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MAKING A POINT AT KEENELAND JANUARY

One of the leading buyers of the 2006 sales season, Ahmed Zayat's Zayat Stables took on a new role at the 2007 Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale in Lexington yesterday. The operation was the seller of the session topper on opening day of the auction, realizing \$1.8 million for the three-year-old Grade I winner **Point Ashley** (Point Given--Golden Thatch, by Slew o'Gold). "You have to accept what the market brings and I think that's a fair price for her," commented Sobhy Sonbol, bloodstock advisor to Zayat. "She's a beautiful mare. She has a value you have to respect and it was close to that value. I think it's a fair market price for her and we're happy." Sonbol admitted that parting company with a filly who looks to have unlimited potential was "bittersweet" but fit the operations goals. "At this point, we are not breeders," he offered. "If this was a few years from now, we might have kept her and bred her, but right now we're looking into having good stock that's redeveloping. Part of our program is that when you have a good mare, to sell her. We have to look at the whole thing as a full cycle--we buy the horses, hopefully have success at the races and resell. So far it's been working for us and we hope it continues. We hate to see her go, but it's a business." Despite the "loss" of Point Ashley from the Zayat stable, the team still has much to look forward to.

Belgravia (Mr. Greeley), winner of the GIII Hollywood Prevue S. in November, will try to earn his way onto the Triple Crown trail this spring and they may end up with a Kentucky Oaks filly in the form of **Baroness Thatcher** (Johannesburg), impressive winner of Saturday's GIII Santa Ysabel S. at Santa Anita. Sonbol is all smiles. "It's been great," he said. "We work hard. We spend a lot of time. You make your own luck, but we've been lucky too. It's a great sport. It has its ups and downs, but the ups make up for the downs. We have a great team that we work with, a great group of trainers and we've had good horses. It's been a lot of fun." *Cont. p2*

You can also pick up a copy of the TDN today at the Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale and the Conrad Jupiters Magic Millions Yearling Sale.

BREEDERS' CUP ADDS THREE NEW RACES

Breeders' Cup Ltd. has announced the addition of three new races and a shift to a two-day format for the Breeders' Cup World Championships, which will be contested this year at Monmouth Park Friday and Saturday, Oct. 26-27. The new races, which will be run on the eve of the traditional Breeders' Cup card, will each be worth \$1 million. They are: the Dirt Mile for three-year-olds and up; the F/M Sprint at six furlongs for fillies and mares, three-year-olds and up; and the Juvenile Turf, which will be contested at a mile and will be open to two-year-olds of both sexes. The races have not yet been awarded Grade I status. Due to the Monmouth track configuration, the Dirt Mile will be run at a mile and 70 yards and the F/M Sprint will be six furlongs; in the future, the races will be at a mile and seven furlongs, respectively. "Today's announcement, along with other previously announced changes over the course of the last year, provides the framework for unprecedented growth of the Breeders' Cup," said Bill Farish, Breeders' Cup Board Chairman. "There will be more races, more purse money and more



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nominator participation than at any time in the event's history, all designed to attract the best horses from around the world to compete in the Breeders' Cup World Championships." The races are the first to be added to the Breeders' Cup program since the F/M Turf was inaugurated in 1999. In addition to the three new Breeders' Cup races, three will be three other stakes on Friday's card that will be funded by the Breeders' Cup; each will carry a purse of \$250,000. They are: a race for three-year-old fillies at 1 1/16 miles; a one-mile race on the turf for juvenile fillies; and a six-furlong race for two-year-olds. *Cont. p2*



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Missing the Point...

Point Ashley was overlooked as a short yearling at the 2005 Keeneland January Sale, bringing just \$140,000, then RNA'd at \$115,000 as a KEESEP yearling. But the bay blossomed over the winter and was hammered down to Zayat Stables for \$725,000 at Keeneland April. She proved worth every penny. Third in her debut at Hollywood in July, she came back to break her maiden later that month and added a 2 1/2-length score in the Sept. 4 GI Del Mar Debutante. She was sidelined by a virus after finishing second in the Sept. 30 GI Oak Leaf S. and missed the Breeders' Cup. Consigned by Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency yesterday, she was bought by Hill 'n' Dale's John Sikura. Sikura, bidding on his own behalf, said, "Now I own her, now I have to figure out what to do with her. I might get a client or two [as partners], but I don't have anything organized now. I'll leave it open and see what happens." Sikura was not surprised by the filly's price tag. "The reserve was set just under \$1.5 million," he said. "[The Zayat operation's] appraisal of the market was right on." He added, "I thought she was fairly priced. She is a beautiful filly and has been a star at every sale she has been to. She has a world of ability and fits all the criteria of an elite broodmare. She is a superior performer, has great conformation, is well-bred--it's all there. We are using the same format as always, looking for gems that fit our program." Point Ashley has not worked since the Oak Leaf, and Sikura has not yet determined if she will return to the racetrack. "Whether she stays in training or not, I'm not sure yet," he said. "That's undecided. She is already a Grade I winner and we are in the breeding business--that is our primary focus. We have all our options open."

New Breeders' Cup Races cont.

Monmouth, located in Oceanport, New Jersey, installed a new turf course for 2006 in anticipation of hosting the Breeders' Cup. "We are extremely excited to be the inaugural host of the two-day Breeders' Cup format," said Dennis Dowd, senior vice president of racing for the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority. "We have been undergoing more than \$30 million in structural improvements to Monmouth Park, which we believe will make for a spectacular showcase for this year's event. We expect to gain the necessary approvals in the near future."

BREEDERS' CUP 2007

Friday, Oct. 26

| <u>Race</u> | <u>Distance</u> | <u>Age/Sex</u> |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|
| \$1-million BC Dirt Mile | 1m70yd* | 3yo/up |
| \$1-million BC F/M Sprint | 6f* | 3yo/up, f/m |
| \$1-million BC Juvenile Turf | 1mT | 2yo, c, g, f |

Saturday, Oct. 27

| | | |
|--------------------------------|---------|-------------|
| \$5-million GI BC Classic | 1 1/4m | 3yo/up |
| \$3-million GI BC Turf | 1 1/2mT | 3yo/up |
| \$2-million GI BC Juv. Fillies | 1 1/16m | 2yo, f |
| \$2-million GI BC Juvenile | 1 1/16m | 2yo, c & g |
| \$2-million GI BC F/M Turf | 1 3/8mT | 3yo/up, f/m |
| \$2-million GI BC Mile | 1mT | 3yo/up |
| \$2-million GI BC Sprint | 6f | 3yo/up |
| \$2-million GI BC Distaff | 1 1/8m | 3yo/up, f/m |

*Monmouth Park configuration mandates these races to be run at these distances in 2007. In future years, the Dirt Mile will be run at 1 mile and the F/M Sprint at 7f.

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MONDAY - TOP MARES**

| Hip | Name | Status/Cov. | Sire | Price (\$) |
|------------|---|------------------------|------------------------|------------|
| <u>109</u> | Point Ashley <i>(3, Point Given--Golden Thatch, by Slew o' Gold)</i> Consigned by Hill 'n' Dale Sales Agency, agent Purchased by Hill 'n' Dale Bloodstock | b'mare/racing prospect | | 1,800,000 |
| <u>198</u> | Swan Nebula <i>(5, Seeking the Gold--Bright Tiara, by Chief's Crown)</i> Consigned by Bluewater Sales LLC, Agent XXIX Purchased by John McCormack Bloodstock | | El Prado (Ire) | 525,000 |
| <u>222</u> | Vague <i>(4, Elusive Quality--April in Kentucky, by Palace Music)</i> Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent CI Purchased by Gulf Coast Farm | b'mare/racing prospect | | 430,000 |
| <u>002</u> | Hard to Copy <i>(15, Mr. Prospector--Hot Novel, by Mari's Book)</i> Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, agent for Joanne Nor (A Major Reduction of Breeding Stock) Purchased by Ben Walden, agent | | Dynaformer | 370,000 |
| <u>074</u> | More Than Pretty <i>(3, More Than Ready--Pretty Livia, by Forest Wildcat)</i> Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent L Purchased by B. Wayne Hughes | b'mare/racing prospect | | 330,000 |
| <u>134</u> | Royal Fupeg <i>(3, Fusaichi Pegasus--Heeremandi {Ire}, by Royal Academy)</i> Consigned by Greenfield Farm (B D Gibbs Farm LLC), Agent I Purchased by Anthony Stroud | b'mare/racing prospect | | 320,000 |
| <u>302</u> | Chaste <i>(11, Cozzene--Purity, by Fappiano)</i> Consigned by Mulholland Springs Purchased by St George Farm | | Mr. Greeley | 320,000 |
| <u>285</u> | Brunilda (Arg) <i>(6, Mutakddim--La Valkiria {Arg}, by Logical)</i> Consigned by Bluewater Sales LLC, Agent XII Purchased by Stonewall Farm | b'mare/racing prospect | | 295,000 |
| <u>153</u> | Shepherd's Star <i>(7, Seeking the Gold--Hangin on a Star, by Vice Regent)</i> Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, agent for Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC Purchased by Fred W Hertrich III | | Dynaformer | 260,000 |
| <u>325</u> | Desert Stormette <i>(16, Storm Cat--Breezy Stories, by Damascus)</i> Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, agent for J Nor Purchased by Hill 'n' Dale Bloodstock | | Elusive Quality | 250,000 |
| <u>290</u> | Cabo Sunrise <i>(6, Elusive Quality--Miss Dreamland, by Naevus)</i> Consigned by Bluewater Sales, Agent XII Purchased by Belvedere Farm, agent | | Forestry | 220,000 |

**KEENELAND JANUARY
MONDAY - TOP YEARLINGS**

| Hip | Sex | Sire | Dam | Price (\$) |
|--|-----|--------------------------|--|------------|
| <u>256</u> | c | Distorted Humor | Andrea Gail B-Silverleaf Farms (Ky) | 500,000 |
| Consigned by Legacy Bloodstock, Agent CXVIII Purchased by Stonestreet Stable | | | | |
| <u>277</u> | c | Distorted Humor | Bold Burst B-Silverleaf Farms (Ky) | 270,000 |
| Consigned by Legacy Bloodstock, Agent CXVIII Purchased by Red Clover Bloodstock | | | | |
| <u>158</u> | f | Belong to Me | Shiny Band B-Bohemia Stable (Md) | 200,000 |
| Consigned by Walnut Green, agent for Bohemia Stable Purchased by W S Farish | | | | |
| <u>220</u> | c | Distorted Humor | Two Punch Lil B-Silverleaf Farms (Ky) | 200,000 |
| Consigned by Legacy Bloodstock, Agent CXVIII Purchased by Bloodstock Services | | | | |
| <u>242</u> | c | Mr. Greeley | Yalta B-Brilliant Stables (Ky) | 195,000 |
| Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent LXXXVI Purchased by Walnut Hill Racing | | | | |
| <u>157</u> | c | Dixie Union | Shiner B-Bohemia Stable (Md) | 190,000 |
| Consigned by Walnut Green, agent for Bohemia Stable Purchased by Sheehy Bros Ireland, agent | | | | |
| <u>261</u> | c | Posse | Ashbecca B-Dr Rodney M Orr (Ky) | 190,000 |
| Consigned by Katalpa Farm (Lonnie R Owens), Agent I Purchased by JNR Bloodstock | | | | |
| <u>068</u> | c | Successful Appeal | Mississippi Queen B-Silverleaf Farm (Ky) | 165,000 |
| Consigned by Legacy Bloodstock, Agent CXVII Purchased by Debbie Easter, agent | | | | |
| <u>368</u> | c | Pulpit | Grand Deed B-Jaime Carrion, Trustee (Ky) | 150,000 |
| Consigned by Robert Courtney/Crestfield Farm, Agent I Purchased by Glencrest Farm, agent | | | | |
| <u>009</u> | f | Medaglia d'Oro | Home Together B-Brandywine Farm (Ky) | 140,000 |
| Consigned by Brandywine LLC (Jim & Pam Robinson) Purchased by Mark Stansell | | | | |
| <u>200</u> | c | Rahy | Sweet and Steady B-Dr K K & Dr VD Jayaraman, Robert Clay and Gainsborough Farm (Ky) | 120,000 |
| Consigned by Three Chimney Sales, agent Purchased by Frankfort Park Farm | | | | |
| <u>177</u> | c | Dixie Union | Spin a Mood B-Tony Holmes, Walter Zent & Kim Thornton (Ky) | 100,000 |
| Consigned by Bluewater Sales LLC, Agent XXI Purchased by Roy B Smith | | | | |



New Year. New Dreams.

**The January Horses of All Ages Sale continues through Monday, January 15.
Sessions begin at 10 a.m. daily.**




(More from Keeneland January)

All Smiles for Legacy Bloodstock...

Legacy Bloodstock, in just its second year of selling horses, had something to smile about at Keeneland January yesterday as the consignor of the day's session-topping yearling. The colt, a son of Distorted Humor--Andrea Gail, by Storm Bird who went through the ring as hip 256, was purchased for \$500,000 by Jess Jackson's Stonestreet Stable. Tommy Eastham, partners in Legacy with Mark Toothacre, was pleased with the final bid. "I thought it was a good price for a nice horse," said Eastham, who was born and raised in Lexington. "He was well sold, and I really think he will go on to bigger things on the racetrack. Since day one, he has done everything right. He has done everything he could to please us. Horses like that don't come around often." Why did Eastham get into the Thoroughbred business? "I've just always been a lover of horses," he explained, adding that he was thrilled to send this particular horse on to his new home. "I am tickled to death that he is going to such a great organization," Eastham said. Jackson was just as happy to call the colt his own. "He is a beautiful little foal by a great sire," he said. "He was a good purchase at this age and he could double in value as a yearling. We actually thought he might go a little higher. If he turns out as we expect, we will have something special." Looking ahead, he added, "We'll take him home and grow him and feed him. Then we'll see how he trains--we're not planning on pin-hooking him. I think a lot of the bidders were pin-hookers, but we are end users--at least we hope to be." Legacy enjoyed more success with the Distorted Humor brand on the day, getting \$270,000 for hip 277, a colt by the WinStar sire out of Bold Burst (Dahar); and \$200,000 for hip 220, out of MSW Two Punch Lil (Two Punch). A half to GISW Trust N Luck and MSW Grand Veranda, hip 277 was purchased by Red Clover Bloodstock. Hip 220, a half to SP Yuwa Hurricane, was bought by Bloodstock Services. All three colts were bred by Silverleaf Farms in Kentucky.

McCormack Goes Deep for Swan Nebula...

Bidding from the back ring, bloodstock agent John McCormack was extended to \$525,000 for hip 198, the five-year-old mare Swan Nebula (Seeking the Gold). Consigned to the sale by Bluewater Sales, agent, the bay was sold in foal to El Prado (Ire). Campaigned by Sheikh Mohammed, who acquired Swan Nebula's dam Bright Tiara for \$3 million at the 2000 Keeneland November sale, the mare broke her maiden at Newbury in August 2004 and followed with a victory in a Doncaster nursery the following month, defeating 20 rivals in the process. She also has pedigree appeal, as her full sister, Gold Tiara, won a domestic Group 1 race in Japan en route to amassing earnings in excess of \$3.2 million. "She's an excellent physical, she has a very nice pedigree--you can't go too wrong with a filly by Seeking the Gold. She was quite an obvious filly, to be honest," McCormack said, adding that he acted on behalf of a U.S.-based partnership. "She has lots of appeal from a Japanese perspective. She was a winner at two and from a commercial standpoint, that's very important. She was in good hands at the races and let's hope she's a lucky mare for us." McCormack indicated that the foal she is carrying would likely be reoffered at an American sale in due time. He did not know who the mare would be bred back to in 2007.



KEENELAND JANUARY STATISTICS
MONDAY, JAN. 8, 2007

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| <u>SESSION TOTALS</u> | <u>2007</u> |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| No. Offered | 291 |
| No. Sold | 211 |
| RNAs | 80 |
| % RNA | 27.5% |
| Gross | \$18,970,000 |
| Average | \$89,905 |
| Median | \$55,000 |

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Brandywine Buys Low, Sells High...

For 25 years, Jim and Pam Robinson had “real” jobs. Having relocated from North Carolina to Central Kentucky a few years ago, the affable couple operate Brandywine Farm in Paris, where they keep over 120 mares. Quietly going about their business of raising and bringing quality individuals to market, the duo had a profitable afternoon yesterday, selling a pair of yearlings produced by mares acquired for pocket change. The first of those offerings was hip [9](#), a colt from the first crop of treble Grade I winner Medaglia d’Oro. The Robinsons gave just \$7,000 for the colt’s dam, Home Together (Homebuilder), carrying a foal by Kissin Kris at the 2004 Fasig-Tipton February Sale. Mrs. Robinson admits that there wasn’t a whole lot of science in picking out the mare. “We owned her granddam and she was a lovely mare,” she explained. “We just decided we wanted a daughter.” Next came the decision of a potential mate and the Robinsons decided on Medaglia d’Oro in his first year at stud. “We just loved the sire,” Pam Robinson continued. “He’s an extremely good-looking horse and it’s nice that he’s been so well received. We got a very nice foal.” Barren for 2007, Home Together is slated to visit Cherokee Run this winter. The Robinsons took a crack at another first-crop stallion, when they bred Spankstress (Crafty Prospector), a \$2,200 FTKFEB purchase in 2005, to GI Breeders’ Cup Juvenile hero and champion Action This Day. The result was hip [175](#), who made a solid \$80,000 yesterday. “[Spankstress] was a very pretty mare and we were very excited to get her,” Pam Robinson said. “We liked Action This Day and we thought it would be a good cross and it all turned out really well.” Currently in foal to Congaree, Spankstress is booked to Bellamy Road for the current breeding season. For the Robinsons, raising horses is a labor of love. “We give the horses everything,” Pam Robinson adds. “They get it first and we take any leftovers.”

NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK

A snapshot of how first-time in-foal mares and racing/broodmare prospects are selling at Fasig-Tipton and Keeneland combined, categorized by their best on-track performance.

| | Sold | Average | Median |
|-------------|------|-------------|-------------|
| G1 wnrs | 1 | \$1,800,000 | \$1,800,000 |
| G2 wnrs | 0 | N/A | N/A |
| G3 wnrs | 2 | \$235,000 | \$235,000 |
| Listed wnrs | 3 | \$275,667 | \$330,000 |

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| 2005 | #1 Broodmare Sire in England |
| 2006 | #1 Keeneland November record weanling filly ... \$2,400,000 |
| 2007... | |

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Busy Day Ahead for Grovendale...

James B. Keogh spent opening day of Keeneland January in the winter sunshine, chatting to prospective buyers who stopped by Barn 14 to inspect members of the consignment from Keogh’s Grovendale LLC. It’s one of the things he likes best about his job. “I enjoy meeting people,” he explained. But there will be a lot less time for conversation as Keogh shepherd’s today’s 30-strong offering to the sales ring. The Irish horseman worked for John Gaines at Gainesway for 12 years before launching his own operation in 1994. How does he feel about the horses he has brought to Lexington this week? “I am quietly confident,” he said with a smile. One of the Grovendale highlights is expected to be [hip 577](#), the four-year-old **Valliere** (Louis Quatorze--Aldebaran Light, by Seattle Slew). The unraced filly is a half-sister to G1 Middle Park S. winner Balmont, and carries a foal by Rock of Gibraltar (Ire). “He is the second-leading freshman sire in Europe,” Keogh said. “He is a very exciting stallion.” Keogh is also high on [hip 568](#), a short yearling filly by Dixie Union out of a full sister to GSW Cat on Tour and half-sister to MGSW Tour of the Cat. “She is a very nice physical, and she’s from the family of Hennessy and a lot of good horses,” he remarked. Keogh will be busy this afternoon, but he wouldn’t have it any other way. “I’d guess I’m just a natural born horse dealer,” he said. “I love the excitement of the sales--it’s the aspect of the industry I love best.”



Hay, Oats and Water...

Joanne Nor takes the organic approach when it comes to raising horses. Nor, who once had as many as 100 broodmares on the Kentucky farm she bought 25 years ago, is conducting a major reduction of her bloodstock, with 10 lots scheduled to go through the ring at Keeneland January. She feels the horses she is offering to the marketplace have an added value, because they have lived completely chemical-free lives. "They have been raised on certifiably organic land--there have been no chemicals on the land for a quarter of a century," Nor explained. "I feed organically, and I have three and four generations of drug-free horses. I think that is the key to the longevity of the Thoroughbred, the key to success for the future of the racehorse. Horses today are so tainted with chemicals, from the environment, from pharmaceuticals. I believe the DNA passed from generation to generation has been so damaged. The only way to reverse that is to go back to nature, to feed naturally and to say no to drugs." Nor sent three horses through the ring yesterday, with Taylor Made Sales Agency. Topping the trio was [hip 2](#), the 15-year-old Mr. Prospector mare **Hard to Copy**. The dam of GSP Andover Lady, she brought \$370,000 from Ben Walden, agent. But Nor was hoping the half-sister to MGISW Behrens would bring more. "We sold her Dynaformer filly [at the 2005 Keeneland September Sale] for \$475,000," she explained. "She is back in foal to Dynaformer, so I thought she'd bring what that foal brought, and she is a mare that gets in foal on one cover every year. But we had hip #2 going against us--she was almost the first horse through the ring, and no one knew what the market was going to be." She added, "The market is a little soft, it seems to me." Also selling yesterday was [hip 325](#), **Desert Stormette** (Storm Cat), in foal to Elusive Quality. The 16-year-old is a full sister to Desert Stormer, who captured the GI Breeders' Cup Sprint for Nor, and is the dam of SW and GSP Desert Gold. She was bought for \$250,000 by Hill 'n' Dale Bloodstock. Nor will have the second horse through the ring again on Wednesday. [Hip 751](#) is a yearling colt by champion Vindication out of Hard to Copy. She is also selling mares in foal to Stormy Atlantic, Friends Lake and Include. But, despite the reduction in her broodmare band, Nor will continue to pursue her ideal in the industry. "My long-term goal is to breed healthy, sound horses," she said.

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Slow Early, Faster Late...

A bit sluggish to start, day one of the January sale gradually picked up speed and a flurry of six-figure price tags led to a 0.2-percent increase in the average versus 2006. The middle market held up nicely with a 10-percent bump in the median over last year's corresponding session. "I think people were adjusting a little from the November sale to the January sale," commented Geoffrey Russell, Keeneland's Director of Sales. "But once people got their feet under them, I think it went really well. Horses sold very well all day and we definitely see a continuation from November into January in the sense that there remains a great desire for the young horses and there's a penalty on older horses and mares not in foal. Yearlings sold very well, especially those by Distorted Humor." A somewhat perplexing statistic to sales officials was an unusually high number of withdrawals (84) prior to yesterday's session. Combined with session-one RNAs (81), nearly four of every nine horses catalogued were either out of the sale or were led out of the ring unsold.

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| Hip | Name | Covering Sire | Price |
|------------------------|--|------------------------|-----------|
| Hip 65 | Miss Concerto | Racing/b'mare prospect | \$175,000 |
| | (m, 6, Concerto--Miss Gaybeddard, by Lord Gaylord) | | |
| | Consigned by Three Chimneys Sales, agent | | |
| | Purchased by Glencrest farm, agent | | |

Claimed for \$50,000 after finishing third at Woodbine in July of 2005, Miss Concerto went on to win five of her next 10 starts for Tucci Stables, including the GIII Bessarabian H. in '05 and the GIII Ontario Matron H. in '06. She earned \$313,096 for the connections, then added to that return at Keeneland January.

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|------------------------|--|------------------------|-----------|
| Hip 74 | More Than Pretty | Racing/b'mare prospect | \$330,000 |
| | (f, 4, More Than Ready--Pretty Livia, by Forest Wildcat) | | |
| | Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent L | | |
| | Purchased by B. Wayne Hughes | | |

More Than Pretty was purchased for \$115,000 as an OBSFEB juvenile, and went on to become a stakes winner of \$209,248 for owner Naveed Chowhan. The dark bay proved even more valuable as a racing or broodmare prospect yesterday.

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Hip 101 Oyster Baby Mr. Greeley \$160,000
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 Consigned by Dapple Stud
 Purchased by Ted Burge

On behalf of his Dapple Bloodstock, Mike Akers paid just \$40,000 to land Oyster Baby at the 2005 Keeneland November sale. Bred to Mr. Greeley and carrying her first foal, yesterday's result represented a near 100-percent return on the original investment.

Hip 148 Sea Pines B'mare prospect \$180,000
 (4, Exploit--Minicolony, by Pleasant Colony)
 Consigned by Three Chimneys Sales, agent
 Purchased by Abbot Bloodstock

Sea Pines was knocked down to Conover Stables for a mere \$30,000 as a Keeneland September yearling in 2004 and earned back \$77,160 in two seasons at the track, including a pair of black-type placings. Retired and sold as a broodmare prospect, her owners now have a little more cash to reinvest.

Hip 180 Starleena Rcg/b'mare prospect \$90,000
 (5, Malibu Moon--Clever Rache, by Clever Champ)
 Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency
 Purchased by Heiligbrodt Racing Stable

Owner Naveed Chowhan, who sold Runway Model for \$2.7 million at Keeneland November, claimed this filly for \$50,000 in 2005 and earned back over \$97,000 at the races. Yesterday's activity further validated the claim.

Hip 302 Chaste Mr. Greeley \$320,000
 (m, 11, Cozzene--Purity, by Fappiano)
 Consigned by Mulholland Springs
 Purchased by St. George Farm

John and Martha Jane Mulholland acquired Chaste carrying a foal by King Cugat for \$210,000 at the 2002 Keeneland November sale and resold that foal for \$100,000 as a Keeneland September yearling in 2004. The mare's Giant's Causeway filly made \$270,000 at the 2005 September sale and yesterday's transaction added nicely to their coffers.

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 indicate first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races.

YEARLINGS

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| Hip# | Breeding | Price |
| Hip 68 | Successful Appeal--Mississippi Queen | \$165,000 |
| | Consigned by Legacy Bloodstock, agent Purchased by Debbie Easter, agent | |

Briggs and Cromartie Bloodstock Agency went to \$72,000 for Mississippi Queen carrying a foal by Tiznow at the 2005 Keeneland January Sale and the mare was bred back to Successful Appeal. She produced a bay colt on Mar. 31 of last year and the decision to breed to the Walmac stallion paid dividends yesterday.

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| Hip 242 | Mr. Greeley--Yalta | \$195,000 |
| | Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, agent Purchased by Walnut Hill Racing | |

Fred Hertrich III gave just \$42,000 for Yalta at the 2003 Keeneland November sale, got a Cat Thief colt in 2005 and this offspring last Apr. 6. Despite buying the mare back for \$60,000 this past November, she became a profitable investment yesterday.

☆ **HIP HAPPENINGS** ☆

Hip 382, Hello Liberty, 4, Forest Camp--Witness Post, by Gone West

Consigned by Lane's End, agent

Selling as a broodmare prospect, the four-year-old filly comes off a sophomore campaign that included wins in the GII Nassau County BC S. and the Peach Blossom S., and a second in the GI Acorn S. She earned \$284,239.

Hip 389, I'm a Caution, 5, A.P. Indy--Magicalmysterycat, by Storm Cat

Consigned by Claiborne Farm, agent for the complete dispersal of F. Eugene Dixon, Jr.

A full sister to a colt that brought \$2.3 million at the 2005 KESEP sale, winner I'm a Caution is out of a mare that brought \$1.7 million as a Keeneland January broodmare prospect in 2001. Her half-sister, Magical Masquerade, is the dam of \$16 million FTFFEB juvenile The Green Monkey. She sells in foal to Johannesburg.

Hip Happenings cont. p8

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Hip 396, Just for Chance (Ire), 6, **Danehill**--Don't Rush,
by Alleged

Consigned by Brookdale Sales, agent

A multiple stakes-placed daughter of Danehill, the bay mare boasts champion Kamar as her second dam. She is out of a half to champion Key to the Moon, GISW Gorgeous and GI Kentucky Oaks heroine Seaside Attraction, who herself has produced champion Golden Attraction and GISW Cape Town. It is also the family of GISW Love Smitten and champion Fantastic Light. She is in foal to Pulpit, who was the second-leading covering sire in North America in 2006 with an average of \$1,487,000 and a median of \$400,000.

Hip 405, f, 2, **Gone West**--Korveya, by Riverman

Consigned by Lane's End, agent

The dark bay has a lot to live up to. Out of a \$7-million Keeneland November purchase, she is a 3/4-sister to champions Bosra Sham and Hector Protector and Classic winner Shanghai. The just-turned two-year-old, a late May foal, is offered as a racing or broodmare prospect.

Hip 406, f, **Gone West**--Kumari Continent, by Kris S.

Consigned by Mill Ridge Sales, agent

The dark bay, a May 9 foal, is out of GSW and GISP Kumari Continent, from the family of stakes winners Binalong and Songlines. Her full sister brought \$250,000 at the 2005 Keeneland September sale.

Hip 421, Lightning Show, 4, **Storm Cat**--Terre Haute,
by Caro (Ire)

Consigned by Eaton Sales, agent for Overbrook Farm

The dark bay filly is a full sister to GISW Tactical Cat and GSP Storm Passage, from the family of GISW Skip Trial. She is in foal to More Than Ready.

Hip 454, f, **Gulch**--Nogalus, by Trempolino

Consigned by Grovendale LLC/James Keogh, Agent VIII

A May foal, the chestnut filly is out of a half-sister to MGSW Abaginone and GISW Cara Rafaela, herself dam of Eclipse finalist and MGSW Bernardini and GISP Ile de France.

Hip 456, Notable Career, 9, Avenue of Flags--Excellent Lady, by Smarten

*Consigned by Mill Ridge Sales,
Agent for Golden Eagle Farm*

Notable Career captured the GI Oak Leaf S. and GIII Landaluce S. as a juvenile and retired with earnings of \$327,855. She is a half-sister to MGSW General Challenge, a winner of more than \$2.8 million, and MSW Western Hemisphere, and sells in foal to Speightstown. Mares in foal to the champion sprinter averaged \$273,666 at auction last year.

Hip 463, f, **Smarty Jones**--Outlasting, by Seattle Slew

*Consigned by Grovendale LLC/James Keogh,
Agent XXXVII*

The only Smarty Jones filly to go through the ring here, she is a half-sister to GSW Fortitude, who set a course record in winning the GIII Belmont BC H. and earned \$426,732. Her second dam is champion Outstandingly, and her sire was the leading freshman sire of weanlings last year, averaging \$275,625.

Hip 524, Solvig, 10, Caerleon--Incha (GB), by Nashwan

Consigned by Charlton,

agent for the complete dispersal of F. Eugene Dixon Jr.

Bought for \$950,000 at this auction a year ago, the 10-year-old dropped a filly by Smarty Jones and was bred back to Afleet Alex. The multiple graded-stakes winner of \$800,694, she is also from a family that includes champion Plugged Nickle and GISW Christecat.

Hip 537, Stormy Gal, 13, Storm Cat--Gay Seniorita,
by Raise a Native

Consigned by Hopewell Farm LLC, Agent IV

A winning mare from the family of graded winners Gull's Cry and Gala Regatta, and a half to G1SP Cordoba, Stormy Gal has produced SW and MGSP Derianne and SP Present Danger. She sells in foal to Gone West.

Hip Happenings cont. p9

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Hip 571, Turn Me Loose, 6, Kris S.--Adoradancer, by Danzig Connection

Consigned by Lane's End, agent

From the family of graded-stakes winners Luftikus and Diversa, this chestnut mare is a half to Saint Anddan (A.P. Indy). That \$1.85-million KEESEP yearling purchase ran his record to three wins from 10 starts with an impressive allowance victory at Fair Grounds last Saturday. He now has earnings of \$116,185. Turn Me Loose sells in foal to Mr. Greeley.

Hip 574, User Cat, 9, Storm Cat--User Friendly (GB), by Slip Anchor (GB)

Consigned by Mill Ridge Sales, agent

A daughter of European Horse of the Year and five-time Group 1 winner User Friendly, the bay has gotten off to a promising start at stud. Her current three-year-old daughter, Cumin (Fusaichi Pegasus), brought \$600,000 as a KEEJAN yearling in 2005 and was third in last year's G3 Prestige S. She sells on a Feb. 16 cover date to the 2000 Kentucky Derby winner.

Hip 588, c, Touch Gold--Wander Storm, by Storm Bird

Consigned by Grovendale LLC/James B Keogh, agent

This Mar. 27 foal is a half-brother to Wander Mom (Maria's Mon), winner of the GIII My Charmer H. at four and third in the GI Garden City Breeders' Cup H. at three. The bay also hails from the immediate female family of champion Serena's Song.

Hip 615, Aloha Rosa, 7, Silver Deputy--Gypsy Monarch, by Wavering Monarch

Consigned by Four Star Sales, agent for Glencrest Farm

This newly turned seven-year-old mare is a half-sister to La Chunga (More Than Ready), a leading two-year-old of her generation in Europe with her victory in the G3 Albany S. in 2005. Produced by a half-sister to GSW Mint and SWs Minge Cove and Nasty Hero, the chestnut sells in foal to More Than Ready.

Hip 646, c, Gulch--Carr Shaker, by Carr de Naska

Consigned by Bluegrass Thoroughbred Services (J Stuart), agt for High Mountain Farm LLC

An Apr. 27 foal, this chestnut colt is kin to four-time stakes winner Dewars Rocks and to the stakes-placed Woodford Rocks. Those two horses are sons of Big Mukora, the year-younger full brother to the sire of this offering.

Hip 647, f, Lion Heart--Catch a Glimpse, by Gulch

Consigned by Trackside Farm (Tom Evans), agent

Rob Whiteley and Richard and Audrey Haisfield teamed to purchase Catch a Glimpse for \$57,000 carrying this foal in utero at last year's January Sale. That decision looked all the better when the mare's two-year-old of 2006, Successful Outlook (Orientate), took the GIII Tempted S. and was third in the GII Demoiselle S.

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Hip 693, Fiddlers Song, 4, Songandaprayer--Storm o'Fire, by Storm Bird

Consigned by Grovendale LLC/James B Keogh, agent

Also from the family of the great Serena's Song, this filly is a half-sister to Appealing Storm, the dam of GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup winner Vacare. The latter made headlines in November, selling for \$2.8 million at Fasig-Tipton. She sells as a broodmare prospect only.

Hip 697, Fleet and Fancy, 4, Touch Gold--Fleet Lady, by Avenue of Flags

Consigned by Four Star Sales, agent

A daughter of multiple Grade II winner and Grade I-placed Fleet Lady (\$631,190), the dark bay mare is a three-quarters sister to Fast Cookie (Deputy Minister), winner of the GII Cotillion H. and \$557,480. Selling in foal to Mr. Greeley, the resulting foal will be bred on the same lines as GII Jim Dandy S. winner Strong Hope.

Hip 727, 2yo, Dixie Union--Quick 'n Smart, by Polish Numbers

Consigned by Charlton, agent for the complete estate dispersal of F Eugene Dixon Jr

A son of stakes-winning Quick 'n Smart, this juvenile is a half-brother to the good turf horse Smart Enough (Horse Chestnut {SAf}), a three-time stakes winner in 2006. Smart Enough is one of four horses retained by the Dixon estate.



☆ RESULTS ☆

Sunday, Nakayama, Japan

NIKKAN SPORTS SHO SHINZAN KINEN-G3-JRA
(Listed), ¥76,590,000, Nakayama, 1-8, 3yo, 1600mT, 1:35.10, fm.

1--#**ADMIRE AURA (JPN)**, 123, c, 3, by Agnes Tachyon (Jpn)

1st Dam: Biwa Heidi (Jpn) (Ch. 2yo Filly-Jpn, MSW-Jpn, \$1,492,878), by Caerleon

2nd Dam: Aghsan (Ire), by Lord Gayle

3rd Dam: Santa Luciana (Ger), by Luciano (GB)

O-Riichi Kondo; B-Northern Farm; T-Hiroyoshi Matsuda; J-Yasunari Iwata; ¥40,413,000. Lifetime: 3-2-1-0. *1/2 to Admire Japan (Jpn) (Sunday Silence), SW-Jpn, \$1,490,830.

2--**Daiwa Scarlet (Jpn)**, 119, f, 3, Agnes Tachyon (Jpn)--Scarlet Bouquet (Jpn), by Northern Taste. O-Keizo Oshiro; B-Shadai Farm; ¥16,118,000

3--**Laurel Guerreiro (Jpn)**, 126, c, 3, King Halo--Big Tenby (Jpn), by Tenby (GB). O-Laurel Racing; B-Murata Farm; ¥10,059,000

Margins: 1HF, 2HF, 1 1/4. Odds: 3.40, 0.90, 2.00.

Saturday, Maronas, Uruguay

GRAN PREMIO JOSE PEDRO RAMIREZ-G1, U\$2,250,000, 1-6, Maronas, 3/up, 2400m, 2:27.84, ft.

1--▲**GOOD REPORT (ARG)**, 121, c, 3, by Ride the Rails

1st Dam: Good Pearl (Arg), by Senor Pete

2nd Dam: Good Girl (Arg), by Utopico (Arg)

3rd Dam: Good Luck (Arg), by Luxemburgo (Arg)

O-Stud Santa Teresa; B-Haras Abolengo; T-Luis Belela; J-Jorge Ricardo; U\$1,350,000; Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins.

2--**Rienzo (Uru)**, 132, c, 4, Ritz (Chi)-Lodevole (Uru), by Lode. O-Renacimiento. U\$472,500.

3--**Potri Flash (Uru)**, 132, c, 4, Potridoon (Arg)-Niagara Falls (Arg), by Babor (Arg). O-Gavroche. U\$292,500.

Margins: 6, NK, 2 1/2.

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☆ PREVIEW ☆

Saturday, Fair Grounds

LECOMTE S.-GIII, \$100,000, 3yo, 1m

| PP | HORSE | SIRE | JOCKEY | WT |
|----|--------------------|---------------|-----------|-----|
| 1 | Makeithapencaptain | Aptitude | C Lanerie | 116 |
| 2 | Citi Smoke | Smoke Glacken | Zimmerman | 116 |
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| 5 | Beta Capo | Langfuhr | D Meche | 120 |
| 6 | Tony Terrific | Gone West | Castanon | 118 |
| 7 | Teufflesberg | Johannesburg | Albarado | 122 |

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

| Date | Race | Track |
|---------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Jan. 13 | GII San Rafael | Santa Anita |
| | GII San Fernando BC | Santa Anita |
| | GIII Lecomte | Fair Grounds |
| Jan. 14 | GII El Encino | Santa Anita |
| Jan. 15 | GII Santa Ynez | Santa Anita |
| Jan. 20 | GII Palos Verdes | Santa Anita |
| | GIII Aqueduct | Aqueduct |
| | GIII First Lady | Gulfstream |
| Jan. 27 | Sunshine Millions | Gulfstream/Santa Anita |
| Jan. 28 | GI Santa Monica | Santa Anita |
| | GII Mac Diarmida | Gulfstream |
| | GI Donn H. | Gulfstream |
| Feb. 3 | GII Swale S. | Gulfstream |
| | GIII Holy Bull S. | Gulfstream |
| | GIII Suwannee River H. | Gulfstream |
| | GIII Canadian Turf H. | Gulfstream |
| | GIII Deputy Minister H. | Gulfstream |
| | GII Strub S. | Santa Anita |
| Feb. 4 | GIII Sham S. | Santa Anita |
| | GII San Antonio H. | Santa Anita |

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PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

Sunday, Santa Anita

SAN GORGONIO H.-GII, \$150,000, SAX, 1-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:46 4/5, fm.

1--@**CITRONNADE**, 115, f, 4, by **Lemon Drop Kid**

1st Dam: Primarily (SW), by Lord At War (Arg)

2nd Dam: Mostly, by *Grey Dawn II

3rd Dam: Rare Relish, by Johns Joy

O-Stronach Stables; B-Adena Springs (KY); T-Robert J Frankel; J-D R Flores; \$90,000. Lifetime Record:

8-5-2-0, \$252,800. *1/2 to Primaly (Alydeed), Ch.

2yo Filly-Can, SW & GISP, \$381,770; Poetically

(Silver Deputy), Ch. 2yo Filly-Can, MSW & GSP,

\$561,158; and Whiskey Wisdom (Wild Again), GSW,

\$452,824.

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Pedigree expert Andrew Caulfield takes a look at Discreet Cat, the son of Forestry who won the GI Cigar Mile.

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You might not think that an ability to read between the lines is required to accurately assess the current status of Lemon Drop Kid, the champion older horse of 2000. The bare facts are that, after starting out at \$100,000, his fee has gone into freefall, quickly dropping to \$75,000 and \$50,000 before sinking to \$20,000. This fall--combined with a similar slump in his number of mares (from 120 in 2003 to 58 in 2006)--would appear to tell the whole story. But does it?

The fact that his AEI of 1.63 falls well short of his mares' Comparative Index confirms that Lemon Drop Kid wasn't worthy of the sort of fee he started out at. But the record of this extremely well-bred son of Kingmambo is by no means all doom and gloom. Indeed, he could represent an attractive option at \$20,000--especially when his encouraging record as a turf sire suggests he will thrive as the synthetic tracks proliferate.

Lemon Drop Kid's achievements in 2006 included a total of nine stakes winners from 127 runners, with three of 11 winning at the graded level. Compare this, say, with the record of Elusive Quality, a stallion whose fee has gone in the other direction. Elusive Quality sired six stakes winners from a total of 164 runners and failed to sire a single graded winner last year. **Cont. pX**

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FIRST CROP STAKES WINNERS

Gr.1 winning 2-y-o **SCAT DADDY**.



- **BARONESS THATCHER** won the **SANTA YSABEL STAKES-GR.3** at Santa Anita on Saturday for owner **Zayat Stables** and trainer **Patrick Biancone**.
- His other Stakes winners include U.S.A. Gr.1 winner **SCAT DADDY**, English Gr.2 winner **HAMOODY**, Irish Gr.3 winner **RABATASH** etc.

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Lemon Drop Kid's graded winners were Lemons Forever (GI Kentucky Oaks), Cosmonaut (GIII) and Malakoff (a Grade III winner in Canada, where he was first past the post in the prestigious Prince of Wales S.). Lemons Forever and Malakoff are among the 81 named foals in Lemon Drop Kid's second crop, which has now come up with another graded winner in Citronnade, winner of the GII San Gorgonio H. two days ago. This crop also contains Bear's Kid (winner of the GII Summer S. on turf at two), and the graded-placed winners Perilous Pursuit, Reform Act and Green Lemon.

The chances are that his third crop will prove similarly effective. As many as eight of his 39 juvenile runners in 2006 were stakes horses, and one of them--Christmas Kid--helped Lemon Drop Kid make an ideal start to 2007 with her victory in the Tropical Park Oaks (on turf). She was beaten to the distinction of being the first stakes winner from this crop by Miss A Bomb, who took the Gowell S. in December. The other stakes juveniles included Approval Rating, Bitter Lemon, Limoncella and three European-based colts--Mythical Kid, Kid Mambo and Holocene--who were second in a total of four Group 3 contests.

The very well-connected Mythical Kid, who was beaten only a short head by Dijeerr in the G3 Horris Hill S., has been recruited to the Godolphin team. Another British winner, Sunshine Kid, showed enough potential in landing his maiden victory to be immediately promoted to Group 1 company, finishing a creditable sixth in the Racing Post Trophy.

Perhaps Lemon Drop Kid has suffered as a stallion from being perceived as a stayer--a perception fuelled by his mile-and-a-quarter victories in the Travers S. and Suburban H. and his mile-and-a-half triumph in the Belmont S. However, it mustn't be forgotten that his Eclipse Award at four was based largely on his successes in three graded stakes over a mile and an eighth, including the GI Whitney H. and GI Woodward S. Nor should we forget that he built up a solid record as a two-year-old, despite being burdened with a May 26 birthday. That handicap didn't stop him from racing six times at two, when his finest efforts included a win in the GI Futurity S. and a second in the GI Champagne S.

The other reason for thinking that Lemon Drop Kid merits perseverance as a stallion is his outstanding female line. His dam Charming Lassie is a half-sister to Weekend Surprise, the dam of those very effective stallions A.P. Indy and Summer Squall. Other stallions from this family, such as Honor Grades, Foxhound, Al Mufti and Deerhound, have all sired Group/Grade I winners, despite having fallen short of that standard during their own careers. It is going to be interesting to see how Lemon Drop Kid's accomplished half-brother Statue of Liberty fares this year when his first juveniles race in Europe. I should add that Charming Lassie is by Seattle Slew, so she is closely related to A.P. Indy.

Citronnade represents another tribute to her broodmare sire Lord At War, who has a remarkable record. Euthanized at the age of 18 in 1998, when his fee was \$20,000, Lord At War left a total of 47 stakes winners among his 381 foals.

Even though he'd built up a record of 10 wins from 17 starts, including Grade I victories in the Santa Anita H. and San Antonio H., Lord At War initially struggled under the handicap of being an Argentine-bred with predominantly European bloodlines.

CITRONNADE, f, 2003

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| Lemon Drop Kid | Kingmambo | Mr. Prospector | Raise a Native |
| | | Miesque | Gold Digger |
| | Charming Lassie | Seattle Slew | Nureyev |
| | | Lassie Dear | Pasadoble |
| Primarily B'mare of the Year-Can, SW, 4-2-1-0, \$63,036 12Fls, 2Ch, 2GSW, 2SW | Lord at War (Arg) | General (Fr) | Bold Reasoning |
| | | Luna De Miel (Arg) | My Charmer |
| | Mostly 21-3-3-4, \$21,041 14Fls, 3SW | Grey Dawn II | Buckpasser |
| | | Rare Relish 10Fls, 3GSW | Gay Missile |
| | | | Brigadier Gerard (GB) |
| | | | Mercuriale (Fr) |
| | | Con Brio II | |
| | | Good Will (Arg) | |
| | | *Herbager | |
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His cause wasn't helped initially when he had only 13 live foals reported from the 33 mares he covered in his second season. However, that small second crop featured La Gueriere (GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup), Lord Joe (GIII) and Primarily, a Grade III Canadian winner who has produced not only Citronnade, but also champion Canadian juvenile fillies Poetically and Primaly, and the Grade III winner Whiskey Wisdom.

Primarily is by no means the only daughter of Lord of War with an impressive record as a broodmare. Lady Lochinvar was ably represented in 2006 by the Grade II winner Master Command (by A.P. Indy) and the Grade I-placed X Star (by A.P. Indy's son Pulpit). Lady Lochinvar's sister La Gueriere produced Lasting Approval (sire of Honey Ryder), while Springhurst has the Grade I winner Tali'sluckybusride and Grade III winner Sprung among her progeny. Even better is Words of War, whose offspring include E Dubai (GII) and No Matter What (GI), but Lord At War's most famous daughter must be Sweetest Lady, dam of the GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness hero War Emblem.

THIS WEEK IN RACING HISTORY...

January 11, 1950...Five-year-old **Citation** returned after more than a year off to win an allowance race at Santa Anita. Sidelined after taking his 15th straight race, the Tanforan H. December 11, 1948, he claimed his 16th in a row at odds of 3-20 by a length and a half.

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|-----------------|--------------------|-----|------|---|---------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------------|-------------|-----------|
| Rank by Average | Fyr | Loc | Ring | Sold | Average | Median | Top Mare | Sold | Average | Median | |
| 1 | STORM CAT | F89 | KY | 5 | 4 | \$2,312,500 | \$1,975,000 | \$4,500,000 | 25 | \$1,255,400 | \$825,000 |
| 2 | KINGMAMBO | F95 | KY | 3 | 3 | 1,833,333 | 2,000,000 | 2,800,000 | 20 | 957,047 | 396,434 |
| 3 | PULPIT | F99 | KY | 12 | 5 | 1,487,000 | 400,000 | 6,000,000 | 42 | 216,067 | 135,000 |
| 4 | A.P. INDY | F94 | KY | 10 | 7 | 1,339,285 | 1,150,000 | 2,200,000 | 17 | 519,411 | 450,000 |
| 5 | DISTORTED HUMOR | F00 | KY | 10 | 9 | 965,688 | 660,000 | 2,900,000 | 57 | 303,368 | 240,000 |
| 6 | SEEKING THE GOLD | F91 | KY | 5 | 4 | 950,000 | 862,500 | 1,700,000 | 19 | 574,775 | 320,000 |
| 7 | UNBRIDLED'S SONG | F98 | KY | 21 | 19 | 944,851 | 600,000 | 3,277,176 | 42 | 425,666 | 337,500 |
| 8 | GIANT'S CAUSEWAY | F02 | KY | 15 | 11 | 897,727 | 900,000 | 1,550,000 | 41 | 342,637 | 235,000 |
| 9 | GHOSTZAPPER | F07 | KY | 11 | 4 | 712,500 | 662,500 | 925,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 10 | GONE WEST | F89 | KY | 14 | 6 | 540,000 | 327,500 | 1,850,000 | 23 | 304,410 | 235,000 |
| 11 | DYNAFORMER | F91 | KY | 10 | 7 | 502,857 | 425,000 | 1,300,000 | 25 | 284,640 | 235,000 |
| 12 | EL PRADO (IRE) | F94 | KY | 10 | 7 | 487,142 | 525,000 | 925,000 | 17 | 145,911 | 65,000 |
| 13 | EMPIRE MAKER | F05 | KY | 11 | 6 | 476,666 | 457,500 | 800,000 | 32 | 379,125 | 270,000 |
| 14 | ELUSIVE QUALITY | F00 | KY | 19 | 14 | 431,071 | 437,500 | 1,000,000 | 50 | 193,087 | 107,500 |
| 15 | FORESTRY | F01 | KY | 21 | 19 | 368,947 | 360,000 | 875,000 | 54 | 214,066 | 170,000 |
| 16 | FUSAICHI PEGASUS | F02 | KY | 24 | 19 | 324,368 | 325,000 | 625,000 | 68 | 159,007 | 100,000 |
| 17 | MINESHAFT | F05 | KY | 9 | 5 | 316,000 | 300,000 | 600,000 | 33 | 292,415 | 200,000 |
| 18 | VINDICATION | F05 | KY | 38 | 27 | 284,814 | 240,000 | 675,000 | 64 | 340,281 | 210,000 |
| 19 | SPEIGHTSTOWN | F06 | KY | 23 | 17 | 245,823 | 235,000 | 450,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 20 | DIXIE UNION | F02 | KY | 18 | 13 | 227,076 | 170,000 | 675,000 | 37 | 96,273 | 80,000 |
| 21 | SAINT LIAM | F07 | KY | 33 | 21 | 223,190 | 230,000 | 450,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 22 | COZZENE | F87 | KY | 7 | 4 | 219,250 | 101,000 | 650,000 | 10 | 73,800 | 57,500 |
| 23 | SMARTY JONES | F06 | KY | 13 | 11 | 218,636 | 180,000 | 750,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 24 | TIZNOW | F03 | KY | 22 | 19 | 217,578 | 90,000 | 1,600,000 | 44 | 88,352 | 57,500 |
| 25 | MR. GREELEY | F97 | KY | 28 | 22 | 214,336 | 162,500 | 696,399 | 53 | 260,782 | 100,000 |
| 26 | AWESOME AGAIN | F00 | KY | 6 | 3 | 193,333 | 160,000 | 300,000 | 18 | 67,722 | 46,000 |
| 27 | STRONG HOPE | F06 | KY | 18 | 15 | 189,333 | 170,000 | 425,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 28 | ROCK HARD TEN | F07 | KY | 19 | 10 | 179,000 | 137,500 | 410,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 29 | SONGANDAPRAYER | F03 | KY | 24 | 20 | 178,750 | 150,000 | 450,000 | 34 | 141,705 | 125,000 |
| 30 | AFLEET ALEX | F07 | KY | 32 | 21 | 175,238 | 140,000 | 400,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 31 | HENNESSY | F98 | KY | 10 | 4 | 175,000 | 145,000 | 375,000 | 47 | 135,300 | 110,000 |
| 32 | SILVER DEPUTY | F90 | KY | 8 | 6 | 170,000 | 162,500 | 270,000 | 39 | 103,684 | 60,000 |
| 33 | SMART STRIKE | F98 | KY | 14 | 8 | 158,125 | 135,000 | 340,000 | 47 | 111,676 | 72,000 |
| 34 | JOHAR | F06 | KY | 8 | 6 | 144,950 | 29,000 | 725,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 35 | TALE OF THE CAT | F00 | KY | 27 | 16 | 143,562 | 150,000 | 290,000 | 72 | 135,618 | 90,000 |
| 36 | WAR CHANT | F02 | KY | 15 | 9 | 143,555 | 150,000 | 290,000 | 21 | 96,631 | 65,000 |
| 37 | SUCCESSFUL APPEAL | F02 | KY | 21 | 12 | 142,000 | 115,000 | 430,000 | 28 | 65,392 | 37,500 |
| 38 | ROMAN RULER | F07 | KY | 55 | 31 | 140,322 | 130,000 | 400,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 39 | QUIET AMERICAN | F93 | KY | 11 | 8 | 135,875 | 66,000 | 380,000 | 36 | 59,948 | 35,000 |
| 40 | DIXIELAND BAND | F86 | KY | 7 | 4 | 132,500 | 115,000 | 200,000 | 19 | 78,762 | 65,000 |
| 41 | SKY MESA | F05 | KY | 32 | 20 | 130,100 | 112,500 | 575,000 | 57 | 130,368 | 95,000 |
| 42 | SULTRY SONG | F95 | KY | 1 | 1 | 130,000 | 130,000 | 130,000 | 9 | 12,470 | 5,200 |
| 43 | JOHANNESBURG | F04 | KY | 46 | 25 | 129,973 | 100,000 | 350,000 | 77 | 159,443 | 120,000 |
| 44 | PLEASANTLY PERFECT | F06 | KY | 7 | 4 | 128,000 | 82,500 | 285,000 | 0 | -- | -- |

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Top 25 Freshman Covering Sires for 2006

| | | 2006 Covering Sires, NA Freshman Only | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|------|---------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| Rank by Average | Loc | Ring | Sold | Average | Median | Top Mare | |
| 1 | GHOSTZAPPER | KY | 11 | 4 | \$712,500 | \$662,500 | \$ 925,000 |
| 2 | SAINT LIAM | KY | 33 | 21 | 223,190 | 230,000 | 450,000 |
| 3 | ROCK HARD TEN | KY | 19 | 10 | 179,000 | 137,500 | 410,000 |
| 4 | AFLEET ALEX | KY | 32 | 21 | 175,238 | 140,000 | 400,000 |
| 5 | ROMAN RULER | KY | 55 | 31 | 140,322 | 130,000 | 400,000 |
| 6 | PURGE | KY | 47 | 38 | 126,184 | 88,500 | 535,000 |
| 7 | FOREST DANGER | KY | 40 | 26 | 118,384 | 93,500 | 385,000 |
| 8 | FOOTSTEPSINTHESAND (GB) | KY | 15 | 13 | 110,762 | 102,159 | 213,620 |
| 9 | EDDINGTON | KY | 22 | 14 | 106,214 | 102,500 | 250,000 |
| 10 | RIMROD | NJ | 1 | 1 | 92,170 | 92,170 | 92,170 |
| 11 | SOUTHERN IMAGE | KY | 31 | 19 | 84,315 | 50,000 | 410,000 |
| 12 | CONSOLIDATOR | KY | 33 | 26 | 77,269 | 66,000 | 310,000 |
| 13 | LIMEHOUSE | KY | 26 | 15 | 59,133 | 52,000 | 150,000 |
| 14 | EUROSILVER | KY | 48 | 27 | 44,600 | 35,000 | 120,000 |
| 15 | LEROIDESANIMAU (BRZ) | KY | 15 | 10 | 36,300 | 31,000 | 80,000 |
| 16 | POWERSCOURT (GB) | KY | 11 | 3 | 34,400 | 42,000 | 55,000 |
| 17 | NORTH LIGHT (IRE) | KY | 34 | 27 | 33,796 | 15,000 | 200,000 |
| 18 | CLOSING ARGUMENT | FL | 26 | 17 | 30,235 | 25,000 | 80,000 |
| 19 | MINGUN | KY | 16 | 7 | 29,071 | 35,000 | 52,000 |
| 20 | WILDCAT HEIR | FL | 18 | 14 | 28,192 | 22,000 | 57,000 |
| 21 | GRAND REWARD | KY | 26 | 15 | 25,946 | 22,000 | 87,000 |
| 22 | OFFLEE WILD | KY | 13 | 4 | 21,875 | 21,500 | 37,000 |
| 23 | VALUE PLUS | KY | 27 | 14 | 21,142 | 16,000 | 50,000 |
| 24 | TASTE OF PARADISE | KY | 8 | 3 | 19,400 | 11,000 | 45,000 |
| 25 | WOKE UP DREAMIN | KY | 16 | 3 | 19,333 | 15,000 | 30,000 |

Sales included in Covering-Sire Instatistics

2007 Keeneland January, 2006 Adena Springs Sale At Ftk - In Foal Mares, 2006 Arizona Tba At Phoenix - Mixed, 2006 Barretts Equine Sales - Breeding Stock, 2006 BBAG Autumn Sale, 2006 Cths October At Calgary - Mixed, 2006 Deauville Winter Mixed Sale, 2006 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November - Mixed, 2006 Fasig-Tipton Midatlantic - Mixed, 2006 Goffs December Flat Sale, 2006 Goffs Ireland November Broodmare and Fillies Sale, 2006 Keeneland November Mixed, 2006 Louisiana Tb Brdrs Assoc At Fair Grounds - Yrlg, 2006 Ocala Breeders Sales Co. - Mixed, 2006 Oregon Tbr Breeders Assoc. At Portland Meadows - Mixed, 2006 Tattersalls December Sale, 2006 Texas Tbr. Breeders Assoc - Mixed, 2006 Washington Horse Breeders Assoc. - Mixed.

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Top 25 Freshman Weanling Sires for 2006

| | | 2006 Weanling Sales, NA Freshman Only | | | | | | |
|-----------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|------|---------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Rank by Average | Loc | Ring | Sold | Average | Median | Top Colt | Top Filly | |
| 1 | SMARTY JONES | KY | 15 | 8 | \$275,625 | \$270,000 | \$ 425,000 | \$ 300,000 |
| 2 | SPEIGHTSTOWN | KY | 16 | 12 | 217,916 | 145,000 | 400,000 | 450,000 |
| 3 | MEDAGLIA D'ORO | KY | 34 | 25 | 170,280 | 150,000 | 425,000 | 310,000 |
| 4 | STRONG HOPE | KY | 20 | 15 | 123,666 | 115,000 | 280,000 | 300,000 |
| 5 | PERFECT SOUL (IRE) | KY | 12 | 7 | 113,428 | 42,000 | 370,000 | 35,000 |
| 6 | TAPIT | KY | 29 | 14 | 105,214 | 83,500 | 210,000 | 170,000 |
| 7 | LION HEART | KY | 56 | 24 | 96,833 | 76,000 | 420,000 | 100,000 |
| 8 | PLEASANTLY PERFECT | KY | 3 | 3 | 89,000 | 75,000 | 190,000 | 75,000 |
| 9 | FRIENDS LAKE | KY | 23 | 13 | 78,923 | 50,000 | 195,000 | 150,000 |
| 10 | JOHAR | KY | 16 | 9 | 73,036 | 55,000 | 125,000 | 130,000 |
| 11 | SPANISH STEPS | FL | 9 | 4 | 58,750 | 55,000 | 50,000 | 85,000 |
| 12 | CANDY RIDE (ARG) | KY | 23 | 14 | 56,012 | 37,500 | 170,000 | 105,000 |
| 13 | THE CLIFF'S EDGE | KY | 27 | 16 | 53,437 | 43,500 | 100,000 | 130,000 |
| 14 | PEACE RULES | FL | 33 | 20 | 53,025 | 47,000 | 155,000 | 100,000 |
| 15 | CONGAREE | KY | 21 | 12 | 50,699 | 45,000 | 110,000 | 90,000 |
| 16 | CASHEL CASTLE | FL | 4 | 2 | 48,000 | 48,000 | 43,000 | 53,000 |
| 17 | CANADIAN FRONTIER | KY | 13 | 11 | 47,636 | 38,000 | 145,000 | 75,000 |
| 18 | TOCCET | KY | 25 | 16 | 47,037 | 42,500 | 120,000 | 105,000 |
| 19 | WERBLIN | FL | 3 | 2 | 46,000 | 46,000 | - | 75,000 |
| 20 | ACTION THIS DAY | KY | 33 | 22 | 45,454 | 26,500 | 160,000 | 140,000 |
| 21 | CUVEE | KY | 33 | 11 | 45,272 | 55,000 | 65,000 | 75,000 |
| 22 | SOTO | KY | 12 | 3 | 44,900 | 55,000 | 75,000 | 55,000 |
| 23 | CHAPEL ROYAL | KY | 65 | 33 | 42,309 | 30,000 | 100,000 | 180,000 |
| 24 | TETON FOREST | KY | 11 | 4 | 39,875 | 39,000 | 75,000 | 35,000 |
| 25 | OMEGA CODE | FL | 25 | 14 | 37,107 | 29,000 | 65,000 | 100,000 |

Sales including in Weanling Instatistics

2007 Keeneland January, 2006 Arizona Tba At Phoenix - Mixed, 2006 Barretts Equine Sales - Breeding Stock, 2006 BBAG Autumn Sale, 2006 Brdrs Sales Co Of Louisiana At Fg-Yrlgs & Mixed, 2006 Canadian T.H.S. At Ft. Langley - Yearlings, 2006 Deauville Winter Mixed Sale, 2006 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky November - Mixed, 2006 Fasig-Tipton Midatlantic - Mixed, 2006 Goffs December Flat Sale, 2006 Goffs Ireland November Broodmare and Fillies Sale, 2006 Keeneland November Mixed, 2006 Louisiana Tb Brdrs Assoc At Fair Grounds - Yrlg, 2006 Ocala Breeders Sales Co. - Mixed, 2006 Oregon Tbr Breeders Assoc. At Portland Meadows - Mixed, 2006 Tattersalls December Sale, 2006 Texas Tbr. Breeders Assoc - Mixed, 2006 Washington Horse Breeders Assoc. - Mixed.

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Top 44 Weanling Sires for 2006

| | | 2006 Weanling Sales, NA Sires ONLY | | | | | | | | 2006 Yearling Sales | | |
|-----------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|-----|------|------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Rank by Average | | Fyr | Loc | Ring | Sold | Average | Median | Top Colt | Top Filly | Sold | Average | Median |
| 1 | GONE WEST | F89 | KY | 3 | 1 | \$2,400,000 | \$2,400,000 | \$ - | \$2,400,000 | 23 | \$304,410 | \$235,000 |
| 2 | UNBRIDLED'S SONG | F98 | KY | 8 | 4 | 446,250 | 472,500 | 140,000 | 700,000 | 42 | 425,666 | 337,500 |
| 3 | GIANT'S CAUSEWAY | F02 | KY | 13 | 7 | 327,857 | 200,000 | 1,050,000 | 295,000 | 41 | 342,637 | 235,000 |
| 4 | SMARTY JONES | F06 | KY | 15 | 8 | 275,625 | 270,000 | 425,000 | 300,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 5 | ELUSIVE QUALITY | F00 | KY | 11 | 9 | 273,251 | 250,000 | 659,260 | 500,000 | 50 | 193,087 | 107,500 |
| 6 | DYNAFORMER | F91 | KY | 10 | 6 | 252,500 | 292,500 | 325,000 | 300,000 | 25 | 284,640 | 235,000 |
| 7 | FORESTRY | F01 | KY | 10 | 6 | 250,833 | 185,000 | 620,000 | 230,000 | 54 | 214,066 | 170,000 |
| 8 | MINESHAFT | F05 | KY | 12 | 6 | 218,018 | 145,000 | 650,000 | 150,000 | 33 | 292,415 | 200,000 |
| 9 | SPEIGHTSTOWN | F06 | KY | 16 | 12 | 217,916 | 145,000 | 400,000 | 450,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 10 | AWESOME AGAIN | F00 | KY | 1 | 1 | 215,000 | 215,000 | - | 215,000 | 18 | 67,722 | 46,000 |
| 11 | DISTORTED HUMOR | F00 | KY | 10 | 8 | 207,500 | 165,000 | 500,000 | 290,000 | 57 | 303,368 | 240,000 |
| 12 | MR. GREELEY | F97 | KY | 19 | 12 | 202,904 | 190,000 | 400,000 | 350,000 | 53 | 260,782 | 100,000 |
| 13 | EMPIRE MAKER | F05 | KY | 9 | 6 | 194,666 | 220,000 | 290,000 | 300,000 | 32 | 379,125 | 270,000 |
| 14 | DIXIELAND BAND | F86 | KY | 8 | 3 | 187,333 | 45,000 | 45,000 | 500,000 | 19 | 78,762 | 65,000 |
| 15 | MEDAGLIA D'ORO | F06 | KY | 34 | 25 | 170,280 | 150,000 | 425,000 | 310,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 16 | VINDICATION | F05 | KY | 16 | 9 | 156,666 | 160,000 | 250,000 | 225,000 | 64 | 340,281 | 210,000 |
| 17 | PULPIT | F99 | KY | 5 | 2 | 155,000 | 155,000 | 150,000 | 160,000 | 42 | 216,067 | 135,000 |
| 18 | FUSAICHI PEGASUS | F02 | KY | 22 | 18 | 154,991 | 125,926 | 600,000 | 410,000 | 68 | 159,007 | 100,000 |
| 19 | YES IT'S TRUE | F02 | KY | 10 | 8 | 140,000 | 140,000 | 300,000 | 140,000 | 40 | 73,300 | 54,500 |
| 20 | HENNESSY | F98 | KY | 16 | 10 | 139,200 | 115,000 | 300,000 | 130,000 | 47 | 135,300 | 110,000 |
| 21 | STRONG HOPE | F06 | KY | 20 | 15 | 123,666 | 115,000 | 280,000 | 300,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 22 | MARIA'S MON | F98 | KY | 17 | 12 | 120,750 | 110,000 | 280,000 | 210,000 | 26 | 129,038 | 83,500 |
| 23 | PERFECT SOUL (IRE) | F06 | KY | 12 | 7 | 113,428 | 42,000 | 370,000 | 35,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 24 | TALE OF THE CAT | F00 | KY | 29 | 21 | 111,571 | 77,000 | 240,000 | 295,000 | 72 | 135,618 | 90,000 |
| 25 | TAPIT | F06 | KY | 29 | 14 | 105,214 | 83,500 | 210,000 | 170,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 26 | JOHANNESBURG | F04 | KY | 45 | 28 | 104,840 | 93,113 | 350,000 | 200,000 | 77 | 159,443 | 120,000 |
| 27 | EL PRADO (IRE) | F94 | KY | 2 | 2 | 103,500 | 103,500 | 125,000 | - | 17 | 145,911 | 65,000 |
| 27 | SUCCESSFUL APPEAL | F02 | KY | 9 | 8 | 103,500 | 95,000 | 200,000 | 180,000 | 28 | 65,392 | 37,500 |
| 29 | SKY MESA | F05 | KY | 24 | 17 | 101,294 | 80,000 | 235,000 | 167,000 | 57 | 130,368 | 95,000 |
| 30 | FOREST CAMP | F03 | KY | 25 | 16 | 100,125 | 75,000 | 250,000 | 160,000 | 48 | 100,854 | 75,000 |
| 31 | GRAND SLAM | F00 | KY | 17 | 10 | 97,100 | 92,500 | 160,000 | 190,000 | 75 | 137,906 | 120,000 |
| 32 | LION HEART | F06 | KY | 56 | 24 | 96,833 | 76,000 | 420,000 | 100,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 33 | ARCH | F00 | KY | 16 | 10 | 93,500 | 73,500 | 245,000 | 180,000 | 25 | 28,959 | 17,000 |
| 34 | SONGANDAPRAYER | F03 | KY | 33 | 16 | 92,375 | 95,000 | 220,000 | 135,000 | 34 | 141,705 | 125,000 |
| 35 | DIXIE UNION | F02 | KY | 18 | 12 | 90,833 | 75,000 | 190,000 | 175,000 | 37 | 96,273 | 80,000 |
| 36 | PLEASANTLY PERFECT | F06 | KY | 3 | 3 | 89,000 | 75,000 | 190,000 | 75,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 37 | MORE THAN READY | F02 | KY | 28 | 23 | 87,000 | 67,000 | 210,000 | 180,000 | 61 | 92,847 | 65,000 |
| 38 | EL CORREDOR | F03 | KY | 21 | 12 | 86,583 | 72,500 | 210,000 | 120,000 | 46 | 78,754 | 50,000 |
| 39 | FOREST WILDCAT | F98 | KY | 13 | 8 | 82,125 | 67,500 | 85,000 | 240,000 | 31 | 121,348 | 100,000 |
| 40 | FRIENDS LAKE | F06 | KY | 23 | 13 | 78,923 | 50,000 | 195,000 | 150,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 41 | MALIBU MOON | F01 | KY | 25 | 19 | 75,447 | 65,000 | 320,000 | 120,000 | 60 | 71,628 | 50,000 |
| 42 | JOHAR | F06 | KY | 16 | 9 | 73,036 | 55,000 | 125,000 | 130,000 | 0 | -- | -- |
| 43 | INCLUDE | F04 | KY | 13 | 8 | 72,375 | 77,500 | 140,000 | 90,000 | 33 | 64,045 | 42,000 |
| 44 | OFFICER | F04 | KY | 30 | 21 | 72,357 | 62,000 | 210,000 | 130,000 | 51 | 83,450 | 70,000 |

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REPORT CRITICAL OF KHRA Three reports on the Kentucky Horse Racing Authority released yesterday by State Auditor Crit Luallen call for stronger financial management and accountability for the group. The 163-page report also finds that the KHRA needs additional expertise and resources to meet its mandates. "Horses are Kentucky's signature industry," Luallen said in a statement. "The Kentucky Horse Racing Authority should be the best racing regulatory agency in the country. Despite recent improvements, the Authority has continuing financial management problems and is not adequately performing its statutory responsibilities." The auditor's office issued a disclaimed audit opinion, meaning it was unable to obtain the necessary information to give a financial opinion. The management audit found no independent review of pari-mutuel wagering or racetrack tote operations. The management audit also found that the Authority has no statutorily required pari-mutuel supervisor and each track pays its pari-mutuel taxes through a self-reporting mechanism. Kentucky was the only state of 10 tested that did not have a method to access the racetracks' tote systems to conduct audits of pari-mutuel wagering to ensure proper payment of the tax.

KEEP Donates \$135,000 to Kentucky Organizations:

The Kentucky Equine Education Project (KEEP) announced yesterday that it provided funding to 167 equine programs in 69 counties in Kentucky totaling \$135,682. A KEEP press release stated that the organization created the local funding program as part of its "grassroots efforts to help horse organizations around the state." The grants are divided up into four categories: 4-H clubs, horse shows, equine associations and equine education programs at Kentucky colleges and universities. Each category has a funding limit and specific criteria that applicants must meet to be considered. "As we traveled the state, we realized there are a lot of equine enthusiasts and groups that struggle to find funding for their local 4-H programs, county horse shows and for their equine association events. In addition, there are some great equine programs at colleges and universities throughout the state and they need funding assistance," said Gene Clabes, interim executive director of KEEP. "Although we can't fully fund any one program, we've found that our small donations of \$250, \$400 or \$500 mean a lot to these groups." Since 2005 when this program was developed, KEEP has funded 314 equine programs in 85 counties totaling \$233,877.

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Yesterday's Results:

9th-FGX, \$41,500, Alw, NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, a1 1/16mT, 1:45 4/5, fm.

PROVOCATIVE TOUCH (f, 4, [Touch Gold](#)--[Don't Read My Lips](#) {MSW & GISP, \$231,322}, by Turkoman), a narrow winner while trying this distance at Woodbine Sept. 7, ran third in her next two starts, including her latest over a yielding turf course here Dec. 15. Sent off the 9-5 choice this time, the half to Hotstufanthensome (Awesome Again), MGSW, \$492,220 and Tacit Agreement (Unbridled), SW, \$255,313, was an unhurried seventh early, came three wide on the turn and closed with a rush late to defeat Kindling (Boundary) by a length. Lifetime Record: 7-3-0-2, \$92,546.

O-Live Oak Plantation. B-Live Oak Stud (KY). T-M Pierce.

7th-FGX, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m, 1:39 2/5, ft.

FORTY GRAMS (c, 3, [Distorted Humor](#)--[Belle South](#), by [Phone Trick](#)) led for most of the way going a sixteenth further at Churchill Downs Nov. 11, but had to settle for the runner up spot after tiring late. Asked to settle off the early pace, the \$300,000 FTKJUL yearling purchase closed on the front rank around the second turn, took over soon after and cruised clear to post a 3 1/4-length victory. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$35,500. O-Second Wind Farm and George Bolton. B-4M Ranch (KY). T-Scott Blasi.

4th-FGX, \$39,500, Msw, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.
SILK QUEEN (f, 4, [Touch Gold](#)--[French Madam](#) {SP, \$102,857}, by [Rahy](#)) showed good early speed in a one-mile test at Del Mar last August, but had to settle for fourth after tiring in the late stages. A close-up fourth next time out going six panels at Santa Anita Oct. 1, the bay didn't seem to care for Hollywood's Cushion Track Nov. 15 and faded to sixth. Shipped east to finish third over track and trip Dec. 8, the Adena Springs homebred was pounded down to 1-5 for this second attempt at the Fair Grounds. Quickest of all out of the gate, the filly cruised through a sharp opening quarter of :22.29 and a half in :45.70 before drawing off to win in a gallop, scoring by 14 3/4 lengths over her nearest rival. Lifetime Record: 11-1-2-3, \$68,980. O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (FL). T-R Frankel.

1st-FGX, \$39,500, Msw, 4&5yo, 1m40y, 1:41 2/5, ft.
BEST YEARS (c, 4, [Pulpit](#)--[Alive With Hope](#) {GSP, \$184,629}, by [Alydar](#)), fifth as the 9-5 choice while sprinting Dec. 10, was given top billing at 3-5 for this route bow. Content to track the early pace, the half to America Alive (American Chance), GISW, \$793,767, took over turning for home and galloped clear to post an easy 9 1/2-length victory. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$24,570.

O/B-Mill House (KY). T-Neil J Howard.

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IN ITALY:

Tecna, f, 3, Halo's Image. See "European Breeders' Edition."

IN BRITAIN:

Kilimandscharo, g, 4, **Rahy**--Landaria (Fr), by Sadler's Wells. Wolverhampton, 1-8, Hcp, 4yo/up, 9f 103yds (AWT). B-Ron Dufficy. *\$75,000 yrl '03 KEESEP.
 Dvinsky, g, 6, **Stravinsky**--Festive Season, by Lypheor (GB). Wolverhampton, 1-8, Hcp, 4yo/up, 5f 216y (AWT). B-Eclipse Bloodstock & Tipperary Bloodstock. *Dead-heated for first. **\$72,000 wnlg '01 KEENOV; €200,000 yrl '02 GOFORB.

IN HONG KONG:

Survey Survey, c, 4, **Chester House**--Gem Treck, by Java Gold. Sha Tin, 1-7, Hcp., 1400mT. B-Justice Farm, Greg & Steve Justice. *Formerly Deepwater Bay. **1/2 to Glittergem (Glitterman), GSP, \$125,873. ***SP-Eng. ****\$145,000 wnlg '03 KEENOV; \$200,000 yrl '04 FTSAUG.



★ BRITAIN ★

Yesterday's Result:

Wolverhampton, 5.10, Mdn, £3,500, 3yo, 7f 32yds (AWT), 1:29.04, stn.

SOFT MORNING (GB) (f, 3, Pivotal {GB}--Summer Night {GB}, by Nashwan) went postward as the 5-4 choice coming back from a course-and-distance second Dec. 31. Out quickly to set an even tempo, she was coaxed along rounding the home turn and responded to encouragement in the straight for an easy three-length score from Arch of Titus (Ire) (Titus Livius {Fr}). Soft Morning is a half to Songerie (GB) (Hernando {Fr}), GSW-Fr & GSP-Eng, \$109,664; and Souvenance (GB) (Hernando {Fr}), G1SP-Ity, GSP-Fr & Ger, SP-Ire & Nor, \$169,176. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £3,545. O/B-Miss K Rausing; T-Sir Mark Prescott.

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

EXPLICIT (Distant View), Crestwood, \$3K, 74/3/0
 7-PHA, Msw, 1m, Goodman's Girl, \$19K KEE SEP yrl, 20-1
FESTIVAL OF LIGHT (A.P. Indy), Valor, \$4K, 57/11/0
 6-SUN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Hunters Wine, 8-1

JUMP START (A.P. Indy), Overbrook, \$10K, 179/21/1
 7-PHA, Msw, 1m, Fibbulator, \$20K EAS JUL 2yo, 12-1

ORIENTATE (Mt. Livermore), Gainesway, \$20K, 205/23/3
 7-PHA, Msw, 1m, Golden Orient, \$150K OBS JUN 2yo, 6-1

YONAGUSKA (Cherokee Run), Vinery, \$10K, 208/29/1
 6-SUN, Msw, 5 1/2f, Two Bit Grit, \$140K FTF FEB 2yo, 10-1

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HOLLYWOOD PARK

Great Hunter (Aptitude), 3f, :35.80, 1/20
High Limit (Maria's Mon), 3f, :37.80, 11/20
Price Tag (GB) (Dansili), 3f, :37.60, 10/20
Cantabria (GB) (Dansili), 5f, 1:00.20, 5/38

PALM MEADOWS

King of the Roxy (Littleexpectations), 3f, :36.20, 1/3
Dreaming of Anna (Rahy), 4fT, :48.60, 5/25
Ramazutti (Honor Grades), 4fT, :48.60, 5/25
Indian Vale (A.P. Indy), 5f, 1:02.80, 14/18
Icy Atlantic (Stormy Atlantic), 5fT, 1:00.00, 1/28

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Point Determined (Point Given), 3f, :38.20, 7/7

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STAKES RESULTS:

DIA DE REYES S., \$71,800, ELC, 1-6, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:45 3/5, my.
 1--**DON DANDY**, 117, g, 7, by **Distorted Humor--Wonderwhyme**, by **Relaunch**. O-Hacienda Nerilee; B-Jose Carro (PR); T-Jose M Caro; J-E S Castro; \$43,080. Lifetime Record: 37-16-12-2, \$351,857. * 1/2 to Account For Me (Unaccounted For), SW, \$257,776.
 2--**Omar Alejandro**, 117, h, 6, Tactical Advantage--Tina, by Wild Again. \$14,360.
 3--**Criador**, 117, g, 4, Casanova Star--Carol's Ghost, by Silver Ghost. \$7,180.
 Margins: 3HF, NK, HF. Odds: 5.05, 3.35, 2.65.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

5th-FGX, \$43,000, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04 4/5, ft.
SOMEDREAMSCOMETRUE (c, 4, **My Friend Max--Ms. Elite Case**, by **Upper Case**) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$45,415. O-Ike Thrash and Wesley Hawley. B-Ronald Navarro (LA). T-Wesley E Hawley.
6th-FGX, \$41,000, NW1X, 4yo/up, a5 1/2fT, 1:04 3/5, fm.
PRIMAL PEAK (c, 4, **Pyramid Peak--Need I Say More**, by **Green Dancer**) Lifetime Record: 10-5-0-0, \$72,510. O-Kevin R Mullikin. B-Blue Lake Farm (PA). T-Cody Autrey. *\$17,000 2yo 2005 FTMMAY.

8th-FGX, \$41,000, NW1X, 3yo, 1m, 1:39 3/5, ft.
TYTUS (g, 3, **Tale of the Cat--Reserve Bid**, by **Pine Bluff**) Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-1-0, \$49,950. O-Alane, Inc. B-David E Hager II (KY). T-Michael Stidham. *\$105,000 2yo 2006 FTMMAY.

9th-PHA, \$31,000, NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:43 1/5, sy.
MAYAN PRINCESS (m, 5, **Best of Luck--Windsor Princess {Ire}**, by **Woods of Windsor**) Lifetime Record: 21-6-5-3, \$80,354. O-Plumstead Stables. B-Respite Farm (KY). T-Robert J Seeger.

10th-PHA, \$31,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW3X, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:24 3/5, sy.
URSULA'S PASSION (m, 5, **Purple Passion--Hasty Ursula {MSP}**, by **Hasty Flyer**) Lifetime Record: 30-9-5-7, \$166,940. O-Jack J Armstrong. B-William Niarakis Jr (MD). T-Robert Mosco.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULT

ITALY, Naples, 3.05, 1-8, €15,300, 3yo, 1mT, time: n/a, hy.
TECNA (f, 3, **Halo's Image--Pleasant Wendi**, by **Katowice**) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-3, €26,690. O-Samuel Ernesto Rodriguez; B-Bayer, Bayer & Cantrell; T-Luciano Bietolini. *\$55,000 yrl '05 OBSAUG. ** 1/2 to Platinum Perfect (Jules), MSW, \$228,100.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Nampala (Ire), f, 3, **Alhaarth (Ire)**--No Sugar Baby (Fr), by Crystal Glitters. Pau, France, 1-8, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 3/16m (AWT). B-Eclipse Bloodstock Management. *€25,000 yrl '05 GOFORB. ** 1/2 to Sweetness Herself (GB) (Unfuwain), SW-Fr, GSP-Ger & MSP-Eng, \$219,505.
Qualistolaire (Fr), c, 3, **Epistolaire (Ire)**--Johanina (Fr), by Big John (Fr). Pau, France, 1-8, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 3/16m (AWT). B-SARL Fadier Elevage. *€4,000 yrl '05 DEAOCT.
Dressed to Dance (Ire), f, 3, **Namid (GB)**--Costume Drama, by Alleged. Wolverhampton, Britain, 1-8, Mdn, 3yo, 7f 32yds (AWT). B-J Doyle. *€9,000 wnlg '04 GOFNOV; 8,000gns yrl '05 DONSEP.

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