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FRENCH DEPUTY COLT SETS JAPANESE MARK

The Japanese record for a yearling fell not once, but twice during yesterday's opening session of the Japan Racing Horse Association's Select July Sale at Northern Horse Park, with a colt by French Deputy eventually topping the day on Riichi Kondo's ¥250,000,000 (\$2,024,291) bid. The previous record for a yearling was established last year by a Pivotal (GB) colt from the family of Deep Impact (Jpn), who made ¥205,000,000 (\$1,798,245). Yesterday's topper is a half to another horse owned by Kondo, this year's G1 Dubai Duty Free S. and G1 Takarazuka Kinen winner Admire Moon (Jpn) (End Sweep). The colt will be trained by Hiroyoshi Matsuda, who has guided Admire Moon to nine wins in 13 races for a bankroll of over \$6.5 million. Northern Farm consigned the chestnut, produced by the unraced Sunday Silence mare My Katies (Jpn), as hip 117. The JRHA discontinued its yearling sale after a lackluster 1998 renewal, but rekindled the event last year with promising results.



Yesterday's record topper
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RAINBOW QUEST DIES

Leading European sire **Rainbow Quest** (Blushing Groom {Fr}--I Will Follow, by *Herbager) died Saturday after suffering complications from emergency colic surgery. The 26-year-old stallion had been standing at Banstead Manor Stud for the last 19 years after beginning his stud career at Juddmonte Farms, Wargrave. Rainbow Quest was purchased by Juddmonte as a yearling of 1982 for \$950,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Kentucky July sale. He quickly justified that price tag, finishing second behind El Gran Senor in the G1 Dewhurst S. as a two-year-old. As a three-year-old, he won the G2 Voltigeur S. and finished second in the G1 Irish Derby and G3 Craven S. and third in the G1 Prix du Jockey Club. He had even more success at four, winning the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe via the disqualification of Sagace, and the G1 Coronation Cup. He was also second in the G1 Coral-Eclipse S. and third in the G1 King George and Queen Elizabeth Diamond S. en route to championship honors as the top older horse in England and France.



Rainbow Quest
Juddmonte

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JRHA SELECT YEARLING SALE - MONDAY'S TOP FIVE YEARLINGS -

Hip	Sire	Dam	Price
<u>117</u>	French Deputy	My Katies (Jpn)	250,000,000
	Consigned by Northern Farm Purchased by Riichi Kondo		
<u>52</u>	Dance in the Dark (Jpn)	Air Groove (Jpn)	245,000,000
	Consigned by Northern Farm Purchased by Kaneko Makoto Holdings Co.,Ltd		
<u>43</u>	Jungle Pocket (Jpn)	Every Whisper (Jpn)	170,000,000
	Consigned by Northern Farm Purchased by JHS Ltd.		
<u>31</u>	Kurofune	Fusaichi Airedale (Jpn)	140,000,000
	Consigned by Northern Farm Purchased by Rosehill Thoroughbred Management		
<u>35</u>	French Deputy	Rose d'Anjou (Jpn)	92,000,000
	Consigned by Northern Farm Purchased by Danox Co., Ltd.		

JRHA SELECT YEARLINGS MONDAY, JULY 9, 2007			
SESSION TOTALS	2007	2006	
No. Offered	150	165	
No. Sold	108	109	
RNAs	42	56	
% RNA	28%	33.9%	
Gross (¥)	3,284,400,000 (-3.7%)	3,414,000,000	
Average (¥)	30,411,111 (-2.9%)	31,321,101	
Median (¥)	17,250,000 (-17.9%)	21,000,000	
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Records Broken at Japanese Sale (cont. from p1)

Earlier in the day, the record for a yearling was eclipsed when Makoto Kaneko went to ¥245,000,000 (\$1,983,805) for a regally bred colt by Dance in the Dark (Jpn). Catalogued as hip [52](#), the colt is a three-parts sibling to Japanese champion older mare Admire Groove (Jpn) (Sunday Silence) out of Air Groove (Jpn) (Tony Bin {Ire}), a Japanese Horse of the Year and herself out of two-time champion Dyna Carle (Jpn) (Northern Taste). Kaneko has had luck at the JHRA sale before: he purchased Deep Impact (Jpn) as a foal here



Hip 52 www.jrha.or.jp

in 2002. A half hour before landing that prized colt, Kaneko was the underbidder on hip [43](#), a strapping, well-regarded colt by Jungle Pocket (Jpn). Takaya Shimakawa, of JHS Ltd., acquired the Feb. 4 foal for 170,000,000 (\$1,376,518), good for the third-highest price on the day.

Out of Every Whisper (Jpn) (Northern Taste), hip 43 is a half to the Japanese graded horses Dark Message (Jpn) and Careless Whisper (Jpn). Shimakawa is a Sendai-based businessman who operates a health food company. He currently owns Tosen Caption (Jpn), another colt by Jungle Pocket, who was the ante-post favorite for the Japanese Derby earlier this year before being sidelined. In all, yesterday saw modest declines from the previous year, with the average of ¥30,411,111 (\$246,244) down 2.9 percent and the gross of ¥3,284,400,000 (\$26,594,332) down 3.7 percent. The median took a more substantial hit, however, falling 17.9 percent from ¥21,000,000 (\$184,211) to ¥17,250,000 (\$139,676). Buyback rate improved from 33.9 percent in 2006 to 28 percent this term. The first of two foal sessions begins today at 11:00 a.m. local time.

☆ HIP HAPPENINGS ☆

Hip 210, c, Motivator (GB)--Diagonale (Ire), by Darshaan (GB)

Consigned by Darley Japan K.K.

This March foal is the sole offering in the catalog from the first crop of G1 Epsom Derby winner Motivator. His dam is a half to group winners Charnwood Forest (Ire) and Medaaly (GB), and he is from the family of Fall Aspen.

Hip 228, c, Fusaichi Pegasus--Kournakova (Ire), by Sadler's Wells

Consigned by Northern Farm

By the Kentucky Derby winner, this January foal is out of French Group 1-placed Kournakova, who is a half sister to English Group 1 winner Shake the Yoke (GB). He sold in utero to Katsumi Yoshida for \$625,000 at last year's KEENOV auction.

Hip 288, c, Kurofune--My Katies (Jpn), by Sunday Silence

Consigned by Northern Farm

This grey colt is a half brother to this year's G1 Dubai Duty Free winner Admire Moon (Jpn) (End Sweep), and a 3/4s to yesterday's record-setting yearling by French Deputy. His third dam is English champion Katies (Ire), the dam of Japanese champion Hishi Amazon.

Hip 302, c, Zenno Rob Roy (Jpn)--Taiki Forest, by Green Forest

Consigned by Orion Farm

This May foal is from the first crop of Japanese Horse of the Year Zenno Rob Roy. His dam is a half sister to another Japanese Horse of the Year in French Group 1 winner Taiki Shuttle.

Hip 354, c, Fuji Kiseki (Jpn)--Caerless (Ire), by Caerleon

Consigned by Chiyada Farm

This May foal, by Japanese juvenile champion Fuji Kiseki, is a half brother to Tawqeeq, winner of the G1 Caulfield Cup.

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☆ NEWS TODAY ☆

CURLIN, TIZ WONDERFUL WORK IN TANDEM

GI Preakness winner **Curlin** (Smart Strike) and unbeaten **Tiz Wonderful** (Tiznow), off since taking the Nov. 25 GII Kentucky Jockey Club S., worked together at Churchill Downs yesterday morning, going six panels in 1:12.80. Curlin broke off a couple of lengths behind his stablemate, but was a neck in front at the wire and was going easiest of the two. The fractions were :13, :25.40, :37.30, :49.20 and 1:01.40, and the duo galloped out together through seven-eighths in 1:25.80. "I think it was an excellent work," trainer Steve Asmussen said. "Tiz' blew quite a bit, which he needed. How he comes out of it and what he does from here will be very important." He added, "[Assistant trainer Scott Blasi] said it was time for Tiz Wonderful to step out of the kiddie pool. He stayed on and galloped out good. Of course he had to work harder, but that's where he's at. But it's time. He's got one more serious move between now and his race." Tiz Wonderful, who beat Any Given Saturday by a half-length in his last start, is scheduled to make his return in the July 29 GII Jim Dandy S. at Saratoga. Curlin, runner-up in the June 9 GI Belmont S. in his latest, is being pointed to the Aug. 5 GI Haskell Invitational S. at Monmouth Park. The two three-year-olds will ship from Churchill to Saratoga Thursday.

BRASS HAT TO WHITNEY GISW Brass Hat (Prized),

who set a track record in his return at Churchill Downs Sunday, likely will make his next start in the July 28 GI Whitney S. at Saratoga or the GII Washington Park H. at Arlington the same day. The six-year-old was off for 13 months after finishing fifth in the 2006 GI Stephen Foster H., but made a complete recovery from the fractured sesamoid he suffered after that race. The 2-1 second choice in his comeback, an allowance test in Louisville, he outfinished slight choice Student Council to take it by a head. The time for the 1 1/16 miles was 1:41.27 [\(video\)](#). "If he comes out of it good and feels fresh enough, we'll look at those races," trainer "Buff" Bradley said yesterday. "We'll have to watch how he trains and see if he came out of that race good and was not too knocked out from it. That race would surely have to knock him back a little bit, I would think, but he didn't show it [Sunday] night." Bradley, who has yet to saddle a horse at Saratoga, is hoping that the gelding is up to taking on Grade I foes in the Whitney. "That's what we're leaning toward right now," he said, but added, "We're not going to discuss anything until we see how he's doing and how he came out of the race."

Rainbow Quest Dies (cont. from p1)

On the board in 13 of 14 starts, Rainbow Quest retired with six wins and earnings of \$614,514. He achieved a Timeform rating of at least 130 pounds at the ages of two, three and four--the first horse to accomplish this feat since Mill Reef and Brigadier Gerard. Rainbow Quest went on to even greater success at stud. His first two crops to race included the winners of the English Derby, Irish Oaks, Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, Grand Prix de Paris, Hollywood Turf Cup and Prix du Cadran. He has also been represented by the winners of the Irish 2000 Guineas, Oaks d'Italia, St. Leger (twice), Prix Royal Oak (twice), Eclipse S., Dubai Champion S., Coronation Cup, Prix Lupin and Prix d'Ispahan, all Group 1 events. Among his leading runners are Millenary (GB), Saumarez (GB), Raintrap (GB), Fiji (GB), Sunshack (GB), Nedawi (GB), Sought Out (Ire), Abitara (Ire), Lighted Rainbow (Fr), Casanga (Ire), Fair Question (Ire), Quest for Fame (GB), Urgent Request (Ire), Rainbow Dancer (Fr), Croco Rouge (Ire), Spectrum (Ire), Armiger (GB), Knight's Baroness (GB), Bright Generation (Ire) and Sakura Laurel (Jpn). When Fashion Statement (GB) won the Oaks d'Italia last month, she became Rainbow Quest's 95th stakes winner. He is also the sire of 18 Group 1 winners and 58 group winners. Rainbow Quest is the broodmare sire of Classic winners North Light (Ire), Kris Kin, Footstepsinthesand (GB) and Rakti (GB), as well as Group 1 winners Powerscourt (GB), Polish Summer (GB), Meteor Storm (GB), Marotta (Ire) and Rebelline (Ire). Juddmonte's veteran broodmare **Aryenne (Fr)** (Green Dancer--Americaine {GB}, by Cambremont {Fr}), who provided Rainbow Quest with his first classic winner in 1990 Epsom Derby winner Quest for Fame, died yesterday at the age of 30.

TATTERSALLS - 2007 SALES DATES

February Sale	Feb. 8-9
Craven Breeze-Up	Apr. 17-19
Guineas Breeze-Up	May 3-4
July Sale	July 9-13
October Yearlings - 1	Oct. 9-12
October Yearlings - 2	Oct. 16-20
Autumn Horses in Training	Oct. 29-Nov. 1
October Yearlings - 3	Nov. 2-3
December Yearlings	Nov. 26
December Foals	Nov. 27-Dec. 1
December Breeding Stock	Dec. 3-7
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Saturday's Coast-to-Coast Grade 1 Success

Keeneland sales graduates won Grade 1 stakes at Monmouth, Belmont and Hollywood Park:

English Channel - United Nations Stakes (G1)

Dream Rush - Prioress Stakes (G1)

Panty Raid - American Oaks Invitational (G1)

Make plans to attend the September Yearling Sale, beginning Sept. 10





(News Today cont.)

TATTERSALLS JULY BEGINS TODAY Tattersalls' biggest-ever July Sale begins in Newmarket this morning with a total of 930 lots catalogued over the next four days. Today's session features nearly 300 fillies and mares, including sizeable drafts from the likes of Darley, Cheveley Park Stud, Shadwell, the National Stud and Juddmonte. Darley's mares include Lot [82](#), the 14-year-old **Papering (Ire)** (Shaadi), winner of the G2 Premio Lydia Tesio and the dam of a listed winner, while Lot [243](#), the three-year-old **Penicuik (GB)** (Hernando {Fr}), is a half-sister to dual Group 1 winner White Heart (GB) (Green Desert) from the family of U.S. champion Tempera. **Tenable (GB)** (Polish Precedent), a half-sister to Group 3 winner Day Flight (GB) (Sadler's Wells), is offered as Lot [141](#) from the National Stud, as she was when making 85,000gns at Tattersalls in December. Those offered by Bill Dwan's Castlebridge Consignment include Lot [266](#), the unraced three-year-old **Easy to Thrill (GB)** (Soviet Star), from an outstanding Moyglare Stud family, and **Diamond Line (Fr)** (Linamix {Fr}), Lot [238](#), a blue-blooded seven-year-old from a Lagardere family, who sells on a cover to Invincible Spirit (Ire). Lot [146](#), **Sensible Idea (GB)** (Dr Fong), was unsold at 9,000gns at Tattersalls in December, but there should be more interest this time around after her full-brother Maze (Ire) won the Listed Chesham S. at Royal Ascot and is one of the early favourites for next year's G1 Epsom Derby. Meanwhile, Lot [293](#), **Steady Rain (GB)** (Zafonic), is a half-sister to this season's G2 Dante S. second Raincoat (GB) (Barathea {Ire}). Form horses include Juddmonte's homebred **Monzante** (Maria's Mon), Lot [462](#), who finished fourth in this season's G3 Dee S. at Chester, while Lot [511](#), **Topjeu (Ire)** (Montjeu {Ire}), is likely to appeal to jumping buyers when appearing from Luca Cumani's Newmarket stable. A similar comment applies to Lot [760](#), the Aga Khan's homebred **Rajnagan (Ire)** (Muhtarram), who won a Gowran Park maiden for trainer John Oxx. Lot [715](#), the three-year-old gelding **Audit (Ire)** (Fusaichi Pegasus), has won his last two starts for Sir Michael Stoute.

Two-year-olds on offer include Lot [491](#), **Sirjoshua Reynolds (GB)** (Kyllachy {GB}), who finished sixth in the Listed Dragon S. at Sandown on Friday. "It's amazing to think that, in 2000, turnover at the Tattersalls July Sale was a fraction over 2.5-million guineas and, last year, it was just above 12-million guineas," said Tattersalls' Marketing Director Jimmy George. "The sale has been a huge success story in recent years and this year's catalogue is not only the largest ever, but looks as strong as ever with a catalogue of real quality," The sale is scheduled to start at 9:30 a.m. Selling takes place all day today but--with racing scheduled on the remaining three days--evening sessions are slated to begin at 5 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday.

GOFFS AND DONCASTER MERGE Goffs Bloodstock Sales and Doncaster Bloodstock Sales Ltd ended speculation yesterday by announcing the merger that had been largely expected in recent weeks. Goffs Chairman Eimear Mulhern and DBS Managing Director Henry Beeby together issued a statement which confirmed that the two forces will join under the Robert J. Goff and Co. Plc. banner with sales continuing in Ireland, Doncaster and Kempton. The move follows Goffs taking a majority shareholding in the leading French Sales company Arqana. The combined entity will offer a program of 22 sales in Britain and Ireland, cataloguing over 10,000 horses each year covering all sectors of the market. Beeby will become Group Chief Executive, while Oliver O'Reilly will continue as Chairman of R.J. Goff & Co. and Eimear Mulhern will become Executive Vice Chairman of the Company. The existing teams in Kill, County Kildare and Hawick will continue with the day-to-day running of each venue under the direction of Beeby, who will continue as Managing Director of DBS, as well as CEO of Goffs. Beeby will move his base to Ireland, but will make regular visits to Hawick and oversee every sale at Goffs and DBS. Commenting on the announcement, Beeby said, "Goffs and DBS have always had a lot in common, and it makes perfect sense for us to join together and merge in what we all very much see as a link-up by two very similar organisations."



So July Sale. What have you done lately?
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Wednesday, Newmarket, Britain

FALMOUTH S.-G1, £200,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	6	Bahia Breeze (GB)	Mister Baileys (GB)	Callan	131
2	2	Irridescence (SAf)	Caesour	Marwing	131
3	3	Nannina (GB)	Medicean (GB)	Fortune	131
4	8	Red Evie (Ire)	Intikhab	Spencer	131
5	7	Speciosa (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Fenton	131
6	1	Arch Swing	Arch	Kinane	122
7	4	Simply Perfect (GB)	Danehill	Murtagh	122
8	5	Sweet Lilly (GB)	Tobougg (Ire)	Bowman	122

Wednesday, Newmarket, Britain

IRISH THOROUGHBRED MARKETING CHERRY HINTON S.-G2, £70,000, 2yo, f, 6fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY
1	5	Elletelle (Ire)	Elnadim	Murtagh
2	12	Aide Memoir (Ire)	Lend a Hand (GB)	Dwyer
3	9	Cute (GB)	Diktat (GB)	Moore
4	15	Eat Pie	Thunder Gulch	Ahern
5	2	Eileen's Violet (Ire)	Catcher in the Rye (Ire)	Donohoe
6	6	Festoso (Ire)	Diesis (GB)	Robinson
7	1	Francesca d'Gorgio	Proud Citizen	Dettori
8	7	Green Oasis	Green Desert	Catlin
9	8	Janina (GB)	Namid (GB)	R Hills
10	14	Kylayne (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Durcan
11	4	Loch Jipp	Belong to Me	Darley
12	3	Nahoodh (Ire)	Clodovil (Ire)	Spencer
13	11	Thought is Free (GB)	Cadeaux Geneveux (GB)	Egan
14	10	Waveline	Stravinsky	Fortune
15	13	You'resothrilling	Storm Cat	Kinane

All carry 124 pounds bar Elletelle, 127.

Wednesday, Newmarket, Britain

HBLB LANCASHIRE OAKS-G2, £60,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	3	Rising Cross (GB)	Cape Cross (Ire)	Dwyer	134
2	10	Dash to the Front (GB)	Diktat (GB)	Urbina	131
3	4	Dont Dili Dali (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Moore	131
4	1	Litalia (Ire)	Monsun (Ger)	Robinson	131
5	9	Mont Etoile (Ire)	Montjeu (Ire)	M Hills	131
6	12	Portal (GB)	Hernando (Fr)	Spencer	131
7	11	Trick or Treat (GB)	Lomitas (GB)	Dettori	131
8	13	Turbo Linn (GB)	Turbo Speed (Ire)	Callan	131
9	6	Under the Rainbow (GB)	Fantastic Light	Kinane	131
10	7	Wassfa (GB)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	McEvoy	131
11	8	Scatina (Ire)	Samum (Ger)	Suborics	121
12	5	Brisk Breeze (Ger)	Monsun (Ger)	Durcan	118
13	2	Fiumicino (GB)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Egan	118

Saturday, Delaware Park

DELAWARE OAKS-GII, \$500,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m

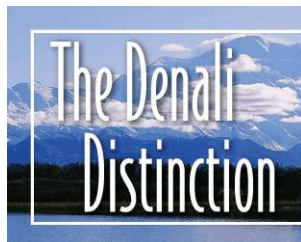
PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	WT
1	Winning Point	Point Given	Dominguez	116
2	High Heels	E Dubai	Johnson	122
3	Cotton Blossom	Broken Vow	Velazquez	122
4	Bear Now	Tiznow	Ramsammy	118
5	Dawn After Dawn	Successful Appeal	Pino	116
6	Moon Catcher	Malibu Moon	Marquez	120
7	Greenstreet	Street Cry (Ire)	Rose	116
8	Tough Tiz's Sis	Tiznow	Gomez	118

UPCOMING MAJOR NORTH AMERICAN STAKES

Date	Race	Track
July 14	GII Delaware Oaks GII Swaps BC S. GIII Poker H.	Delaware Hollywood Belmont
July 15	GII Bowling Green H. GII Sunset BC H. GII Delaware H. GIII Barbaro S.	Belmont Hollywood Delaware Delaware
July 21	GI Coaching Club Am Oaks GII San Diego H. GII Virginia Derby GII American Derby GIII Arlington H. GIII Modesty H.	Belmont Del Mar Colonial Arlington Arlington Arlington
July 22	GI Eddie Read H. GII Northern Dancer BC Turf GII Dance Smartly S.	Del Mar Woodbine Woodbine

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BUDWEISER IRISH DERBY-G1, €1,500,000, Curragh, 7-1, 3yo, c/f, 1½mT, 2:36.02, sf/hy.

1--▲**SOLDIER OF FORTUNE (IRE)**, 126, c, 3, by [Galileo \(Ire\)](#)

1st Dam: **Affianced (Ire)** (SW & GSP-Ire), by **Erins Isle (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **La Meilleure (Ire)**, by **Lord Gayle**

3rd Dam: **Gradille (Ire)**, by **Home Guard**

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*Full to Heliostatic (Ire), GSW-Ire, \$195,023.

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A family vacation meant that I wasn't around to review the Budweiser Irish Derby a week ago, but the race produced such an impressive winner in Soldier of Fortune that it would be unfair to ignore his effort.

In landing the Irish Derby (his third group success of the year), Soldier of Fortune followed Nighttime and Sixties Icon as the third classic winner to emerge from Galileo's first two Irish crops, which contain just over 200 foals. Also among those 200-odd foals are Teofilo, last year's champion European juvenile, and Red Rocks, hero of the Breeders' Cup Turf, so Galileo has sired around 2.5 percent Group 1 winners. The outstanding son of Sadler's Wells is also responsible for the Group 2 winners Vendangeur and Allegretto, plus the Group 3 scorers Galatee, Heliostatic and Mahler, which gives him roughly five percent group winners--an excellent strike rate for a modern stallion.

So why is Galileo doing so well?

First of all, he was himself a tremendously talented racehorse. American racegoers certainly didn't see the best of him when he finished a respectable sixth behind Tiznow in the 2001 Breeders' Cup Classic. Prior to that adventure on dirt, Galileo had won his first six starts, including the Epsom Derby, Irish Derby and King George, before suffering a head defeat in the Irish Champion S. Timeform rated him 134, two pounds above his remarkable sire Sadler's Wells.

Then there's the very important matter of conformation. Timeform's assessment of him included the statement that Galileo was "one of the finest movers anyone could wish to see, notably fluent with a tremendous stride (magnificently depicted in TV side-on shots of the field in the straight at Epsom)." I could add that Galileo is just as impressive when he walks, gliding over the ground, and he is a particularly well-balanced individual with few physical flaws.

To complete the package, Galileo comes from a female line which has made a profound impact on Europe's classics over the last eight years. His dam is the Arc-winning Urban Sea, which means that his second dam is Allegretta, who also produced King's Best, the 2,000 Guineas winner of 2000. Allegretta is also the second dam of Anabaa Blue, winner of the 2001 French Derby, and of Tertullian, who sired this year's German 2,000 Guineas winner Aviso. This year's German Derby also fell to this family when Adlerflug triumphed on the same afternoon that Soldier of Fortune scored his Irish victory. Adlerflug's second dam Alya was a classic-placed sister to Allegretta. American breeders will know this family through the exploits of Galileo's half-sister My Typhoon, a winner of four Grade II contests. **Cont. p7**

SOLDIER OF FORTUNE (IRE), c, 2004

Galileo (Ire)	Sadler's Wells	Northern Dancer	Nearctic	
		Fairy Bridge	Natalma	
	Urban Sea	Miswaki	Bold Reason	
		Allegretta (GB)	Special	
Affianced (Ire) SW & GSP 3Fls, 2GSW	Erins Isle (Ire)	Busted (GB)	Mr. Prospector	
		Chemise (GB)	Hopespringseternal	
	La Meilleure (Ire) SW & GSP 12Fls, 1GSW 3SW, 2SP	Lord Gayle	Lombard (Ger)	
		Gradille (Ire) 12Fls, 2SW, 1SP	Anatevka (Ger)	
			Crepello (GB)	Sans Le Sou (GB)
			Selina (GB)	Shantung (Fr)
			Home Guard	Sir Gaylord
			Gradiva (GB)	Sticky Case (GB)

6 first crop 2-year-old winners...

BARKING WOLF	Won Newcomers event at Hanshin, Japan on Saturday.
PIGNA	Won Maiden on debut in Italy last Thursday.
PHOENIX FLIGHT	Won Maiden at Wolverhampton for Sir Mark Prescott .
MONTAQUILA	Won Novice Stakes at Newcastle for Howard Johnson .
THE BOGBERRY	Won Winners Race at Tipperary for Aidan O'Brien .
FEARED IN FLIGHT	Won Maiden at York on debut and an unlucky third in the Chesham Stakes-L.R. at Royal Ascot for Barry Hills .

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So, with pedigree, performance and conformation, Galileo has virtually everything a breeder could ask for. The one possible area of concern, from a commercial breeder's viewpoint, is that Galileo was a natural mile-and-a-half horse and he is passing on plenty of stamina to his progeny. Soldier of Fortune relished the extra demands which the very soft ground placed on his stamina at the Curragh, and Galileo sired first, second and third in last year's St Leger. His Group 2 winners Allegretto and Vendangeur have scored over two miles and 1 7/8 miles, respectively and his three-year-old son Mahler recently took the G3 Queen's Vase over two miles. A mile and a quarter appears to be the minimum trip for much of his progeny, an exception being the Irish 1,000 Guineas winner Nighttime, whose first two dams are by the sprinters Indian Ridge and Bluebird.

Of course Galileo's son Teofilo showed plenty of speed last year in winning all five of his starts over seven furlongs. It would have been truly fascinating to see how Teofilo would have fared in the classics had he not been sidelined by injury, so let's hope he can come back strong enough--and quickly enough--to tackle the likes of Authorized and Soldier of Fortune.

Should Teofilo and Soldier of Fortune ever confront each other, it would be a difficult spectacle for trainer Jim Bolger, who bred both of these outstanding colts.

Soldier of Fortune's family history is rather unconventional, in that his dam Affianced and second dam La Meilleure have sometimes visited comparatively inexpensive stallions, such as Nordico, Erins Isle and Lil's Boy, while at other times they have been sent to fashionable stallions at Coolmore, such as Sadler's Wells and Galileo.

A Listed winner over a mile, La Meilleure was versatile enough to show useful form from six furlongs to 1 1/4 miles at three. She has also proved very versatile as a broodmare, producing stakes winners to four different stallions. Her best representative was Sholokhov, winner of the G1 Gran Criterium at two in 2001 prior to finishing second in the Irish Derby and Coral-Eclipse.

Soldier of Fortune's dam Affianced was another of La Meilleure's stakes winners. After winning a seven-furlong Listed race at two, Affianced developed into a very useful performer at up to 1 3/4 miles during a busy second season. She no doubt owed her stamina largely to her sire Erins Isle, who gained four Group 1 wins at up to 1 3/4 miles on turf in California.

Affianced first visited Galileo in 2002, soon after Sholokhov--her half-brother by Sadler's Wells--had become a Group 1 winner. That first visit also produced a smart performer in Heliostatic, a Group 3 winner over 1 1/4 miles.

Soldier of Fortune's has a distinguished fifth dam in the French 1,000 Guineas third Fanghorn. In addition to becoming the dam of the top-notch sprinter Double Form, Fanghorn produced Scimitarra, who broke a cannon bone when going well in the lead in the Oaks. Several of Fanghorn's broodmare daughters helped extend her influence and Jim Bolger did very well with a pair of juveniles inbred 3x3 to Fanghorn. One of them, Cois Na Tine, won the G3 EBF Futurity S., while Eva Luna won her first five starts, including the G1 Phoenix S., to take the title of champion juvenile filly in Ireland in 1994.

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★ EAST ★

Sarava Relocates to Martin Stables South:

GI Belmont S. winner **Sarava** (Wild Again--Rhythm of Life, by Deputy Minister) will take up stud duties at Martin Stables South in Reddick, Florida in 2008. The eight-year-old stood his first three seasons at Cloverleaf Farm II, where he covered 233 mares, including 87 this season. Owned by New Phoenix Stable and Susan Roy, his first foals are yearlings of 2007. Sarava captured the Belmont in 2002. He also took that year's Sir Barton S. On the board in six of 17 starts, the dark bay won three times and earned \$773,825.

Delaware Park Cancels Monday Card:

With temperatures soaring into the mid-90s in the Wilmington area, officials decided to call off the races at Delaware Park yesterday. Racing is scheduled to resume today, but the forecast is calling for oppressive heat once again. There is expected to be a small break in the weather Wednesday, with a high temperature of 88F predicted.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, WEDNESDAY, JULY 11:

07-21 \$250,000 **American Derby-II, AP, 3yo,**
9.5fT (600)

07-21 \$200,000 **Arlington H.-III, AP, 3yo/up, 10fT (150)**

07-21 \$150,000 **Modesty H.-III, AP, 3yo/up, f/m, 9.5fT**
(100)

07-28 \$250,000 **Wonder Where, Wo, 3yo, f, 10fT**
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Judge Rescues Pennsylvania Racinos:

The Pennsylvania state government, which operated without a budget for a week, was shut down by Governor Ed Rendell yesterday, but a commonwealth court judge quickly stepped in to keep the state's five racinos operating, according to the *Harness Tracks of America* newsletter. Only 90 minutes after the Gambling Control Board voted to close the racinos at 7 a.m. yesterday, senior judge Keith Quigley issued a temporary restraining order to keep the facilities open until he can conduct a hearing today. The five racinos have been averaging \$38.9 million a day in play, generating \$1.7 million in tax revenues and \$1.4 million for the track operators. The government shutdown does not affect normal racing or simulcasting operations at the state's tracks.

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

BELMONT

BURMILLA (Storm Cat), 3f, :37.92, 9/12

CHATAIN (Forest Wildcat), 3f, :39.21, 11/12

INDIAN VALE (A.P. Indy), 5f, :59.60, 1/13

KING OF THE ROXY (Littleexpectations), 5f, :59.90, 3/13

SAINT ANDDAN (A.P. Indy), 4f, :47.98, 3/44

SUGAR SWIRL (Touch Gold), :47.73, 2/44

CHURCHILL DOWNS

BRILLIANT (War Chant), 4f, :51.00, 24/29

CURLIN (Smart Strike), 6f, 1:12.80, 1/3

DOMINICAN (El Corredor), 5f, 1:03.20, 25/27

GAFF (Maria's Mon), 4f, :52.40, 29/29

RICH IN SPIRIT (Repriced), 5f, 1:00.80, 4/27

TIZ WONDERFUL (Tiznow), 6f, 1:12.80, 1/3

ZANJERO (Cherokee Run), 5f, 1:04.40, 27/27

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HARD SPUN (Danzig), 5f, 1:00.20, 2/24

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Ermine Gets OK for Go For Wand:

Ermine (Exchange Rate) has been given a clean bill of health after an uncharacteristic off-the-board finish in the June 16 GI Fleur de Lis S. and will now be pointed for the July 28 GI Go For Wand H. "She checked out good," trainer Ronny Werner confirmed. "I have her on the Polytrack up at Arlington now. I sent her up there and we're still probably looking at the Go For Wand at the end of the month." The Fleur de Lis was Ermine's first outing since winning the GI Apple Blossom H. at Oaklawn in April, and Werner said the long layoff may have been responsible for his charge's dull effort in the nine-furlong race. "Maybe it was the two months," the trainer admitted. "You learn from when you get beat--or you try to learn from when you get beat. You don't learn when you win. You're doing everything you can to try to keep that from happening again. But I guess they're like people--they can have an off day and maybe that was it." Werner also reported that **Unbridled Sidney** (Unbridled's Song) exited her fifth-place effort in Saturday's off-the-turf Distaff Turf Sprint H. in fine shape and remains on track to defend her title in the Distaff Turf Sprint Championship at Calder Aug. 11. "She likes firm grass, that's what she's got to have," Werner explained. Werner left Unbridled Sidney in Saturday's race at Calder despite the change in surface to see how the six-year-old would handle the dirt in hopes of making the Breeders' Cup Sprint. "There are a few things that happened to her that day that we can change, but ultimately she's just not as good on the dirt," Werner explained. "So it probably answered some questions there and we won't be looking at the Breeders' Cup."

★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

Old Friends' Homecoming This Weekend:

Old Friends, the Thoroughbred retirement facility located in Georgetown, Kentucky, will host its annual homecoming and fundraiser this weekend. The three-day event, which begins 5 p.m. Friday evening, will be highlighted by performances by the circus stars "The Flying Wallendas" and "The Sopranos" star Frank Santorelli. For more information on the weekend's festivities, call (502) 863-1775, or visit the group's website at www.oldfriendsequine.org.

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

HOLLYWOOD PARK

COBALT BLUE (Golden Missile), 4f, :48.40, 6/55
FAST AND FURIOUS (FR) (Singspiel {Ire}), 4f, :51.80, 50/55
MANANAN MCLIR (Royal Academy), 6f, 1:13.60, 4/14

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Artless, f, 4, **Aptitude**--Eternity (GB), by Suave Dancer. Musselburgh, 7-9, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 3/4mT. B-Dr Catherine Wills.

IN JAPAN:

A Shin Turbo, f, 3, **Broad Brush**--Tennessee Girl (MSW-Jpn, \$1,631,197), by Pine Bluff. Fukushima, 7-8, Novice Race, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 7-1-3-1, \$106,098. O-Hirotsugu Hirai; B-Winchester Farm; T-Yokichi Okubo. *Commenced her rally on the turn and showed a brilliant turn of foot to prevail by seven lengths.

Top of Dora, f, 3, **Grand Slam**--Maltese Dianne, by Spinning World. Hakodate, 7-8, Plate Race, 5f. Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-0, \$189,837. O-Yoshio Fujita; B-Yoshio Fujita; T-Makoto Saito.

Oreni Tsuitekoi, c, 3, **Johannesburg**--Refine (Arg) (G1SW-Arg), by Mutakddim. Asahikawa, 7-4, Praesepe Tokubetsu, 5f. Lifetime Record: 6-1-0-0, \$4,065 O-Masaji Kitagawa; B-Liberty Road Stables, San Gabriel Investments Inc & B Sugarman; T-Yukihiko Kato. *100,000gns 2yo '06 TATAPR.

Free Addition, c, 3, **Mr. Greeley**--Cleverly, by Danzig. Fukushima, 7-7, Novice Race, 5.75f. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-0, \$77,236. O-Motohide Aoki; B-Manganaro LLC; T-Yoshitada Munakata. *Burst clear late to win by 1 1/4 lengths. *\$65,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

Fusaichi Giga Dia, c, 4, **Storm Cat**--Bless, by Mr. Prospector. Morioka, 7-2, Tokyo Cup Keyaki Sho, 9f. Lifetime Record: 10-4-2-1, \$330,488. O-Fusao Sekiguchi; B-ClassicStar; T-Hideyuki Mori. *Full to Brave Tin Soldier, SW-Ire. **\$3,400,000 yrl '04 KEESEP. ***Produced by a full-sister to GI Kentucky Derby hero Fusaichi Pegasus.

Top Diamante, c, 4, **War Chant**--One Tough Cat (SP), by Mountain Cat. Hakodate, 7-7, Iwakisan Tokubetsu, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 15-1-5-3, \$290,894. O-Koji Maeda; B-Green Willow Farms; T-Mikio Matsunaga. *\$165,000 yrl '04 KEESEP. **Won by 1 1/4 lengths.

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ROBELLINO DEAD MGSW **Robellino** (Roberto--Isobelline, by *Pronto), who stood at England's Littleton Stud from 1989 until being pensioned after the 2005 breeding season, was euthanized July 4 due to the infirmities of old age, *The Blood-Horse* reports. The 29-year-old stallion was bred in Maryland, and brought \$77,000 as a KEENOV weanling in 1978. He raced exclusively in Europe, compiling a record of 14-5-5-0 and earnings of \$135,228. Four-for-six as a juvenile, he captured the G2 Royal Lodge S. and G3 Seaton Delaval S., and was rated the third-highest juvenile on England's Free Handicap. He returned to the U.S. to begin his stud career, first at Derry Meeting Farm in Pennsylvania and then at Windfields Farm in Maryland, before relocating to Littleton. From 23 crops to race, Robellino produced 42 stakes winners, including Classic winners Classic Park (GB), Mister Baileys (GB) and Robertico (GB), and champion Rebelline (Ire).

★ BRITAIN ★

RIDERS BANNED IN CRACKDOWN

Jockeys Tony Culhane and Dean Mernagh yesterday received lengthy suspensions as a result of the ongoing Horseracing Regulatory Authority security investigations. As a result of a probe into a series of races between 2003 and 2004, the former will be on the sidelines for 12 months after being found guilty of aiding or abetting individuals to lay or back horses with the benefit of inside information. Mernagh will be out of action for nine months for communicating inside information for reward, while two unlicensed individuals in Culhane's family were also warned off. The latest moves are another example of the tough measures employed by the HRA's Head of Security Paul Scotney regarding the use and misuse of inside information, set out last week.

Yesterday's Results:

Windsor, 6.35, Mdn, £5,000, 2yo, 6fT, 1:11.49, gd.
+ SHARP NEPHEW (GB) (c, 2, Dr Fong--Snap Crackle Pop {Ire} {SP-Eng}, by Statoblest {Ire}), sent off at odds of 8-1, broke well and was positioned behind the early leaders before being asked to close on the long-time leader Wolgan Valley (Mr. Greeley) at the top of the straight. Running green under pressure, the €64,000 GOFNOV weanling and 155,000gns TATOCT yearling eventually got the message and rolled by that rival inside the final 150 yards for a comfortable two-length success. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, £3,238. O-Saleh Al Homaizi & Imad Al Sagar; B-Keith Wills; T-Brian Meehan.

Bath, 3.15, Mdn, £3,500, 3yo/up, 10f 46ydsT, 2:12.42, gd/sf.
FANTASTIC MORNING (GB) (c, 3, Fantastic Light--Gombay Girl, by Woodman), a last-out second at Ripon June 6, led after the opening exchanges of this third go. Ridden along approaching the final quarter mile, the 4-1 chance unleashed a relentless gallop that carried him 3 1/2 lengths clear of Abyla (GB) (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) at the line. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, £3,471. O-Gainsborough; B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd; T-Mark Johnston.

★ IRELAND ★

Yesterday's Results:

LENEBANE S.-Listed, €50,000, Roscommon, 7-9, 3yo/up, 1½mT, 3:01.60, hy.
1--#PRINCESS NALA (IRE), 132, m, 5, In the Wings (GB)--Adjisa (Ire), by Doyoun (Ire). (42,000 yrl '03 GFOCT). O-B Kerr, Mrs Vivian Ezekiel, David Medbury & G T Gaffney; B-C J Haughey, J Flynn & Mrs E Mulhern; T-Mick Halford; J-Rory Cleary; €32,550. Lifetime Record: 14-3-3-1, €90,402.
2--Blackberry Boy (Ire), 122, c, 3, Desert Prince (Ire)--Summer Crush, by Summer Squall. (€75,000 yrl '05 GOFORB). €10,000.
3--Arch Rebel, 138, g, 6, Arch--Sheba's Step, by Alysheba. (\$40,000 yrl '02 KEESEP). €5,000. Margins: 8, 4HF, DIST. Odds: 3-1, 5-1, 1-1. Also Ran: Nora Chrissie (Ire), Muluk (Ire).

Princess Nala coped with these desperate conditions with aplomb to make every yard of the running and land her first stakes victory. Having accounted for the subsequent stakes performer Briolette (Ire) in a Navan maiden in June 2005, she had failed to make a serious impact in this company and came here off an unplaced effort in a valuable handicap at The Curragh on Sunday. Left in isolation by her generous rivals here, the bay punished their lack of respect by stretching them to breaking point with her admirable determination.

Roscommon, 5.40, Mdn, €14,000, 2yo, 7fT, 1:46.70, hy.
SLANEY ROCK (IRE) (c, 2, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Dress Code {Ire}, by Barathea {Ire}) had run into the Ballydoyle runners Henrythenavigator, Greek Mythology and Minneapolis (GB) on three of his four maiden starts so far and was sent off the 5-4 crowd's choice to better his latest third at Gowran Park June 24. Keen early stalking in second, the 46,000gns TATDEC weanling took the lead before the quarter pole and was always doing enough to hold Dedo (Ire) (Modigliani) for a 1½-length score. Lifetime Record: 5-1-1-2, €16,601. O-Mrs J S Bolger; B-K Molloy; T-Jim Bolger.



★ FRANCE ★

SUN HEADS GRAND PRIX LIST

Khalid Abdullah's **Zambezi Sun (GB)** (Dansili {GB}) was yesterday confirmed on course for Saturday's ' G1 Juddmonte Grand Prix de Paris at Longchamp, for which 23 remained at yesterday's forfeit stage. The owner-breeder's Racing Manager Teddy Grimthorpe is hoping that the G1 Prix du Jockey-Club fourth can emulate the success of the sponsor's Rail Link (GB) 12 months ago. "He is a definite runner and this has always been the target," he told *Racing Post*. "He has done well since the Jockey-Club and [trainer] Pascal [Bary] has been pleased with his work. He will be suited by the longer distance and let's hope he can emulate Dansili's other son who took this last year." Amongst his likely opponents is Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum's recent acquisition **Airmail Special (Ire)** (Peintre Celebre), who took the G3 Prix du Lys over course and distance June 19. He is one of four colts left in by Andre Fabre, including the same owner's Listed Derby du Midi and Listed Derby du Languedoc scorer **Friston Forest (Ire)** (Barathea {Ire}). Aidan O'Brien has also left in a quartet headed by Derrick Smith, Susan Magnier and Michael Tabor's G1 Epsom Derby runner-up and G1 Irish Derby third **Eagle Mountain (GB)** (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}), while John Gosden may send over George Strawbridge's Epsom fourth and G2 King Edward VII S. second **Lucarno** (Dynaformer).

Yesterday's Results:

Compiègne, 2.50, Mdn, €21,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:11.20, vsf.

POET LAUREATE (GB) (c, 3, Highest Honor {Fr}--Desired {GB}, by Rainbow Quest), runner up at Longchamp in his only prior start Oct. 15, was reserved off the pace until urged closer at the top of the straight. Making continued wide headway to lead approaching the closing panel, the 27-5 chance was pushed clear late to best Western Sky (Fr) (Peintre Celebre) by five lengths. The winner is a half to Desideratum (GB) (Darshaan {GB}), GSW & GISP-Fr, \$235,076. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €14,300. O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Andre Fabre.

Compiègne, 2.20, Mdn, €21,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 2:09.00, vsf.

SAROUKA (FR) (f, 3, King's Best--Sarkala {Ire}, by Caerleon), second at Longchamp June 7, stalked the leaders in a close third and came under pressure with 500 meters remaining. Angled outside to challenge approaching the final eighth, the 2-1 pick was ridden out to assert by two lengths from Magic Number (GB) (Dansili {GB}). Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 1 win, 2 places, €17,500. O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Syuds SC; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN JAPAN:

+ **Misericorde (GB)**, f, 2, **Fasliyev**--Match Point (GB), by Unfuwain. Hakodate, 7-8, Maiden Race, 9fT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$56,911. O-Kazuko Yoshida; B-Meon Valley Stud; T-Hidetaka Otonashi. *280,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

+ **Barking Wolf (Ire)**, c, 2, **Hawk Wing**--Forest Call (Ire), by Wolfhound. Hanshin, 7-7, Maiden Race, 7fT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$56,911. O-Hidetoshi Yamamoto; B-Duncan A McGregor; T-Takayuki Yasuda. *70,000gns wnlg '05 TATDEC; 250,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT. **Sixth winner for freshman sire (by Woodman).

Live Concert (Ire), c, 3, **Singspiel (Ire)**--Dance Lively, by Kingmambo. Hanshin, 7-8, Novice Race, 8fT. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-1, \$83,740. O-Kazunori Shimizu; B-Mrs J Chandris; T-T Shirai. *120,000gns yrl '05 TATOCT.

Hagino Selection (GB), h, 5, **Spectrum (Ire)**--Candescent (GB), by Machiavellian. Kawasaki, 7-2, July Star Sho, 8f. Lifetime Record: 23-2-2-4, \$140,080. O-Yoshie Hinokuma; B-Cheveley ParkStud Ltd; T-M Wada. *25,000gns wnlg '02 TATDEC.

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STAKES RESULTS:

CHRIS LOSETH H., \$51,970, HST, 7-8, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:45, ft.

1--**OOKASHADA, 119, g, 3, Millennium Allstar--Mascaretta, by Regal Remark.** (C\$15,000 yrl '05 BRCSEP). O-Mike Boylan & TD Stable; B-Whitehouse Stables (BC); T-Toni Cloutier; J-Pedro V Alvarado; \$31,711. Lifetime Record: 9-4-1-3, \$224,438.

2--**Bad Sneakers, 114, g, 3, Rhythm--Pretzel Logic,** by On Target. \$10,570.

3--**Long Journey, 115, g, 3, Globalize--Bou Bou Be Dough,** by Just the Time. \$5,243.

Margins: HF, 3/4, 1HF. Odds: 0.85, 13.40, 31.45.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

9th-PHA, \$39,556, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, a5fT, :57, fm.
ALWAYS FOR LOVE (f, 3, Not For Love--Elegant April {SW, \$239,547}, by Sun War Dancer) Lifetime Record: 7-2-2-0, \$60,000. O-Fast Forward Racing Stable LLC. B-Daniel J Ljoka (PA). T-Guadalupe Preciado. *\$32,000 2yo 2006 FTMMAY.

10th-PLN, \$36,442, 7-8, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

LUCERA (IRE) (m, 5, Fasliyev--Lunata {Ire} {SP-Fr}, by Marju {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 20-3-3-6, \$96,332. O-Adamek, Everson, Neuman, et al. B-Haras de la Perelle (IRE). T-Jean-Pierre Dupuis.



8th-PHA, \$34,560, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW4X, 3yo/up, a7 1/2fT, 1:31 4/5, fm.
KNIGHT IN FLIGHT (g, 5, Family Calling--Mighty Action {MSP}, by Mighty Adversary) Lifetime Record: SP, 19-5-3-3, \$125,710. O-Martin L Cherry. B-Hidden Point Farm Inc (FL). T-Guadalupe Preciado. *\$29,000 wlng '02 OBSOCT; \$140,000 yrl '03 KEESEP. **1/2 to Apieceoftheaction (Wander Kind), MSW, \$435,030; and You've Got Action (Son Of Briartic), MSW, \$303,969.

7th-PHA, \$32,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW3X, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m70y, 1:42, ft.
PRINCESS PURRSALOT (m, 5, Sir Cat--Charming Princess, by Java Gold) Lifetime Record: 37-4-11-8, \$136,780. O-Harry J Daut. B-James Stone (KY). T-Randy Allen.

5th-PHA, \$29,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:04 3/5, ft.
NANCY'S GRACE (f, 4, Attorney--Andrea's Champ, by Clever Champ) Lifetime Record: 21-6-7-3, \$119,634. O-TradeWinds Stable. B-Judy Barrett (PA). T-Scott A Lake.

8th-FLX, \$22,100, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5, ft.
LEAP TO FAME (f, 4, Lycius--Tiptoe to Fame, by Kona Tenor) Lifetime Record: 21-5-5-2, \$73,578. O/B-Jeffrey John Miloski (NY). T-Sal Iorio, Jr.

8th-EMD, \$20,000, 7-8, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1\$3M, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:13 4/5, ft.
THE GREAT FACE (g, 5, Cahill Road--Irish Toast {MSP}, by Synastry) Lifetime Record: MSP, 13-5-2-1, \$78,659. O-Ron Crockett, Inc. B-Patricia J Murphy (WA). T-Tom Wenzel. *\$21,000 yrl '03 WASSEP.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Southmeetswest, c, 3, Dixie Union--Apache Canyon, by Gulch. FLX, 7-9, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Jayeff B Stables (KY). *\$220,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.
De Brandon Boy, c, 3, El Corredor--Box Office Girl (GSP, \$196,275), by Corwyn Bay (Ire). MNR, 7-8, 6f, 1:11 1/5. B-George Krikorian (KY). *\$180,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.
Phoebe's Song, f, 3, Swiss Yodeler--Happy Countess, by Conte Di Savoya. HOL, 7-8, (S), (C), 6f (AWT), 1:12. B-R E Jex (CA). *\$25,000 yrl '05 BESOCT.
Tiger Light, f, 3, Tiger Ridge--Moment of Light, by Bold Revenue. CRC, 7-9, 5f (off turf), :59 4/5. B-Antrim Oaks (FL). *\$25,000 yrl '05 OBSAUG.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY U.S. SIRES:
Turffontein (Aus), c, 2, Johannesburg--Spirit of Grace (Aus), by Dr Grace (NZ). Rosehill (Sydney), 7-7, Hcp, 2yo, 6fT. B-P C Racing Investments.
Our Parfume (Aus), f, 2, Royal Academy--Cherry Garden (NZ), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Bendigo (Victoria), 7-6, Mdn, 2yo, f, Mdn, 5fT. B-Swettenham Stud.
Pit Lane (NZ), c, 2, Van Nistelrooy--Disco Girl (Aus), by Marauding (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 7-7, Hcp, 2yo, 7fT. B-Mrs J M Wanless.
Canyonville (NZ), f, 3, Black Minnaloushe--Yankee Gold (NZ), by Western Symphony. Rosehill (Sydney), 7-7, Hcp, 3yo, f, 7fT. B-Trelawney Stud.
Grand Cause (Aus), g, 3, Giant's Causeway--Lakab, by Manila. Rosehill (Sydney), 7-7, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7ft. B-Linley Investments, R Morgan-Jones, J T L Jones & S Fahlgren.
Blessus (Aus), g, 4, Fusaichi Pegasus--Blessed Be (Aus), by Brief Truce. Rosehill (Sydney), 7-7, Hcp, 3yo/up, 6fT. B-J B Cummings.

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HANDICAP RESULTS:
FRANCE, Compiègne, 1.50, 7-9, €58,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:08.70, vsf.
CRITICISM (GB) (f, 3, Machiavellian--Innuendo {Ire} {MGSW & GISP-NA, MSW & GSP-Eng, \$444,144}, by Caerleon) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €44,910. O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Henri-Alex Pantall.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:
FRANCE, Aix-les-Bains, 4.00, 7-8, €24,000, 3yo/up, 1 9/16mT, time: n/a, sf.
MAITRESSE (FR) (f, 4, Singspiel {Ire}--Gold Peble {Fr}, by Glint of Gold {GB}) Lifetime Record: 9 starts, 2 wins, 7 places, €43,350. O-Haras de St Voir; B-Haras de St Voir & Mise Esmeralda de Tracy; T-N Bertran de Balanda.

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FRANCE, Aix-les-Bains, 2.30, 7-8, €14,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, time: n/a, sf.

MUTHABAIE (FR) (f, 3, Muhtathir {GB}--Slew Bay {Fr}, by Beaudelaire) Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 4 places, €24,800. O-Robert Ng; B-Jean Biraben, Cyril Biraben & Pierre Biraben; T-Rupert Pritchard-Gordon. *€10,000 wnlg '04 DEADEC; €24,000 yrl '05 DEAAUG.

ITALY, Naples, 8.30, 7-8, €10,800, 3yo, 2250mT, time: n/a, gd.

LUCKY CHOICE (ITY) (c, 3, Shantou--Native Choice {Ire}, by Be My Native) Lifetime Record: SP-Ity, 17-4-3-5, €72,505. O-Scuderia la Nuova Piccolina; B-Canova SS; T-Angelo Candi.

ITALY, Livorno, 9.50, 7-8, €9,000, 2yo, 1350mT, time: n/a, gd.

CICERENELLA (ITY) (f, 2, Silver Wizard--Carmel Honey-moon, by Northern Baby) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, €13,192. O/T-Romero Morgan; B-Al la Dogana.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Cheshire Rose (GB)**, f, 2, **Bertolini--Merch Rhyd-Y-Grug (GB)**, by Sabrehill. Ripon, Britain, 7-9, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Northcombe Stud. *5,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

+ **Let's Rock (Ger)**, c, 2, **Dashing Blade (GB)--Les Intimes (Ire)**, by Be My Guest. Hannover, Germany, 7-8, Mdn, 2yo, 7fT. B-Gestut Brummerhof.

Fol Hollow (Ire), c, 2, **Monashee Mountain--Constance Do (GB)**, by Risk Me (Fr). Musselburgh, Britain, 7-9, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Dan O'Brien. *€3,200 wnlg '05 GOFNOV; 2,400gns yrl '06 DONOCT.

Little Knickers (GB), f, 2, **Prince Sabo (GB)--Pants (GB)**, by Pivotal (GB). Bath, Britain, 7-9, Mdn, 2yo, 5f 11ydsT. B-Andrew Reid.

Monte Urpinu (GB), c, 2, **Vettori (Ire)--Shining Cloud (GB)**, by Indian Ridge (Ire). Naples, Italy, 7-8, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 7 1/2fT. B-Barton Stud. *7,000gns yrl '05 TATDEC; 22,000gns yrl '06 TATOCT.

+ **Armanda (Ger)**, f, 3, **Acatenango (Ger)--Aragosta (Ger)** (GSW-Ger), by Nebos (Ger). Hannover, Germany, 7-8, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Gestut Hof Ittlingen.

Lafayette (Ger), f, 3, **Artan (Ire)--Las Palmas (Ger)**, by Experte (Ger). Vittel, France, 7-8, Cond, 3yo, 1mT. B-Klaus Dobbeck. *€13,000 yrl '05 BBASEP. *1/2 to Le Jardin (Ger) (Gimont {Ger}), SW & G1SP-Ger; Leconte (Ger) (Homing {GB}), SW-Ger, \$150,086; Lecroix (Ger) (Assert {Ire}), GSW & MG1SP-Ger, \$395,889; La Perla (Ger) (Dashing Blade {GB}), Ch. 2yo Filly-Swi.

Kalypso Queen (Ger), f, 3, **Lando (Ger)--Kadmea (Ire)**, by Big Shuffle. Hannover, Germany, 7-8, Mdn, 3yo, 7fT. B-Gestut Auenquelle.

Passato (Ger), c, 3, **Lando (Ger)--Passata (Fr)**, by Polar Falcon. Munich, Germany, 7-8, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Gestut Hof Ittlingen. *€34,000 yrl '05 BBASEP.

Ideally (Ire), g, 3, **Mark of Esteem (Ire)--Ideal Lady (Ire)**, by Seattle Slew. Bath, Britain, 7-9, Mdn, 3yo/up, 10f 46ydsT. B-Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd.

Authentic Act (Ire), c, 3, **Pivotal (GB)--All in All (GB)**, by Halling. Cologne, Germany, 7-8, Mdn, 3yo, 1850mT. B-Gestut Ammerland.

Pivotal Answer (Ire), f, 3, **Pivotal (GB)--Begueule (Fr)** (MSP-Fr), by Bering (GB). Bath, Britain, 7-9, Mdn, 3yo/up, 10f 46ydsT. B-Pontchartrain Stud. *€90,000 yrl '05 DEAAUG.

Mulligan (Ger), c, 3, **Polish Precedent--Mandamou (Ger)**, by Ela-Mana-Mou (Ire). Munich, Germany, 7-8, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/8mT. B-Gestut Wittekindshof.

Tommy Tobougg (GB), g, 3, **Tobougg (Ire)--Celebrate (Ire)**, by Generous (Ire). Musselburgh, Britain, 7-9, Mdn, 3-5yo, 7f 30ydsT. B-Elsdon Farms.

Gallo's Wells (Ire), c, 4, **Sadler's Wells--Rafina**, by Mr. Prospector. Compiègne, France, 7-9, Cond (Apprentices), 4yo/up, 1 3/4mT. B-Quay Bloodstock & Niarchos Family. *€50,000 yrl '04 DEAAUG. **1/2 to Admiralofthefleet (Danehill), MGSW-Eng, \$261,223.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRE:

Sacha Royale (Aus), f, 2, **Fasliyev--Dora Maar (Aus)**, by Royal Academy. Bendigo (Victoria), 7-6, Mdn, 2yo, f, 5fT. B-Mrs C B Remond.

Hokuspokus (Aus), f, 2, **Red Ransom--Hanky Panky (Aus)**, by Anabaa. Morphettville (Adelaide), 7-7, Hcp, 2yo, 6fT. B-Vinery Stud Pty Ltd.

Gallant Tess (Aus), f, 3, **Galileo (Ire)--Dragoncello**, by Diesis (GB). Rosehill (Sydney), 7-7, Hcp, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT. B-R W Reid.

Lodge the Deeds (Aus), g, 4, **Grand Lodge--Admit Anywhere (Aus)**, by Zabeel (NZ). Rosehill (Sydney), 7-7, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-R Hull.

Sir Monashee (Aus), g, 4, **Monashee Mountain--Tres Rapide (NZ)**, by Paris House (GB). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 7-7, Hcp, 3yo/up, 5fT. B-L Chan.

Sentire (NZ), g, 5, **Pentire (GB)--Sent to War (NZ)**, by Centaine (Aus). Sandown (Melbourne), 7-7, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-G P, J D, S D & Miss S J O'Flaherty.

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