length. Motivus was a \$22,000 KEESEP yearling. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £6,688.
 O-Andrew & Philippa Wyer; B-Kenneth L & Sarah K Ramsey; T-Brian Meehan.

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

Tralee, 2.30, Mdn, €11,520, 2yo, 1mT, 1:41.70, fm.
+ NOAHS ARK (IRE) (f, 2, Charnwood Forest {Ire}--Abstraction {GB}, by Rainbow Quest), sent off the 6-4 favorite, was held up in mid-division throughout the early stages before making steady progress on the approach to the straight. Quickening impressively to lead with 300 yards remaining, she was clear in a matter of strides before recording a facile four-length score from House Around (Ire) (Orpen). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €8,280.
 O-Denis O'Flynn; B-Rathbarry Stud; T-Dermot Weld.

★ FRANCE ★

FALLON LINKED TO CREEK

Kieren Fallon looks likely to be reunited with **Carrizo Creek (Ire)** (Charnwood Forest {Ire}) in Sunday's G1 Prix Morny at Deauville. The champion jockey is set to renew links with the Brian Meehan-trained colt, who he steered to success in the G2 Richmond S. at Goodwood July 29. That provides Darryll Holland with the ride on the Michael Bell-trained **Nevisian Lad (GB)** (Royal Applause {GB}), who won the G2 July S. at Newmarket July 9 with Fallon aboard. Aidan O'Brien looks likely to run **Colossus (Ire)** (Danehill), **Haydn** (Stravinsky) and **Old Deuteronomy** (Storm Cat), while Pascal Bary will run his talented fillies **Much Faster (Ire)** (Fasliyev) and **Denebola** (Storm Cat). The David Loder-trained **Kheleyf** (Green Desert) was the only surprise defector at yesterday's stage.

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STAKES RESULTS:

NEW YORK TURF WRITERS CUP STEEPLECHASE
H.-GI, \$113,800, SAR, 8-28, 4/up, 19fT, 4:13 3/5, fm.
 1--▲**PRAISE THE PRINCE (NZ), 150, g, 8, Prince of Praise (NZ)--Dynataine (NZ), by Centaine (Aus).**
 O-Augustin Stable; B-Thoroughbred Investments Ltd (NZ); T-Sanna N Hendriks; J-Gus Brown; \$68,280.
 Lifetime Record: 21-10-6-5, \$548,623.
 2--**Tres Touche, 148, h, 6, Poles Apart--Princess Smoggy, by Smoggy (GB).** (\$4,000 yrl '98 FTMFEB).
 O-Contrarian Stables; B-John A Manfuso (MD); \$22,760.
 3--**Indispensable, 142, g, 9, Mane Minister--Spellcast, by Fappiano.** (\$32,000 wlng '94 KEENOV). O-Mrs F Eugene Dixon Jr; B-M P Cataneo (MD); \$12,518.
 Margins: 1HF, NK, NK. Odds: 2.75, 8.90, 51.50.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

6th-WOX, \$67,600, NW2X, 3/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft. GREATTOBELOVED (f, 3, Peaks and Valleys--Well Taught, by Beau Genius) Lifetime Record: 7-4-1-1, \$169,002. O-John Atto. B-Jacqueline E Armstrong (ON). T-Alex McPherson. *\$30,000 yrl '01 CBSSEP.

7th-WOX, \$63,500, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:09, fm.

TAMARA (f, 3, Roy--Ascot Affair, by Ascot Knight) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-2-1-3, \$128,181. O-M & N Nosowenko. B-Michael Nosowenko (ON). T-David R Bell. *1/2 to Tacky Affair (Mutakddim), SW, \$207,071.

5th-SAR, \$46,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m, 1:52 3/5, ft.

DOC'S DOLL (f, 3, Out of Place--Third Street, by Salt Lake) Lifetime Record: SP, 13-3-3-2, \$124,805. O-James E & Virginia Gamble. B-Higher Ground Farms Inc (NY). T-Philip A Gleaves. *\$1,700 yrl '01 KEEECT.

8th-MTH, \$39,000, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43 4/5, fm.

NANNIE'S SWORD (f, 4, Sword Dance {Ire}--Noble Nannie {SW, \$109,636}, by Shananie) Lifetime Record: 30-6-4-4, \$149,074. O-Ernest J George & Paul J Parisi Jr. B-G Gilbert Campbell (FL). T-Paul J Parisi Jr.

7th-MTH, \$37,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

AUSTIN'S BELLE (f, 3, Notebook--Maniweta, by Cherokee Fellow) Lifetime Record: 17-5-4-4, \$128,440. O/T-Edwin T Broome. B-Mike Campanile (FL). *1/2 to Uncle Rocco (Robyn Dancer), SW, \$228,215.

8th-APX, \$34,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

GOLDEN GLACKEN (c, 4, Smoke Glacken--Golden Actress, by Zinov) Lifetime Record: 19-4-1-3, \$87,906. O-Frank Carl Calabrese. B-R'n R Breeders (IL). T-Wayne M Catalano. *1/2 to Proper Gentleman (Sunny North), SP, \$260,987; Golden Genie (Beau Genius), MSP, \$269,793; and Act Of War (Lord At War {Arg}), MSW, \$259,684.

9th-ELP, \$32,450, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 1fT, 1:37 4/5, ft.

TUBBY CAT (h, 6, Personal Flag--Bodust {SW, \$215,568}, by Bold Ruckus) Lifetime Record: 31-7-3-5, \$132,064. O-Goodfellas Stables. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Gary G Hartlage. *\$4,200 yrl '98 KEESEP.

7th-APX, \$32,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, a1 1/2mT, 2:31 2/5, fm.

FALSE PROMISES (c, 3, Jules--Stormy Divorce, by Storm Bird) Lifetime Record: 12-2-3-1, \$58,340. O-David Maracich. B-Arthur I Appleton (FL). T-Anthony J Granitz. *\$37,000 2yo 2002 OBSAPR.

8th-LAD, \$26,000, NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft. GILDMORE (c, 4, Gilded Time--Winze, by Mr. Prospector) Lifetime Record: 17-4-4-2, \$67,700. O-Charlene Sturgeon. B-Everest Stables Inc (KY). T-Andrew T Ney. *\$50,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

10th-LAD, \$25,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:43, ft.

MISS CONFUSION (f, 3, Miswaki--Carol, by Jaklin Klugman) Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-1, \$38,680. O-Earl & Keith Hernandez. B-Curtis G Mikkelsen, Patricia J Horth & George Gleason (FL). T-Frank Leggio. *\$25,000 wlng '00 KEENOV; \$25,000 yrl '01 KEESEP.

7th-TIM, \$24,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:17 2/5, ft. INDY LOVE (g, 3, Not for Love--Stonewall Sue, by Clever Champ) Lifetime Record: 18-5-2-3, \$88,150. O-Donald E White. B-R Rozanski (MD). T-John J Robb.

7th-CTX, \$22,000, 8-27, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:21 3/5, my.

IVERSON (c, 4, Rubiano--Storm Alley, by Storm Bird) Lifetime Record: 24-8-2-5, \$82,995. O/T-Stephanie S Beattie. B-Richard Bell (KY). *\$35,000 yrl '00 FTKJUL.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Sun Skier, f, 2, Appealing Skier--Sun Creme, by Koluctoo Bay. WOX, 8-28, (C), 6f, 1:11 4/5. B-Leslie Hagan (Fl). *\$12,000 yrl '02 OBSAUG. ** 1/2 to Sun Attack (Red Attack), SP, \$169,384.

+ Saratoga County, c, 2, Valid Expectations--Grub's Dancer, by Grub. SAR, 8-28, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5. B-Round Table LLC (Ky). *\$67,000 yrl '02 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo 2003 OBSFEB.

Tender Teen, f, 3, Benchmark--Lots of Gas (MSW, \$289,250), by Flying Paster. DMR, 8-28, (S), 6f, 1:10 2/5. B-Mr & Mrs Martin J Wygod (Ca).

Cold N Evil, g, 3, Flag Down--Silent Connection, by Danzig Connection. MTH, 8-28, (C), 1mT, 1:38 3/5. B-Paul Tinkle (In).

Fiero Bandera, g, 3, Flag Down--Silver's Secret, by Silver Series. TIM, 8-28, 4f, :46 2/5. B-Drumkenny Farm (Ky). *\$25,000 yrl '01 FTKJUL.

Miss Sweet Time, f, 3, Marquetry--Secret Sweetie, by Secreto. APX, 8-28, 1 1/16mT, 1:46 1/5. B-Secret Sweetie Partnership (Fl).

Pleasant Sands, f, 3, Sandpit (Brz)--Tutu Pleasant, by Pleasant Colony. APX, 8-28, (S), a1mT, 1:41. B-Serendipity Thoroughbreds (Il). *1/2 to Falasha (Faltaat), SW, \$150,327.

Sea of Lace, f, 3, Seacliff--Spectacular Lace, by Jokester. CTX, 8-28, 4 1/2f, :52 3/5. B-Bill & Linda Hovanec (Fl).

Shuffle Board, c, 3, Sea Salute--Frisolous Fan, by Lear Fan. WOX, 8-28, (C), 6f, 1:12 2/5. B-Roger L Toffolon (NY). *\$4,200 yrl '01 OBSAUG.



Unbridled Game, c, 3, **Unbridled's Song**--Starlet Minister, by Deputy Minister. ELP, 8-28, 1m (off turf), 1:39. B-William Schettine (Ky). *\$80,000 2yo 2002 KEEAPR.

Temperance Lake, f, 3, **War Deputy**--Sahara Samba, by Shotiche. WOX, 8-27, (S), 7fT, 1:24. B-Anthony & Mary Jane Lamb (On).

Excessive Behavior, c, 4, **In Excess (Ire)**--Lady Argyle, by Don B.. LAD, 8-28, 1mT, 1:37. B-Elliott Alexander & Taylor Made Farm (Ca). *\$60,000 yrl '00 KEESEP. **1/2 to Canon Can (Green Dancer), GSW-Eng, \$164,624; and Queenie Belle (Bertrando), MGSW, \$624,790.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

ITALY, Grosseto, 9.55, Cond, 8-27, €30,600, 2yo, f, 1750mT, 1:47.00, gd.

ANNALISA PEKAN (IRE) (f, 2, **Sri Pekan--Slieu Whallian {GB}**, by **In the Wings {GB}**) Lifetime Record: 8 starts, 4 wins, 3 places, €39,287. O-Csizmadia Edit; B-Patrick J Power; T-S Santella.

BRITAIN, Salisbury, 3.55, Cond, £17,160, 3yo, 1mT, 1:41.02, fm.

THREE GRACES (GER) (c, 3, **Peintre Celebre--Trefoil {GB} {SW-Fr}**, by **Kris {GB}**) Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, £19,525. O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Darley Stud Management Co Ltd; T-Marcus Tregoning.

ITALY, Grosseto, 11.20, Cond, €11,475, 3yo/up, f/m, 1750mT, 1:46.10, gd.

LIFE AT NIGHT (IRE) (m, 5, **Night Shift--Loveskate, by Overskate**) Lifetime Record: 31 starts, 5 wins, 18 places, €73,463. O-Scuderia Due C SRL; B-Mrs P de Ferrari; T-Alduino and Giuseppe Botti. *1/2 to Missed Flight (Dominion {GB}), Hwt. Older Horse-Eng at 7-9 1/2f, MGSW & MG1SP-Eng & Fr, \$323,400; Clifton Fox (GB) (Deploy), SP-Eng.

BRITAIN, Ascot, 3.05, £8,660, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:43.11, gd/fm.

ABLE BAKER CHARLIE (IRE) (g, 4, **Sri Pekan--Lavezzola {Ire} {SP-Ity}**, by **Salmon Leap**) Lifetime Record: 16-3-3-3, £23,863. O-David Croft & Partners; B-Allevamento Gialloblu SRL; T-James Fanshawe.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Desperate Dan (GB)**, c, 2, **Danzero (Aus)**--Alzianah (GB) (GSP-Fr), by Alzao. Lingfield, Britain, 8-28, Mdn, 2yo, 6f (AWT). B-Sheikh Amin Dahlawi. *Eighth winner for freshman sire (by Danehill). **40,000gns yrl '02 DONSEP.

Divine Spirit (GB), g, 2, **Foxhound--Vocation (Ire)**, by Royal Academy. Catterick, Britain, 8-27, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-S R Hope & D Erwin Bloodstock. *8,500gns yrl '02 TATFEB; 23,000gns yrl '02 DONSEP.

Tiffing (Fr), c, 2, **Shantou--Tiffany Gem (Ire)**, by Caerleon. Grosseto, Italy, 8-27, Cond, 2yo, c/g, 1750mT. B-Azienda Agricola San Jore SRL.

Rise (GB), f, 2, **Polar Falcon--Splice (GB)** (SW & GSP-Eng, \$133,134), by Sharpo (GB). Lingfield, Britain, 8-28, Hcp, 2yo, 7f (AWT). B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd. *1/2 to Feet So Fast (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), MSW-UAE, \$267,346.

Glimmer Twin, f, 3, **Kris S.**--Wisla (MSW & GISP, \$166,290), by Danzig. Tralee, Ireland, 8-28, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds. *1/2 to Draw (Private Account), SW & MGSP, \$278,198. **\$75,000 yrl '01 KEE OCT.

Kohann (Fr), f, 3, **Le Balafre (Fr)**--Baraiyka (Fr), by Shardari (Ire). Clairefontaine, France, 8-28, Cond, 3yo, f, 1 1/2 mT. B-P Y Corbel.

+ **Persy des Mottes (Fr)**, c, 3, **Perrault (GB)**--Daisy des Mottes (Fr), by Abdonski (Fr). Clairefontaine, France, 8-28, Cond, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/2 mT. B-Y and J Poirier.

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SIRE	Loc	SWs
Sadler's Wells (Northern Dancer)	Ire	21
Danehill (Danzig)	dead	15
In the Wings (Sadler's Wells)	Ire	9
Anabaa (Danzig)	Fr	8
Pivotal (Polar Falcon)	Eng	8
Singspiel (In the Wings)	Eng	8
Darshaan (Shirley Heights)	dead	7
Grand Lodge (Chief's Crown)	Ire	7
Linamix (Mendez)	Fr	7

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