

Horses Slaughtered at Beijing Track ...p. 3

For information about TDN,
call 732-747-8060.

www.thoroughbreddailynews.com

TDN

THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2005

HEADLINE NEWS

DELIVERED EACH NIGHT BY FAX AND
FREE BY E-MAIL TO SUBSCRIBERS OF

Blood-Horse

'MAIDS' SOLD TO SHEIKH MOHAMMED

Maids Causeway (Ire) (Giant's Causeway--Vallee des Reves, by Kingmambo) was slated to be one of the headliners next week at Tattersalls December, but the three-year-old filly has instead been purchased privately by Sheikh Mohammed from Martin Schwartz, according to *Racing Post*. She will now join the broodmare ranks at Dalham Hall, though no breeding plans have been announced. Bred in Ireland by the Vallee des Reves Syndicate, Maids Causeway failed to sell for 25,000gns as a yearling, but proved to be one of the most consistent members of



Maids Causeway (stands side)
Action Plus

her generation. She earned her first stakes victory in the G3 Sweet Solera S. in August of her freshman year and, after finishing second in the G1 Fillies Mile, concluded 2004 with a tally in the G2 Rockfel S. in October. In her first start at three, the chestnut finished second in the G1 1000 Guineas May 1 at Newmarket. She was then fifth, beaten a length in the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas at The Curragh May 22, before heading to York for the Royal meeting. Maids Causeway put up one of the year's gamest efforts there, outbattling Karen's Caper to win the June 17 G1 Coronation S. despite pricking her foot, losing a shoe and pulling up lame. She was sidelined with a pulled hip muscle afterwards and made just one more start, finishing seventh in the G1 Sun Chariot S. at Newmarket Oct. 1. Her record stands at 11-4-4-1 with earnings of £350,996. Maids Causeway was produced by the unraced Vallee des Reves, a half sister to Group 2 winners **Vetheuil** (Riverman) and **Verveine** (Lear Fan), the dam of Group 1-winning fillies Volga (Ire) and Vallee Enchantee (Ire). Vallee des Reves' yearling filly by Montjeu (Ire) sold for 825,000gns at Tattersalls October.

You can also pick up a copy of the TDN today at
the Tattersalls December Sale.

TATTERSALLS DECEMBER TURNS TO FOALS

Following Monday's record-setting yearling session, the Tattersalls December Sales resume at Newmarket today with its biggest-ever foal catalogue. The 1,281 lots are offered over four days. "It's not only the largest, but the strongest December Foal catalogue we have had for several years," said Jimmy George, Tattersalls' marketing director. "The yearling trade this year bodes well for a good solid sale and, as well as the proven sires, there is a particularly strong crop of new stallions." Sadler's Wells has only one offering, [lot 1048](#) consigned from Fittocks Stud. That filly will always have residual paddock value, being from the same dam as seven-time Group 1 winner Falbrav (Ire), who was sired by Fairy King, a full brother to Sadler's Wells. Among those by Pivotal (GB) is [lot 1221](#), the first foal of Group 3 winner Sheppard's Watch (GB) (Night Shift). The filly was bred by James Hanly, Trevor Stewart and Anthony Stroud and is consigned through Jockey Hall Stud as agent. High-profile names among a glittering array of freshman stallions include the outstanding Group 1 winners Dalakhani (Ire), Dubai Destination, Hawk Wing, High Chaparral (Ire), Nayef and Oasis Dream (GB). A dispersal of Dr. Tony Ryan's European bloodstock interests includes [lot 1395](#), a Dubai Destination half sister to the ill-fated Ayam Zaman (Ire). Oasis Dream's team includes [lot 1109](#), a Newgate Stud-bred colt out of multiple group/graded winner Dance Parade (Gone West). That colt is part of a large draft from Voute Sales, as is [lot 1206](#), a Hawk Wing colt out of a Sadler's Wells half sister to recent Cartier Award heroine Rumpelstiltskin (Ire) (Danehill). Meanwhile, [lot 769](#), consigned from Louise Parry's Pantycoed Stud in Wales, is an Auction House half brother to December Foal Sale graduate Saoire (GB) (Pivotal {GB}), winner of this year's G1 Irish 1000 Guineas. The sale runs today through Saturday, starting at 9:30 a.m. each day. Catalogues are available online at www.tattersalls.com.



TATTERSALLS HIP HAPPENINGS, P2

PINNACLE OF PERFORMANCE ON THE RACETRACK SIRE OF 12 STAKES WINNERS IN 2005

MYSTIC CHANT WINS THE OPEN MIND STAKES
AT AQUEDUCT ON 11/20 BECOMING THE
NEWEST STAKES WINNER FOR UNBRIDLED'S SONG

UNBRIDLED'S SONG

UNBRIDLED - TROLLEY SONG BY CARO (IRE)

2006 FEE - \$150,000 LF

TAYLOR MADE

(859) 885-3345 • Fax (859) 885-1533

www.taylordefarm.com



☆ HIP HAPPENINGS ☆

Hip **522**, f, **Nayef--Pennycairn (GB)**, by Last Tycoon (Ire)
Consigned by Silfield Bloodstock

From the first crop of MG1SW Nayef, this filly hails from the David Wills family of Invermark (GB), Craigsteel (GB) and Inchrory (GB).

Hip **549**, c, **Statue of Liberty--Angel Alydar**, by Alysheba
Consigned by the Castlebridge Consignment

Statue of Liberty's first offerings sold well at Goffs last week. This youngster, born in March, is from the family of the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint winner Cardmania as well as champion and leading sire Irish River (Fr).

Hip **553**, c, **Dubai Destination--Giorgia Rae (Ire)**, by Green Desert

Consigned by the Castlebridge Consignment
 Darley's freshman Dubai Destination was warmly received last week at Goffs. This colt is out of a sister to the G3 Queen Mary S. runner-up Rowaasi (GB).

**TATTERSALLS DECEMBER FOALS
 OUTS - WEDNESDAY**

286, 287, 298, 299, 343, 344, 358, 370, 371,
 396, 400, 405, 409, 412, 413, 414, 419, 438,
 448, 458, 463, 475, 477, 488, 491, 519, 545,
 546, 547, 548, 582, 587, 594, 617, 624, 635

MOVING ???

**For just a day or forever...
 Call us with your new fax number.
 (732) 747-8060**

☆ SALES NEWS ☆

RECORD KEENELAND JANUARY CATALOG

Keeneland has catalogued a record 2,508 horses for its 2006 January Horses of All Ages Sale--435 more than last year's previous record catalogue. The 2006 auction will be held over seven days, from Jan.9 through



KEENELAND

Jan. 15, with sessions beginning daily at 10 a.m. The catalogue includes 1,290 broodmares and broodmare prospects, 924 yearlings, 268 horses of racing age and 22 stallions or stallion prospects and four stallion shares. Sires represented by in-foal broodmares or by yearlings include:

Awesome Again, Carson City, Cozzene, Danehill Dancer (Ire), Danzig, Deputy Minister, Distorted Humor, Dixie Union, Dixieland Band, Dynaformer, El Prado (Ire), Elusive Quality, Forestry, Fusaichi Pegasus, Giant's Causeway, Gone West, Grand Slam, Kingmambo, Mineshaft, Montjeu (Ire), Pleasantly Perfect, Pulpit, Smarty Jones, Songandaprayer, Speightstown, Stephen Got Even, Tale of the Cat, Theatrical (Ire), Tiznow and Unbridled's Song. Stallions whose first foals arrived in 2005 represented in the sale include: Aldebaran, Century City (Ire), Harlan's Holiday, Hold That Tiger, Johar, Kafwain, Mineshaft, Posse, Proud Citizen, Sky Mesa and Vindication.

Thoroughbred Daily News is:

Barry Weisbord	President/Co-Publisher
Sue Finley	Vice President/Co-Publisher
Andy Belfiore	Editor-in-Chief
Alycia Borer	Director of Advertising
Jessica Martini	Associate Editor
Alan Carasso	Assistant Editor
Marie Kizenko	Assistant Editor
Christina Bossinakis	Editorial Assistant
Lucas Marquardt	Writer/Reporter
Steve Sherack	Writer/Reporter
Vicki Forbes	Director of Customer Services
Lia Kusch	Advertising Assistant

Albert the Great

\$7,500 live foal

TENTH winner this weekend

His GREAT BRIDGE won a mile & 70 yard maiden at Philadelphia by 12 and three-quarter lengths. His **eleventh winner** at Golden Gate the same day was taken down for interference.

Honest value from a G1 winner of \$3,012,490



THREE CHIMNEYS
The Idea is Excellence.
www.threechimneys.com
 (859) 873-7053



☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

HORSES SLAUGHTERED AT CHINESE TRACK

Dozens and perhaps hundreds of otherwise healthy race horses were recently put down en masse at Beijing racetrack in China, according to the *Racing Post*. Initial reports suggested that up to 600 horses had been culled from Beijing's population of about 2,500 horses, though officials at the course have since refuted that claim. Kevin Connolly, racing director at Beijing, admitted that horses had been destroyed, adding it was a common practice in the region, but that the number was much lower than reported. "It's no secret, open or otherwise; we have destroyed 110 horses in this cull," Connolly told *Racing Post*. "Our plan was to cull maybe 500 of them, and I might still do so in a period of time over the winter, but as it stands, we have yet to do so. I probably will do some moreover the winter, I honestly don't know." Connolly added, "The reason we do it is it's the most humane thing to do under the circumstances to injured horses, retired horses, bad breathers, foals with poor conformation. They don't have a commercial future, so they are humanely destroyed. We do it at the end of every season, the same as other racing jurisdictions." As a result of communist China's recent crackdown on gambling, racing was abruptly called off at Beijing in October. Connolly said layoffs prompted by the sudden cancellation of racing helped spark the current uproar over the cull. "We have reduced our staff numbers by about 40 percent up to now," he said. "This has caused a great deal of anxiety for the local area, which depends greatly on the incomes earned at our club. [We cull horses] every year, the same as other racing jurisdictions. It is just that this year it coincided with the staff being let go, so they were upset about it."

TOTAL IMPACT JOINS CLARK FIELD Last year's GI Hollywood Gold Cup winner **Total Impact (Chi)** (Stuka) yesterday joined the list of contenders for Friday's GII Clark H. at Churchill Downs. The seven-year-old, owned by Mohammed Saud al Kabeer and Lillian Solari and trained by Laura de Seroux, is coming off a fourth-place finish behind Rock Hard Ten in the Oct. 1 GII Goodwood Breeders' Cup H. Jockey Garrett Gomez has the mount. Also joining the Clark field yesterday was recent Churchill allowance winner **Stolen Time** (Time Bandit). The four-year-old Ralph Nicks trainee was second in last year's GIII Discovery H. The line-up for the Clark is also expected to include **Perfect Drift** (Dyanformer), **Suave** (A.P. Indy), **Alumni Hall** (A.P. Indy), **Magna Graduate** (Honor Grades), **M B Sea** (Alphabet Soup), **Purim** (Dynaformer), **Andromeda's Hero** (Fusaichi Pegasus) and **A.P. Arrow** (A.P. Indy).

☆ PREVIEW ☆

Thursday, Churchill Downs

FALLS CITY H.-GII, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Winning Season	Lemon Drop Kid	Jacinto	112
2	Miss Fortunate	Deputy Minister	Melancon	115
3	Flying Glitter	Glitterman	Albarado	117
4	Indian Vale	A.P. Indy	Velazquez	115
5	Cotopaxi	With Approval	Smith	112
6	Rahys' Appeal	Rahy	Bridgmohan	112
7	Journey Fever	Gold Fever	McKee	114
8	La Reason	Labeeb (GB)	Bejarano	114
9	Pampered Princess	Indian Charlie	Castro	123
10	Joint Aspiration (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Hernandez, Jr.	112
11	Kristy Beethoven	Kris S.	Lanerie	114
12	Bending Strings	American Chance	Guidry	119

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, and a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races.

TDN TODAY
Headline News 5 pages

PROVEN SIRE - His first 3 crops contains an amazing **78** juveniles such as G1 winner **CARRY ON KATIE**, G2 winners **MUCH FASTER**, **CHINEUR** (in 2005) etc.

THE BEST IS STILL TO COME - 2005 yearlings made **€180,000, €130,000, €125,000, €120,000, €110,000, €110,000, €105,000** etc. and his best-bred crop will be yearlings in 2006.

FASLIYEV

UNBEATEN EUROPEAN CHAMPION 2YO & EUROPEAN CHAMPION 2YO SIRE

COOLMORE 2006 FEE: €15,000



WEEKEND PEDIGREE PERSPECTIVES

by Alan Porter

Saturday, Laurel Park

FRANK J. DE FRANCIS MEMORIAL DASH S.-GI,
\$300,000, LRL, 11-19, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09, ft.

1--▲@I'M THE TIGER, 118, g, 5, by [Siphon \(Brz\)](#)

1st Dam: Love Medicine (SW, \$149,560), by Mining

2nd Dam: Medicine Woman, by Dr. Blum

3rd Dam: Julita, by Lt. Stevens

O-Stronach Stables; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Robert J Frankel; J-J D Bailey; \$180,000. Lifetime Record: 16-7-6-1, \$581,462. *Second GISW for sire (by Itajara {Brz}).

Click for the [brisnet.com chart](#) or the [free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

As far as outcross sires are concerned, Siphon is somewhere near the ultimate, at least as far as the North American commercial breeding population is concerned. A male-line descendent of St. Simon--the dominant English sire of the late 19th and early 20th century--Siphon has a pedigree free of Northern Dancer, Mr. Prospector, Raise a Native, Native Dancer, Seattle Slew, Bold Ruler, Nasrullah, Hail to Reason, Turn-to, Royal Charger, and just about any other horse one would expect to find in the first few generations of a current top-class North American pedigree.

However, while Siphon's pedigree line--by Itajara--Ebrea, by Kublai Khan--may be completely unfamiliar to most North American breeders, that shouldn't be taking to suggest the pedigree lacks quality. His sire Itajara, by the high-class French 12-furlong horse Felicio, boasted a career record of seven wins in seven starts, including all three legs of the Brazilian Triple Crown. Itajara also sired another high-class U.S. runner in the shape of Romarin, who won the GII Early Times Turf Classic and two renewals of the GII San Gabriel H. Siphon's dam, Ebrea, was half sister to the graded stakes winning Foix. Foix herself is the dam of Brazilian champion and Classic winner and U.S. blacktype scorer Verinha (by Baronius, a son of English-bred Falkland, also the broodmare sire of Siphon's sire, Itajara) and graded stakes winner Spring Star, a daughter of Itajara, and therefore a three-parts-sister to Siphon.

We might describe Siphon's pedigree as presenting breeders with a high-class enigma, and the same could be said for his race record. In Brazil, he scored graded wins at 1400 meters (approximately seven furlongs); at 1600 meters, a distance just 11 yards short of a mile, and which he covered in 1:29.20; and 2200 meters, the metric equivalent of 11 furlongs. All of these efforts came on the turf. In the U.S., Siphon first showcased his talent over sprint distances, gaining his first graded tally in the seven-furlong GIII Sport Page H. At five he sprinted home first in the Bay Meadows Express H., covering six furlongs in 1:08.73., but subsequently added the GII Mervyn LeRoy H. at 8½ furlongs and the GI Hollywood Gold Cup over a mile and a quarter. At six, over the Classic distance, Siphon captured the GI Santa Anita H., and took seconds in the GI Hollywood Gold Cup, GI Pacific Classic and GI Dubai World Cup.

So when Siphon retired to stud, there were plenty of questions for breeders, drawn by Siphon's class, versatility, toughness and good looks. What sort of mares would best suit an Itajara/Felicio-line horse? Would this outcross pedigree meld successfully with North American pedigrees at all? And since Siphon owned the pedigree of a mile-and-a-half-horse, had world-class form at 10 furlongs, but had also shown brilliant speed, what kind of aptitude would he pass on?



Siphon *stallionregister.com*

It has taken a while to begin to get answers to those questions, but they are gradually emerging. Siphon has not been a prolific sire to date, with five North American stakes winners in his first three crops, but he has proved more than capable of getting a high-class horse. In his first crop came Siphonic, winner of the GI Hollywood Futurity and GII Breeders' Futurity, and runner-up in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile; Lamplighter S. winner Entitlement; and GI Oak Leaf S. third Ms. Louisset. In his second crop are I'm the Tiger, winner this weekend of the GI Frank J. De Francis Memorial Dash; and the GIII Lexington S. winner Sharp Impact; and in his third crop is the GII Del Mar Futurity victor Siphonizer. There are some paradoxes amongst the pedigrees and aptitudes of some of his best: for example, Siphonic, out of a mare by Cherokee Colony, a son of Pleasant Colony, and from a line most noted for late maturity and distance capacity, was a top-class two-year-old; whereas Sharp Impact, out of a mare by Carson City, an outstanding influence for early maturing speed, recorded his graded stakes triumph over a mile and a quarter.

BREEDERS' CUP STAKES CLOSINGS

	CLOSES TRACK RACE		CONDITIONS	PURSE	RUNS
	11/23	LaD	Dr. A.B. Leggio Memorial Breeders' Cup	3yo/up, f/m, 7f	\$75,000
12/14	LaD	Truly Bound Breeders' Cup H.	3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m	\$75,000	12/24

BREEDERS' CUP. BUILDING QUALITY IN RACING ALL YEAR LONG.



Alan Porter cont.

At least in the case of I'm the Tiger, his aptitude conforms, not only to the speed displayed by Siphon, but also to the distaff side of his pedigree. His dam, Love Medicine, captured the West Long Branch S. over six furlongs, and was also an allowance winner at 4½ furlongs. Her sire, Mining, was a very fast but unsound individual who won six of seven starts, including the GI Vosburgh S. A half sister to the stakes winners Hot Lear and Intern, Love Medicine was out of Medicine Woman, a sprinter, who earned her most important victory in the GIII Brown and Williamson H. She was by Dr. Blum, a sprinting son of Dr. Fager, a horse not unlike Siphon in that he was brilliantly fast, could carry that speed 10 furlongs, and was effective on turf and dirt.

We have said that some trends are becoming apparent with Siphon's best offspring. One of those trends is evident in the pedigree of I'm the Tiger: his broodmare sire Mining is a son of Mr. Prospector, and three of Siphon's four graded stakes winners are out of Mr. Prospector-line mares, while Siphonic, whose dam is by Cherokee Colony, has a second dam by Mr. Prospector's son, Conquistador Cielo. We can also note that Nijinsky II is in three of Siphon's stakes winners, and his sire, Northern Dancer, is in four, as is Bold Ruler. One other unusual recurring name is the mare Hildene. She's in I'm the Tiger through the female line of Dr. Blum; she is doubled in the dam of Siphonic, once through the female line of Cherokee Colony, and once through her son, First Landing; and First Landing also appears in Siphonizer.

There is a discernable reason for some of these recurring themes, and since Siphon is an outcross to North American strains, it's ironic that it the most likely cause is some close inbreeding in his pedigree. A look at Siphon's pedigree shows that the granddam of his sire, and the granddam of his dam, are three-quarters relatives, both by Maki out of mares by Dragon Blanc, giving him Maki 4x4 and Dragon Blanc 5x5. It would take a few more pages to explore and explain the links between some of the strains in the background of Siphon's inbreeding and the strains with which he appears to have an affinity in the North American population, but we can give a (very) edited version.

In one area of Siphon's inbreeding we find a concentration of the influential English strains of Sainfoin (sire of Rock Sand, the maternal grandsire of Man o' War), Sundridge (out of a sister to Sainfoin) and Amphora (sister to Sundridge), all combined with St. Simon (and a full sister). While these strains are now universal in the population, it is concentrations of them which seem to be the key. One such concentration is found in Polynesian. Of course, Polynesian sired Native Dancer, who is paternal grandsire of Mr. Prospector and maternal grandsire of Northern Dancer, two of the strains which are appearing most frequently in the best Siphon offspring. There are some similar strains in Bold Ruler, who is in four of five Siphon stakes winners, and the mare, Hildene, has strains which through deeper into the background of Siphon's inbreeding.

When we are relying on hitting concentrations of strains more distant in the pedigree, the results tend to be rather more erratic than when it is possible to inbreed and linebreed around the fourth and fifth generation, but as Siphon's best runners have shown, when the connections do work, the results can be very good indeed. With that in mind, Siphon, who last year stood for \$10,000, is certainly worth a shot for mares with plenty of previously mentioned Native Dancer (particularly through Raise a Native, Mr. Prospector and Northern Dancer), Bold Ruler and Hildene. Strains of Tom Fool, Damascus and Heliopolis and his son, Olympia, should also be good additions.

I'M THE TIGER, g. 2000

Siphon (Brz)	Itajara (Brz)	Felicio (Fr)	Shantung (Fr)
		Apple Honey (Brz)	Fighting Edie (GB)
	Ebreia (Brz)	Kublai Khan (Arg)	Falkland (GB)
		Resela (Brz)	Irish Song (Brz)
Love Medicine SW, 13-6-2, \$149,561 6Fls, 1G1SW	Mining	Mr. Prospector	Sideral (Arg)
		I Pass	Fantasia (Arg)
	Medicine Woman GSW, 12-7-1-1, \$161,427 12Fls, 3SW	Dr. Blum	Svengali (Brz)
		Julita	Eridan (Brz)
		3Fls, 1GSW	Raise a Native
		Jo Lar Tav	Gold Digger
		Buckpasser	
		Impish	
		Dr. Fager	
		Due Dilly	
		Lt. Stevens	
		Jo Lar Tav	

Alan Porter may be contacted at portpedigree@msn.com. Please cc TDN management at suefinley@thoroughbreddailynews.com.



Champali *Glitterman - Radioactivity, by Dixieland Band*
\$7,500 Live Foal, due November 15

Multiple Gr. SW of **\$1,073,794** - 8 stakes wins 2-4
11 wins in 22 starts, 5 1/2f to 1 1/16 miles

GLENCREST FARM LLC
www.glencrestfarm.com
(859) 233-7032

WEDNESDAY,
NOVEMBER 23, 2005

TDN
THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS



**AROUND
THE WORLD**

NORTH AMERICA

★ **CENTRAL** ★

CARDINAL ONE-TWO RETIRE Sundrop (Jpn) (Sunday Silence--Oenothera {Ire}, by Night Shift) and **Delta Princess** (A.P. Indy--Lyphard's Delta, by Lyphard), first and second, respectively, in Saturday's GIII Cardinal H. have been retired from racing, according to *Daily Racing Form*.



Sundrop
Four Footed Fotos

Godolphin's Sundrop, second in the 2003 G1 Fillies' Mile S. and in the 2004 English 1000 Guineas, rebounded from a last-place finish in the GI Breeders' Cup Filly/Mare Turf at Belmont Park to secure a one-length tally in the

Cardinal. The four-year-old filly was sent to Jonabell Farm in Lexington, Kentucky after her first U.S. win in four stateside starts. On the board in seven of 12 tries, Sundrop won four times and earned \$503,812. Delta Princess was sent to owner Saud bin Khaled's Chanteclair Farm near Midway, Kentucky after her runner-up effort in the Cardinal. The five-year-old mare won this year's GIII Early Times Mint Julep H. and GIII Locust Grove H., as well as the 2003 GIII Beaugay H. Delta Princess was on the board in 19 of 30 starts, winning six times and earning \$740,918.



Delta Princess
Four Footed Fotos

Noble Causeway Back on Work Tab:

GI Florida Derby runner-up **Noble Causeway** (Giant's Causeway) returned to the work tab for the first time since August yesterday at Churchill Downs. The three-year-old Nick Zito trainee went three furlongs in :37.20. Noble Causeway was a troubled 14th in the Kentucky Derby and sixth in the Preakness S., but had an adventurous summer at Saratoga. The colt was scratched by jockey Jerry Bailey behind the gate before the start of the GII Jim Dandy S. He was pulled up after a quarter-mile of a Spa allowance a week later and underwent treatment for ankle and suspensory injuries. First or second in five of nine starts to date, Noble Causeway has won twice and earned \$245,780. He was second behind stablemate High Fly in the Apr. 2 GI Florida Derby.

F-T Texas Catalogs 277:

Fasig-Tipton has catalogued 277 head for its upcoming Texas Mixed Sale at Lone Star Park on Dec. 11. The single session begins at 10 a.m. and features mainly broodmares, weanlings and yearlings. Covering sires represented in the catalog include Congaree, Ecton Park, Magic Cat and Valid Expectations. Weanlings and yearlings on offer are by such sires as Grindstone, Honour and Glory, Lost Soldier, Langfuhr, Millennium Wind, Richter Scale and Talk Is Money. Catalogs are currently available at www.fasigtipton.com.

★ **AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS** ★

IN FRANCE:

+ **Germance**, f, 2, [Silver Hawk](#). See "European Breeders' Edition."

STAKES CLOSINGS

TODAY, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23:
04-01 \$1,000,000 Florida Derby-I, GP, 3yo, 9f
(595)

www.stakesdigestweekly.com



Airdrie Stud - 2006 Stud Fees

Stallion	Sire	'06 Fee	'05 Fee
Canadian Frontier	Gone West	\$10,000	\$10,000
Deputy Commander	Deputy Minister	\$10,000	\$20,000
Forest Camp	Deputy Minister	\$25,000	\$15,000
Friends Lake	A.P. Indy	\$15,000	\$15,000
Harlan's Holiday	Harlan	\$17,500	\$17,500
Include	Broad Brush	\$12,500	\$12,500
Indian Charlie	In Excess (Ire)	\$25,000	\$15,000
Proud Citizen	Gone West	\$17,500	\$17,500
Slew City Slew	Seattle Slew	\$6,000	\$5,000
Stormin Fever	Storm Cat	\$15,000	\$15,000
Yankee Gentleman	Storm Cat	\$10,000	\$10,000
Yankee Victor	Saint Ballado	\$15,000	\$15,000

www.airdriestud.com



David Bailey, Director of Racing
Phone 954-457-6260, Fax 954-457-6357
Click [here](#) for the Gulfstream stakes schedule

\$595 EARLY NOMINATIONS DUE WED., NOVEMBER 23
\$1,000,000 GI FLORIDA DERBY

For three-year-olds at 1 1/8 miles
To be run Saturday, April 1, 2006
(incl. nominations to the Aventura S. [Jan. 7],
GIII Holy Bull S. [Feb. 4], and GII Fountain of Youth S. [Mar. 4])



★ FRANCE ★

MARTILLO TO HARAS DES CHARTREUX German champion miler **Martillo (Ger)** (Anabaa--Maltage, by Affirmed) has been retired to stud at France's Haras des Chartreux, according to *Racing Post*. No stud fee has been announced for the five-year-old. Racing in the colors of Gestut Hony-Hof, the bay captured the G2 Mehl-Muhlen's Rennen before finishing third in the G1 St. James's Palace S. and was Germany's highweighted three-year-old miler. He went on to win the G2 Prix du Muguet in both 2004 and 2005 and two additional German Group 2 events. Martillo also placed second in the G1 Premio Vittorio di Capua in his penultimate career outing Oct. 15 at San Siro. He heads to stud with a record of 20-8-2-2 and earnings of nearly \$800,000.

SENDAWAR, SPADOUN TO STAND IN IRELAND The stallions **Sendawar (Ire)** (Priolo--Sendana {Fr}, by Darshaan {GB}) and **Spadoun (Fr)** (Kaldoun {Fr}--Tolga, by Irish River {Fr}), who previously stood in France, have been sold to Irish interests in separate transactions brokered by Jean-Pierre Deroubaix and French Bloodstock Agency. Sendawar had been standing at The Aga Khan's Haras de Bonneval in Normandy, but will take his place next season at Annshoon Stud in Co. Kilkenny. A champion miler for his breeder the Aga Khan, the nine-year-old bay was France's leading first-crop sire last season by number of winners. As for Spadoun, winner of the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud as a juvenile, he had been at Haras d'Etreham, but his new home in Ireland will be announced at a later date. The nine-year-old's first French crop of two-year-olds includes the Listed-placed Fabuleux Concept (Fr).

MESHAHEER RETIRED TO HARAS DU PETIT TELLIER

Meshaheer (Nureyev--Race the Wild Wind, by Sunny's Halo), a full brother to Group 1 winner King Charlemagne, will enter stud in 2006 at Haras du Petit Tellier, according to *Racing Post*. The six-year-old's stud fee will be €3,000. Produced by U.S. Grade I winner Race the Wild Wind, the \$525,000 KEESEP yearling purchase won the G3 July S. at two before placing third to Johannesburg in the G1 Prix Morny for owner Sheikh Hamdan al Maktoum. He also finished third in the G3 Jersey S. The bay concluded his career for trainer Marcus Tregoning with a record of 19-5-2-6 and earnings of £130,506.

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX SARACA-Listed, €47,000, Saint-Cloud, 11-22, 2yo, 6fT, 1:19.20, vsf.

- 1--**#MYTOGRAPHIE (FR)**, 120, f, 2, by Anabaa
 1st Dam: Mythologie (Fr), by Bering (GB)
 2nd Dam: Mondovision (Fr), by Luthier (Fr)
 3rd Dam: Moskvitchka (GB), by Mossborough (GB)
 O-Ghislaine Head; B-Alec & Ghislaine Head;
 T-Criquette Head-Maarek; J-Christophe Soumillon;
 €23,500. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place,
 €42,600.
- 2--**Just Queen (GB)**, 120, f, 2, Dansili (GB)--Just Fly,
 by Capote. €9,400.
- 3--**Kenkaye (Fr)**, 123, c, 2, Kendor (Fr)--River Ballade,
 by Irish River (Fr). (€48,000 yrl '04 DEAAUG).
 €7,050.

Margins: HD, 1, 4. Odds: 3.70, 23.00, 0.60.
 Also Ran: Think (Fr), Mariol (Fr), Cliffs of Duneen (GB), Fasliyeva (Fr). Scratched: Anabaa Dream (GB).

Mytographie progressed from a first-up second at Maisons-Laffitte Sept. 30 to take a Deauville conditions last time Oct. 17. She stepped forward again to claim a first stakes rosette. Stalking the leading pair from flagfall here, the bay homebred assumed the lead at the two pole and required maximum effort from there to edge Just Queen in the bobber. Crowd choice Kenkaye relinquished his unbeaten record by racing too freely throughout.

TDN TODAY
 Around the World 4 pages

Haras du Thenney - 2006 Fees			
Stallion	Sire	'06 Fee	'05 Fee
Bahhare	Woodman	€4,000	N/A
Diableneyev	Nureyev	€3,200	N/A
Kutub (Ire)	In the Wings (GB)	€3,000	€4,000
Vettori (Ire)	Machiavellian	€4,500	€6,500

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the
 8th Race, \$22,000 Allowance, at Suffolk.
 For pps and a complete race analysis, click [here](#).

DON'T BE LATE ON FRIDAY!!

Lot 970 is the only foal by Gr.1 winning miler TOUCH OF THE BLUES (by CADEAUX GENEREUX).
 He is out of a 1/2 sister to BAHAMIAN BOUNTY (also by CADEAUX GENEREUX).
 And he's first into the ring this Friday 25th but see him now in Left Yard Box 624.

Call IRISH NATIONAL STUD, tel: +353 (0)45 521251, email: shayley@irish-national-stud.ie www.irish-national-stud.ie



PRIX BELLE DE NUIT-Listed, €47,000, Saint-Cloud, 11-22, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 9/16mT, 2:56.50, vsf.

1--**#PILGRIM OF GRACE (FR)**, 126, f, 4, **Bering (GB)--Vagabond Chanteuse (GB) (GSP-GB & Fr)**, by **Sanglmore**. O-William Green; B-Fullarton Lodge Stud Ltd; T-Fabrice Cohen; J-Sebastien Maillot; €23,500. Lifetime Record: 20 starts, 5 wins, 6 places, €98,200.

2--**Pink Cloud (Fr)**, 126, m, 5, **Octagonal (NZ)--Belle du Bresil (Fr)**, by **Akarad (Fr)**. (FF220,000 yrl '01 DEAAUG). €9,400.

3--**Milwaukee (Fr)**, 126, m, 5, **Desert King (Ire)--Tanzania (Ire)**, by **Alzao**. (€40,000 2yo '02 GOFAPR). €7,050.

Margins: HF, HF, 5. Odds: 7.30, 15.00, 8.90.

Also Ran: **Kiswahili (GB)**, **New Destiny (Fr)**, **Petite Speciale**, **Ammo (Ire)**, **Whazzat (GB)**, **Lunathea (Ire)**, **Pony Girl (Ire)**. Also Ran (not classified): **Gloirez (Fr)**, **Reynosa (Ire)**, **Subtle Affair (Ire)**, **Mpenzi (GB)**, **Segesta (Ire)**, **Novarra (Ire)**, **Lady Sagamix (Fr)**, **Night Dhu (GB)**. Scratched: **Aviane (Ger)**.

After completing a quick-fire handicap treble over course and distance Nov. 12, Pilgrim of Grace continued the trend to secure a determined first black-type win here. She was ridden with patience behind the leading wave for much of the contest, but bounded to the fore in early stretch and maintained a relentless gallop to provide conditioner Fabrice Cohen with a career high.

Saint-Cloud, 1.50, Mdn, €18,000, 2yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:51.40, vsf.

PASSAGER (FR) (c, 2, Anabaa--Passionnee {SW-Fr}), by **Woodman** failed to hit the board in his only other go at Compiègne Oct. 31 and was allowed to go off at 18-1 odds for this return. Recovering from a tardy start to lead after the opening exchanges, he showed mettle when strongly pressed by Hidden Rainbow (Ire) (Spectrum {Ire}) from the two pole and outbattled that game rival to prevail by 3/4 of a length. Passager is a half brother to Premier Pas (Fr) (Sillery), G1SP-Fr, \$132,119. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €9,000. O-Wertheimer & Frere; B-Alec Head & Wertheimer & Frere; T-Criquette Head-Maarek.

Saint-Cloud, 1.15, Mdn, €18,000, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:50.20, vsf.

CHAIBIA (IRE) (f, 2, Peintre Celebre--Mawhiba, by Dayjur), runner-up at Chantilly Oct. 14, was settled in fourth after the opening exchanges of this second go. Making wide progress in the straight, the 13-10 choice asserted for the lead approaching the final furlong and was driven out to deny Punta Rosa (War Chant) by a head. Chaibia sold twice as a two-year-old, for €17,000 at GOFFEB and for €56,000 at GOFAPR. She was produced by a 3/4-sister to Epsom Derby hero Erhaab (Chief's Crown). Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €12,600.

O-M Parrish; B-Shadwell Estate Company; T-D Smaga.



FRESHMAN FOCUS

First-crop progeny to watch: Wed., Nov. 23

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2002 Fee, #2yos/Winners/SW

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

BIENAMADO (Bien Bien), Arctic Tack, \$5K, 15/0/0

1-GG, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Mariah's Dancer, \$20K CAL AUG yrl, 15-1

CITY ZIP (Carson City), Lane's End, \$8K, 66/18/2

6-AQU, Msw, 5 1/2f, Phillip X.

6-AQU, Msw, 5 1/2f, Red Zipper, \$40K OBS APR 2yo

CLOUD HOPPING (Mr. Prospector), Lambholm, \$4K, 37/3/0

8-SUF, Alw, 6f, Cat Topper, \$5K OBS APR 2yo, 10-1

DISCO RICO (Citidancer), Murmur, \$4K, 39/3/2

5-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Dancin Disco, 7-2

ECTON PARK (Forty Niner), Wintergreen, \$15K, 53/9/2

7-CD, Msw, 1 1/8mT, Sous Chef

ROCK AND ROLL (Cure the Blues), Carapan, \$4K, 36/1/0

8-SUF, Alw, 6f, Native Redman, \$17K OBS APR 2yo, 8-1

TIZNOW (Cee's Tizzy), WinStar, \$30K, 90/6/1

7-CD, Msw, 1 1/8mT, Cause of War, \$85K FTF FEB 2yo



SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

Stakes/First-time Starters to Watch: Wed., Nov. 23

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2001 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW

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

ADCAT (Storm Cat), Farnsworth, \$5K, 73/17/2

5-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Commander Roby, 5-1



16th Annual Charity Auction of Stallion Seasons

Telephone bidding begins Tuesday, Nov. 29 and ends Thursday, Dec. 1 at 4 p.m.

Live Auction of Select Seasons & Artist Andre Pater's "Study of a Jockey" Saturday Dec. 3 at Cross Gate Gallery, Lexington, KY and CandyLand Farm in Middletown, DE

To bid beginning Nov.29 call the hotline: 302-376-6289

For information call Liz Harris: 859-312-5531

Hundreds of Seasons listed at www.thoroughbredcharities.org

Aldebaran	El Corredor	Megdaglia D'Oro (LF)	Orientate	Smarty Jones	Two Punch
Arch	Empire Maker (LF)	Mineshaft (LF)	Pulpit	Speightstown	Unbridled's Song
Dixieland Band	Ledroidesanimaux (LF)	Not For Love	Sky Mesa	TizNow	Yes It's True



BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-PHA, \$25,520, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, a1m70yd, 1:46 3/5, sy.
LOVE IS KIND (f, 3, Not for Love--One of the Least, by Carnivalay) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-4, \$47,486. O/B-Earl M Barnhart (PA). T-Richard A Wasserman.

9th-MNR, \$23,000, 11-21, NW1X, 3yo/up, a1m70yd, 1:47 1/5, ft.
(DH)--MONEYATRISK (c, 3, Banker's Gold--Beach Walk, by Star de Naskra) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-1, \$35,329. O/T-James T Spicer. B-Brereton C Jones (KY). *\$18,000 wlng '02 KEENOV; \$1,700 yrl '03 FTKOCT.
(DH)--FOG BUSTER (g, 5, Touch Gold--Blazing Hot {SW}, by Irish River {Fr}) Lifetime Record: 13-3-3-2, \$77,114. O-Roy David Brown. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Donald C Macrae.

10th-PHA, \$22,880, NW1X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:19 4/5, sy.
BABY GOOSE (c, 3, Lion Hearted--Marya's Girl, by Red Attack) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-2, \$48,456. O-Kiwi Racing Stable & Marya Montoya. B-Marya K Heimer (PA). T-Marya K Montoya.

8th-SUF, \$21,560, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12 1/5, sy.
CHEROKEE SUNRISE (c, 4, Cherokee Run--Dancing Dawn, by Seattle Dancer) Lifetime Record: 18-7-1-4, \$103,330. O-Robert Rongione & George Chakuroff. B-Michael W Rosati (KY). T-John Rigattieri. *\$28,000 wlng '01 KEENOV; \$52,000 yrl '02 KEESEP; \$25,000 2yo 2003 FTMMAY.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Acute Angle, f, 2, Chimes Band--Unbridled Set (MSW), by Unbridled. ZIA, 11-21, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Margaret O duPont & Margaret V Bloss (NM). *SP.
Marco's Mistral, g, 4, Marco Bay--Lifes Lass, by Seneca Jones. MNR, 11-21, 6f, 1:14 3/5. B-Jay L Shaw (Fl). *\$22,000 2yo 2003 OBSAPR. **Full to Buzzards Bay, GISW, \$654,471.

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★
CHURCHILL DOWNS
Cape Hope (Cape Town), 4f, :48.40, 8/34
Noble Causeway (Giant's Causeway), 3f, :37.20, 4/5
Reunited (Dixie Union), 4f, :46.20, 1/34
HOLLYWOOD PARK
Festival (Jpn) (Assatis), 4f, :47.80, 3/23
SANTA ANITA
Island Fashion (Petionville), 5f, 1:00.80, 17/35
Preachinatthebar (Silver Charm), 5f, :57.80, 1/35

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Bordeaux-le-Bouscat, 3.10, 11-21, €21,000, 2yo, 1 3/16mT, 2:07.22, sf.
PALM COVE (UAE) (f, 2, Jade Robbery--Temora {Ire}, by Ela-Mana-Mou {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €16,000. O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Henri-Alex Pantall. *1/2 to New South Wales (GB) (In the Wings {GB}), GSW-Ire & GSP-GB, \$112,020.

ITALY, Naples, 5.30, 11-21, €15,300, 2yo, 5ft, :57.68, gd.
IMCO DARIAL (IRE) (f, 2, Mull of Kintyre--Miss Darimda {GB}, by Darshaan {GB}) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 4 places, €23,035. O-Scuderia Effeci; B-J.J.M.R. SRL; T-Armando Renzoni.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Eumene (Ire), c, 2, Grand Lodge--Pelagic (GB) (SP-Fr),** by Rainbow Quest. Bordeaux-le-Bouscat, France, 11-21, Mdn, unraced 2yo, 1 3/16mT. B-Haras d'Etream & Vision Bloodstock Ltd. *€125,000 yrl '04 DEAAUG. **1/2 to Prima Creatura (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}), SW-Fr.
+ **Germance, f, 2, Silver Hawk--Gaily Tiara, by** Caerleon. Bordeaux-le-Bouscat, France, 11-21, Mdn, unraced 2yo, 1 3/16mT. B-Edmund J Loder. *\$200,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a ▲ will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races and an (R) will be used for other restricted races.

<u>Condition Codes for Allowance Races</u>	
<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
NW.....	Non-Winner of...
1-6.....	Number of Races
\$.....	Monetary Condition
R.....	Distance Condition
3M, 6M, 9M,	
Y, Y+, L.....	Time Period (ex: NW2L = NW 2 races lifetime)
X.....	Other-than Condition (ex: NW3X = non-winners of 3 races other than maiden, claiming, or statebred)
C.....	Other Conditions Not Specified