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FAST TRACK TO SUCCESS

Ashado (Saint Ballado) had never encountered optimal racing conditions before, but she took to the fast surface yesterday at Saratoga, putting up a game performance to win the GI Spinaway S. to remain unbeaten in three starts. A seven-length winner over a sloppy track June 18 at Belmont, she faced similar conditions in the GII Schuylerville S. July 23 and came away with a three-length tally. In the thick of things from the start, the dark bay held a narrow advantage heading into the turn, but shook loose at the top of the stretch. Despite getting leg weary late, she kept finding more to withstand a prolonged bid from **Be Gentle** (Tale of the Cat) to earn her first Grade I win. "She put herself in the game so quickly," said winning trainer Todd Pletcher. "It was just a matter of her having enough to hold off the challengers through the lane." Pletcher will now point his unbeaten filly for the \$500,000 GI Frizette S. at a mile and a sixteenth at Belmont Oct. 4.
Spinaway cont. p2

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Friday, Saratoga

SPINAWAY S.-GI, \$200,000, SAR, 8-29, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:24, ft.

1--**▲ASHADO**, 121, f, 2, by Saint Ballado

1st Dam: **Goulash** (SW & GSP, \$162,975), by Mari's Book

2nd Dam: **Wise Bride**, by Blushing Groom (Fr)

3rd Dam: **Wising Up**, by Smarten

(\$170,000 yr1 '02 KEESEP). O-Starlight Stables, Paul Saylor & John Martin; B-Aaron U & Marie D Jones (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher; J-E S Prado; \$120,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$235,800. *Full to Saint Stephen, GSP.

2--**Be Gentle**, 121, f, 2, Tale of the Cat--Gentlelilstar, by Risen Star. O-Thomas F Van Meter II; B-Mrs Nellie M Cox & Rose Retreat Farm (VA); \$40,000.

3--**Daydreaming**, 121, f, 2, A.P. Indy--Get Lucky, by Mr. Prospector. O/B-Ogden Mills Phipps (KY); \$22,000.

Margins: 1 1/4, 8 1/4, 1 3/4. Odds: 3.10, 10.50, 1.25.

Also Ran: Unbridled Beauty, Dixie Waltz, Stoic.
 Scratches: Charming Humor, America America.

HIGH HOPES

Derrick Smith and Michael Tabor knew what they were doing when they put up a cool \$1.2 million for **Chapel Royal** (Montbrook) at the OBS Sale in February.

The dark bay colt has yet to put a hoof wrong, reeling off a 9 1/4-length maiden score at Belmont May 15, adding a 5 1/4-length victory in the June 6 GIII Flash S. and making it a perfect three-for-three with a 5 3/4-length win in the GII Sanford S. over a sloppy track at Saratoga July 24. Is there any reason to think he won't remain undefeated after the GI Hopeful S. at the Spa this afternoon? "Really, the only thing he's ever done wrong was jumping a couple of puddles in the Sanford, which makes you think if he's jumping puddles and winning graded stakes by open lengths, there's something left in the tank," trainer Todd Pletcher said.

The only horse in the field that appears able to test Chapel Royal is **Birdstone** (Grindstone), a half-brother to Kentucky Oaks winner Bird Town that broke his maiden by an eye-catching 12 1/2 length in the mud at the Spa Aug. 2. Can he challenge the favorite with just one race under his girth? "Obviously, when you go into Grade Is, you wish you had more experience," trainer Nick Zito said. "We have to step up...and that's what I'm hoping for. That's why they call it the Hopeful."



Chapel Royal Adam Coglianese

Saturday, Saratoga, post time: 4:44 p.m. EDT

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

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Notorious Rogue	Victory Gallop	Hennig	20-1
2	Desert Patrol	Cherokee Run	Lukas	10-1
3a	Hasslefree	Forestry	Lukas	8-1
4	Limehouse	Grand Slam	Pletcher	6-1
5	Silver Wagon	Wagon Limit	Ziadie	12-1
6a	Golden Tones	Seeking the Gold	Lukas	8-1
7	Birdstone	Grindstone	Zito	4-1
8	Saratoga Episode	Wheaton	Tagg	20-1
9	Chapel Royal	Montbrook	Pletcher	4-5

All carry 122 pounds.

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Spinaway S.-GI cont.

The 6-5 favorite **Daydreaming** (A.P. Indy) got off to a rough start, but came on late to save third, 8 1/4 lengths behind Be Gentle. "She stumbled badly at the start," explained rider John Velazquez. "I was amazed she picked herself up. She was tense after that, and dragged me up in there...but only gave me a little run in the stretch. She's a nice horse and I think this race is a throw out."

☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

EMPIRE MAKER BACK ON TRACK Juddmonte's **Empire Maker** (Unbridled) breezed five furlongs in 1:00 with jockey Rudy Rodriguez aboard over the Saratoga main track yesterday. "He was ready to work and I want to get him on schedule," Hall of Fame trainer Bobby Frankel said. It was his first workout since being scratched from last Saturday's GI Travers S. "He had a temperature, he was coughing and he had mucus," Frankel added. The next stop for the regally bred three-year-old is the GI Jockey Club Gold Cup at Belmont Park Sept. 27.

MEDAGLIA D'ORO BRUISES FOOT Whitney hero **Medaglia d'Oro** (El Prado {Ire}), runner-up in last Sunday's GI Pacific Classic, popped a pus pocket in his foot and will miss a few days of training, according to trainer Bobby Frankel. "He'll be alright," Frankel said. "I can't make any excuses. It couldn't have helped him. It was the same foot he hurt at Oaklawn. I think the thing that bugged him the most was coming back in three weeks and running into [Candy Ride]. I have no regrets. He's not lame or sore. He won't go back to the track until he gets all the pus out of it."

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

☆ RESULTS ☆

Friday, Deauville, France

PRIX QUINCEY-G3, €66,000, Deauville, 8-29, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:39.60, sf.

1--**@MY RISK (Fr)**, 126, c, 4, by **Take Risks (Fr)**

1st Dam: **Miss Pat (Fr)**, by **Vacarme**

2nd Dam: **Miss Mood (GB)**, by **Bon Sang (Fr)**

3rd Dam: **Missy (Fr)**, by **Frontin (Fr)**

O-Roland Monnier; B-R Monnier, D Forsans & D Bougarelle; T-Jean-Marie Beguigne; J-Christophe Soumillon; €33,000. Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 4 wins, 2 places, €88,560.

2--**Star Valley (Fr)**, 120, c, 3, Starborough (GB)--Valleyrose (Ire), by Royal Academy. (€50,000 2yo '02 GOFFRA). O-Ant Caro; B-R Huggins; €13,200.

3--**Mister Charm (Fr)**, 122, c, 3, Linamix (Fr)--Miss Sacha (Ire), by Last Tycoon (Ire). O-J Amerman; B-Jean-Luc Lagardere; €9,900.

Margins: 1, 3, 2. Odds: 4.80, 6.30, 2.10.

Also Ran: **Whim (Fr)**, **Binary File**, **Zanyboy (Fr)**, **Night Bokbel (Ire)**, **Lugny (Fr)**, **Al Turf (Ire)**, **Al Namix (Fr)**.

My Risk began this term with a conditions score at Saint-Cloud Mar. 6 before winning a handicap at Longchamp Mar. 30. Stepped up to stakes level for the first time when sixth in the Listed Prix de Montretout at Longchamp Apr. 24, he put that effort behind him when winning the Listed Prix Jacques de Bremond at Vichy July 26. Jockey Christophe Soumillon was content to stalk the move of Star Valley from mid-division, a decision justified as that rival grabbed the lead inside the final quarter. When asked to step out of his slipstream, My Risk responded in game fashion to lead with 150 yards remaining and assert for his first stakes score at group level. "He is a very late-maturing horse who ran only twice at two," breeder and part-owner Roland Monnier explained. "This year, except for being unlucky in the Listed race at Longchamp, he has been absolutely faultless. He is progressing nicely up the scale and he could go for the G2 Prix Daniel Wildenstein (at Longchamp Oct. 4), although I will leave it up to the trainer." Click [here](#) for the [racingpost.co.uk](#) chart.

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Friday, Baden-Baden, Germany

48TH PREIS DER SPARKASSEN-FINANZGRUPPE (EX SPRETI-RENNEN)-G3, €65,500, Baden-Baden, 8-29, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:05.85, sf.

1--**DIAMANTE (Ger)**, 123, h, 6, by **Acatenango (Ger)**

1st Dam: Dawn Side, by Bold Forbes

2nd Dam: Brunswick Dawn, by Amber Morn

3rd Dam: T.V. Nice, by T.V. Lark

O/B-Stiftung Gestut Fahrhof; T-Andreas Wohler; J-Eduardo Pedroza; €38,000. Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, GSP-Ity, 17 starts, 5 wins, 8 places, €179,815.

* 1/2 to Divisa (Ger) (Lomitas {GB}), GSW-Ger.

2--**Picotee (Ger)**, 126, g, 6, Local Suitor--Palais (Ger), by **Mise Money (GB)**. O-Frank Heinrich & Dr Heinrich Ohrdorf; B-Martina Fechner; €15,000.

3--**Longridge (Ger)**, 123, g, 5, Surumu (Ger)--La Paz (Ger), by **Roi Dagobert (Fr)**. (DM10,000 yrl '99 BBASEP). O-Gerhard Sindermann; B-Carlton Consultants Ltd; €8,000.

Margins: 1HF, HF, SHD. Odds: 6.00, 13.30, 4.10.

Also Ran: Fleurie Domaine (GB), Valentino (Fr), Kanebo (Ger), Saldenschwinge (Ger), Serenus (Ger), Near Honor (Ger), Willingly (Ger).

Diamante produced a strong run and battling finish to follow up his success in this race two years ago. Despite an inconsistent 2002 campaign, he managed to finish third behind Walzerkoenigin in the G2 Euro-Cup at Frankfurt in September and third in the G3 Premio Federico Tesio in Milan the following month. He returned to finish third in the Listed Premio Ambrosiano back in Milan Apr. 12 before causing an upset in the Listed Grand Prix de Bordeaux at La Teste de Buch in his last effort May 17. Stalking the strong early tempo set by Picotee, he quickened under Eduardo Pedroza to challenge the long-time leader at the top of the straight. Passing that rival with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, he was forced to fight to ward off the unrelenting Picotee but was equal to the task. Diamante is the second group winner bred from the Bold Forbes mare Dawn Side, purchased in the States at the end of 1992. His half-sister Divisa (Ger) took the G3 Deutscher Stutenpreis last year, while Dawn Side's other progeny include the Listed winning Dabus (Ger) as well as the stakes-placed Damus (Ger).

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☆ PREVIEW ☆

Saturday, Del Mar, post time: 5:35 p.m. PDT

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

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Halfbridled	Unbridled	Mandella	9-5
2	Solar Fire	Stravinsky	Sahadi	8-1
3	Wind Flow	Indian Charlie	Dominguez	10-1
4	Shadow of Mine	Belong to Me	Greeley	15-1
5	Hollywood Story	Wild Rush	Shirreffs	6-1
6	Victory U.S.A.	Victory Gallop	Baffert	Even

All carry 116 pounds except Hollywood Story, 114.

Halfbridled and **Victory U.S.A.**, both maiden winners at first asking over this track, make the jump into Grade I company in their second starts. Halfbridled made her debut July 27 and closed like a rocket going 5 1/2 furlongs to win by a widening 4 1/4 lengths. She gets Lasix for the first time and should appreciate the added distance today. "I think she's the real deal," said trainer Richard Mandella. Victory U.S.A. went wire to wire to win by an impressive 6 1/2 lengths Aug. 3 and has trained sharply since, firing a bullet five furlongs in :58 3/5 Aug. 25. The chestnut will seek to provide trainer Bob Baffert with his sixth Debutante in nine years, following the success of Vivid Angel (1997), Excellent Meeting (1998), Chilukki (1999) and Habibti (2001). **Solar Fire** broke her maiden on the turf at Hollywood Park July 17, then switched to the main track for the GII Sorrento S. at Del Mar Aug. 8 and finished third, 8 1/2 lengths behind Tizdubai, after a troubled trip.

UPCOMING MAJOR U.S. STAKES

Date	Race	Track
Sept. 1	GII Del Mar BC H.	DMR
	GIII Saranac H.	SAR
	GIII Arlington Matron H.	APX
	GIII Miami Mile BC H.	CRC
Sept. 6	GI Man o' War	BEL
	GI Woodward	BEL
	GI Gazelle	BEL
	GII Del Mar Derby	DMR
	GIII Endine H.	DEL
Sept. 7	GIII Natalma S.	WOX
	GI Garden City BC H.	BEL
Sept. 10	GII Palomar BC H.	DMR
	GII Del Mar Futurity	DMR

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Saturday, Woodbine, post time: 4:31 p.m. EDT
NIAGARA BREEDERS' CUP H.-GII, C\$300,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	ODDS
1	Mark One	Alphabet Soup	Vella	15-1
2	Cetewayo	His Majesty	Dickinson	4-1
3	Bowman Mill	Kris S.	Dickinson	8-1
4	Portcullis	Smart Strike	Frostad	8-1
5	Strut the Stage	Theatrical (Ire)	Frostad	5-2
6	Dr. Kashnikov	El Gran Senor	Fisher	12-1
7	Better Talk Now	Talkin Man	Motion	10-1
8	Revved Up	Sultry Song	Clement	7-2
9	Stage Classic	Sky Classic	Cotey	20-1
10	Jack's Own Time	Kris S.	Toner	20-1

Local stalwart **Strut the Stage** has traded decisions with Perfect Soul in each of his two starts this season, running second in the GII King Edward Breeders' Cup H. June 15 before prevailing in the 11-furlong GII Chinese Cultural Center H. July 20. Trainer Michael Dickinson has shipped in a pair of runners, the evergreen **Cetewayo** and the sporadically raced **Bowman Mill**. Cetewayo missed by 3/4 of a length when second to Strut the Stage in the GII Sky Classic H. last October, then closed out 2002 with a 10th in the GI Hollywood Turf Cup. He returned this year at age nine as the defending champ in the GI Gulfstream Park Breeders' Cup H., but trailed throughout when last of 10. His stablemate and half brother Bowman Mill made one start last year at four, winning an optional claimer at Pimlico Sept. 4, and has seen action just once in 2003, tiring late to be second in a Philly Park allowance Aug. 12.

Saturday, Monmouth Park, post time: 5:16 p.m. EDT
SORORITY S.-GIII, \$100,000, 2yo, f, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	Ms. Trick or Treat	Favorite Trick	Demasi
2	Foolishly	Broad Brush	Servis
3	Fashion Girl	Tactical Cat	Lukas
4	Feline Story	Tale of the Cat	Hough
5	Capeside Lady	Cape Town	Pletcher
6	Whirlwind Charlott	Real Quiet	Dowd
7	Stand On Top	Peaks and Valleys	Pompay
8	Standswithafist	Gold Case	Araya
9	Private Gayla	Unaccounted For	Capuano

All carry 119 pounds.

Saturday, Sandown, Britain, post time: 3:10 p.m.
IVECO DAILY SOLARIO S.-G3, £40,000, 2yo, 7f 16ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER
1	6	Barbajuan (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Callaghan
2	5	Chinsola (Ire)	Inchinor (GB)	Hannon
3	4	Gallas (Ire)	Charnwood Forest (Ire)	Wainwright
4	7	Manntab	Kingmambo	Loder
5	3	Matloob (GB)	Halling	M Jarvis
6	8	Milk It Mick (GB)	Millkom (GB)	Osborne
7	2	Top Seed (Ire)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	Channon
8	1	Traytonic (GB)	Botanic	H Cyzer

All carry 123 pounds.

Manntab chased home subsequent G1 Phoenix S. winner One Cool Cat on his debut in a York maiden on his debut June 14 before winning by seven lengths over Wolverhampton's fibresand 16 days later. He finished a fine fourth, just one length behind Kings Point (Ire), in the G3 Superlative S. at Newmarket last time July 10 and warrants respect from an in-form stable. **Chinsola** looked highly promising when winning a seven-furlong conditions race at Ascot July 27 and had excuses when runner-up in the Shergar Cup Juvenile back over that course and distance Aug. 9.

Sunday, Saratoga

FOREGO H.-GI, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 7f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Gygistar	Prospector's Music	Day	119
2	My Cousin Matt	Matty G	Velazquez	115
3	Proud Citizen	Gone West	Prado	114
4	Aldebaran	Mr. Prospector	Bailey	123
5	Sing Me Back Home	Homebuilder	Rose	113
6	Mike's Classic	Seeking the Gold	Ganpath	113
7	Najran	Runaway Groom	Castellano	114

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

MOYGLARE STUD S.-G1, €300,000, 2yo, f, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	4	Acciacatura	Stravinsky	Burke
2	11	Maroochydore (Ire)	Danehill	Hughes
3	8	Menhoubah	Dixieland Band	Fortune
4	5	Miss Childrey (Ire)	Dr Fong	Heffernan
5	7	Misty Heights (GB)	Fasliyev	Smullen
6	2	Moon Unit (Ire)	Intikhab	Shanahan
7	9	Necklace (GB)	Darshaan (GB)	Kinane
8	10	Oh So Precious (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Queally
9	6	Red Feather (Ire)	Marju (Ire)	McCullagh
10	3	River Belle (GB)	Lahib	Darley
11	1	Soviet Belle (Ire)	Soviet Star	Manning

All carry 123 pounds.



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Previews cont.

Sunday, Deauville, France

PRIX MORNAY CASINOS BARRIERE-G1, €250,000, 2yo, c/f, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	2	Old Deuteronomy	Storm Cat	Spencer
2	8	Haydn	Stravinsky	O'Donoghue
3	4	Colossus (Ire)	Danehill	Fallon
4	6	Carrizo Creek (Ire)	Charnwood Forest (Ire)	Holland
5	3	Whipper	Miesque's Son	Maillot
6	5	Much Faster (Ire)	Fasliyev	Thulliez
7	7	Haskilclara (Fr)	Green Tune	Peslier
8	1	Denebola	Storm Cat	Lemaire

All carry 126 pounds, except Much Faster, Haskilclara and Denebola, 122.

Trainer Michael Bell yesterday withdrew G2 July S. winner **Nevisian Lad (GB)** (Royal Applause {GB}) from this event due to the rain-softened ground at Deauville. He may now head to Kempton for Saturday's G3 Sirenia S. or to Baden-Baden for Friday's G2 Maurice Lacroix-Trophy. "They've had quite a bit of rain there overnight and there's more forecast," Bell told *PA Sport* yesterday. "He's got alternative entries next week in Germany and at Kempton. It's a bore because I want to run him at level weights and this was the only opportunity before the Middle Park, but with the forecast and the rain they have had I couldn't risk travelling him." Nevisian Lad's absence leaves Darryll Holland free to ride the Brian Meehan-trained G2 Richmond S. winner **Carrizo Creek**, deserted by Kieren Fallon, who partners **Colossus** for Aidan O'Brien.

Sunday, Del Mar

DEL MAR H.-GII, \$250,000, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Mister Acpen (Chi)	Golden Voyager	Espinoza	116
2	Bonus Pack	Colonial Affair	Nakatani	116
3	Continental Red	Flying Continental	Krone	117
4	Irish Warrior	Irish River (Fr)	Solis	116
5	Mont Saint Michel (Chi)	Hussonet	Flores	114
6	Like a Hero	Pleasant Colony	T Baze	114
7	Kim Loves Bucky	Green Dancer	Valenzuela	116
8	Ballingarry (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Smith	119
9	Continuously	Diesis (GB)	Valdivia Jr	113
10	Bonaguil	Septieme Ciel	Almeida	110

California-bred **Continental Red** could become a millionaire with a victory in this race.

Sunday, Deauville, France

GRAND PRIX DE DEAUVILLE LUCIEN BARRIERE-G2, €130,000, 3yo/up, 1 9/16mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	7	Millenary (GB)	Rainbow Quest	Peslier	133
2	1	Princely Venture (Ire)	Entrepreneur (GB)	Fallon	133
3	6	Polish Summer (GB)	Polish Precedent	Soumillon	130
4	5	Craig's Falcon (Fr)	Polar Falcon	Pasquier	130
5	4	Great Pretender (Ire)	King's Theatre (Ire)	Bonilla	130
6	2	Dutch Gold	Lahib	Robinson	130
7	3	Policy Maker (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Boeuf	119

Sunday, The Curragh, Ireland

BIG SHUFFLE FLYING FIVE-G2, €130,000, 3yo/up, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	4	Indian Spark (GB)	Indian Ridge (Ire)	Shanahan	128
2	1	Repertory (GB)	Anshan (GB)	McLaughlin	128
3	3	Tiger Royal (Ire)	Royal Academy	Smullen	128
4	7	Bonus (Ire)	Cadeaux Genereux (GB)	O'Neill	126
5	2	Deportivo (GB)	Night Shift	Hughes	126
6	5	Cool Cousin (Ire)	Distant Relative (Ire)	Kinane	125
7	6	Daganya (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	O'Shea	123
8	8	Sun Slash (Ire)	Entrepreneur (GB)	Manning	123

Monday, Philadelphia Park

PENNSYLVANIA DERBY-GIII, \$750,000, 3yo, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Toccet	Awesome Again	Chavez	119
2	Christine's Outlaw	Wild Again	Dominguez	114
3	Valleyman	Valley Crossing	Rocco	114
4	Tafaseel	Belong to Me	Migliore	114
5	Grand Hombre	Grand Slam	Bravo	114
6	Max Forever	Montbrook	Ferrer	122
7	Dynever	Dynaformer	Prado	122
8	Ashmore	Saint Ballado	Black	114
9	Domestic Dispute	Unbridled's Song	Nakatani	122
10	Gimmeawink	Elusive Quality	Madrigal Jr	122

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Yesterday's Results:

7th-SAR, \$50,000, Alw, NW2X, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:41, fm.

STAGE CALL (IRE) (c, 4, Sadler's Wells--Humble Eight {GSW, \$278,633}, by Seattle Battle) was never out of the top three in a trio of European efforts at two, including an excellent third-place effort behind Hawk Wing in the G2 EBF Futurity S. The winner of Keeneland's Hopemont S. in his U.S. bow and juvenile finale in October 2001, the bay made just two starts last season, finishing fourth in the Transylvania S. at Keeneland in April and second in the GIII Crown Royal American Turf on Oaks Day 2002. Off since that effort, the 2-1 favorite was well placed just behind the early turn, waited for room entering the stretch, got through and outkicked Purely Classic (Sky Classic) to win by a convincing 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: SW & GSP-US, GSP-Ire, 7-3-2-1, \$154,880.

O-Win Star Farm & Richard Nip. B-John R Gaines Thoroughbreds & Andover Road Partnership (IRE). T-W Elliott Walden.

6th-SAR, \$45,000, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04 4/5, ft. + SMOKUME (c, 2, Smoke Glacken--Presume, by Nijinsky II) had been brought along in typical Allen Jerkens fashion ahead of the debut, with just a moderate worktab on paper, and was duly sent off at longshot odds. The homebred colt dogged the pacesetting favorite Hookshank (Salt Lake) (fourth) pressed on by that rival in upper stretch and pulled away late to score by 2 3/4 lengths at 25-1. Malhoof (Siphon {Brz}) ran on well late to complete the exacta. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$27,000.

O-Hobeau Farm. B-Hobeau Farm Ltd (FL). T-H Allen Jerkens.

Cyber Secret Euthanized:

Multiple graded-stakes winning **Cyber Secret** (Cyberspace--Merry Maudie, by Maudlin) was euthanized at Aqueduct Wednesday after suffering from a mysterious illness suspected to be equine protozoal myeloencephalitis (EPM), according to *Thoroughbred Times*. An autopsy will be performed at University of Pennsylvania's New Bolton Center. The three-year-old filly, who handed champion Storm Flag Flying her first career defeat in winning the GIII Comely S. by 5 1/2 lengths in April, had not raced since finishing second to GISW House Party in the GII Nassau County H. May 10. "My vet called around 9 p.m. [Wednesday] night and said we had to put her down," trainer Richard Dutrow Jr. told *Thoroughbred Times*. "She had been having problems for about 30 to 40 days. Her hind end had been giving way and she didn't have any kind of coordination back there. Something just got worse." The Florida-bred bay earned \$274,706 while winning five of nine career starts. Claimed for \$65,000 out of her debut last summer at Saratoga, Cyber Secret raced in the colors Irwin and Sanford Goldfarb and Team Julep Stable. Another Dutrow filly, four-year-old Carson Hollow, was euthanized following colic surgery earlier this week. "No one around here is happy with the way things have gone, but what are you going to do?" Dutrow continued. "We have other horses here and we have to do the best we can with them. Those two will certainly be missed around here, though."

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, 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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★ EAST ★

Yesterday's Results:

8th-MTH, \$37,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08, ft.
CHINA GRIND (c, 4, [Grindstone](#)--China Bell, by Seattle Slew), a \$240,000 KEESEP yearling purchase, broke his maiden at first asking Dec. 15, 2001, but had gone missing since. The dark bay colt had been training at Saratoga for his return, including a strong three furlongs from the gate in :36 2/5 Aug. 24, and was the 2-1 second choice in the wagering. The half to China Storm (Storm Cat), GSW, rated off the early pace, launched a bid four wide into the stretch and overtook Sunofacat (Western Cat) late en route to a one-length victory. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$43,800.
 O-Roger King. B-Overbrook Farm (KY). T-W Ward.

5th-WOX, \$60,600, Msw, 2yo, f, 7f, 1:23 3/5, ft.
DREAM ABOUT (f, 2, Cherokee Run--Social Director {SW, \$105,393}, by Deputy Minister), a \$60,000 FTKJUL yearling and a \$270,000 OBSJUN juvenile, came up second best in her Aug. 8 debut over this surface and was treated with Lasix this time. The 3-5 chalk set a pressured pace, shook loose on the turn and glided home 8 1/2 lengths clear of Mutual Affair (Run-away Groom). Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$48,480.
 O-Arosa Farms. B-Windfields Farm Ltd (ON). T-J Carroll.

★ CENTRAL ★

Yesterday's Results:

3rd-ELP, \$26,550, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2fT, 1:02 2/5, fm.
ANOTHER CARSON (c, 2, Lord Carson--Wild Society, by Once Wild) debuted with a runner-up finish in a similar test Aug. 13, missing by a half-length. The 5-2 second choice broke alertly from post two and battled throughout on the front end. Favored Danieltown (Pioneering) came after him in the stretch, but the chestnut dug in deep to prevail by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$22,230.
 O-Theodore W Hoover. B-James R Layden, Ted Hoover & Billy Fallaw (KY). T-Cecil Stewart.

★ "TDN Rising Star" ★

5th-ELP, \$26,550, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 5.5fT, 1:01 2/5, fm.
MISS PENNY FORTUNE (f, 3, [Rahy](#)--Neon Fairytale, by Spectacular Bid) missed by a head in her debut as the 2-1 favorite over course and distance July 27. Bet down to 4-5 to get the job done this time, the chestnut filly stalked the pace, took charge at the top of the stretch and drew off under a hand ride, winning by 7 1/2 lengths while much the best. [Click here for the brisnet.com chart.](#) Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$20,430.
 O-Fortune Racing LLC. B-Fortune Marital Trust (KY). T-Jeffrey D Thornbury.

KY Horse Farm Scholarships Reach Record Levels:

The Horse Farm Worker's Educational Assistance Fund has announced that a record 46 scholarships have been awarded for the 2003-04 school year. Children of full-time workers on central Kentucky Thoroughbred farms are eligible to receive the post-high school education awards, which average nearly \$2,000. "The Horse Farm Workers' Educational Assistance Fund began offering scholarships in 1996 to address a need that was not being met by any other horsemen's group," said Rob Whiteley, the HFWEAF president. "Our goal is to provide enough money to help these children get to college or a vocational training program without having to work an excessive number of hours at jobs outside school." The Fund is run on a volunteer basis. Tax-deductible contributions may be made to the Horse Farm Workers' Educational Assistance Fund, P.O. Box 66, Versailles, KY, 40383.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Imperial Echo, g, 2, [Labeeb](#) (GB). See "Euro Breeders"
 + **Post And Rail**, c, 2, **Silver Hawk**. See "Britain"

African Sahara, c, 4, **El Gran Senor**--Able Money (GISW, \$169,370), by Distinctive. Sandown, 8-29, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1m 14ydsT. B-Chris Nolan. *\$45,000 yrl '00 KEESEP.

IN FRANCE:

+ **Red Mo**, c, 2, [Red Ransom](#). See "France"

IN IRELAND:

Almost Forever, f, 2, **King of Kings** (Ire). See "Ireland"

All Theatrical, f, 3, **Theatrical** (Ire). See "Ireland"



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Saturday, Aug. 30

*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2000 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW
 Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

BAQUERO (Forty Niner), Timber Crk, \$2K, 42/2/2
 8-NP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Classa Red Wine, \$8K ALB AUG yrl, 3-2
CHARISMATIC (Summer Squall), Japan, \$, 79/1/0
 7-WO, Msw, 1m, He Rose Again, 5-2
CHELSEY CAT (Storm Cat), Rock House, \$1000, 13/4/0
 5-CRC, Msw, 6f, +Chelsea's Pearl, \$20K OBS APR 2yo
 3-CRC, Stk, 5fT, Chelsey's Bid, OBS AUG yrl
DIAMOND (Mr. Prospector), Northview, \$5K, 58/1/0
 7-TIM, Msw, 4f, +Diamonds Specs, \$10K EAS OCT yrl, 15-1
DONERAILE COURT (Seattle Slew), Buck Pond, \$8K, 75/6/0
 3-CRC, Stk, 5fT, Horah for Bailey, \$3K OBS AUG yrl
FAMILY CALLING (Mr. Prospector), Hidden Point, \$5K, 76/12/0
 8-CRC, Stk, 7f, Family Favorite



Freshman Focus cont.

FORESTRY (Storm Cat), Taylor Made, \$50K, 75/6/1
 8-SAR, Stk, 7f, Hasslefree, \$425K FTS AUG yrl, 8-1
GOOD AND TOUGH (Carson City), Lakland, \$6K, 44/5/0
 7-AP, Msw, 6f, +Ready and Tough, \$95K OBS MAR 2yo, 5-1
HOLZMEISTER (Woodman), Millennium, \$3K, 30/4/0
 8-RET, Stk, 1mT, Smoothmovinangel, \$10K TEX AUG yrl, 6-1
HORSE CHESTNUT (SAF) (Fort Wood), Claiborne, \$10K, 36/3/0
 6-DEL, Stk, 6f, Tabacchi, \$52K OBS AUG yrl, 4-1
LIL'S LAD (Pine Bluff), Lane's End, \$10K, 65/7/0
 8-NP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Shy Lil, \$10K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1
 14-CRC, Stk, 1m, Pick of the Pack
LIMIT OUT (Northern Flagship), T-Square, \$4K, 11/1/1
 7-CRC, Stk, 1m, East of Amwell
MILITARY (Danzig), Glencrest, \$5K, 34/2/0
 12-RD, Stk, 6f, Military Mission, \$4K KEE SEP yrl, 20-1
OLD TRIESTE (A.P. Indy), Dead, \$, 44/3/0
 6-SAR, Msw, 6 1/2f, Spencers Storm, \$165K OBS FEB 2yo, 12-1
 6-SAR, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Ellieonthemarch, \$130K FTF FEB 2yo, 12-1
PARADE GROUND (Kingmambo), Lane's End, \$5K, 46/3/0
 6-SAR, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Parading Tomisue, 6-1
QUAKER RIDGE (Forty Niner), Walmac, \$3K, 27/2/0
 3-CRC, Stk, 5fT, Dynamo Ridge
REAL QUIET (Quiet American), Taylor Made, \$10K, 72/2/0
 10-MTH, Stk, 6f, Whirlwind Charlott, \$320K KEE SEP yrl
SEA OF SECRETS (Storm Cat), Walmac, \$5K, 55/3/0
 3-DMR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Diamond Fury, \$2700K BAR MAR 2yo
 7-TIM, Msw, 4f, +Sea of Promises, \$29K EAS JUL 2yo, 7-2
 9-RET, Stk, 1mT, Appealing Secret, \$50K TEX MAR 2yo, 6-1
 3-CRC, Stk, 5fT, Flo Rose 'n Net, \$30K OBS APR 2yo
SILVER CHARM (Silver Buck), 3 Chimneys, \$25K, 75/3/0
 3-DMR, Msw, 5 1/2f, Consecrate, \$130K KEE SEP yrl
 7-CRC, Stk, 1m, Charming Jim, \$360K OBS FEB 2yo
STATESMANSHIP (Silver Deputy), Farnsworth, \$5K, 22/0/0
 9-CRC, Msw, 1mT, De la Mothe
STEPHANOTIS (Regal Classic), 24/3/1
 8-NP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Wild Scarlett, 3-1
STORMIN FEVER (Storm Cat), Airdrie, \$15K, 71/6/1
 5-MTH, Msw, 6f, Stormy Siege, \$10K EAS OCT yrl
STRAVINSKY (Nureyev), Ashford, \$18K, 115/16/2
 8-DMR, Stk, 7f, Solar Fire, \$100K BAR MAR 2yo
TACTICAL CAT (Storm Cat), Overbrook, \$10K, 68/7/1
 7-AP, Msw, 6f, +Special Tactics, 6-1
 10-MTH, Stk, 6f, Fashion Girl, \$500K BAR MAR 2yo
 12-RD, Stk, 6f, Snappy Little Cat, 10-1
TIME BANDIT (Time for a Change), Ryders, \$3K, 16/1/1
 6-DEL, Stk, 6f, Next Bandit, \$42K TEX MAR 2yo, 2-1
VICTORY GALLOP (Cryptoclearance), Winstar, \$15K, 87/4/0
 8-DMR, Stk, 7f, Victory U. S. A., \$525K FTF FEB 2yo
 8-SAR, Stk, 7f, Notorious Rogue, \$150K KEE SEP yrl, 20-1
WAGON LIMIT (Conquistador Cielo), Stone, \$5K, 27/1/0
 8-SAR, Stk, 7f, Silver Wagon, \$120K OBS FEB 2yo, 12-1
WILD EVENT (Wild Again), Bridlewood, \$8K, 47/6/0
 13-CRC, Msw, 6f, +T. McClain
 8-DEL, Stk, 6f, Darn Wild, \$20K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

 **SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT**

First-time starters/stakes runners: Saturday, Aug. 30

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

AGGIE SOUTHPAW (Forty Niner), Key, \$3K, 16/4/1
 6-FP, Stk, 1m, Northern Nile, \$7K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1
ANNOUNCE (Forty Niner), Dell Ridge, \$7K, 144/30/3
 11-TDN, Stk, 6f, Quick N Fancy, \$15K BAR MAY 2yo, 6-1
AWESOME AGAIN (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$50K, 148/28/3
 5-WO, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Dealing With Daisy, 10-1
 8-DEL, Stk, 6f, Awesome Anew, \$55K EAS MAY 2yo, 15-1
 5-MTH, Msw, 6f, +Poker Game, \$160K KEE SEP yrl
BYARS (Deputy Minister), Franks, \$2K, 27/2/0
 10-CRC, Stk, 7f, +X Be Thy Name, \$1K OBS AUG yrl
CAPE TOWN (Seeking the Gold), Overbrook, \$10K, 127/28/2
 10-MTH, Stk, 6f, Capeside Lady, \$65K EAS MAY 2yo
CONCERTO (Chief's Crown), Ocala, \$4K, 83/32/3
 8-CRC, Stk, 7f, Sweet Serenade
CONFIDE (Phone Trick), Walmac, \$5K, 131/24/2
 5-MTH, Msw, 6f, +Sorvel, \$52K FTK JUL yrl
 6-CRC, Stk, 5fT, Smart Confidence, \$20K KEE SEP yrl
DANCE BRIGHTLY (Mr. Prospector), HillnDale, \$8K, 172/34/0
 8-NP, Stk, 6 1/2f, Serve Again, \$5K KEE SEP yrl, 4-1
DEPUTY COMMANDER (Deputy Minister), Airdrie, \$20K, 184/34/2
 5-LAD, Msw, 6f, +Little Abner, \$150K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2
DILIGENCE (Miswaki), Walmac, \$4K, 89/21/0
 6-CRC, Stk, 5fT, Romanticon, \$32K OBS MAR 2yo
DISTORTED HUMOR (Forty Niner), Winstar, \$13K, 128/43/8
 11-LAD, Stk, 1 1/16m, Kool Humor, \$60K FTF FEB 2yo, 2-1
 10-TIM, Msw, 4f, +Texas Honey, \$52K TEX MAR 2yo, 5-1
DOUBLE HONOR (Gone West), Farnsworth, \$, 138/47/0
 3-CRC, Stk, 5fT, Usual Manner
 7-CRC, Stk, 1m, Pleasant Honor, \$37K OBS APR 2yo
 10-CRC, Stk, 7f, Sky Missile, \$50K OBS APR 2yo
 5-CRC, Msw, 6f, +Affectionate Girl
ELUSIVE QUALITY (Gone West), Gainsborough, \$10K, 165/47/12
 5-DMR, Msw, 5fT, +Deadly Weapon, \$65K BAR MAR 2yo
 3-DMR, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Courageous King, \$700K KEE APR 2yo
FAVORITE TRICK (Phone Trick), Walmac, \$30K, 138/32/2
 10-MTH, Stk, 6f, Ms. Trick Or Treat, \$19K TEX MAR 2yo
FORMAL GOLD (Black Tie Affair {Ire}), Gainesway, \$15K, 130/34/2
 9-CRC, Msw, 1mT, +Where's George, \$5K KEE SEP yrl
GRAND SLAM (Gone West), Ashford, \$30K, 244/65/6
 8-SAR, Stk, 7f, Limehouse, \$140K FTS AUG yrl, 6-1
INDIAN CHARLIE (In Excess {Ire}), Airdire, \$10K, 149/41/1
 5-CRC, Msw, 6f, +Lakeshore, \$55K OBS APR 2yo
 8-DMR, Stk, 7f, Wind Flow, \$47K KEE SEP yrl
LUCKY LIONEL (Mt. Livermore), Adena, \$3K, 101/34/2
 9-MTH, Stk, 5fT, Uncledannysbrother, \$15K ADS SPR 2yo
 13-CRC, Msw, 6f, +Corysluckytaz
NORTHERN AFLEET (Afleet), DBL Diamond, \$5K, 81/24/1
 7-PHA, Stk, 1 1/16m, Northern Air, 6-1
PARTNER'S HERO (Danzig), Northview, \$8K, 112/31/3
 7-PHA, Stk, 1 1/16m, Senor Cielo Two, 15-1
PROUD AND TRUE (Mr. Prospector), DBL Diamond, \$4K, 81/19/1
 13-CRC, Msw, 6f, +Bob's Proud Moment

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Sophomore Spotlight cont.

SKIP AWAY (Skip Trial), Hopewell, \$50K, 180/38/4
 11-LAD, Stk, 1 1/16m, G. W.'s Skippie, \$100K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
 8-RET, Stk, 1mT, Blondz Away, \$25K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1
 12-RD, Stk, 6f, Miss Ooh La La, \$14K KEE SEP yrl, 12-1
 8-DEL, Stk, 6f, Smartlee Away, \$24K EAS MAY 2yo, 12-1
 14-CRC, Stk, 1m, Miss Ginalie, \$22K OBS AUG yrl
SOUVENIR COPY (Mr. Prospector), Hopewell, \$20K, 196/51/1
 12-RD, Stk, 6f, Plaza South, \$19K KEE SEP yrl, 10-1
STORM BROKER (Storm Cat), Country Life, \$4K, 100/16/1
 7-PHA, Stk, 1 1/16m, Murrough, 8-1
STORMY ATLANTIC (Storm Cat), Bridlewood, \$3K, 132/30/4
 9-MTH, Stk, 5fT, Placido
 7-CRC, Stk, 1m, Twice as Bad, \$15K OBS AUG yrl
 14-CRC, Stk, 1m, Atlantic Snow, \$22K OBS MAR 2yo
SWING AND MISS (Housebuster), Granite, \$2K, 47/11/0
 7-HST, Stk, 6 1/2f, Tricksey Miss, \$3K BRC OCT yrl, 12-1
TALE OF THE CAT (Storm Cat), Ashford, \$25K, 235/64/8
 11-LAD, Stk, 1 1/16m, Taxicat, \$18K TEX MAR 2yo, 20-1
 10-MTH, Stk, 6f, Feline Story, \$140K OBS MAR 2yo
 14-CRC, Stk, 1m, Blushingkittentale, \$19K I '03 KEE JAN
 7-TIM, Msw, 4f, +Cielo's Cat, \$40K EAS MAY 2yo, 5-2
TOUCH GOLD (Deputy Minister), Adena, \$30K, 169/26/4
 9-MTH, Stk, 5fT, Buzzy's Gold, \$125K KEE SEP yrl
WILD RUSH (Wild Again), Adena, \$15K, 175/38/2
 8-DMR, Stk, 7f, Hollywood Story, \$130K FTK JUL yrl

Chester, 4.25, Mdn, £10,450, 3yo, f, 12f 66ydsT, 2:41.43, gd.

MANAMA ROSE (IRE) (f, 3, Kris {GB}--Top Table {GB}, by Shirley Heights {GB}), runner-up in a Newbury maiden last time Aug. 15, was sent off the 15-8 favorite. Stalking Crystal Theatre (Ire) (King's Theatre {Ire}) throughout the early stages, the 140,000gns TATOCT yearling took command traveling easily with a half mile remaining before stretching clear to record a nine-length success. Lifetime Record: SP-Eng, 6-1-2-1, £14,391. O-Abdulla al Khalifa; B-D D & Mrs Jean P Clee; T-Gerard Butler.

★ "TDN Rising Star" ★

Sandown, 2.30, Mdn, £9,800, 2yo, 7f 16ydsT, 1:34.75, sf.

+ **POST AND RAIL (c, 2, Silver Hawk--Past The Post, by Danzig)**, a \$150,000 KEEJUL yearling, stalked the pace from second until quickening smartly to seize the lead at the quarter-mile marker. The 10-1 chance was pushed along at the eighth pole and was tenderly handled in the closing stages, but still had enough in reserve to hold the strong late surge of North Light (Ire) (Danehill) by a short head. The winner's dam, a daughter of blue hen Qui Royalty (Native Royalty), is a full to Lockinge hero Emperor Jones, SW & G1SP Majlood, MGSP Qui Danzig and SW Appointed One. She is also a half sister to champion Bakharoff (The Minstrel), GSW Sum (Spectacular Bid); and SWs Demonry (Devil's Bag) and Thyer (Nijinsky II). [Click here for the Racing Post chart.](#) Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £6,370. O-Hesmonds Stud; B-Martyn P Burke; T-Ed Dunlop.



★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Results:

Sandown, 4.10, Cond, £12,390, 2yo, 1m 14ydsT, 1:46.91, sf.

PSYCHIATRIST (GB) (g, 2, Dr Devious {Ire}--Zahwa {GB}, by Cadeaux Genereux {GB}), successful at the third attempt in a Goodwood maiden Aug. 1 and fourth on her subsequent start behind Haafhd (GB) in the Listed Washington Singer S. at Newbury Aug. 15, raced in a close second from flagfall and still traveled best of all as the field turned for home. The 11-8 punters' pick challenged on the outside at the quarter-mile marker, led at the eighth pole and was pushed out in the latter stages to deny Saffron Fox (GB) (Safawan {GB}) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, £23,180.

O-Raymond Tooth; B-Downclose Stud; T-R Hannon.

TDN Euro is:

England: Sean Cronin (CAFE Racing)
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France: Claude Beniada
Germany: Christa Riebel
Ireland: Dave Keena
Italy: Giorgio Barsotti

★ IRELAND ★

SELVARATNAM TO TRAIN IN IRELAND

Dhruba Selvaratnam, former assistant to Dr. Vincent O'Brien at Ballydoyle in the late 1970s, has returned to Ireland to train near Cashel, Co. Tipperary. Having begun his training career in Pakistan over 30 years ago, he served as an assistant to Ian Balding and Robert Armstrong before spending 10 years with O'Brien, during which time he took out Irish citizenship. Since 1990 he has been training for Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid al Maktoum in Dubai, helping to set up Jebel Ali racecourse and its allied training facilities and has won four trainers' championships. Selvaratnam is refurbishing and upgrading Railstown Stables at Rosegreen near Cashel and is expecting to be fully operational by the end of next month. "I've already been asked to buy a couple of yearlings by owners from Ireland and the Middle East," he explained. "I hope to have a minimum of 10 horses by the time the new season comes around, but have capacity for 26 if necessary. I've got 30 acres to play with and will be laying down a five furlong, all-weather gallop--something which I think is essential in this climate."



Irish Report cont.

Yesterday's Results:

Tralee, 2.30, Mdn, €11,520, 2yo, 7fT, 1:31.80, fm.
ALMOST FOREVER (f, 2, King of Kings {Ire}--Truly Bound {MGSW & GISP, \$382,449}, by In Reality), fifth in a Limerick maiden last time July 24, was sent off at odds of 10-1 to get off the mark. Held up in the rear throughout the early stages, she was driven to close in the straight and looked beaten as Amalie Bay (Ire) (Danehill) was sent to the front. As that 2-5 market leader veered violently left in the closing stages, her run took her past Straille (Ire) (Lil's Boy) in the final stride to win by a short head. The winner is a half to Shell Ginger (Ire) (Woodman), GSW-Ire; and 3/4 to Yeoman's Point (Ire) (Sadler's Wells), SW & GSP-Ire. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, €8,280.
 O-Robert E Sangster; B-Pacelco SA; T-D Wachman.

Tralee, 5.00, Mdn, €10,560, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT, 2:17.60, fm.
ALL THEATRICAL (f, 3, Theatrical {Ire}--Slew All, by Seattle Slew), out of the frame in maidens at Tipperary and Roscommon, was sent off at 8-1 to get off the mark. Stalking the early pace, the \$330,000 KEESEP yearling purchase was driven to challenge Vintage Port (Ire) (In the Wings {GB}) inside the final eighth and wore down that rival in the final 100 yards to win by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, €7,590.
 O-S Mulryan; B-Allen E Paulson; T-Dermot Weld.

★ FRANCE ★

Yesterday's Results:

Deauville, 2.15, Mdn, €29,000, unraced 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:28.90, sf.
+ POLYFIRST (FR) (f, 2, Poliglote {GB}--First Turn, by Alleged) was reserved off the pace behind the leaders until closing on the front rank approaching the final quarter mile. The 9-5 market choice was ridden to challenge with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, quickened to the front at the distance and ran on well, despite running greenly, to defeat Sara Moon (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}) by two lengths. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €14,500.
 O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Criquette Head-Maarek.

Deauville, 1.45, Mdn, €29,000, unraced 2yo, c/g, 7fT, 1:31.00, sf.
+ RED MO (c, 2, Red Ransom--Moiava {Fr} {Hwt. 2yo Filly-Fr, GSW-Fr}, by Bering {GB}) soon raced at the head of affairs and moved best of all as the field entered the final quarter mile. The 11-10 favourite was pushed along at the eighth pole and kept on well in the final furlong to safely account for Alnitak (Nureyev) by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, €14,500.
 O/B-Wertheimer & Frere; T-Criquette Head-Maarek.

★ GERMANY ★

Yesterday's Result:

JAPAN RACING ASSOCIATION TROPHY (EX GONTARD-RENNEN)-Listed, €34,000, Baden-Baden, 8-29, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT, 1:52.67, sf.

1--#NORTH AMERICA (GER), 123, f, 3, by Pivotal (GB)
1st Dam: Mbunda (GB), by Mtoto (GB)
2nd Dam: Nutria (Ger), by Tratteggio (GB)
3rd Dam: Nicosia (Ger), by *Aggressor II

O/B-Gestut Brummerhof; T-Peter Rau; J-Torsten Mundry; €20,000. Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €31,200.

2--Anna Conda (GB), 119, f, 3, Bijou D'Inde (GB)--Eternal Triangle, by Barachois). €8,000.

3--Chapada (Ger), 123, f, 3, In The Wings (GB)--Corsita (GB), by Top Ville (Ire). €4,000.

Margins: 1 3/4, HF, 1. Odds: 15.30, 5.60, 3.60.

Also Ran: Salontasche (Ger), Alter Ego (GB), Iphianassa (Ger), Perima (Ger), Eroica (Ger), Power Bird (Ire), Daisy Belle (Ger), Prairie Moonlight (Ger), Finnj (Ire), Cameo Role (Ger), Isarella (Ger). Scratched: Aarau (Ger).

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

8th-WOX, \$79,400, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000-\$90,000), NW4X, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35 1/5, fm.

PAT'S EXPECTATION (c, 4, Valid Expectations--Pat Mags, by Highland Blade) Lifetime Record: GISP, 20-5-3-5, \$281,645. O-K & B Pleterski. B-Mockingbird Farm, Inc (FL). T-Bosidar D Pleterski. *1/2 to Nic's Halo (Prospector's Halo), SW, \$149,816.

3rd-APX, \$34,000, NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 3/5, ft.

ARSEN ANNIE (f, 3, Kerosene--Anchor Tennant, by Big Mukora) Lifetime Record: 8-4-0-0, \$66,510. O/B-Barr Three Llc (IL). T-Michele Boyce.

4th-APX, \$32,000, NW1X, 3yo, 1m, 1:37 4/5, ft.

ALBERT E. (c, 3, Beau Genius--Starlight Mystery, by Cox's Ridge) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-3-5-1, \$65,580. O-Panic Stable Llc. B-Parkway Farm, Inc (KY). T-Jere R Smith Jr. *\$6,500 yrl '01 KEESEP.

8th-CTX, \$26,400, 8-28, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 7f, 1:28 3/5, ft.

VERY ELOQUENT (c, 3, My Boy Adam--Very Posh, by Oh Say) Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-4, \$38,808. O-Taylor Mountain Farm LLC. B/T-James W Casey (WV).



5th-CRC, \$26,000, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (off turf), 1:42, gd.

LAURAEISES SISTER (f, 3, **Tactical Advantage--Elise's Valentine {SP}**, by **American Standard**) Lifetime Record: 14-2-2-3, \$50,890. O-Glenn & Barbara K McNeill.

B-David F Kegley (FL). T-Fred G Warren. *\$55,000 2yo '02 OBSMAR.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Fierce Knight, c, 2, **Birdonthewire**--Valid Approval, by Valid Appeal. DMR, 8-28, (C), 6f, 1:12. B-Adena Springs (Ky). *\$6,500 yrl '02 OBSAUG; \$20,000 2yo '03 OBSAPR.

Bold Green, f, 2, **Bold Executive**--Emerald Afternoon, by Cabrini Green. WOX, 8-29, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:07.

B-Gardiner Farms Ltd (On). *\$13,000 yrl '02 FTCSEP.

+ **Silverwilldo**, f, 2, **Scatmandu**--Silver Bliss, by Silver Deputy. SAR, 8-29, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Donna M Wormser (Fl). *Won by 5 3/4 lengths. **Second winner for freshman sire (by Storm Cat).

+ **Misty County**, c, 2, **Wayne County (Ire)**--Misty Ivor (MSW & MGSP, \$304,925), by Sir Ivor Again. TIM, 8-29, 1m, 1:43 1/5. B-William Harris (Md).

Whisper Papa, c, 3, **Dove Hunt**--Native Banner, by Raise a Native. MTH, 8-29, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 1/5. B-Michelle Hummert (Fl). *\$25,000 yrl '01 OBSAUG. **1/2 to Mysti's Poem (Stalwart), SW, \$119,782; and Sister Fiona (Defrere), GSW, \$142,997.

Tricky Walk, c, 3, **In a Walk**--Carols Valentine, by Our Native. LAD, 8-29, (S), 6f, 1:11 4/5. B-Frank Nicholas Bruscato (La).

Le Notre, c, 3, **Pentelicus**--McCaskill, by Copelan. CTX, 8-28, 6 1/2f, 1:22 2/5. B-Big C Farm (Fl). *\$50,000 yrl '01 OBSAUG.

+ **Banner Queen**, f, 3, **Personal Flag**--Reticent, by Diesis (GB). SAR, 8-29, (S), 1mT, 1:37. B-McMahon Thoroughbreds (NY).

Powell Creek, c, 3, **Ponche**--Hunting Gal, by Proudest Roman. CTX, 8-28, 6 1/2f, 1:21 2/5. B-Richy Naisbett (Fl). *\$9,000 2yo 2002 OBSAPR.

Old Crow, c, 3, **Prosper Fager**--Oxenham Arms (SP), by Instrument Landing. SAR, 8-29, (S), 1 1/16mT, 1:42 4/5. B-Pierce J Flynn (NY).

Chivas, c, 3, **Whiskey Wisdom**--Regalis, by Regal Intention. WOX, 8-29, (S), 1mT, 1:36 1/5. B-Rise 'n' Shine Stables (On). *\$7,643 yrl '01 CBSOCT. **1/2 to Devilatmidnight (Devil Begone), SP, \$159,148.

My Wild Rhoda, f, 3, **Wild Zone**--Hot Coco, by Air Forbes Won. WOX, 8-29, (C), 7f, 1:25 4/5. B-Janet & Stan Mooers (On). *\$8,280 yrl '01 CBSOCT.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Fair Dream (Ger), f, 2, **Dashing Blade (GB)**--Fairlight (Ger) (SW & GSP-Ger, \$150,110), by Big Shuffle. Baden-Baden, Germany, 8-29, Cond, 2yo, f, 6fT. B-Dieter Joswich.

Treno Dei Desideri (GB), c, 2, **Ef시오 (GB)**--Tate Gallant (Ire), by Tate Gallery. Naples, Italy, 8-28, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Ascagnano SPA. *1/2 to Mister Pekan (Ire) (Sri Pekan), SW-Fr, \$102,733. **€90,000 yrl '02 ITYSEP.

Imperial Echo, g, 2, **Labeeb (GB)**--Regal Baby, by Northern Baby. Ayr, Britain, 8-29, Mdn, 2yo, 7f 50ydsT. B-Derby Lane Farm. *\$55,000 yrl '02 KEESEP.

Compton Earl (GB), c, 3, **Ef시오 (GB)**--Bay Bay (GB) (MSP-Eng), by Bay Express (Ire). Ayr, Britain, 8-29, Mdn, 3&4yo, 6fT. B-G & Mrs Middlebrook. *Ir£40,000 yrl '01 GOFORB.

Irik Star (Ire), c, 3, **Highest Honor (Fr)**--Silver Peak (Fr), by Sillery. Deauville, France, 8-29, Cond, 3yo, 1 7/8mT. B-Wickfield Farm Partnership. *€63,000 2yo '02 GOFFRA.

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<u>BROODMARE SIRE</u>	<u>SWs</u>
Mr. Prospector (Raise a Native)	22
Deputy Minister (Vice Regent)	12
Danzig (Northern Dancer)	11
Kris (Sharpen Up)	11
Blushing Groom (Red God)	10
Lyphard (Northern Dancer)	10
Nureyev (Northern Dancer)	10
Darshaan (Shirley Heights)	9
Green Dancer (Nijinsky II)	9
Sadler's Wells (Northern Dancer)	9
Shirley Heights (Mill Reef)	9
Capote (Seattle Slew)	8
Manila (Lyphard)	8
Miswaki (Mr. Prospector)	8
Seattle Slew (Bold Reasoning)	8
Spectacular Bid (Bold Bidder)	8

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