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**HOPES UP AT CALDER**

While the final numbers may have been down at OBS February two weeks ago, the sale concluded with a positive feel to it after several horses reached or exceeded expectations. The optimism generated in Ocala has remained strong as focus shifts downstate to Miami, where this afternoon's Fasig-Tipton Calder Selected Two-Year-Olds in Training Sale will be held at Calder Race Course. A total of 237 horses were catalogued for the one-day event, but some 58 outs have whittled the offerings down to 179 lots as of yesterday afternoon.

"We've got a really good group of horses on the grounds," Fasig-Tipton President Boyd Browning, Jr. said Monday morning. "Buyers have shopped them very



*Fasig-Tipton photo*

hard, and when you walk around the sales grounds, you see multiple horses out at various consignors. It's not like you see the same 12 or 14 horses out that everyone's clustered around. I think there's a lot of depth to the quality, and it looks like the buyers are spread out across the board. It seems kind of silly in the world we've been living in lately to say you're cautiously optimistic, but I really feel good."

Buyers got an ideal day yesterday to shop, with plenty of sun and temperatures in the low 70s. Consignors appeared busy all weekend and into Monday, and said the usual suspects were in attendance. Included were bloodstock agents John Moynihan, Steve Young and Bob Feld; Darley reps John Ferguson, Jimmy Bell and Olly Tait; Coolmore's Demi O'Bryne and Paul Shanahan; trainers Todd Pletcher and Patrick Biancone; and European conditioners Paul Cole, Jeremy Nosedo and Brian Meehan. **Cont. p2**

**FASIG-TIPTON CALDER OUTS**

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- 70 78 80 83 91 92 96 98 101 104 107 109 112
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**SANTA ANITA TO KEEP PRO-RIDE SURFACE**

Santa Anita will retain its Pro-Ride surface as track officials have reversed a previous decision to replace the synthetic main track following the current race meet, *Daily Racing Form* reports. Santa Anita has canceled five days of racing this season--including last Saturday's card--due to the main track's inability to drain properly following rain storms. Track President Ron Charles said in January the Pro-Ride would be replaced with conventional dirt or another synthetic track. However, Magna Entertainment and MI Developments Chairman Frank Stronach told *DRF* Sunday the Pro-Ride surface would remain in place, citing the estimated \$8-10 million price tag for making the switch. "I'm not going to put money in if I see the whole structure does not work," Stronach told *DRF*, referring to the current economic conditions of horse racing in California. Magna Entertainment, which owns Santa Anita, filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection last March. MI Developments, its largest creditor, will gain possession of the track following the conclusion of the bankruptcy proceedings.

**FLANDERS DIES**

**Flanders** (Seeking the Gold--Starlet Storm, by Storm Bird), champion juvenile filly of 1994, was euthanized in mid-February from complications from a paddock accident suffered in December at



**Flanders Edges Serena Song in '94 BC Juvenile Fillies**  
*Horsephotos*

Ashford Stud. Ashford purchased the 18-year-old mare, in foal to champion Bernardini, from the Overbrook dispersal for \$400,000 at last year's Keeneland November sale. Her Bernardini colt has been placed on a nurse mare. Racing for Overbrook Farm, Flanders captured the 1994 GI Frizette S. and GI Spinaway S. She out-

fought Serena's Song in an epic battle in that year's GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies, but was injured in the race and forced into retirement. Her first foal was Surfside (Seattle Slew), champion three-year-old filly of 2000.

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### Fasig-Tipton Calder Sale Today (cont. from p1)

"I think it's about par for the course," consignor Ciaran Dunne said of the action. "There's such a gap between the breeze show and sale day, that no one's in too great a hurry, and they end up coming in bits and pieces. You're never really swamped, as such. But it looks okay."

Added consignor Nick de Meric, "I think it's been very solid. Once again, it's setting up to be rather polarized, as they're kind of landing on the same horses, and the ones they're not landing on could be in a spot of trouble. I think the good horses are going to do well, and if the pre-sale veterinary inspections are anything to go by, we should be okay in a couple of spots."



## WHAT THEY'RE SAYING ...AT THE SALES

**Fasig-Tipton President Boyd Browning, Jr., on the three days between the breeze show and the sale:**

"I think people have a pretty good routine now. It gives folks a variety of options. There are the video gurus who want to study the videos, and it gives them the chance to study the videos Friday and Saturday. There are the folks who hang at the rail all week, and they probably wish there was a little less time between the breeze show and sale. But I think it's a pretty comfortable fit for everyone--maybe not perfect, but there's a happy middle ground, and we're comfortable with the format."

### FASIG-TIPTON CALDER WEATHER

Tuesday: Windy...isolated thunderstorms in the morning, then mainly cloudy in the afternoon with more widespread storms. A few storms may be severe. High 79F. Winds SSW at 20 to 30 mph. Chance of rain 80%.

Wednesday: Partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 60s and lows in the upper 40s.



## Hip Happenings FASIG-TIPTON CALDER

**5, f, Speightstown--Above Perfection, by In Excess (Ire)**  
*Consigned by Vinery Stables, Agent II*

This sturdy dark bay is a half-sister to Hot Dixie Chick (Dixie Union), heroine of the GI Spinaway S. after selling for \$435,000 at this venue last year to Barbara Banke's Grace Stables. The daughter of the swift Above Perfection is a slightly bigger version of her talented sibling. She RNA'd for \$390,000 when offered at KEESEP just a week after Hot Dixie Chick's Saratoga victory, and went in **:10 4/5** at Friday's breeze show.

**16, c, Empire Maker--Bank Audit, by Wild Rush**  
*Consigned by Murray Smith, agent*

A \$150,000 KEESEP purchase by Smith's Divine



Lucas Marquardt

Assets, this appealing bay caught the eye when breezing a furlong in **:10 3/5**. "I was going to go a quarter with him, but at the last second I decided to just go an eighth," Smith said.

"He's a lovely colt with a big pedigree. He's got a lot of personality and a lot of class." Hip 16 is the first foal from MGSW Bank Audit.

**17, c, Indian Charlie--Bay Barrister, by Miswaki**  
*Consigned by Hoby & Layna Kight, agent*

Consignor Hoby Kight saw fit to go to \$150,000 for



Lucas Marquardt

this Mar. 18-foaled colt at Keeneland September. "He's a big, strapping, fast-looking horse," said Kight. "He looks like a miler. He will probably be able to sprint and probably be able to go long, but I think he'll probably be a true miler. He's got enough pedigree to get it done, and everybody loves Indian Charlie."

The dam, a three-parts sister to SW & MGSP Go to the Ink (Crafty Prospector) and to SW Pas by Pas (Crafty Prospector), was herself a SW of over \$100,000. Hip 17 breezed a quarter in **:21 3/5**.

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*(Fasig-Tipton Calder Hip Happenings cont.)*

**27, c, Candy Ride (Arg)--Casablanca, by Gulch**  
*Consigned by Vinery Stables, Agent I*

A strapping, handsome chestnut, this colt spent barely any time in his stall following a [:10 3/5](#) move Friday. "He's big and beautiful and has a ton of class," Vinery's Ian Brennan stated. "He has done everything right since we got him in September." The \$150,000 KESEEP purchase is a half-brother to black-type winner Weeks (Ghazi), and his winning dam is a half-sister to Canadian Horse of the Year Wake at Noon (Cure the Blues).



Lucas Marquardt

**65, c, Unbridled's Song--Forestier, by Forestry**  
*Consigned by Leprechaun Racing, agent*

This chestnut colt may be atypical of many of Unbridled's Song's best sons--think Midshipman more than Old Fashioned or Rockport Harbor--but is no less striking. He zipped an eighth in [:10 2/5](#) at the under-tack show, and has been well-received back at the Leprechaun Racing barn, reports consignor Mike Mulligan. "He's gorgeous," Mulligan said of the colt's appeal. Foaled Feb. 22, hip 65 was produced by the good New York black-type winner Forestier, a half-sister to GSW Unbridled Hope, who is by Unbridled's Song's sire Unbridled. She is also a half to GSP Silent Fred (Louis Quatorze).



Lucas Marquardt

**117, c, First Samurai--Lucky Lavender Gal, by Carson City**  
*Consigned by Niall Brennan Stables, Agent X*

This powerful chestnut is one of several members of his sire's first crop to make a favorable impression at this sale. A \$285,000 KEENOV weanling, he went in [:10 4/5](#) Friday. "I'm very, very high on him," said consignor Niall Brennan. "He's just a monster--he's got the maturity of a four-year-old. He has a tremendous presence about him, and he's got a great, great mind." Brennan added, "I think if First Samurai (Giant's Causeway) is going to make it as a stallion, and there's every reason to think he will, this is going to be a hell of a horse." Hip 117's dam was a multiple stakes winner, and is a full-sister to La Ville Rouge, the dam of star-crossed GI Kentucky Derby hero Barbaro (Dynaformer).

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Keeneland September graduates continue to shine brightly this winter. Aurora Lights won the Sabin Stakes (G3) and Amen Hallelujah cruised to a 6 1/4-length win in the Davona Dale (G2) on Saturday.

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*(Fasig-Tipton Calder Hip Happenings cont.)*

**130, c, Bernardini--Miss Kate, by Storm Cat**  
*Consigned by Scanlon Training Center, agent*

Trainer Nick Zito purchased this colt, one of the better-bred juveniles offered at Calder, for Robert LaPenta for \$140,000 at Keeneland September. The bay breezed an eighth in **:10 2/5** at the under-tack show. "He's a real nice horse," said consignor David Scanlon. "He's by the right sire--I think he's going to be one of the hottest young sires--and it's a nice cross. He's been a nice, precocious horse right along, and he's been a star from the very beginning."

**136, c, Speightstown--Motel Lass, by Bates Motel**  
*Property of BC3 Thoroughbreds*

A \$335,000 acquisition at FTKJUL, this flashy chestnut has been showing constantly following a smooth **:10 2/5** breeze. "He's a very special horse," BC3's Bill Vlahos noted. "He's been very popular, and he'll make someone proud as an owner." A half-brother to stakes winner Stormin' Lyon (Storm Boot), hip 136 hails from the family of French Deputy (Deputy Minister) and Old Fashioned (Unbridled's Song).



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**155, c, Speightstown--Personal Glory, by Danzig**  
*Consigned by Nick de Meric*

This colt, a \$180,000 FTKJUL yearling, is a three-parts sibling to the Grade II-winning juvenile Supremo (Gone West). His dam is out of Grade I winner Andover Way (His Majesty), making her a half to top sire Dynaformer and to the dam of last year's leading first-crop sire Offlee Wild (Wild Again) and the young sire U S Ranger (Danzig). The dark bay breezed an eighth in **:10 2/5**. "He's a big, rugged colt," said consignor Nick de Meric. "He's very well-balanced with a good hip and shoulder, and he's got a lot of size. In fact, until you stand into him, you don't realize how big he is. He's on the last hole of my two-year-old bridle, and I can't remember the last time I had a two-year-old that did that. But he doesn't look gross--he's very balanced and athletic. He's a lovely animal."



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*(Fasig-Tipton Calder Hip Happenings cont.)*

**163, f, Tapit--Purloin, by Forest Wildcat**  
*Consigned by Cary Frommer*

Named Steal the Dance, this strapping gray filly looked very good in a **:10 3/5** breeze last Friday. Acquired by consignor Cary Frommer for \$182,000 at the Fasig-Tipton Eastern Fall Yearling Sale at Timonium, the filly was the top-priced miss at that auction and the second-highest-priced lot overall. She is from the family of the very fast and very good two-year-old Caller I.D. (Phone Trick).



*Tibor Photography*

**202, c, Candy Ride (Arg)--Sun Luck, by Conquistador Cielo**  
*Consigned by Off the Hook LLC, agent*

This Feb. 18-foaled colt was produced by the stakes-winning mare Sun Luck and is a half-sibling to MSW



*Tibor Photography*

Tahoe City (Fast Play). Under the second dam is GISW Golden Ballet (Moscow Ballet). At the breeze show last Friday, the dark bay stopped the clock in **:22 flat** for a quarter mile. "The funny thing is that he has European interest, Californian interest, East Coast interest, because Candy Ride isn't a surface-specific horse. They figure he can run on anything, and everyone's interested," reported consignor Joe Appelbaum. "Physically, he's really nice."

**190, c, Smart Strike--Southern Swing, by Dixieland Band**  
*Consigned by Eddie Woods, Agent XCVIII*



*Louise Reinagel/eddiwoods.com*

This bay colt had onlookers buzzing after he sailed through his assigned drill in **:10 3/5**. He is a half-brother to Grade I-placed Erinsouthernman and stakes winner Mr. Pee Vee, both by Eltish. "He's our stand-out, according to popular demand," reported Eddie Woods. "He's a very nice horse, by a great stallion, so he meets all of the criteria." Hip 190 made \$200,000 as a yearling at FTSAUG, with IEAH signing that ticket.

**212, f, Bernardini--Tap Your Heels, by Unbridled**  
*Consigned by Niall Brennan Stables, Agent XI*

This leggy grey filly wasn't much of a secret as a yearling at KEESEP, selling for \$500,000, but possesses perhaps the finest pedigree in the catalogue. She is a half-sister to Grade I winner and leading sire Tapit (Pulpit), and champions Rubiano (Fappiano) and Summer Bird (Birdstone) are under her second dam. Hip 212 got going a bit late during Friday's breeze show, posting **:11 1/5**, but moved with a long, efficient stride. "If people want to judge her by that time, it's just not fair to her," said Niall Brennan. "She didn't get over the track that well early on, but she galloped out beautifully. She's a beautiful-moving filly, and very, very classy. She's a collector's item, no question about it. She's by Bernardini; I've got several of them at the farm, and I like them. But they're not going to be early, in my opinion. They do train very well. This filly is very typical of that. But with her pedigree, her demeanor and her class, I think this filly's going to be a really good one down the line." Brennan's barn at Calder is lined with pictures of many successful graduates of his program. Gesturing to them, he said, "In the right hands, she'll end up on one of these boards next year."

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## WHAT THE CONSIGNORS ARE SAYING ... AT THE SALES

**David Scanlon, on hip 179, a filly from the first crop of GSW Sharp Humor (Distorted Humor) who worked in a co-bullet :10 1/5 for a furlong:**

"I haven't seen the sire, but if he's a lot like her, I think he's going to have a lot of luck. She's a very precocious, two-year-old-type-looking horse. She's very dialed-in already. She's a very straightforward, honest horse."

**Nick de Meric, when asked if buyers are too unforgiving if a horse puts in a lackluster breeze:**

"It's a very fickle game we play. I liken it to roller blading on a knife edge blindfolded at night while slightly drunk.

"We all know how the game is played. I was hugely in favor, and was vocally so, of going back to the single breeze show. I really feel it was a big step forward for us. But the downside is that you don't get a second shot. If you have a horse who's a little off-color and doesn't quite get it right, you have to regroup. But that's the way we used to do it. I think we were over-training these horses, and there was a temptation to go back with one that didn't work well.

"Is too much emphasis put on the breeze? It's what we're doing--it's a two-year-old sale, and that's why people come here. If the horses do get it right, then the buyers have to pay a little more for them. If they get it wrong, it's painful as a consignor. I can't honestly say it's wrong they put so much emphasis on it. I think what is wrong, but is maybe correcting itself, is the enormous emphasis put on pure speed, at the expense of style, quality, way of going, etc. I think that's maybe shifting a little bit. I think people are getting more sophisticated when it comes to interpreting the information we provide. But there are so few secrets about these two-year-olds by the time we get to this point."

**Ciaran Dunne, on getting two-year-olds ready for the 2010 breeze shows:**

"Keeneland September was a lot later this year than it normally is--it's usually over by the middle part of the month. So we got a later start than we normally would. That two weeks is not an inconsiderable factor. And the weather in Ocala has been tough. So I think maybe we were a little short coming in here."

**Niall Brennan:**

"It's been quite busy It was very steady [Saturday], which was great, and we didn't get a chance to go to the races because we were showing until 3:30. I think it's a great catalogue, and I think people are doing their homework."

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**Murray Smith:**

"It is the Sport of Kings. The guys that want to win the big races on Saturdays--they're going to be here, and they're looking for that quality horse. But everyone is much more realistic these days. We may have had ideas of grandeur in the past. It's extraordinary to think that there were expectations like 'this horse should bring \$2 million.' Those days, and that type of thinking, are gone."

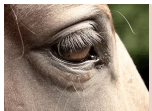
**Bill Vlahos:**

"There's a very good group of horses here. It looked like they weren't working very hard to run the times that they were, which is quite attractive to a lot of buyers."

**Eddie Woods:**

"We've seen a lot of the top-end buyers, but it could get a little shaky after that, which is unfortunate. There's plenty of horses here to go around for all levels."

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## PEDIGREE INSIGHTS

BY ANDREW CAULFIELD

**THE VERY ONE S.-GIII**, \$100,000, GPX, 2-27, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 3/8mT, 2:16 1/5, gd.

1--#**@CHANGING SKIES (IRE)**, 117, m, 5, by **Sadler's Wells**

**1st Dam: Magnificent Style (GSW-Eng)**, by Silver Hawk

**2nd Dam: Mia Karina**, by Icecapade

**3rd Dam: Basin**, by Tom Rolfe

O/B-Swettenham Stud (IRE); T-William I Mott; J-Kent J Desormeaux; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, SP-Eng, 12-3-3-3, \$167,593. \*1/2 to Stylelistick (Storm Cat), MSW & GSP, \$234,788; Echoes in Eternity (Ire) (Spinning World), MGSW-Eng, \$241,555; and Petara Bay (Ire) (Peintre Celebre), SW & GSP-Eng, \$113,163; full to Percussionist (Ire), MGSW-Eng, GSP-Fr, \$479,560; and Playful Act (Ire), Co-Hwt. 2yo Filly-Eng, G1SW-Eng, G1SP-Fr, \$485,838. **Werk Nick Rating: A.** [Click for the eNicks report and 5-cross pedigree.](#)

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For me, one of the most informative statistics carried in the *TDN's* coverage of last year's breeding stock sales concerned the first-time in-foal group/graded winning mares. The stats said that the average price was \$1,098,125 for a Grade I winner, \$412,692 for a Grade II winner and \$288,650 for a Grade III winner.

One thing's for sure--if Changing Skies, who became a graded winner for the first time in the GIII The Very One S. three days ago, were ever to come on the market, she would turn those median prices on their head.

For a start, she is a sister to Playful Act. This winner of the G1 Fillies' Mile earned her place in the record books by becoming the first broodmare to shatter the \$10-million barrier when offered as part of the Swettenham Stud consignment at Keeneland in 2007. And Playful Act wasn't even pregnant at the time!

### CHANGING SKIES (IRE), f, 2005

<b>Sadler's Wells</b>	Northern Dancer	<b>Nearctic</b>	Nearco (Ity)	
			Lady Angela	
		Natalma	Native Dancer	
			Almahmoud	
Fairy Bridge	Bold Reason	<b>Hail to Reason</b>		
			Lalun	
	Special	Forli		
		Thong		
<b>Magnificent Style</b> GSW-Eng, 11-2-3-2, \$73,883 10Fls, 4GSW, 2SW	Silver Hawk	Roberto	<b>Hail to Reason</b>	
			Bramalea	
	Gris Vitesse	Amerigo		
		Matchiche II		
	Mia Karina 3-1-0-0, \$9,401 7Fls, 2GSW	Icecapade	<b>Nearctic</b>	
				Shenanigans
Basin 13Fls, 8Wnrs		Tom Rolfe		
		Delta		

# G1 Champagne Stakes winner at 2 G1 Florida Derby winner at 3

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*(Pedigree Insights cont.)*

In fact, Changing Skies is the third foal sired by the extraordinary Sadler's Wells from the exceptional broodmare Magnificent Style, whose proud record now stands at six stakes winners from her first seven foals of racing age. Changing Skies is the fourth to win at group/graded level, the others being her brother Percussionist, her sister Playful Act and her half-sister Echoes In Eternity (Spinning World). The fact that Percussionist ended up jumping fences shouldn't detract from the fact that this Group 2 winner was good enough to finish fourth, beaten only two lengths, in the 2004 G1 Epsom Derby.

Clearly this is a family with a future. Playful Act's first foal, an \$850,000 Giant's Causeway filly called Giants Play, showed plenty of potential in her two juvenile starts in England last year. She is owned by Mrs. Jacobs of Newsells Park Stud, which also invested 825,000gns in Magnificent Style's Danehill filly Distinctive Look in 2007. Although she was the only one of her dam's first seven foals to fail to earn black-type, Distinctive Look won at Goodwood and is being given every chance, as she has twice visited Sadler's Wells's champion son Galileo.

Galileo also became an automatic choice for Magnificent Style, who has a 2008 colt and a 2009 filly by 2008's champion sire. The group-winning daughter of Silver Hawk was among the visitors to Oasis Dream in 2009.

It was Darley who paid \$10,500,000 for Playful Act, and Sheikh Mohammed also purchased Echoes In Eternity after she had shown considerable promise in the Sangster colors on her two-year-old debut. The filly fulfilled her promise, showing a blend of her sire's speed and her dam's stamina in winning group races over a mile and 1 13/16th miles. Whispering Gallery, Echoes In Eternity's first foal by the largely disappointing Daylami, is proving well above average in the Godolphin colors.

Changing Skies' victory at Gulfstream Park was another reminder of the considerable success that Sadler's Wells's progeny have enjoyed in North America.


Although there was a widely held belief that the distances in North America are too short and the turf tracks too firm to be ideal for Sadler's Wells's offspring, that hasn't stopped more than 20 of them winning at graded level.

No fewer than 11 sons scored at Grade I level (Ballingarry, Baratheia, Beat Hollow, French Glory, High Chaparral, In The Wings, Northern Spur, Perfect Soul, Powerscourt, Sligo Bay and Subtle Power), and there were also graded victories by Johann Quatz, Stagecraft, Adam Smith, Baylis and Dushyantor.

The fillies haven't been quite so successful, with only Insight and Islington winning at Grade I level, but there have also been Grade III successes for Carib Lady, Kirov Premiere, Moon Queen (winner of the 2002 edition of The Very One H.) and now Changing Skies.

It's fair to say that Sadler's Wells's sons have been markedly more successful than his daughters, wherever they have raced, even though he has been responsible for as many as five winners of the G1 Epsom Oaks, but that hasn't stopped his daughters becoming the dominant force in British and Irish breeding. Last year saw Sadler's Wells rack up his fifth consecutive championship as a broodmare sire, so it will be interesting to see whether Changing Skies' owners decide to retire her now that she has achieved that elusive graded winner status, or opt to race on.

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*Jersey politician: Casinos shouldn't support dying industry.* Carl Golden, [NJ.com](http://NJ.com)

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# RACING Round-Up

## VALE OF YORK RETURNS THURSDAY

G1 Breeders' Cup Juvenile winner **Vale of York (Ire)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}) has been entered in Thursday's Listed Al Bastakiya at Meydan Racecourse. The Godolphin runner will be making his first start since defeating Eclipse champion Lookin at Lucky (Smart Strike) by a head at Santa Anita Nov. 7.



"He has been a bit behind schedule in his preparation so will improve," Godolphin's racing manager Simon Crisford

told *Racing Post*. "He is ready for the outing though. We have the option of taking him to Europe or America, and the race will teach us a lot." The Al Bastakiya, second leg in the UAE Triple Crown, is a \$250,000 event at 1900 meters on the Tapeta surface. Thursday's racing at Meydan also includes the G2 Dubai City of Gold, G2 Jebel Hatta, G2 Al Maktoum Challenge Round 3, G3 Burj Nahaar and G3 Mahab Al Shimaal. Final entries for Thursday's card are drawn Tuesday.

## JODY SLEW LOOKS FOR FAIR GROUNDS

**SWEEP** Martin Racing Stable and Dan Morgan's **Jody Slew** (Slew City Slew) was a surprise 20-1 winner of the Jan. 23 Tiffany Lass S. at Fair Grounds and came from the clouds to take the Feb. 20 GIII Silverbulletday S. Now the bay three-year-old is in position to become the first filly to sweep Fair Grounds local sophomore series in the Mar. 26 GII Fair Grounds Oaks. The filly's success has been a revelation to her owner, Bill Martin, who had been hoping he was investing in a solid turf performer. "I was looking to buy a grass filly and I saw her running in a grass race at Churchill last fall [Nov. 28



**Jody Slew (outside)**

*Lou Hodges Jr*

Caressing H.] and I thought she ran a very impressive race," Martin told the Fair Grounds notes team from his Dallas home. "As it turned out, she didn't win that race, but I thought she was the best horse in there. She had all kinds of trouble and she was kept wide all the way and she still finished third, beaten less than three lengths." Martin's turf plans for the filly hit a snag in New Orleans.

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"Grass races for three-year-old fillies at Fair Grounds are hard to find," explained Martin, who is in the real estate business and has owned horses since the 1970s. "We were looking around for a race for her and, as it turned out, the Tiffany Lass just fit our schedule. I said, 'Let's put her in there and see what happens.'" Three colts; Friesan Fire, Dixieland Heat and Line in the Sand, have swept the sophomore series for colts at Fair Grounds, but a filly sweep has been elusive. The filly's co-owner Dan Morgan lives in Orlando, Florida and is in the concrete construction business. "I met him through friends about 12 years ago at a two-year-old sale," Martin recalled. "We've usually had pretty good luck together and when something works for me, I like to stick with it." That may include keeping Jody Slew on the dirt. "I'm sure that we'll try her on the grass somewhere along the way," he added. "But I have to admit that lately we've not been talking about that as much as we did before."

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TDN presents **STAR OF THE WEEK**

**FRANK GABRIEL**

**Accomplishment:** Gabriel, formerly executive vice president of racing at Arlington Park, is CEO of the Dubai Racing Club, which recently opened the spectacular new Meydan Racecourse to rave reviews.

**Birthdate:** October 9, 1954  
**Birthplace:** Hanover, PA  
**Family:** Wife: Christine Anne; Son: Kyle (23); Stepdaughter Marissa Andoloro (29)  
**How would you rate the first race meeting at Meydan?** The night went very

well; the racing went off with no issues as the surface was well received from the jockeys and horsemen. Facilities ran good and we will continue to work each race night to improve the customer service needs. But overall it was a great experience for all guests.

**What is your favorite thing about the new facility? Has anything about it surprised you?** I would have to say the components of the entire complex, from the Meydan Hotel, to IMAX Theatre, to the Landscaper of a Grandstand to the final turn of the Meydan Marina. This was the vision of His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice-President and Prime Minister of the UAE and Ruler of Dubai and the Board of Directors, to develop a year-round entertainment destination for Dubai and the country of the UAE.

**What is the biggest difference between racing in the U.S. and Dubai?** Both countries have fantastic racing, but the one thing that I have seen through the years is the overall quality of horses we witness in the carnival and Dubai World Cup from so many countries.

**If someone is heading to Dubai for the World Cup, what is one thing you would tell them to definitely do while in Dubai?** Relax and enjoy the culture and wonderful landscape. Take a dune buggy ride in the desert, swim in the afternoon in the Gulf, and then top the day off going down the slopes at the Dubai mall, all in one day.

**How have you adapted to life in Dubai? What do you miss most about living in the U.S.?** Living in Dubai has been very comfortable for my wife and I with the area being so westernized. The weather is great, people are friendly and from so many countries that every day you learn something on the history of the world. The things I miss the most are the different seasons of the year and the chance to watch all the U.S. sports teams.

**How did you first become involved in racing?** My father. He used to bring all the boys to the track early in the mornings to show us the ropes.

**Most fascinating backstretch character you've met? Why?** There are so many, but the few that stick with me are the names like, Sweaters, Tricky Dick, Shedrow and Snoz. These gentlemen brought a unique character to the Sport of Kings and they also supplied great laughter to the business.

**What's playing on your CD player right now?** David Grey  
**What would you do if you weren't in horse racing?** Possibly coaching or scouting for a college and pro basketball program.

**Childhood ambition:** Operate my own business, running a Breakfast/Deli Restaurant.

**Favorite restaurant in Dubai?** Zheng He's (Mina A Salam)



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# TDN SECOND-CROP GENERAL SIRE LIST

BY CUMULATIVE EARNINGS, THROUGH SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH

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Rank	Stallion	YOB	Crops	Earnings	Rnrs	Wnrs	BT Wnrs	BT Horses	GS Wnrs	GS Horses	G1S Wnrs
1	<b>Medaglia D'Oro</b> Sire: El Prado (IRE)	1999	3	\$9,868,526	158	85	<b>14</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 100,000 ]							
2	<b>Tapit</b> Sire: Pulpit	2001	3	\$8,493,730	123	81	12	21	5	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 50,000 ]							
3	<b>Speightstown</b> Sire: Gone West	1998	3	\$6,876,069	138	79	11	21	<b>6</b>	9	1
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 35,000 ]							
4	<b>Lion Heart</b> Sire: Tale Of The Cat	2001	3	\$6,576,551	<b>189</b>	<b>123</b>	11	18	5	10	0
				Stands: USA [ Dead/Retired/Exported ]							
5	<b>Candy Ride (ARG)</b> Sire: Ride The Rails	1999	3	\$6,503,276	127	80	8	17	<b>6</b>	8	2
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 25,000 ]							
6	<b>Birdstone</b> Sire: Grindstone	2001	3	\$6,388,979	71	38	6	7	3	4	2
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 30,000 ]							
7	<b>Cuvee</b> Sire: Carson City	2001	3	\$4,206,828	140	91	7	15	1	4	1
				Stands: USA [ Dead/Retired/Exported ]							
8	<b>Chapel Royal</b> Sire: Montbrook	2001	3	\$4,160,642	169	99	3	11	1	2	0
				Stands: FL [ US\$ 10,000 ]							
9	<b>Elusive City</b> Sire: Elusive Quality	2000	3	\$3,893,915	104	45	3	11	2	5	1
				Stands: FR [ Eu € 20,000 ]							
10	<b>Exceed And Excel (AUS)</b> Sire: Danehill	2000	3	\$3,751,915	146	81	8	18	2	9	0
				Stands: GB [ GB£ 12,000 ]							
11	<b>Even The Score</b> Sire: Unbridled's Song	1998	3	\$3,624,514	104	62	5	10	2	3	1
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 15,000 ]							
12	<b>Peace Rules</b> Sire: Jules	2000	3	\$3,506,905	127	87	4	9	0	1	0
				Stands: USA [ Dead/Retired/Exported ]							
13	<b>Toccet</b> Sire: Awesome Again	2000	3	\$3,392,188	110	76	4	10	1	6	0
				Stands: PA [ US\$ 3,500 ]							
14	<b>Congaree</b> Sire: Arazi	1998	3	\$3,293,167	106	61	6	10	3	5	0
				Stands: NY [ US\$ 7,500 ]							
15	<b>One Cool Cat</b> Sire: Storm Cat	2001	3	\$2,562,613	186	83	9	16	0	5	0
				Stands: EUR [ Dead/Retired/Exported ]							
16	<b>Pleasantly Perfect</b> Sire: Pleasant Colony	1998	3	\$2,428,309	74	44	3	11	1	5	0
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 10,000 ]							
17	<b>Kheleyf</b> Sire: Green Desert	2001	3	\$2,389,087	127	60	4	12	2	8	0
				Stands: IR [ Eu € 8,000 ]							
18	<b>Where's The Ring</b> Sire: Seeking The Gold	1999	3	\$2,372,794	67	39	2	6	0	0	0
				Stands: ON [ CA\$ 4,500 ]							
19	<b>Smarty Jones</b> Sire: Elusive Quality	2001	3	\$2,364,100	90	49	2	5	1	3	0
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 10,000 ]							
20	<b>Friends Lake</b> Sire: A.P. Indy	2001	3	\$2,278,057	99	63	3	5	1	1	0
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 7,500 ]							
21	<b>Read The Footnotes</b> Sire: Smoke Glacken	2001	3	\$2,226,027	64	44	5	9	0	2	0
				Stands: NY [ US\$ 5,000 ]							
22	<b>Refuse To Bend (IRE)</b> Sire: Sadler's Wells	2000	3	\$2,137,334	136	57	4	10	2	4	0
				Stands: GB [ GB£ 5,000 ]							
23	<b>Johar</b> Sire: Gone West	1999	3	\$1,988,227	64	39	1	4	1	1	0
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 6,500 ]							
24	<b>Bowman's Band</b> Sire: Dixieland Band	1998	3	\$1,870,421	59	32	4	5	0	1	0
				Stands: USA [ Dead/Retired/Exported ]							
25	<b>Perfect Soul (IRE)</b> Sire: Sadler's Wells	1998	3	\$1,859,651	88	45	2	4	0	0	0
				Stands: KY [ US\$ 15,000 ]							

 **NORTH AMERICA** 

**KENTUCKY HOUSE PASSES HOME BETS TAX** A bill that will tax Kentuckians 0.5 percent on bets made through advance deposit wagering operations on-line and via telephone was overwhelmingly passed by the state's House of Representatives Friday, according to Louisville *Courier-Journal*. House Bill 368, sponsored by Speaker Pro Tem Larry Clark (D-Louisville), was approved 85-8 and moves on to the state Senate for a vote. Revenue from the tax would be paid by account-wagering companies, who might opt to collect the extra percentage from bettors. It would be divided between the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission, the state track operating at that time and that track's purses. Clark estimated that the tax could generate as much as \$400,000 a year, although the Legislative Research Commission reported a lack of data on how much money Kentuckians bet from home. "I think that it's a way for us to advance the tracks as far as adding more purse money, so I think it's something the Senate would look at," Clark told *Courier-Journal*. "They talked about last session, when they did not want to do slots, finding more revenue for [tracks]. This is one avenue that would find more revenue for them." A similar bill introduced last year that called for a 3.5-percent tax never made it out of the House Appropriations and Revenue Committee.

★ **EAST** ★

**Yesterday's Results:**  
7th-PHA, \$41,600, Msw, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:40 1/5, gd.  
**NOT FOR DIXIELAND** (f, 3, Not For Love--Dixie Flag {MGSW & GISP, \$556,384}, by Dixieland Band), runner-up over track and trip Jan. 31, was backed down to 4-5 favoritism to get the job done this time. Up to press the early pace, the \$170,000 KEESOP yearling purchase had a comfortable advantage turning for home and was kept to task late to score by one length over Lemel (Point Given). **Click for the [brisnet.com](http://brisnet.com) chart or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#).** Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$35,260. O-Jay Em Ess Stable. B-Bohemia Stable (MD). T-Anthony W Dutrow.

**Richard's Kid Named Maryland-bred Horse of the Year:**  
Richard's Kid (Lemon Drop Kid) was named Maryland-bred Horse of the Year and champion older male of 2009 in an annual poll conducted by the Maryland Horse Breeders Association. Now five, the dark bay captured last year's GI Pacific Classic at Del Mar. Also being honored: champion two-year-old male **Homeboykris** (Roman Ruler); champion two-year-old filly **For Royalty** (Not for Love); champion three-year-old male and champion sprinter **Not for Silver** (Not For Love); champion three-year-old filly **Blind Date** (Not for Love); champion older female **All Giving** (Allen's Prospect); champion turf runner **Heros Reward** (Partner's Hero); and champion steeplechaser **Good Night Shirt** (Concern). The 2009 Maryland-bred champions were voted by the MHBA board of directors, MHBA members, editors of the *Mid-Atlantic Thoroughbreds*, Maryland Jockey Club racing secretary Georganne Hale, communications director Mike Gathagan, and eight Maryland racing writers.

**Maryland Million Date Set:**

The 2010 Jim McKay Maryland Million Day will be held Oct. 2 at Laurel Park, it was announced yesterday. The program is celebrating its 25th anniversary this year. To check eligibility for the event, contact the Maryland Million office at (410) 252-2100 or [www.MarylandThoroughbred.com](http://www.MarylandThoroughbred.com).

★ **NEW YORK** ★

**NYRA Introduces Owner E-Mail Notifications:**

The New York Racing Association has unveiled an Owner's Virtual Stable. The system, which is powered by Equibase Company, includes e-mail entry notifications to owners. "I believe that our owners will really appreciate the option to receive e-mail alerts when their horses are entered," said NYRA Chairman C. Steven Duncker. "I'd like to thank Equibase for working with NYRA on the implementation of this important initiative." The notifications are automatically generated and sent to all owners with valid e-mail addresses on file.



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## ★ CENTRAL ★

### Yesterday's Results:

**7th-FGX, \$41,710, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 5 1/2f (off turf), 1:03 4/5, sy.**

**CENTRAL CITY (c, 4, City Place--Apache Dancer, by Alphabet Soup)** kicked off the season with a win in the slop here Jan. 24, and was sent off the well-supported 6-5 shot to repeat. On the engine from the start, the Florida-bred colt dug in deep late to hold on for a head victory. Mambo Galliano (Black Mambo) closed to be second, while Southern Region (Stormy Atlantic) was third. The \$80,000 FTKJUL yearling is a half to My Best Pal Red (Tiger Ridge), SP, \$251,378. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 7-5-0-1, \$92,172.

O-Preston Stable LLC. B-Charlie Dobbs & Frank Berris (FL). T-Ronny W Werner.

**6th-FGX, \$41,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$50,000), NW1X, 3yo, 1m40y, 1:41 2/5, sy.**

**FAST ALEX (c, 3, Afleet Alex--Unaffordable, by Unbridled)** closed from well off the pace to be third going six panels over this track Jan. 23, was closer up in the early going in a 1 1/16-mile test Feb. 6 and rewarded backers with a professional 1 1/4-length score. Sent off the 2-1 choice this time, the dark bay settled in midpack early, swung out for the drive and drew clear to hand Island Soul (Perfect Soul) a 1 1/2-length defeat. [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$52,730.

O-Jim Tafel LLC. B-James Tafel (KY). T-Greg Geier.

### • ON THE WORKTAB •

#### FAIR GROUNDS

Hot Dixie Chick (Dixie Union), 5f, 1:01.40, 9/54  
 Friesan Fire (A.P. Indy), 4f, :51.00, 76/117  
 Ron the Greek (Full Mandate), 4f, :50.60, 66/117  
 Selva (Forest Wildcat), 4f, :48.60, 8/117

#### OAKLAWN

Just Jenda (Menifee), 5f, :59.20, 1/14  
 War Echo (Tapit), 4f, :51.00, 17/33

**8th-FGX, \$39,000, Msw, 3yo, 1m40y, 1:42 2/5, sy. BERBERIS (c, 3, Southern Image--Miss Puzzle {Aus} {SP-NZ}, by Citidancer {Ire})**, runner-up sprinting six furlongs at this track in his Jan. 3 debut, was third behind yesterday's return winner Fast Alex (Afleet Alex) when stretching out to 1 1/16 miles Feb. 6. The tepid 2-1 choice saved ground while racing in mid-pack over the rain-soaked track. He angled between horses in upper stretch and exchanged bumps with a pair of rivals before powering clear late to a 1 3/4-length victory over pacesetter Capote Ruler (Roman Ruler). [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#). [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$36,290.

O-Nelson Bunker Hunt. B-Mr & Mrs Nelson Bunker Hunt (KY). T-Steven M Asmussen.





Monday Cancellations  
 FAIR GROUNDS (Races 9 & 10)

## ★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

### Freddie Roach at Santa Anita Sunday:

Boxing trainer Freddie Roach, who currently works with superstar fighter Manny (Pac Man) Pacquiao, will present the trophy for next Sunday's feature race at Santa Anita. "We're honored to have Freddie join us," said Santa Anita President Ron Charles. "There was a great story on him in *Sports Illustrated* recently, and he really is the go-to guy in his business. There's a great deal of interest in Pacquiao's upcoming fight with Joshua Clottey at Cowboy Stadium in Dallas on Mar. 13, and I think a lot of fans, both racing and boxing, will come out to see Freddie here at Santa Anita. Let's just hope he can pick horses as well as he does fighters."

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the 6th Race, \$27,000 Allowance, at Hawthorne. For pps and a complete race analysis, [click here](#).

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IN BRITAIN:

**Power Series**, c, 3, **Mizzen Mast**. See "Britain."  
**Satwa Moon**, c, 4, **Horse Chestnut (SAf)**--Double Schott, by Demons Begone. Wolverhampton, Britain, 3-1, Hcp, 4yo/up, 9f 103yds (AWT). B-Charles H Deters. \*\$50,000 yrl '07 KEESEP; 95,000gns 2yo '08 TATAPR.

IN ITALY:

**Back Hunting**, c, 3, **Put It Back**. See "Italy."

IN JAPAN:

**Night of the Opera**, f, 3, **A.P. Indy**--Jena Jena (MSW & GSP, \$272,888), by Dixieland Band. Hanshin, 2-28, Plate Race, 6f. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, \$169,663. B-Ocala Horses LLC. \*\$275,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP.

**Argenteus**, c, 3, **Eurosilver**--Tiz the Hour, by Tiznow. Nakayama, 2-28, Novice Race, 9f. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$87,640. B-Machmer Hall Thoroughbreds & Haymarket Farm. \*\$100,000 RNA yrl '08 FTKJUL; \$200,000 RNA 2yo '09 BESMAR; \$200,000 2yo '09 BESMAY. \*\*Won by three lengths.

**Air Inshallah**, c, 4, **Dixie Union**--Chez la Femme, by Afternoon Deelites. Hanshin, 2-27, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, \$169,101. B-Winchester Farm.

**Rapid Girl**, m, 5, **Seeking The Gold**--Personal Glory, by Danzig. Kasamatsu, 2-23, Uguisu Tokubetsu, 7f. Lifetime Record: 15-2-1-0, \$123,708. B-River Bend Farm. \*1/2 to Supremo (Gone West), GSW-US, \$228,250.

**Danon Muro**, g, 6, **Gone West**--Final Destination (NZ) (GSW-US, G1SP-NZ, \$224,411), by O'Reilly (NZ). Nakayama, 2-27, Aquamarine S, 6fT. Lifetime Record: 25-5-3-2, \$1,183,820. B-Fontainebleau Farm Inc.

**Victory Tetsuni**, h, 6, **Gone West**--Radu Cool (GSW, \$572,218), by Carnivalay. Nakayama, 2-27, Chiba S., 6f. Lifetime Record: SW-Jpn, 28-7-1-3, \$1,761,348. B-Dell Ridge Farm. \*\$325,000 yrl '05 KEESEP.

• ON THE WORKTAB •

GULFSTREAM

Brass Hat (Prized), 5f, 1:01.95, 10/17  
 Pulsion (Include), 5f, 1:00.60, 3/17

PALM MEADOWS

Authenticat (D'wildcat), 5f, 1:00.30, 3/32  
 Harlem Rocker (Macho Uno), 5f, 1:01.30, 11/32  
 Interactif (Broken Vow), 5f, 1:01.00, 7/32  
 Munnings (Speighstown), 4f :50.20, 36/53  
 Negligee (Northern Afleet), 5f, 1:00.90, 5/32  
 Odysseus (Malibu Moon), 5f, 1:01.00, 7/32  
 Super Saver (Maria's Mon), 5f, 1:00.70, 4/32  
 Rule (Roman Ruler), 4f, :48.95, 18/53

PAYSON PARK

Gone Astray (Dixie Union), 4f, :50.40, 3/13

**First/Second-crop starters to watch: Tuesday, Mar. 2**  
*Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2005 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackType Wnrs Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)*

**GRAND REWARD** (Storm Cat), Hill 'n' Dale, \$13K, 205/30/0  
 9-MNR, Alw, 5 1/2f, Brave Reward, \$7K F '09 KEE JAN, 20-1

**LETTER C** (Parting the Sea), 3/0/0

10-SUN, Msw, 6 1/2f, Barbs Letter, 25-1

**SO LONG BIRDIE** (Pioneering), 13/3/0

10-SUN, Msw, 6 1/2f, D E in a Minute, 5-1

9-SUN, Alw, 6 1/2f, Senorita Bree, \$1,000 TEX APR 2yo, 10-1

**UNFORGETTABLE MAX** (Northern Afleet), Stonewall, \$8K, 55/2/0

9-MNR, Alw, 5 1/2f, Max the Knife, \$72K FTK JUL yrl, 6-1

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Blind Luck (Pollard's Vision), 5f, 1:01.00, 47/106

Get Funky (Straight Man), 6f, 1:12.20, 1/23

Lookin at Lucky (Smart Strike), 7f, 1:25.20, 1/3

Misremembered (Candy Ride {Arg}), 6f, 1:12.20, 1/23

Nextdoorneighbor (Lido Palace {Chi}), 4f, :47.00, 5/74



in sharper focus.

HAVELOCK (Great Notion)

**GOLDEN MOMENT FOR SILVERTON**

Immediately following the running of the 10th race at Gulfstream Park Sunday afternoon, Silverton Hill principal Bonnie Hamilton--who heads the operation with her husband Tommy--was left speechless--literally. And for good reason. Moments earlier, Silverton homebred **Havelock** (Great Notion), who was sent off at plump odds of 28-1, was far back in the early going. Steadied by jockey Jeremy Rose at the top of the stretch, he took advantage of every step of the five-furlong distance to just get up in time to gain the nose decision. The Hamiltons, who were on hand to watch their homebred take his career debut, were understandably elated with the victory. Making the win even sweeter was the fact that the three-year-old offered a brief glimpse into Silverton Hill's racing history.

"We raced his sire, Great Notion (Elusive Quality), and we raced his mama, too," said Hamilton. "That makes it extra special to us."

Havelock is the first foal produced by Piconeach (NZ) (Spectacular Love), a private purchase that was imported into the United States in 2003, and put some black-type on her page with a third-place finish in the Dade Turf Classic S.

"She wasn't brilliant by any means, but she was the sweetest mare and just gave you everything she had every time," said Hamilton of the colt's 12-year-old dam. "She was definitely one of my favorites."

On the other hand, his sire, Great Notion, would give the operation a few more thrills during the 2003 season with victories in the Southwest S. and runner-up finishes in the GI King's Bishop S. and the GII Amsterdam S. Following his racing career, the Hamiltons sold the son of Elusive Quality for stud duty to Northview Stallion Station in Maryland, and the couple still retains a few breeding shares in the 10-year-old, who is also responsible for stakes winners Gonna Dash and Great Love. Whether he joins the ranks of stakes winners or not, Havelock already has a place in the Hamilton's heart.

"From Day 1, Havelock was just the way you would want one to look and behave," said Hamilton. "He's just push-button, and he does anything you want him to do. He was always healthy and never had anything wrong, so he has always been special to us."

**Silver Lining...**

The Hamiltons, who have been involved with horses since childhood, raised Saddlebred show horses for many years before breaking into the Thoroughbred game just over 10 years ago. Tommy founded Nally & Hamilton Enterprises, Inc., a coal surface mining company in Eastern Kentucky and Virginia, while Bonnie worked for 25 years as a surgical scrub nurse for a group of neurosurgeons in Owensboro, Kentucky.

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Currently residing at Silverton Hill--located in Springfield, Kentucky--the couple remain active in the commercial property, which spans approximately 1800 acres, is a fully-operational horse and cattle farm that also deals in a host of agricultural products. Currently the home to approximately 40 horses, ranging from broodmares to weanling and yearlings, the farm--which is overseen by Adam Burnett--also operates as a training facility, offering a 3/4-mile grass gallop and a 7/8-mile all-weather course.

Strictly breeding to race, the Hamiltons also purchase between 12 to 15 horses at public sales every year, with the help of the operation's primary trainer Darrin Miller, and advisor Ben McElroy.

"We buy at the weanling, yearling and two-year-old sales," explained Hamilton. "We're pretty active all year round. Ben does all the ground work and comes up with a short list, and Darrin and Tommy finalize the list. Darrin is probably the hardest to please of any of us, and my husband, if he had the time, has as good an eye and can pick out horses as well as anybody can."

Among the racetrack successes enjoyed by the Hamiltons over the years are stakes winners Master Belt (NZ) (Masterclass), Camacho (NZ) (Maroof), Fredericktown (Williamstown) and multiple-graded stakes placed Sedgfield (Smart Strike). However, the most notable is Dominican (El Corredor), winner of the GI Bluegrass S. in 2007. **Cont. p5**



**Simply a Lock...**

Havelock, who encountered some minor issues during his juvenile season, was given some time off at the farm last summer in anticipation of his sophomore year.

"It was never really anything big, it was just that he was telling us when he wanted to train and when he didn't," said Hamilton. "We're pretty conservative and give our horses all the time they need. We let the horse tell us when they're ready."



**Dominican** *Equi-Sport*

Looking a little further down the road, Hamilton indicated that the handsome bay will be switched to the dirt for his next start, which will most likely be at Gulfstream against allowance

company.

"We originally thought this horse would run on the dirt, since he trains so well over it," stated Hamilton. "But we have a couple of others that were getting ready to start, and since they needed to run on the dirt, Darrin asked if we would mind putting Havelock on the turf. So this horse ended up on the turf by default. I think we'll probably run him on dirt or the synthetic [Keeneland] next time."

While benefitting from a good dose of speed from his sire Great Notion, Hamilton feels confident that Havelock will be able to stretch out successfully.

"I don't think distance will be a problem for him," she said. "To tell you the truth, I'm surprised he won [Sunday]. He's quick enough, but I really didn't think five furlongs was going to be his game. I guess he had other ideas."--*Christina Bossinakis*

**10th-GPX, \$35,000, Msw, 3yo, 5fT, :57 1/5, gd. + HAVELOCK (c, 3, Great Notion--Piconeach {NZ} {SP}, by Spectacular Love), sent off at generous 28-1 odds, was unhurried off the mark and was content to linger near the back of the pack early. Full of run and looking for racing room turning for home, the handsome bay angled out for the stretch drive and got up in the final jump to eke out a nose victory over Morethanatale (More Than Ready). [Click for the brisnet.com chart](#) or [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made](#). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$21,000. O/B-Silverton Hill LLC (MD). T-Darrin Miller.**

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**Yesterday's Results:**

**Wolverhampton, 16.10, Mdn, £3,600, 3-4yo, 1m 141yds (AWT), 1:52.54, stn/fs.**  
**POWER SERIES (c, 3, Mizzen Mast--Diese {GSW-Fr, \$110,366}, by Diesis {GB}),** off the board in turf maidens at Lingfield and Newmarket in August, was settled in rear off the moderate early pace before creeping into contention on the home turn. Cajoled between rivals in the final yards, the 9-4 second favorite nosed out Nadinska (GB) (Doyen {Ire}) in the shade of the post. The winner is a half to Terrazzo (Nureyev), MGSP-Fr, \$270,381; Senure (Nureyev), MGISW-US, \$768,141; Speak in Passing (Danzig), GSW-US, \$250,890; and Dexterity (Kingmambo), SW-Fr, \$109,776. [Video, courtesy attheraces.](#) Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, £2,457. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms Inc; T-John Gosden.

★ ITALY ★

**Sunday's Results:**

**Rome, 16.25, Cond, €19,800, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:41.90, hy.**  
**MISANO LASÉN (IRE) (f, 3, Kheylef--My Lilli {Ire}, by Marju {Ire}),** successful in a maiden here in November last time, was sent off at 13-2 and took a keen hold racing in third early. Rolling to the front passing the three-furlong marker, the €7,500 GOFHIT yearling drew away to beat Shinicamon (Ity) (Shinko Forest {Ire}) by five lengths. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, €21,590. O-Scuderia Giuseppe & Gio di Esposito Umberto; B-Glenview House Stud; T-Mario Massimi.

**Rome, 14.40, Cond, €19,800, 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:41.30, hy.**  
**BACK HUNTING (c, 3, Put It Back--Huntingland, by Dove Hunt),** last seen when dead-heating for second in the listed Criterium Mediterraneo at Siracusa in December, was rank early under restraint tracking the leading duo against the rail. Full of run when arriving at the front with a quarter mile remaining, the 16-5 shot was shaken up to record a two-length success from the heavily penalized triple listed winner Air Crew (Pollard's Vision). Lifetime Record: MSP-Ity, 5-2-2-1, €44,506. O-San Carlo Investment 2005 Srl; B-Liam Benson; T-Gianluca Bietolini.



**Collection, pictured winning the 2009 Hong Kong Derby-Gr.1, was successful in the \$8m Hong Kong Gold Cup-Gr.1 at Sha Tin on Sunday**

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**IN AUSTRALASIA:**

**Chef Berbere (Fr)**, g, 4, **Numerous--Miss Bedouine (Fr)**, by Bering (GB). Caloundra (Queensland), 2-28, Mdn, 4yo/up, 1mT. B-Aliette & Gilles Forien. \*€24,000 yrl '07 DEAOCT.

**Pleats (Fr)**, f, 4, **Green Desert--Lady Bex (Ire)**, by Sadler's Wells. Balaklava (South Australia), 2-28, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1 3/8mT. B-Sean Mulryan & Gainsborough Stud Management Ltd.

**Strike One (GB)**, g, 6, **Danehill Dancer (Ire)--Intellectuelle (GB)**, by Caerleon. Rosehill (Sydney), 2-27, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1 1/2mT. B-Ridgecourt Stud. \*135,000gns '05 TATOCT yrl; 28,000gns HRA '07 TATHIT.

**IN JAPAN:**

**Lilienthal (Ire)**, c, 3, **Montjeu (Ire)--Anna Monda (Ger)** (Hwt. 3yo-Ity & Ger at 7-9.5f, GISW-Ity, GSW-Ger), by Monsun (Ger). Nakayama, 2-27, Suisen Sho, 11fT. Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$225,618. B-T Yoshida.

**TRADE REBOUNDS ON DAY 1 OF MELBOURNE**

**PREMIER SALE** The first day of the 2010 Inglis Melbourne Premier Sale was marked by across-the-board gains compared to last year's figures. Yesterday's average of A\$71,488 (US\$64,416) marked a 24.3% increase compared to opening day a year ago. The average also compared well with the A\$89,700 average established on the first day of the 2008 sale, which was the first held after the Equine Influenza outbreak. "The day-one clearance of 74.12 percent has been comparable to the sales conducted so far this year," said Inglis Bloodstock Director Peter Heagney. "The rise in average is exceptional, but there is still a lot of selling ahead of us." Monday's top price came courtesy of [lot 86](#), an Exceed and Excel (Aus) colt purchased by trainer Mick Price and BlueSky Thoroughbreds for A\$300,000. Consigned by Three Bridges Thoroughbreds of Maldon, the gray is the first foal out of Group-2 winner De Lago Mist (Aus) (Encosta de Lago {Aus}). The leading filly was Burnewang North Pastoral's [lot 64](#), a daughter of Stratum (Aus) out of Group 2-victress Coupe (Aus) (Spinning World), who went to McDonald Racing for A\$200,000. Today's session opens at 11 a.m. local time.

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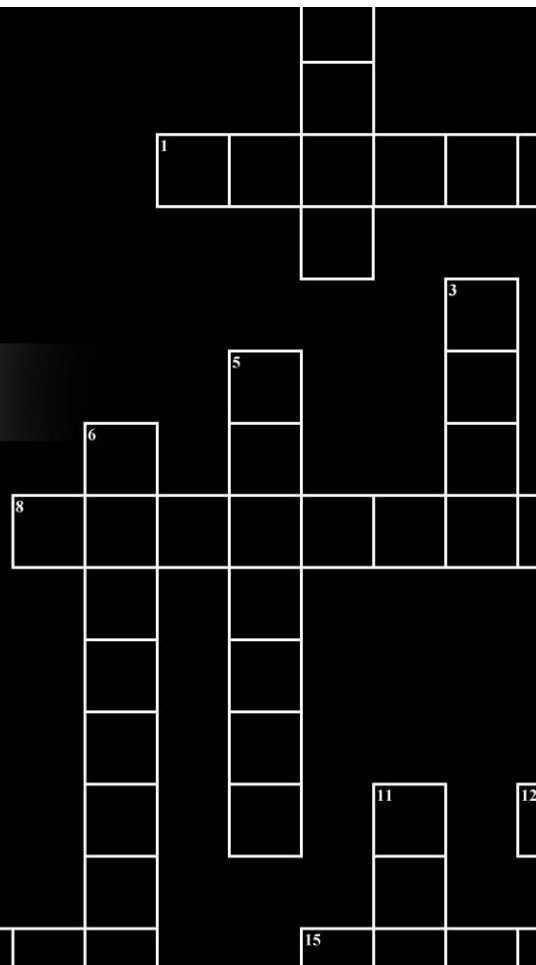
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<u>86</u>	c	<b>Exceed and Excel (Aus)</b>	<b>D e Lago Mist (Aus)</b>	300,000
Consigned by Three Bridges Thoroughbreds Purchased by M Price & BlueSky Thoroughbreds				
<u>64</u>	f	<b>Stratum (Aus)</b>	<b>Coupe (Aus)</b>	200,000
Consigned by Burnewang North Pastoral Purchased by McDonald Racing				
<u>90</u>	f	<b>Starcraft (NZ)</b>	<b>Debutante Robe (Jpn)</b>	180,000
Consigned by Bellerive Stud Stud Purchased by Mulcaster Bloodstock				
<u>183</u>	c	<b>Elvstroem (Aus)</b>	<b>Innocent Baby (Aus)</b>	180,000
Consigned by Blue Gum Farm Purchased by William Inglis, agent				
<u>11</u>	f	<b>Starcraft (NZ)</b>	<b>Bella Inez (Aus)</b>	170,000
Consigned by Three Bridges Thoroughbreds Purchased by Star Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd				
<u>101</u>	c	<b>Snitzel (Aus)</b>	<b>Diamond Head (Aus)</b>	170,000
Consigned by Toolooganvale Farm Purchased by Newmarc Bloodstock				
<u>132</u>	c	<b>Lonhro (Aus)</b>	<b>Fashion Week (Aus)</b>	170,000
Consigned by Makybe Purchased by R Yiu				
<u>141</u>	c	<b>O'Reilly (NZ)</b>	<b>Frankish (NZ)</b>	170,000
Consigned by Grange Thoroughbreds Purchased by Star Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd				
<u>18</u>	f	<b>Pins (Aus)</b>	<b>Bleveeka (Aus)</b>	150,000
Consigned by Kambula Stud Purchased by Vin Cox Bloodstock				
<u>35</u>	c	<b>Deep Impact (Jpn)</b>	<b>Caerless (Ire)</b>	150,000
Consigned by Arrowfield Stud Purchased by S Okada				

**BREEDERS' EDITION  
AMERICA**

**ALLOWANCE RESULTS:**

**9th-PHA, \$40,740, NW1X, 3yo, f, 1m70y, 1:44 1/5, gd. TANIS'S DIXIE TUNE (f, 3, Don Six--Mary'sdixiemelody, by Honor Grades) Lifetime Record: 8-3-0-0, \$59,990. O/B-Patricia A Generazio (FL). T-Edward T Allard.**

**8th-HOU, \$20,000, 2-28, 4yo/up, 1m, 1:37 2/5, ft. FIFTEEN LOVE (h, 5, Point Given--Nidd {GSW-Fr, SP-US, \$124,910}, by Known Fact) Lifetime Record: SP, 17-5-3-1, \$398,393. O-Jose Luis Espinoza. B-Juddmonte Farms Inc (KY). T-Jerenesto Torrez. \*\$85,000 HRA '09 KEENOV.**

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Dignified Air, m, 5, Grand Slam--Ministorm, by Storm Cat. FGX, 3-1, (C), a7 1/2fT, 1:34 2/5. B-Edward P Evans (VA). \* \$37,000 RNA yrl '06 KEESEP; \$50,000 HRA '09 KEEJAN. \*\*1/2 to Minidrop (Lemon Drop Kid), SP, \$158,685; Mini Sermon (Pulpit), GSW, \$272,930.**

**★ WINNERS BY U. S. SIRE ★**

**IN AUSTRALASIA:**

**Morant (Aus), g, 3, Fusaichi Pegasus--Suspicion (Aus), by Mukddaam. Ascot (Perth), 2-27, Challenge S.-Listed, 3yo, 7fT, A\$48,750 to winner. B-Peters Investments Pty Ltd.**

**Once Were Wild (Aus), f, 3, Johannesburg--Wildesong (Aus), by Unbridled's Song. Randwick (Sydney), 2-26, Hcp, 3yo, 1 1/8mT. B-Milburn Creek Thoroughbred Stud, Peter Mason & Tony de Saxe.**

**Lacada Siren (Aus), f, 4, Giant's Causeway--Passing Hope (Ire), by Sadler's Wells. Randwick (Sydney), 2-26, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-Reavill Farm Thoroughbreds Pty Ltd.**

**Borrack (NZ), g, 5, Black Minnaloushe--Swift Swallow (NZ), by Chem. Otaki (New Zealand), 2-28, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1mT. B-Mapperley Stud Ptnrshp Syndicate.**


**El Chico (NZ), g, 5, Stravinsky--Las Chicas Buenas (NZ), by Classic Fame. Riccarton (Christchurch), 2-27, Hcp, 4yo/up, 1mT. B-R Lam.**

**Stravinsky's Affair (NZ), m, 5, Stravinsky--My Happiness (NZ), by Kaapstad (NZ). Otaki (New Zealand), 2-28, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6fT. B-Miss J A Burley & Sir Patrick & Lady Hogan.**

**Menalaus (NZ), g, 6, Black Minnaloushe--Evolution (NZ), by Star Way (GB). Riccarton (Christchurch), 2-27, Hcp, 4yo/up, 7fT. B-Windsor Park Stud Ltd.**

**IN JAPAN:**

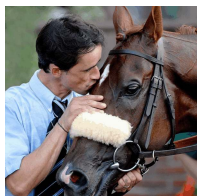
**+ Tosen Chidoriashi (Jpn), c, 3, Fusaichi Pegasus--Midcap (Ire), by Entrepreneur. Nakayama, 2-28, Mdn, 6f. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$78,652. B-Okada Stud.**



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**CONDITIONS RESULTS:**

**FRANCE, Mont-de-Marsan, 14.30**, 2-28, €25,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:20.70, sf.

**ISSACAR (IRE) (c, 3, Traditionally--Indolente {Ire}, by Diesis {GB})** Lifetime Record: 6 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €26,500. O-SARL Ecurie Tagada & Antoine de Watrigant; B-Glending Bloodstock; T-Antoine de Watrigant. \*€4,500 RNA wnlg '07 GOFNOV; €4,000 yrl '08 TATIRE.

**FRANCE, Marseille-Borely, 14.05**, 3-1, €24,000, 3yo, 6fT, 1:13.91, hy.

**YOSOLITO (FR) (g, 3, Keltos {Fr}--Fusee Francaise {Fr}, by Anabaa)** Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €26,000. O/T-Luis A Urbano Grajales; B-S Hillou-Lespes & F Bragato. \*€15,000 yrl '08 ARQOCT.

**ITALY, Rome, 15.15**, 2-28, €19,800, 4yo/up, 1 1/4mT, 2:07.20, hy.

**PITERINO (IRE) (h, 5, Desert Prince {Ire}--Russian Grace {Ire}, by Soviet Star)** Lifetime Record: 17-4-4-1, €53,992. O/B-Eledy Srl; T-Luigi Polito. \*1/2 to Loulan Genereux (GB) (Cadeaux Genereux (GB), SP-Jpn, \$888,953.

**ITALY, Pisa, 15.50**, 2-28, €12,600, 3yo, 6 1/2fT, 1:21.40, sf.

**GREAT AMBITION (IRE) (c, 3, Great Exhibition--Ocean Bell {Ire}, by Blue Ocean)** Lifetime Record: 14-5-3-0, €31,093. O-Scuderia Gierrefe; B-Aidan Sexton; T-Giuseppe Ligas. \*€1,800 yrl '08 GOFHIT.

**ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:**

**Strategos (Fr)**, c, 3, **Ballingarry (Ire)**--Parallel Universe (GB), by Hector Protector. Mont-de-Marsan, France, 2-28, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1 3/8mT. B-E le Pivert & Mme M Bisone-Payre. \*€12,000 yrl '08 ARQOCT.

**Camilla Grey (Ire)**, f, 3, **Clodovil (Ire)**--La Captive (Ire), by Selkirk. Rome, Italy, 2-28, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1mT. B-Paddy Kennedy. \*€2,000 RNA 2yo '09 GOFMAY.

**Next Dream (Fr)**, f, 3, **Dream Well (Fr)**--Neriella (GB), by Darshaan (GB). Mont-de-Marsan, France, 2-28, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 3/8mT. B-Ecurie Skymarc Farm.

+ **Arabian Beauty (Fr)**, f, 3, **Dubawi (Ire)**--Fille du Lac, by Lac Ouimet. Nimes, France, 2-28, Unraced 3yo, 1 3/16mT. B-Haras de Bernesq.

+ **Shearman (Ire)**, g, 3, **Elusive City**--Champion Tipster (GB), by Pursuit of Love (GB). Wolverhampton, Britain, 3-1, Mdn, 3yo/up, 5f 216yds (AWT). B-Thomas Cahalan & Sophie Hayley. \*£20,000 2yo '09 DONAPR.

+ **Sugarello (Ire)**, c, 3, **Mull of Kintyre**--Margaretha Lay (Ire), by Namaqualand. Pisa, Italy, 2-28, Unraced 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Giannotti P L E Bertagni Patrizio.

**Takashi (Fr)**, c, 3, **One Cool Cat**--Alcidiana (Fr), by Linamix (Fr). Nimes, France, 2-28, Mdn, 3yo, 1 3/16mT. B-P Thirionet & P McNulty. \*€55,000 yrl '08 ARQOCT.

**Gumnd (Ire)**, c, 3, **Selkirk**--Survall (Ire) (SP-Eng), by Sadler's Wells. Wolverhampton, Britain, 3-1, Mdn, 3yo, 9f 103yds (AWT). B-Tullamaine Castle Stud. \*85,000gns yrl '08 TATOCT.

**Pongo (GB)**, c, 3, **Zamindar**--Pursuit of Charge (GB), by Pursuit of Love (GB). Rome, Italy, 2-28, Mdn, 3yo, c/g, 1mT. B-Razza del Sole Soc Ag Srl. \*€100,000 yrl '08 ITYSEP. \*\*1/2 to Piperita (GB) (Observatory), SW-Ity.

## ★ WINNERS BY EURO SIRES ★

**IN AUSTRALASIA:**

**Crystal Duke (NZ)**, g, 3, **Bachelor Duke**--Starfire Glow (NZ), by Danasinga (Aus). Riccarton (Christchurch), 2-27, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-A W Borrie.

**Winter King (NZ)**, c, 3, **One Cool Cat**--Something Special (Aus), by Bletchingly (Aus). Rosehill (Sydney), 2-27, Hcp, 3yo, 5 1/2fT. B-P G Gillespie & W J Gleeson.

**Just a Piccolo (Aus)**, g, 3, **Piccolo (GB)**--Mischnikov (Aus), by Baryshnikov (Aus). Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 2-27, Hcp, 3yo, 7 1/2fT. B-Mr J Hanna.

**Alpine Heights (NZ)**, g, 3, **Spartacus (Ire)**--Alpine Delight (Aus), by Bluebird. Riccarton (Christchurch), 2-27, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT. B-P G Lyon.

**So Alberta (NZ)**, f, 4, **Bertolini**--Soulieado (NZ), by Bigstone (Ire). Riccarton (Christchurch), 2-27, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1mT. B-Mrs J M & T Hobson.

**Brilliant Light (Aus)**, g, 4, **Fantastic Light**--Trick Taker, by Capote. Rosehill (Sydney), 2-27, Hcp, 4yo/up, 6fT. B-Darley Australia Pty Ltd.

**Ivy's League (NZ)**, g, 4, **Montjeu (Ire)**--Rapida (NZ), by Senor Pete. Eagle Farm (Brisbane), 2-27, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT. B-D Courtney-O'Connor.

**Old Jock (NZ)**, g, 4, **Montjeu (Ire)**--Ma Danseuse (NZ), by Dance Floor. Caulfield (Melbourne), 2-27, Victoria Gold Cup-Listed, 3yo/up, 1 1/4mT, A\$60,000 to winner. B-P G Gillespie & W J Gleeson.

**Berringama (Aus)**, g, 4, **Tobougg (Ire)**--Ubanzee (Aus), by Zeditave (Aus). Caulfield (Melbourne), 2-27, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-Jacka Investments Pty Ltd.

**Periduki (Aus)**, g, 5, **Perugino**--Miduki (Aus), by Snippets (Aus). Morphettville (Adelaide), 2-27, Matrice S.-Listed, 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$44,555 to winner. B-Mr B M Griffiths.

**Laspiel (Aus)**, g, 5, **Singspiel (Ire)**--La Flamina (Ire), by Selkirk. Moonee Valley (Melbourne), 2-26, Hcp, 3yo/up, c/g, 1mT. B-Darley Australia Pty Ltd.