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PIONEEROF THE NILE TO VINERY

Multiple Grade I winner **Pioneerof the Nile** (Empire Maker--Star of Goshen, by Lord at War {Arg}) will take up stud duties next spring at Dr. Tom Simon's Vinery as property of a syndicate. Bred and raced by Ahmed Zayat's Zayat Stables, Pioneerof the Nile vaulted to the front of this year's Triple Crown trail with an impressive string of four straight graded victories for trainer Bob Baffert. The dark bay colt ended his juvenile campaign with a win in the GI CashCall Futurity last December at Hollywood Park. He began his sophomore year with a score in the GII Robert B. Lewis S. and added wins in the GII San Felipe S. and GI Santa Anita Derby before running second behind Mine That Bird (Birdstone) in the GI Kentucky Derby. Pioneerof the Nile retired with five wins from 10 starts and earnings of \$1,634,200. "Pioneerof the Nile is a horse we have admired for a long time," said Vinery General Manager Tom Ludt. "We wholeheartedly believe in the horse and intend to support him with our racing program. We love his race record, pedigree, and physical." Zayat added, "Pioneerof the Nile is not just our first homebred Grade I winner, but he is also our first homebred to race. We have retained a 50-percent interest in him and we plan to support him in all ways that we can. Pioneerof the Nile is the only colt of his generation to win a Grade I at age two and three. He was a dream horse to own and campaign." A stud fee has not been announced.

PACO ON THE SHELF

The Calvera Partnership's **Paco Boy (Ire)** (Desert Style {Ire}) will not bid for back-to-back renewals of the G1 Prix de la Forêt and has run his last race this season. Last seen when runner-up to Rip van Winkle (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) in the July 29 G1 Sussex S., the four-year-old, who had earlier taken the June 16 G1 Queen Anne S. at Royal Ascot, is to be rested for a 2010 campaign. "Paco Boy has done enough this year--he has given his owners a lot of fun and, hopefully, they'll have some more next season," conditioner Richard Hannon said. "He was on the go in early March being prepared for Dubai, and you can't keep going with these top horses, so we have decided to give him a long break through the winter and bring him back next year, when he'll be aimed at all the top mile races, with the G1 Lockinge S. at Newbury the logical stepping-stone to Royal Ascot."

NECESSARY EVIL SIDELINED

Graded stakes-winning juvenile **Necessary Evil** (Harlan's Holiday) exited her sixth-place finish in Saturday's GI Darley Debutante S. with an injured ankle. "Necessary Evil fractured her left front ankle during the running of the Debutante, but the prognosis for a complete recovery is excellent," said co-owner David Greathouse of Glencrest Farm. "We are not sure when it happened, but she was bumped right after the start, and that certainly may have contributed. She showed her true toughness, as she still charged to the lead, was ahead in the stretch, and in fact, was fighting back when she gave way late." Greathouse added the filly is expected to be able to return to training within four months. Necessary Evil parlayed a debut win at Hollywood May 31 into a win over the boys in the July 12 GIII Hollywood Juvenile Championship S. in just her second start. She was second behind Mi Sueno (Pulpit) in the Aug. 7 GIII Sorrento S. Co-owned by Glencrest Farm and Dapple Stable and trained by Doug O'Neill, Necessary Evil has won two of four starts to date for earnings of \$117,600.



Benoit

GOTTA HAVE HER GETS UP IN PALOMAR

Gotta Have Her (Royal Academy) finished with a powerful late rush to overtake pacesetter **Lethal Heat** (Unusual Heat) by a neck to win the GII Palomar H. at Del Mar yesterday. The five-year-old mare, second in this race a year ago, settled into stride while Lethal Heat loped along on an easy lead. She moved into contention on the turn and reeled in Lethal Heat as favored **Caribbean Sunset (Ire)** (Daneshill Dancer {Ire}) closed for third. "She's just a joy to ride," said winning jockey Tyler Baze. "[Trainer] Jenine [Sahadi] has done a wonderful job with her. She knows what she's doing--she just knows what she's doing. Jenine says she gives 110 percent. I think it might be 120 percent. Or maybe 150 percent. You've got to love a horse like her." Sahadi was proud of her charge. "I think she's fabulous; I just adore her," Sahadi admitted. "It's been quite a project to get her to relax and settle out there, but it was great to see her settle behind that slow pace today."

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Congratulations to Mi Sueno's Owner Southern Equine Stable and Trainer Eric Guillot.



BLACK-TYPE RESULTS

Wednesday, Del Mar

PALOMAR H.-GII, \$200,000, DMR, 9-9, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 3/5, fm.

1--**GOTTA HAVE HER**, 119, m, 5, by [Royal Academy](#)

1st Dam: **Winnowing**, by Rahy

2nd Dam: **Lady Sharp** (Fr), by Sharpman (Ire)

3rd Dam: **Golondrina** (Fr), by Sheshoon (GB)

(\$300,000 yrl '05 KEESEP). O-Green Lantern Stables LLC; B-Nursery Place & Robert T Manfuso (KY);

T-Jenine Sahadi; J-Tyler Baze; \$120,000. Lifetime

Record: GISP, 22-7-6-3, \$630,608. **Werk Nick**

Rating: B+. [Click for eNicks report/5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**Lethal Heat**, 117, f, 4, Unusual Heat--Lethal Leta, by Synastry. (\$49,000 RNA yrl '06 BESOCK; \$25,000 RNA HRA '07 BESMAY). O-B Abrams, M Auerbach, LLC & Alex McCauley; B-D Abrams, M Auerbach & Tom Roberts (CA); T-Barry Abrams; \$40,000.

3--**Caribbean Sunset** (Ire), 120, f, 4, [Danehill Dancer](#) (Ire)--Bonheur (Ire), by Royal Academy. (€160,000 yrl '06 GOFORB; \$1,250,000 HRA '08 KEENOV). O-John & Sarah Kelly, Helen Alexander & Donald & Joan Cimpl; B-Barronstown Stud (Ire); T-C Clement; \$24,000.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 3.40, 6.40, 1.10.

Also Ran: Wild Promises, Meydan Princess (Ire), Dawn After Dawn, Bel Air Sizzle, Missit (Ire).

Scratched: Allicansays Wow, Flashover.

Gotta Have Her, on the board in her last seven starts, began the season with a runner-up effort in the Jan. 25 GIII Tuzla H. at Santa Anita. Winner of the Apr. 12 GIII Las Cienegas H. down the hill in Arcadia, Gotta Have Her stretched out to run third in the GII Royal Heroine Mile S. and was coming off a runner-up effort in the Aug. 16 nine-furlong GI John C Mabee H. over the Del Mar lawn. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#), the [brisnet.com PPs](#) or [brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree](#). [Video](#), sponsored by Taylor Made.



RACING Round-Up

CLIFFS PUT AWAY FOR NEXT YEAR

The Heffer Syndicate's **Canford Cliffs** (Ire) (Tagula {Ire}) will not run again this season, connections revealed yesterday. Only third in the G1 Prix Morny at Deauville Aug. 23 following his six-length success in Royal Ascot's G2 Coventry S. June 16, the colt will wait for 2010 according to trainer Richard Hannon, who told *PA Sport*, "Everything is okay with him, but he is finished for the year now. He got pretty badly jarred up in France, so we'll give him some time off until next year."

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WEST POINT TRANSFERS HORSES FROM

MCLAUGHLIN Terry Finley has moved 21 New York-based horses owned by his West Point Thoroughbreds partnership from Kieran McLaughlin, dividing them between trainers Tom Albertrani and Mike Hushion. **Justwhistledixie** (Dixie Union), a two-time Grade II winner and runner-up in the GI Acorn S. in 2009, will now be trained by Bill Mott. McLaughlin, who has trained the likes of Seattle Fitz (Arg), Lear's Princess and Flashy Bull for West Point, told *Daily Racing Form* that it is a numbers game which brought about the decision. "Just trying to get my numbers in order," he said, adding that the Maktoum family has increased the number of horses being sent to him. "[West Point] is great for the game. They brought a lot of good people into the game. It was a tough decision. We had a lot of nice horses for them and have done well." Said Finley of McLaughlin, "We wish him the best. He's a great guy. He and his team are top notch." *The Form* said that the sidelined **Mr. Fantasy** (E Dubai), winner of this year's GIII Withers S., will join the Albertrani barn upon his return.

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.



SO. HEMISPHERE RESULTS

Monday, Cidade Jardim, Brazil

GRANDE PREMIO IPIRANGA-G1, R91,968, Cidade Jardim, 9-7, 3yo, c,1600mT, 1:36.14, sft.

1--▲#@REAL SECRET (BRZ), 123, c, 3, by Redattore (Brz)

1st Dam: Ke Segredo (Brz), by Punk (Arg)

2nd Dam: Sonho Secreto, by Secreto

3rd Dam: Dreamworld, by Alydar

O-Abdul Rahma Al Jasmi; B-Haras Ponta Pora;

T-A Luis Cintra; J-Angelo Marcio Souza; R32,780.

Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0. *1/2 to Nayara Gold (Brz)

(Know Heights {Ire}), MGSW & MG1SP-Brz.

2--Belo Valente (Brz), 123, c, 3, A Good Reason--

Acqua Marina (Brz), by Irish Fighter. O-Haras Valente;

B-Haras Xara/Haras Mineral Park; T-J Borges; R17,250.

3--Olympic Danz (Brz), 123, c, 3, Shudanz--Rarite (Brz),

by Nugget Point (Ire). O-Haras Regina; B-Haras

Kigrandi; T-A Oliveira; R12,920.

Margins: HF, 3 1/4, HF. Odds: 8.20, 14.70, 12.90.

Real Secret kept his perfect record intact in the opening leg of Cidade Jardim racetrack Quadruple Crown series for sophomore colts on the turf. The gray colt reeled in longshot and previously unbeaten Belo Valente to earn the victory while racing along the inner part of the damp turf course, while the rest of the 14-horse field racing out wide next to the outside rail.

In Other News...

A Daily Roundup of
Racing Articles in Other Media

[Another Hoof Forward for Racing's Fillies](#)

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Jason Gay, Wall Street Journal

[Faking It](#)

"If artificial tracks aren't safer, on all points, legs to lungs, what's the point?"

Jay Cronley, espn.com

[Hard to knock Jackson for resting Rachel](#)

Eric Crawford, Louisville Courier-Journal

[Celebrating Rachel's greatness](#)

Jeff Scott, The Saratogian

[Where was the coverage?](#)

"...I picked up a Sunday morning paper in the hope of reading about Rachel Alexandra's victory in the Woodward. And I found nothing."

Gary West, Fort-Worth Star Telegram

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Thursday, Doncaster, Britain, post time: 3:45 p.m.

DFS PARK HILL S.-G2, £100,000, 3yo/up, f/m,

14f 132ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY
1	9	Cassique Lady (Ire)	Langfuhr	Wadham	Fortune
2	2	Clowance (GB)	Montjeu (Ire)	Charlton	Dettori
3	5	Princess Taylor (GB)	Singspiel (Ire)	M Botti	Durcan
4	8	Sesenta (Ire)	King's Theatre (Ire)	W Mullins	Fallon
5	7	Sevenna (Fr)	Galileo (Ire)	Cecil	Queally
6	3	Shemima (GB)	Dalakhani (Ire)	de Royer-Dupre	Soumillon
7	10	Starfala (GB)	Galileo (Ire)	Cole	Callan
8	1	Victoria Montoya (GB)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Balding	Buick
9	4	Perfect Truth (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	A O'Brien	R Hills
10	6	Tanoura (Ire)	Dalakhani (Ire)	Oxx	Kinane
11	11	The Miniver Rose (Ire)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Hannon	Dobbs

All carry 130 pounds, bar Perfect Truth, Tanoura & The Miniver Rose, 118.

His Highness the Aga Khan holds a strong hand in this "Fillies' St Leger" with the Alain de Royer-Dupre-trained **Shemima** and John Oxx representative **Tanoura** looking to set the standard. Shemima, who took the G3 Prix Allez France over 10 furlongs at Chantilly Apr. 28, appeared suited to extended distances when third in the 14-furlong G2 Prix Maurice de Nieuil at Longchamp July and runner-up in Deauville's G2 Prix de Pomone over 1 9/16 miles last time Aug. 15. Tanoura beat Leocorno (Ire) (Pivotal {GB}) in the Listed Galtres S. over 1 1/2 miles at York on her latest start Aug. 20 and also looks set to appreciate the step-up in trip.

Friday, Doncaster, Britain

DFS DONCASTER CUP-G2, £100,000, 3yo/up,

2 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	3	Askar Tau (Fr)	Montjeu (Ire)	Tregoning	Moore	130
2	2	Geordieland (Fr)	Johann Quatz (Fr)	J Osborne	Kinane	130
3	5	Deutschland	Red Ransom	W Mullins	Fallon	127
4	6	Drill Sergeant (GB)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Johnston	Fanning	127
5	1	Victoria Montoya (GB)	High Chaparral (Ire)	Balding	Buick	124
6	4	Darley Sun (Ire)	Tiger Hill (Ire)	Simcock	Catlin	113

Friday, Doncaster, Britain

DFS MAY HILL S.-G2, £80,000, 2yo, f, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY
1	4	Clarietta (GB)	Shamardal	J Dunlop	Durcan
2	2	Gallic Star (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Channon	Catlin
3	6	Hibaayeb (GB)	Singspiel (Ire)	C Brittain	Callan
4	5	Pollenator (Ire)	Motivator (GB)	Hannon	Moore
5	3	Quiet (GB)	Observatory	Charlton	Drowne
6	1	Seta (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Cumani	Fallon
7	7	Virginia Hall (GB)	Medicean (GB)	Prescott	Sanders

All carry 124 pounds.

Friday, Doncaster, Britain

POLYPIPE FLYING CHILDERS S.-G2, £80,000, 2yo, 5fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	7	Archers Road (Ire)	Titus Livius (Fr)	Channon	Moore	126
2	2	Bould Mover (GB)	Kyllachy (GB)	Curtis	Gibbons	126
3	10	Misheer (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	C Brittain	Callan	126
4	4	Mister Manannan (Ire)	Desert Style (GB)	D Nicholls	A Nicholls	126
5	6	Our Jonathan (GB)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	K Ryan	Spencer	126
6	3	Star Rover (Ire)	Camacho (GB)	Evans	Egan	126
7	8	Piccadilly Filly (Ire)	Exceed and Excel (Aus)	Creighton	Creighton	123
8	5	Rose Blossom (GB)	Pastoral Pursuits (GB)	Fahey	Hanagan	123
9	9	Sand Vixen (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	bin Suroor	Dettori	123
10	1	Swan Wings (GB)	Bahamian Bounty (GB)	Balding	Buick	123

Saturday, Belmont Park

RUFFIAN H.-G1, \$300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Swift Temper	Giant's Causeway	Romans	Garcia	118
2	Be Fair	Exchange Rate	Lukas	Gomez	112
3	Exotic Lady	A.P. Indy	Forster	Velazquez	114
4a	Seventh Street	Street Cry (Ire)	bin Suroor	Maragh	122
5	Luna Vega	Malibu Moon	Asmussen	Bridgmohan	116
6a	Skylighter	Sky Mesa	Motion	Leparoux	116

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Saturday, Belmont Park

GARDEN CITY S.-GI, \$300,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT

PP HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1 Gozzip Girl	Dynaformer	Albertrani	Desormeaux	122
2 Katara	Pulpit	Matz	Castellano	116
3 Don't Forget Gil	Kafwain	Hennig	Leparoux	118
4 Miss World	Bernstein	Clement	Gomez	116
5 Many Kisses	Unbridled's Image	Everett	Luzzi	116
6 Shared Account	Pleasantly Perfect	Motion	Dominguez	120
7 Pull Dancer	Pulpit	McLaughlin	Garcia	116
8 Maram	Sahm	Brown	Lezcano	118
9 Keertana	Johar	Proctor	Coa	118

Saturday, Presque Isle Downs

PRESQUE ISLE DOWNS MASTERS S.-GIII, \$400,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f (AWT)

PP HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1 Nicks	Salt Lake	Janks	Ocampo	115
2 Diamondrella (GB)	Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)	Penna Jr	Maragh	123
3 Flashing	A.P. Indy	bin Suroor	Migliore	121
4 Game Face	Menifee	Pletcher	Prado	123
5 Bear Now	Tiznow	Stall Jr	Theriot	112
6 Porte Bonheur	Hennessy	Duggan	Hill	123
7 Sweet Lorena	Langfuhr	Ferraro	Carr	115
8 Tequilas Dayjur	Dayjur	Jackson	Houghton	115
9 Informed Decision	Monarchos	Sheppard	Leparoux	123
10 Beautiful Venue	Came Home	Beagle	Stokes III	115
11 Dubai Majesty	Essence of Dubai	Calhoun	Mena	123
12 Rollicking Affair	Black Tie Affair (Ire)	Progno	Suarez	112

Also Eligible:

13 Old Time Religion	Buddha	Wisner	Villa-Gomez	110
14 Premier Roma	Burning Roma	Bennett	Gonzalez	110

Saturday, Delaware Park

ENDINE S.-GIII, \$150,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f

PP HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1 Sunday Geisha	Sunday Break (Jpn)	Levine	Carmouche	117
2 Keep the Peace	Touch Gold	Kenneally	Cohen	117
3 Iron Butterfly	Forestry	Cox	Shepherd	117
4 Lady Chace	Tiznow	Margolis	Hernandez Jr	121
5 Casanova Killer	Storm Boot	Klesaris	Rose	121
6 Fearless Leader	Suave Prospect	Lerman	Centeno	121
7 Pious Ashley	Include	Wolfson	Napravnik	121
8 Bold Union	Dixie Union	Breen	Velez Jr	117



A NATIONAL HERITAGE by Tom Frary

One of the vital staging posts for the potential stars in the firmament, this year's renewal of the G1 National S. has been named in honor of the great Dr. Vincent O'Brien, who sadly died in June this year. His legend is sewn into the very turf of The Curragh, where he enjoyed unrivaled success over the decades that he dominated the sport. In this race, the former master of Ballydoyle sent out Sir Ivor, Roberto, Monteverdi (Ire), Storm Bird, El Gran Senor and Law Society to conquer before it was upgraded to the highest level in 1987. In its inaugural year with new status, O'Brien duly collected a win with Caerwent (Ire) (Caerleon), ridden by Cash Asmussen, and followed up 12 months later courtesy of Classic Fame (Nijinsky), with John Reid in the saddle. El Prado (Ire) in 1991 and Fatherland (Ire) the following season provided his final successes in the race and, fittingly, were both sons of Coolmore's giant Sadler's Wells and were steered by his long-time partner in glory Lester Piggott.

During the brief respite from the Ballydoyle iron grip in the early 1990s', Moyglare Stud's Definite Article (GB) (Indian Ridge {Ire}) gave Dermot Weld a third renewal in 1994, while Neville Callaghan sent out Danehill Dancer (Ire) (Danehill) to provide Michael Tabor with one of his first major wins a year later. Then, in 1996, the new Co. Tipperary commander-in-chief Aidan O'Brien began to stamp his own presence on the contest in an almost seamless continuation of Coolmore monopoly. That watershed season witnessed the eventual dual Classic hero Desert King (Ire) (Danehill) announcing his arrival under Walter Swinburn, and he presaged the 1997 triumph of King of Kings (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) with Christy Roche aboard.

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After Sinn dar (Ire) (Grand Lodge) upset Ballydoyle's disappointing 4-11 favorite Bernstein (Storm Cat) in 1999 en route to carving his name in the annals of the great races, Aidan O'Brien was back in control with the surprise winner Beckett (Ire) (Fairy King) in the millennium year and Hawk Wing (Woodman) in 2001. The latter's dashing and authoritative display under Michael Kinane remains one of this race's highlights. Weld registered a fifth renewal with the tough-as-teak Refuse to Bend (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) in 2002, while One Cool Cat (Storm Cat) was another for the O'Brien-Kinane axis the next season.

In the past five years, the National has been elevated to new heights and sits tall among the peak juvenile events to be staged in Europe. Just to reel off the names of the winners from 2004 onwards is to celebrate some of the finest Thoroughbreds to look through a bridle. Dubawi (Ire) (Dubai Millennium {GB}), George Washington (Ire) (Danehill), Teofilo (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), New Approach (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) and Mastercraftsman (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) all went on to further Group 1 success after flaunting their raw talent here.

Bar the ill-fated "Gorgeous George," all will play an important part in shaping the future of the breed at stud. Dubawi has his own contender this year from his first crop in **Poet's Voice (GB)**, who will line up alongside the product of past victor Danehill Dancer in the already-proven **Alfred Nobel (Ire)**. That colt carries the weight of expectation that surrounds Ballydoyle's chosen ones and is charged with maintaining the legacy begun by Dr. Vincent O'Brien.

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Birthdate: September 20, 1956

Birthplace: Boston, Massachusetts

Family: Son, Austin, 21, and Daughter, Ashley, 24.

Current residence: New York City

Principal Business: Fashion; president and co-founder of the fashion company Theory.

How did you get into racing? My father was a passionate horse player. He owned the champion three-year-old filly of 1974 Chris Everet, and bred the 1984 two-year-old champion Chief's Crown. I started going to the track with my dad when I was very young. I inherited his passion for the sport.

Is racing a business or a hobby for you? It is both. It is not only something I strategize and work at, as I do my principal business, but also something I love participating in daily.

How many horses do you currently own, including breeding stock? Is the number where you want it to be? I have 51 horses, however, it is not the quantity, it's the quality that matters. Thus, I stay active in all facets of the business: racing, breeding, buying and selling.

How did you get involved in the fashion industry? Like racing, it was in my genes. I grew up in the industry. My grandfather founded Puritan Fashions in 1910, and my father joined him in the 1940s. Ultimately, he founded Calvin Klein Jeans, a business that I took over from him when he passed away in 1984. I continued to work in the fashion industry, and founded Theory in 1997, constantly inspired by his legacy.

Do hemlines really correspond to the stock market? Which way are hemlines going? Markets and hemlines don't really correspond. Right now, however, they both can go either way. It just depends on the weather.

What is the Icon Project, and why is it important to you? The Icon Project is the philanthropic and artistic initiative created by Theory to celebrate people and endeavors that have innovated the fields they occupy. I continually aspire to create that which has not yet been created-- to lead rather than follow. That is what the Icon Project is to me: both a celebration, and an inspiration. Just like the horse...

Fashion Week is the same dates as the opening session of Keeneland September sales--which will you attend? I have my priorities in order--I go to both. I miss two days of Fashion Week to attend Keeneland on Monday and Tuesday.

What is the most exciting sporting event you've attended that didn't involve one of your own horses? The 1967 World Series. Red Sox vs. St. Louis Cardinals. My mother and I were huge Red Sox fans. And that year, we went to every single home game the Sox played. The odds were 100 to 1 they wouldn't make the Series--and they did.

What has been your highlight thus far in racing? Campaigning Chief's Crown, along with my family. He won the inaugural Breeder's Cup Juvenile, as well as 8 Grade I races, and was the champion two-year-old colt of 1984.

What is your favorite New York City restaurant? Macelleria, a quiet little Italian restaurant in the Meatpacking District, that serves the best steak in New York City.

What is your drink of choice? Vodka rocks.

What's in your CD player right now? My son is a music producer. I am always checking out his latest beats.

What was your most recent purchase? Advil from the local drugstore; golf-induced back problems.

What is your favorite vacation spot? St. Barths on a boat with family and friends.

How do you spend your perfect day? I start off the day with 18 holes of golf at Sebonack, head back home for lunch with the kids, do some afternoon striped bass fishing off Montauk, and back home for dinner with family and friends.



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MCPEEK WINS TO BENEFIT EQUINE RESEARCH

For each of his wins in 2009, trainer Ken McPeek will donate \$50 to the Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation, retroactively to July 1. "We certainly appreciate Mr. McPeek stepping up to increase his support of equine research," Foundation President Edward Bowen said in a statement. "He already was a member of our Rokeby Circle level of donors, and this additional generosity further underscores his understanding that scientific research serves trainers and all others in the industry. We have some owners who give after each victory through our Share the Wins program, but this is the first time a trainer has come on board. I hope others will look at this as an appropriate way to help." The Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation has provided more than \$16.3 million to fund 247 research projects since 1983. This year, the foundation is funding 18 projects researching topics such as racing surface management, equine herpesvirus, tracking of training injuries and cartilage and bone repair. "I am glad to be able to give back to the industry this way," McPeek said. "The mission of the Grayson-Jockey Club Research Foundation is to help horses stay sound and healthy, and what could be a better fit with what trainers do every day of our lives." For more information, visit grayson-jockeyclub.org.

★ **DEL MAR** ★

Yesterday's Results:

PIRATE'S BOUNTY S., \$112,320, DMR, 9-9, (R), 3yo/up, 6f (AWT), 1:09 4/5, ft.
1--**DANCING IN SILKS**, 121, g, 4, **Black Minnaloushe--Lemhi Love (MSW, \$265,723)**, by Royal and Regal. (\$20,000 wIng '05 KEENOV; C\$24,000 yrl '06 BRCSEP). O-Ken Kinakin; B-Ronald E Jex (CA); T-Carla Gaines; J-Joel Rosario; \$69,534. Lifetime Record: 11-5-2-2, \$307,622. *1/2 to Love at Noon (Afternoon Deelites), GISP, \$132,675; Gins Majesty (Go for Gin), GSW, \$210,431.
2--**Candy Pull**, 119, g, 4, In Excess (Ire)--Iza Bon Bon, by Iz a Saros. O-H R C Stable, LLC. \$23,178.
3--**Tangled Tango**, 119, c, 4, Petionville--Out of Step, by Affirmed. O-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds LLC. \$10,848.
Margins: 1 1/4, 2 1/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 2.40, 11.80, 8.00.

Pirate's Bounty S. cont.

Dancing in Silks, fourth in the Jan. 24 Sunshine Millions Sprint, captured an optional claimer over the Del Mar turf in just his second outing of the year Aug. 14. Second choice in the field of five, the bay gelding stalked the pacesetters, bid three deep turning for home to take the lead in upper stretch and forged clear for the victory. Heavily favored Cost of Freedom (Cee's Tizzy) battled on the front end before tiring in the final furlong to finish fourth. **Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.**

7th-DMR, \$71,920, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$62,500), NW2\$X, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:15 2/5, ft.
1--**M ONE RIFLE**, 119, g, 3, **One Man Army--Leanness, by Bertrando**. O/B-Ed Bernstein, Brian Greenspun, Bruce Headley & Irwin Molasky (CA); T-Bruce Headley. Lifetime Record: SW, 4-3-0-1, \$158,460.
2--**Supreme Summit**, 117, c, 3, Cactus Ridge--Studentoftheweek, by Sunny Clime. (\$10,000 yrl '07 KEEJAN; \$42,000 yrl '07 OBSAUG; \$70,000 RNA 2yo '08 OBSJUN).
3--**Crown of Thorns**, 120, c, 4, Repent--Crowning Touch, by Thunder Gulch. (\$300,000 2yo '07 OBSMAR).

Margins: HF, 3/4, 17. Odds: 0.60, 2.60, 3.40.
M One Rifle, third behind subsequent graded stakes winner Grazen (Benchmark) in his debut at Hollywood Apr. 25, went wire-to-wire to graduate by 4 1/4 lengths July 5 at Hollywood and was coming off a front-running 3 1/2-length tally in the Aug. 14 Real Good Deal S. last time out. The dark bay gelding, heavily favored against just three rivals, set the pace through fractions of :22.28, :45.11 and 1:09.07. Supreme Summit (Cactus Ridge) and Crown of Thorns (Repent) chased the pacesetter from the start and were inching closer to the winner at the wire without ever looking likely to catch him. **Click for the brisnet.com chart. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.**

• **ON THE WORKTAB** •

DEL MAR
Pasar Silbano (Ire) (Elnadim), 5fT, •1:00.60, 1/2
Paula's Girl (Chi) (Special Quest {Fr}), 6f, 1:16.40, 1/1
Tiago (Pleasant Tap), 4fT, :52.60, 5/5
Whatsthescript (Ire) (Royal Applause {GB}), 5f, 1:00.40, 3/27
HOLLYWOOD PARK
Marsh Side (Gone West), 7f, •1:29.00, 1/2
SANTA ANITA
Winslow Homer (Unbridled's Song), 5f, 1:03.60, 8/10

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a + will indicate first-time starters.



Del Mar Report cont.

5th-DMR, \$71,600, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$100,000), C, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 2/5, fm.

1--**EL GATO MALO, 120, g, 4, El Corredor--One Bad Cat, by Mountain Cat.** (\$95,000 yrl '06 FTKOCT; \$130,000 RNA yrl '06 KEESEP; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '07 OBSMAR). O-West Point Thoroughbreds; B-Kenneth C Roberts (KY); T-Craig Dollase. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 12-6-1-1, \$530,800.

2--**Times Gone By, 122, c, 4, Giant's Causeway--Happy Tune, by A.P. Indy.** (\$460,000 wlng '05 KEENOV; \$1,900,000 yrl '06 KEESEP).

3--**Victory Pete, 122, c, 4, Five Star Day--Blabby B., by Tabasco Cat.** (\$75,000 2yo '07 BESMAR; \$17,000 RNA wlng '05 OBSOCT).

Margins: NK, 1 3/4, 1. Odds: 16.90, 2.00, 5.30.

El Gato Malo, winner of last year's GIII Lone Star Derby, captured the McCann's Mojave S. at Golden Gate in February, but had not been seen since running fourth in his turf debut in an Apr. 3 Golden Gate allowance. Dismissed at 16-1 in his return, the dark bay gelding vaulted into contention with a four-wide move into the stretch and powered to the lead late for a determined victory. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#)
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1st-DMR, \$54,754, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:45 1/5, ft.

CHERRYBLOSSOMMISS (f, 4, Langfuhr--Bodhavista, by Pass the Tab) finally broke through after a string of five straight second-place finishes. The grey returned after nearly 11 months on the sidelines to complete the exacta on the Hollywood Cushion July 9, then stretched to a mile and was runner-up at Del Mar July 29 and Aug. 19. Getting a little more ground to work with and new rider Joel Rosario in the irons this time, she was reined in to sit well off the leaders early. The filly closed ground on the turn and was fanned widest of all at the top of the lane, but that wasn't a factor as she powered away from her rivals in the final furlong to graduate by 5 1/2 lengths. Broken Silence (Broken Vow) was second best. A \$110,000 KEESEP yearling, the winner is a 1/2 to White Beauty (Robyn Dancer), MSW & GSP, \$361,663; and full to Imperialism, MGSW, \$899,772. Lifetime Record: 7-1-5-0, \$84,400. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or the [video, sponsored by Taylor Made.](#)

O-Empire Racing, Venneri Racing & Jim Perry. B-Silver Tree Farms LLC (KY). T-John W Sadler.

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NTRA REPORT FROM CAPITOL HILL



SEN. LINCOLN TO CHAIR AG COMMITTEE

Senator [Blanche Lincoln](#) (D-AR) has taken over as the new [Senate Agriculture Committee](#) Chairwoman. The announcement comes on the heels of several personnel moves made as Congress returned from summer recess earlier this week.

Sen. Lincoln replaces Sen. [Tom Harkin](#) (D-IA), who assumed chairmanship of the Health, Education, Labor and Pensions Committee (HELP). At the behest of the late Sen. Edward Kennedy (D-MA), Sen. [Christopher Dodd](#) (D-CT) had served as acting chairman of the HELP panel but decided this week to remain in his post as Senate Banking Chairman rather than continue in that role.

The Agriculture Committee has legislative oversight of all matters relating to the nation's agriculture industry, farming programs, forestry and logging, and legislation relating to nutrition and health.

Sen. Lincoln was among a bipartisan group of Senate Agriculture Committee members, including Sen. [Mitch McConnell](#) (R-KY), who supported the [Farm Bill provisions](#) of accelerated depreciation and federal emergency disaster relief that benefit the horse industry.



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★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN BRITAIN:

Realisation, c, 2, Alhaarth (Ire). See "*Britain*."

Arty Crafty, f, 3, Arch--Princess Kris (GB), by Kris (GB). Kempton Park, 9-9, Cond, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m (AWT).

B-Airlie Stud. *Full to Prince Arch, GISW, \$609,186.

Monetary Fund, g, 3, Montjeu (Ire). See "*Breeders' Edition, Europe*."

Strike the Deal, c, 4, Van Nistelrooy. See "*Britain*."

★ INDUSTRY INFO ★

Brisnet Offers Free Race Chart Archives:

Brisnet.com is now offering archived race charts from North American tracks dating back to 1991 on its website free of charge. The PDF charts are available in traditional format or with alternative running lines. The alternative lines give each runner's chart call based on the leader's margins and beaten lengths, as they would appear in the past performances. "Prior to this it was very cost prohibitive for a person to pull down archived charts," explained Bloodstock Research Information Services Vice President Happy Broadbent. "Now it is easy for a person to research our great sport and follow the racing history of their favorite Thoroughbreds."



Industry Info cont.

Simulcast Conference Topics Announced:

The concerns and needs of the wagering public will take up much of the focus at this year's International Simulcast Conference in Saratoga Springs, the Thoroughbred Racing Associations and the Harness Tracks of America announced yesterday. The conference's first session Oct. 12 will be devoted to an examination of simulcasting data and video networks, and to safeguards in place and procedures tracks and wagering outlets should use to minimize the impact of late odds shifts in betting. Among the expected speakers are TRA Executive Vice President Chris Scherf, Thoroughbred Racing Protective Bureau President Frank Fabian, Roberts Communications Vice President Joe Hill and United Tote President Jeff True. The three-day conference takes place Oct. 12-14 at the Saratoga Hilton. For more information, visit tra-online.com/2009conf2.html.

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- 1st-DMR (Msw) Cherryblossommiss** (Langfuhr) breaks the bridesmaid streak in impressive style.
- 5th-DMR (Alw) El Gato Malo** (El Corredor) powers to late lead in his return.
- 7th-DMR (Alw) M One Rifle** (One Man Army) wires field for third straight win.

“Racing has to find a way of competing with other forms of gambling that are kicking its butt. The only way that's going to happen is if the people that run racing drop the takeout and stop demanding such a huge slice of the pie. At some point, there is what I call an optimal pricing point where you can get takeout to a point to where you have the maximum amount of money flowing in to state coffers, to tracks and to horsemen in the form of purses. Every single one of these studies has indicated that the current 20% blended takeout is well above that optimal pricing point. I guarantee you that the people operating casinos, Indian casinos, Las Vegas, Atlantic City, online poker, sports books, all the places that racing has to compete with for gambling dollars, those people have figured out what their optimal price point is.”

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First-crop starters to watch: Thursday, Sept. 10

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2006 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

- AFLEET ALEX** (Northern Afleet), Gainesway, \$40K, 138/7/1
2-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, Fleet Special, \$60K FTK NOV wnl, 6-1
- CONSOLIDATOR** (Storm Cat), Darley, \$20K, 102/10/0
1-PID, Msw, 6f, +Bare Advantage, 8-1
- LIMEHOUSE** (Grand Slam), Vinery, \$18K, 99/9/1
1-PID, Msw, 6f, Horrendous, \$9K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2
- MAVERICK** (Dixieland Band), 18/0/0
5-LAD, Msw, 6f, Gran Senora, 6-1
- POLLARD'S VISION** (Carson City), Wintergreen, \$10K, 104/10/3
1-PID, Msw, 6f, Pretty Drink, \$40K OBS OPN 2yo, 5-1
- 5-LAD, Msw, 6f, +Miss Pollys Legend, \$1,000 FTK OCT yrl, 20-1
- WOKE UP DREAMIN** (Holy Bull), Millennium, \$8K, 57/4/0
2-CT, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Keep On Dreamin, 10-1

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Thursday, Sept. 10

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2005 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

- CANDY RIDE (ARG)** (Ride the Rails), Hill 'n' Dale, \$10K, 216/53/6
8-FPX, Stk, 6 1/2f, Ride Me Fast
- CHAMPALI** (Glitterman), Glencrest, \$8K, 117/22/1
3-AP, Msw, 6f, +Iron Champ, 6-1
- EVEN THE SCORE** (Unbridled's Song), Millennium, \$9K, 171/44/4
8-FPX, Stk, 6 1/2f, Bonifacio, \$40K KEE SEP yrl
- MOMENTUM** (Nureyev), Vessels, \$5K, 88/13/0
6-FPX, Msw, 6f, +Please Spell It
- OLMODAVOR** (A.P. Indy), Adena Springs South, \$10K, 119/32/2
8-FPX, Stk, 6 1/2f, Miss Dixie Dancer, \$23K BAR MAY 2yo
- SOTO** (Dehere), Walmac, \$8K, 69/17/5
3-WO, Msw, 5f, +Say It Right, \$16K FTK OCT yrl, 7-2

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FESTIVAL SALE SUFFERS DROP Doncaster Bloodstock Sales's St Leger Festival Sale got underway yesterday, with the average of £8,903 down by 31 percent on its 2008 equivalent. The Sales Company's Managing Director Henry Beeby, drawing on the positive of the amount of yearlings sold, commented, "We are perfectly content with the trade that we have experienced tonight. In the current economic climate, vendors have demonstrated a pragmatic approach that has resulted in a 75-percent clearance rate, which is probably the most important statistic at present." Late in the session, trainer Kevin Ryan outbid Richard Hannon Jr. and Ross Doyle to purchase Mocklershill's hip **80**, a Haafhd (GB) half-brother to dual Listed winner Party Boss (GB) (Silver Patriarch {Ire}) for £36,000. Agent Bobby O'Ryan, who bought the session-topper 12 months ago, paid £25,000 for hip **29**, Cloverdale Bloodstock's colt from the first crop of Sleeping Indian (GB) (Indian Ridge {Ire}), whose dam is a sister to the listed-placed Salcombe (GB) (Elmaamul). Kern Lillingston were responsible for the purchase of the top-priced filly, going to £20,000 to secure hip **78**, a daughter of Intikhab whose page includes the group winners Bin Rosie (GB) (Distant Relative {Ire}) and Generous Rosi (GB) (Generous {Ire}). Selling continues at 5:45 p.m. today. Full results can be found on www.dbsauctions.com.



**Doncaster St Leger Festival Sale
Wednesday, Sept. 9, 2009**

SESSION TOTALS	2009	2008
Catalogued	85	80
No. Offered	77	72
No. Sold	58	51
RNAs	19	21
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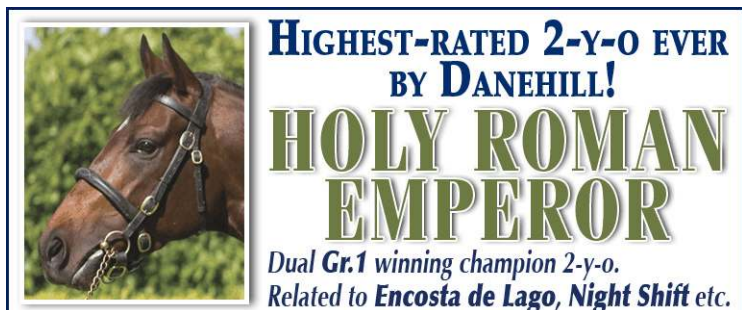
Bill Gredley has been unveiled as part of a consortium that have agreed to purchase the operating company of Great Leighs racecourse, which has been closed since January. Famed as the owner of User Friendly (GB) and Environment Friend (GB), Gredley will team up with Essex businessman Terry Chambers, and the sale is set to complete Sept. 29. If there are no complications and a licence is granted by the British Horseracing Authority, racing could resume at the venue in 2011.



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2.00 Doncaster, Mdn, £10,500, 2yo, 1mT
COORDINATED CUT (IRE) (Montjeu (Ire)) comes to the track with a home reputation sufficient to see him offered in the ante-post Classic markets for 2010. Peter Chapple-Hyam saddles Lawrie Inman's half-brother to the useful Wild Savannah (GB) (Singspiel {Ire}), and he will need to be every bit as sharp as the hype to account for Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's **Munsarim (Ire) (Shamardal)**, a John Dunlop trained-colt who was third behind **"TDN Rising Star" ☆ Al Zir (Medaglia d'Oro)** at Newmarket on debut last month.

3.10 Doncaster, Cond, £300,000, 2yo, 6 1/2ft
TAAJUB (IRE) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) is a stand-out in the line-up for this extremely valuable Weatherbys Insurance S. following his second to Showcasing (GB) (Oasis Dream {GB}) in the G2 Gimcrack S. at York last month. Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum's colt represents the William Haggas stable. He meets Saleh Al Homaizi and Imad Al Sagar's G2 Coventry S. third **Rakaan (Ire) (Bahamian Bounty {GB})**.



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Yesterday's Results:

DFS SCARBROUGH S.-Listed, £40,000, Doncaster, 9-9, 2yo/up, 5fT, :57.49, gd/fm.

1--**STRIKE THE DEAL, 135, c, 4, Van Nistelrooy--Countess Gold, by Mt. Livermore.** (\$40,000 yrl '06 FTKJUL; 140,000gns 2yo '07 TATAPR; 480,000gns HIT '07 TATDEC). O-M Barber; B-Five-D Thoroughbreds LLC; T-Jeremy Nosedo; J-Kieren Fallon; £23,704. Lifetime Record: GSW & G1SP-Eng, GSP-Fr, 22-4-2-2, £222,576.

2--**Spin Cycle (Ire), 134, c, 3, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Spinamix (GB), by Spinning World.** (50,000gns wnlg '06 TATDEC; 84,000gns yrl '07 DONAUG). £8,964.

3--**Above Limits (Ire), 110, f, 2, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Cin Isa Luv, by Private Account.** (€16,000 yrl '08 GOFMIL). £4,480.

Margins: 1, NO, 1. Odds: 9-2, 12-1, 16-1.

Also Ran: Dandy Man (Ire), Inxile (Ire), Captain Gerrard (Ire), Moorhouse Lad (GB), Hoh Hoh Hoh (GB), Siren's Gift (GB). Scratched: City Dancer (Ire).

Scarborough S. cont.

Strike the Deal was among the better of the juveniles in 2007, with a win in the G2 Richmond S., a second in the G1 Middle Park S. and a decent fourth in the inaugural Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf among his finer efforts. Leveling off at three, the chestnut finally got his head back in front in a conditions event on Lingfield's Polytrack May 27 and, after a respectable seventh in the G1 Golden Jubilee S. at Royal Ascot June 20, was off the board in both the July 12 G3 Prix de Ris-Orangis at Maisons-Laffitte and Listed Hopeful S. at Newmarket last Saturday. Slowly away on only his third try at this trip, he languished in last for much of the contest, but was finding top gear as most of his rivals were spent late on and snaked through the field to lead in the final strides. "He was lying on the gate when they opened, so was slow to jump, but we thought bringing him back in trip would suit, and I had to hope for the gaps," commented jockey Kieren Fallon, who was recording a double on only his sixth day back in the saddle. "We always thought a lot of him, and he's only just coming good."

Doncaster, 15.10, Cond, £25,000, 3-5yo, 10f 60ydsT, 2:10.97, gd.

TWICE OVER (GB) (c, 4, Observatory--Double Crossed {GB} {SW-Eng}, by Caerleon), a dual group winner and multiple Group 1-placed, had reached that point where a confidence boost was required when disappointing in seventh in the G1 Eclipse S. at Sandown July 4. Sent off at a generous 4-6, the homebred traveled smoothly in the slipstream of Chock a Block (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}) until allowed to go through the gears at the quarter pole. Soon clear, he was taken in hand near the line to register an easy 1 3/4-length success from Serva Jugum (Fusaichi Pegasus). "He traveled well and settled well and showed a good turn of foot, which puts him in a different league to these," jockey Tom Queally explained. "He wasn't himself in the Eclipse, and today you saw the horse he is--he's very laid-back and would nearly talk to you." Lifetime Record: GSW & MG1SP-Eng, GSW-Fr, 13-5-1-4, £420,603.

O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd; T-Henry Cecil.

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TDN Euro is:

England: Sean Cronin (CAFE Racing)

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France: Claude Beniada

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Ireland: Dave Keena

Italy: Giorgio Barsotti



British Report cont.

Doncaster, 14.35, Cond, £17,500, 2yo, 6fT, 1:11.43, gd/fm.

ANGEL'S PURSUIT (IRE) (c, 2, Pastoral Pursuits {GB}--Midnight Angel {GB}, by Machiavellian), runner-up in the Listed Prix de la Vallee d'Auge at Deauville Aug. 15 before an unplaced effort in Saturday's G3 Sirenia S. on Kempton's Polytrack, raced behind the early leaders. Seizing the advantage approaching the furlong pole, the 11-2 shot held on to best Roodle (GB) (Xaar {GB}) by 3/4 of a length. "He was unlucky in Deauville and again on Saturday, so he deserved that, and he'll definitely train on," the trainer's son and assistant Richard Hannon Jr. commented. The winner is a half-brother to Dark Angel (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}), G1SW-Eng, \$688,523. Sales history: €94,000 wnlg '07 GOFNOV; £45,000 yrl '08 DONAUG; £190,000 2yo '09 DONAPR. Lifetime Record: SP-Fr & Eng, 8-2-2-1, £32,521. O-Malih L Al Basti; B-Hong Kong Breeders Club; T-Richard Hannon.

Doncaster, 14.00, Hcp, £15,000, 2yo, 7fT, 1:24.51, gd/fm.

AUDACITY OF HOPE (GB) (c, 2, Red Ransom--Aliena {Ire} {SW-US}, by Grand Lodge) was tried in the G3 Solario S. at Sandown last time Aug. 22, but pulled his chance away and was last of eight. Keen again under restraint in the early stages here, the well-backed 3-1 favorite, who RNA'd as a 15,000gns TATDEC weanling, produced a smart turn of acceleration from rear, hit the front 150 yards out and comfortably held Pleasant Day (Ire) (Noverre) by 1 1/2 lengths. "I was in a lot of trouble, but he's a nice horse and got me out of it," jockey Kieren Fallon said. "I thought it was a very good nursery and, when he got out, he picked up instantly and did it well." Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, £15,071.

O-Four Winds Racing; B-Wood Farm Stud (Waresley); T-P J McBride.

Epsom, 14.45, Mdn, £8,000, 2yo, 1m 114ydsT, 1:49.00, gd/fm.

REALISATION (c, 2, Alhaarth {Ire}--Live Your Dreams {SW & GSP-US, \$215,405}, by Mt. Livermore), third at Chester last time Aug. 2, was hammered into 1-2 and stalked the early pace before taking over with a quarter-mile remaining. In no danger thereafter, the homebred recorded a 1 3/4-length success from Ebony Boom (Ire) (Boreal {Ger}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, £6,433.

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O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Mark Johnston.

Thursday, Doncaster, post time: 4:50 p.m.

JAPAN RACING ASSOCIATION SCEPTRE S.-Listed, £40,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	8	Festoso (Ire)	Diesis (GB)	H Dunlop	O'Neill	129
2	5	Fantasia (GB)	Sadler's Wells	Cumani	Fallon	127
3	7	Carcinetto (Ire)	Danetime (Ire)	Evans	Egan	126
4	4	Oceana Blue (GB)	Reel Buddy	Balding	Buick	126
5	12	Red Dune (Ire)	Red Ransom	M Jarvis	Dettori	126
6	3	Royal Confidence (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	B Hills	M Hills	126
7	11	Cilium (Ire)	War Chant	Oliver	Fanning	122
8	9	Iasia (Gr)	One Cool Cat	J Ch-Hyam	Queally	122
9	10	King's Starlet (GB)	King's Best	Morrison	Drowne	122
10	13	Please Sing (GB)	Royal Applause (GB)	Channon	Culhane	122
11	6	Say No Now (Ire)	Refuse to Bend (Ire)	Lanigan	Durcan	122
12	2	Select (Ire)	Choisir (Aus)	P Ch-Hyam	Munro	122
13	1	Shamwari Lodge (Ire)	Hawk Wing	Hannon	Kinane	122

Fantasia bids to get back on track following defeats in the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches at Longchamp May 10 and G1 Prix de Diane at Chantilly June 14. Far from disgraced on the former occasion when third, she dipped below form and ran seventh when stepped up to 1 5/16 miles for the latter test, and reverts to the distance of her impressive Apr. 15 G3 Nell Gwyn S. success. Trainer Luca Cumani's website stated, "She wasn't herself in late spring, didn't enjoy her trips to France and then lost some weight and didn't look herself. But she's been going very well on the gallops at home after being freshened up and having an easy time over the summer, and she looks right back now to the sort of form she was in before her reappearance in the Nell Gwyn." **Royal Confidence** was third behind the dead-heaters Confront (GB) (Nayef) and Dream Eater (Ire) (Night Shift) in the Listed City of York S. last time Aug. 21, and that duo have since added substance to the form.

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Tuesday Night's Results:

Dundalk, 20.25, Mdn, €8,500, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/2m (AWT), 2:31.71, stn.

EASY MATE (IRE) (f, 3, Monsun {Ger}--All To Easy {GB}, by Alzao), runner-up on debut at Galway Aug. 2, was held up towards the rear throughout the early stages before making ground to challenge out wide. Sweeping to the front with 100 yards remaining, the 9-4 second choice was driven out to best Leblon (Ire) (Dansili {GB}) by a head. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, €8,678.

O/B-Moyglare Stud Farm; T-Dermot Weld.



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SOUMILLON HURT IN NANCY FALL

Christophe Soumillon is awaiting the results of an X-ray to his arm after being involved in a fall in a claimer at Nancy yesterday. The incident occurred as his mount Burlada (GB) (Selkirk) jinked when in the lead during the seventh race and unshipped the jockey, who then was kicked by another horse. Agent Edith Dutertre told *PA Sport*, "Christophe is quite alright, he is now at the hospital in Nancy, near the racetrack. He is talking to his wife on the phone, and everything seems to be all right with his head. The only problem is with his elbow, which hurts a bit, so they are doing examinations. At the beginning, we thought it was broken, but it looks like it might not be, so we are waiting for the results of the X-ray."

Yesterday's Results:

Compiègne, 17.25, Mdn, €13,000, 3yo, c/g, 1 1/4mT, 2:06.83, gd/sf.

DARPAL (GB) (c, 3, Zamindar--Roupala, by Vaguely Noble {Ire}), unplaced on debut at Deauville Aug. 2, started as the 19-5 second favorite and stalked the early pace. Sent to the front inside the final quarter, the homebred was not extended to record a neck success from Lifting Cloud (GB) (Dansili {GB}). He is a half-brother to Danefair (GB) (Danehill), GSW-Fr, \$119,886; Erudite (GB) (Generous {Ire}), G1SP-Fr; Prove (GB) (Danehill), GSW-Fr; and Vortex (GB) (Danehill), MSW-Swe, SW & GSP-Eng, Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 0 places, €6,500. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd; T-David Smaga.

Compiègne, 17.55, Mdn, €13,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT, 2:10.61, gd/sf.

THE GAILLIMH GIRL (IRE) (f, 3, Montjeu {Ire}--Pleiade {Fr}, by Baryshnikov {Aus}), third in the Aug. 2 Deauville debutantes contest in which Darpal (GB) (Zamindar) was down the field, raced close to the early pace. Tackling Belestia (GB) (Xaar {GB}) in the stretch, the 5-1 shot got the better of that duel to score by 3/4 of a length. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 1 win, 1 place, €10,100.

O-Seamus Murphy; B-P Connolly; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre.



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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

2nd-WOX, \$64,213, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000-\$77,500), NW3X, 3yo/up, 6fT, 1:08 2/5, fm.

BOGUE CHITTO (g, 5, Crafty Prospector--Zurita, by Storm Bird) Lifetime Record: 8-4-3-1, \$147,485. O/B-Luis De Hechavarria (FL). T-Ian Howard.

9th-PHA, \$45,936, NW2X, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23 1/5, ft.

PRINCESS MALKA (f, 3, Hennessy--Firecard {SW}, \$289,305), by Press Card Lifetime Record: 9-4-2-1, \$85,910. O-A & B Stables Inc. B-John T Crane Jr (MD). T-Frank L Pollara. *\$100,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

7th-PID, \$39,250, NW2L, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:04 2/5, ft.

SINGANDPRAYFURRHEN (f, 2, Songandaprayer--Purr Three, by Tale of the Cat) Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$44,947. O-GPC Racing Stables. B-Nursery Place (KY). T-John Good. *\$30,000 yrl '08 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '09 OBSMAR; \$70,000 RNA wIng '07 KEENOV.

8th-MNR, \$25,600, 9-8, NW3L, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, gd.

ELIZABETH'S DREAM (f, 4, Robyn Dancer--Alyoxide, by Jeblar) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, \$48,460. O/T-D Johnson. B-Farnsworth Farms (FL). *\$2,000 yrl '06 OBSAUG.

3rd-PRM, \$21,080, 9-8, Opt. Clm. (\$12,500), NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10, ft.

PUTYOURMINDATEASE (f, 4, Put It Back--Whatsonyourmind, by Jungle Express) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-2, \$28,721. O/B-Circle S Ranch (FL). T-Connie Barnes. *\$5,000 RNA yrl '06 OBSAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **Quiet Siren**, f, 2, **Real Quiet**--True Performer, by Salt Lake. PEN, 9-9, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:07 1/5. B-M Jester (PA).

+ **Stefani's Surprise**, f, 2, **Stephen Got Even**--Happy Numbers, by Polish Numbers. DEL, 9-9, (C), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Marathon Farms Inc (KY). *\$2,000 yrl '08 FTMOCT; \$29,000 RNA 2yo '09 FTMMAY.

Justamatteroftime, g, 2, **Taste of Paradise**--Green Mill, by Green Dancer. PID, 9-9, 1m (AWT), 1:40 1/5. B-Foal Run Farm, Julia A Gantt & Scotty Lobbott (KY). *\$4,200 wIng '07 KEENOV; \$1,000 yrl '08 KEESEP. **First winner for freshman sire (by Conquistador Cielo).

Jonmil's Edge, f, 2, **The Cliff's Edge**--My Scarlet Lady, by Out of Place. PID, 9-9, 6f (AWT), 1:10 2/5. B-Milli & John Boyce (KY).



(Additional U.S. Maiden Winners cont.)

Saintly Solution, g, 3, **Alke**--Sainte Tavos, by St. Jovite. WOX, 9-9, 6 1/2fT, 1:14 3/5. B-Blaine Davidson (FL). *\$3,700 yrl '07 OBSAUG; \$13,000 2yo '08 OBSAPR.

Livingston's Ghost, g, 3, **Mr. Livingston**--Zippy Zippy, by Unzipped. MNR, 9-8, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:06 4/5. B-Lucas Rivera (FL). *\$2,300 wlng '06 OBSOCT.

Village Romeo, g, 3, **Petionville**--Wise Love, by Dixieland Band. PEN, 9-9, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Michael P Cataneo (KY). *\$13,000 2yo '08 KEEJAN; \$19,000 RNA yrl '07 KEEJAN.

**BREEDERS' EDITION
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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Nancy, 15.40, €22,000, 4yo/up, 1950mT, 2:00.10, gd/fm.

TEMPELSTERN (GER) (h, 5, Sternkoenig {Ire}--Temple Esprit {GB}, by Esprit du Nord) Lifetime Record: MGSP-Eng, SP-Fr, 19 starts, 3 wins, 11 places, €88,610. O-Gerhard Schoningh; B-Dr O Herminghaus; T-Mikel Delzangles. *€24,000 yrl '05 BBASEP; 78,000gns RNA HIT '08 TATHIT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

+ **San Cassiano (Ire)**, g, 2, **Bertolini**--Celtic Silhouette (Fr), by Celtic Swing (GB). Kempton Park, Britain, 9-9, Mdn, 2yo, 6f (AWT). B-Peter Savill. *\$34,000gns RNA yrl '08 TATOCT. **3/4 to Celtic Slipper (Ire) (Anabaa), GSW-Ity, MGSP-Eng, \$123,019.

Paladino di Sabbia (Ire), c, 2, **King Charlemagne**--Alma Thomas (Ire), by Orpen. Rome, Italy, 9-8, Mdn, 2yo, c/g, 7 1/2fT. B-Razza della Sila Srl.

Just For Once (Ire), f, 2, **King's Best**--Jezebel (GB) (SW-Ity, GSP-Fr, MSP-Eng), by Owington (GB). Rome, Italy, 9-8, Mdn, 2yo, f, 7 1/2fT. B-Landi Bloodstock.

Happy Wedding (Ire), f, 3, **Green Tune**--Diamond White (GB) (GSW-Fr, MSW & G1SP-Eng, \$371,259), by Robellino. Nancy, France, 9-9, Mdn, 3yo, 1950mT. B-Newsells Park Stud Limited. *€35,000 yrl '07 DEAAUG.

Monetary Fund, g, 3, **Montjeu (Ire)**--Maddie G., by Blush Rambler. Epsom, Britain, 9-9, Mdn, 3yo/up, 10f 18ydsT. B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC. *\$240,000 yrl '07 KEESEP.

Weipert (Ger), c, 3, **Platini (Ger)**--Wild Side (Ger) (GSW-Ger), by Sternkoenig (Ire). Nancy, France, 9-9, Mdn, 3yo, 1 1/2mT. B-Gestut Rottgen.



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