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DALKALA CLAIMS PRIX CLEOPATRE

HH The Aga Khan's **Dalkala** (Giant's Causeway), two-for-two entering today's G3 Prix Cleopatre after a pair of educational heats at Longchamp, exited with a greatly enhanced reputation and her perfect record intact. The form of her head defeat of Lady Apples (Fr) (Enrique {GB}) giving that rival four pounds in a 10-furlong conditions event last time Apr. 15 had been upheld when the runner-up was fourth in Sunday's Listed Prix de la Seine, but the betting suggested she would only play second fiddle to **Waldlerche** (GB) (Monsun {Ger}) here.

Racing in third early several lengths off the pace set by that free-running 3-5 pick, the bay homebred swooped as that rival began to tread water with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining, and was hand-ridden to draw clear of the staying-on Poupee Flash. "I liked this filly before the race and now I like her even more," trainer Alain de Royer-Dupre commented. "She won very well and I think we've found our filly for the G1 Prix de Diane [at Chantilly June 17]."

Dalkala hails from a successful Aga Khan family. Her second dam is a full-sister to Daylami (Ire), a standout on both sides of the Atlantic; and is also a sibling to Dalakhani (Ire) (Darshaan {GB}), Europe's Horse of the Year in 2003 and now a leading sire. Her Kentucky-based dam has a 2-year-old Dynaformer colt and produced a Mr. Greeley filly last April before being bred to Medaglia d'Oro.

Tuesday, Saint-Cloud, France

PRIX CLEOPATRE-G3, €80,000, Saint-Cloud, 5-15, 3yo, f, 1 5/16mT, 2:13.70, gd.

1--#**@DALKALA**, 121, f, 3, by **Giant's Causeway**

1st Dam: **Daltaya** (Fr) (GSW-Fr, \$111,059), by **Anabaa**

2nd Dam: **Daltaiyma** (Ire), by **Doyoun** (Ire)

3rd Dam: **Daltawa** (Ire), by **Miswaki**

O-H H The Aga Khan; B-H H The Aga Khan's Studs SC; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre; J-Christophe-Patrice Lemaire; €40,000. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 3 wins, €69,000. [Click for eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

Werk Nick Rating: **A**.

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2--**Poupee Flash**, 121, f, 3, **Elusive Quality**--Modesty Blaise, by A.P. Indy. O-Niarchos Family; B-Flaxman Holdings Ltd; T-Pascal Bary; €16,000.

3--**La Conquerante** (GB), 122, f, 3, **Hurricane Run** (Ire)--Winning Family (Ire), by Fasliyev. (€80,000 yrl '10 ARQAUG). O-Bernard Magrez Horses; B-M3 Elevage & Haras d'Etream; T-Jean-Claude Rouget; €12,000.

Margins: 4, 3HF, 4. Odds: 4.70, 5.70, 5.90.

Also Ran: **Waldlerche** (GB), **Brocottes** (Fr).

[Click for the Racing Post chart.](#)

NYRA PAYMENTS TO CEASE?

The New York Racing Association, which has come under fire in recent weeks, faces further trouble after regulators sent a letter Tuesday requesting that the state lottery stop making daily support payments to the organization and instead direct them to a dedicated account. The letter, addressed to NYRA Chairman Stephen Duncker, was signed by John Sabini, chairman of the New York State Racing & Wagering Board; and Robert Megna, chairman of the Franchise Oversight Board. In addition, the letter states, "upon completion of the Inspector General's report, the Racing and Wagering Board will be required to consider an Order to Show Cause to determine whether these actions by NYRA merit the revocation of its franchise." Monday's announcement that the election of Ellen McClain and Kenneth Handal as NYRA's executive vice president and secretary, respectively, was also called into question by Sabini and Megna. NYRA began receiving the casino subsidies late last year after the opening of the Genting Resorts World Casino at Aqueduct, and purses have jumped dramatically at the New York tracks since that time. The complete letter can be viewed [here](#). Late Tuesday evening, NYRA issued a statement that the letter had been forwarded to its attorney, Brendan V. Sullivan Jr. (Williams & Connelly), and that it will respond upon review.



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Tony Grey's homebred Zetterholm (Silver Train) takes on the big guns Saturday at Pimlico. "If we're ever going to beat the likes of Bodemeister and I'll Have Another and Went the Day Well, it's going to be off two weeks' rest off the Derby," Grey told TDN's Lucas Marquardt. "We're rolling the dice."

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Jockey Club Weighs In

The Jockey Club has released a letter addressed to John Sabini, chairman of the New York State Racing and Wagering Board, in response to a call from the NYSRWB for public comment on the race-day use of furosemide. The organization outlined many of its own initiatives regarding racing and medication, and stated. "Our stance has not wavered one bit: We believe that the overuse of medication endangers our human and equine athletes, threatens the integrity of our sport and erodes consumer confidence in our game. Horses should compete only when they are free from the influence of medication."

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Oppenheim Opines

In this week's column, Bill Oppenheim discusses the up-and-coming sires across the pond, and give a big shout-out to Carter Carnegie.

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FOR ZETTERHOLM, SHADES OF GREY

by Lucas Marquardt

Ten years ago, native New Yorker Tony Grey, a municipal bonds trader who operates as Winter Park Partners, got into the racing and breeding game in the anticipation that Empire State slots were right around the corner. On the advice of the late bloodstock agent Jack Werk, he bought into a stallion--Freud, the newly arrived full-brother to Giant's Causeway--and acquired some mares that nicked well with the Sequel Stallion sire. "At the time, Lord At War mares were A + + nicks, and Diane Perkins was having a dispersal at Wimborne Farm," explained Grey. "So I went and bought a few Lord At War mares."

It took a decade for slots to arrive in New York, and, as it turns out, roughly the same amount of time for one of those Lord At War mares to produce Grey's first Classic starter: this weekend's GI Preakness S. hopeful Zetterholm (Silver Train). Trained by Rick Dutrow Jr., the bay enters the second leg of the Triple Crown off three straight wins against statebred company, including a first black-type score in the one-mile Patsyprospect S. at Aqueduct Apr. 6.

Zetterholm's connections have been mulling a start against graded company for some time now. They were



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initially looking at the GI Wood Memorial S. a day after the Patsyprospect. "But when the condition book came out, we figured why not just go and get that," said Grey, who is married and has two children, a son and a daughter, who just graduated college. "It's black-type for the family, and we could see what we got. He won it pretty easy, and after watching the Wood the next day, we thought maybe we made the wrong decision. But if you take your time, it's not gonna hurt you any. Dutrow said at the time that we should think about the Preakness. 'Babe' is really good at six weeks between races and having a horse who's ready to run his eyeballs out." Cont. p4

CLASSIC UPDATE AS A SIRE:

The unbeaten **DALKALA** won Prix Cleopatre-Gr.3 **YESTERDAY** by 4 lengths for owner/breeder HH Aga Khan and will run next in either the Epsom or French Oaks.

GR.1 UPDATE AS A SIRE OF SIRES:

CRACKERJACK KING (by SHAMARDAL) won Premio Presidente Della Repubblica-Gr.1 **ON SUNDAY** to remain unbeaten in Italy.

Also **CHACHAMAIDEE** (by FOOTSTEPSINTHESAND) won Chartwell Stakes-Gr.3 **ON SATURDAY**.

GR.1 UPDATE AS A BROODMARE SIRE:

The unbeaten **BEAUTY PARLOUR** won French 1,000 Guineas-Gr.1 **ON SUNDAY** for owner/breeder the Wildenstein Family.



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Preakness: Zetterholm/Tony Grey cont.

Grey entered the colt in last week's GII Peter Pan S. at Belmont, but only as a precaution against being excluded from the Preakness. Last Friday, he got a call from Pimlico officials, who assured him he'd get a spot in the starting gate on the third Saturday in May.

"We got him down on Saturday and got a breeze over the track, and Babe said he's going to run his race," said Grey. Zetterholm breezed five panels in 1:01 1/5. "Our only concern is that he's a dead closer, and Bodemeister's the lone speed with Hansen out," added Grey of the Derby pacesetter. "I'm hoping someone will run with him a little bit."

Zetterholm is Grey's latest success story from the 19-year-old Holy Wish, one of those Lord At War mares he acquired at Perkins's Wimborne Farm dispersal in 2002. Grey landed the mare for just \$15,000, and, with Zetterholm's latest score, has now bred four black-type winners out of her. They include the popular New York-bred Wishful Tomcat (Tactical Cat), a graded stakes winner of over \$665,754. "He ran a 100 Beyer when he was a 2-year-old, but came up with chips in his knees," said Grey, who campaigned the horse with IEAH Stables. "He would have been a Derby contender for sure based on that number, but after we took the chips out, then all the sudden we were looking at August and missed out on the fun."

Holy Wish also produced the homebred SW Uncle T Seven (Freud), an earner of \$446,365; and the current 4-year-old Lucky Lewis (Forest Camp), a MSW of \$238,466. (Lucky Lewis, incidentally, is named after Grey's friend and sometimes business partner Lewis Lakin.)

"I can't say enough good things about her," Grey said of his budding blue hen. "Everybody should be lucky enough to have a Holy Wish if they're in the breeding business. Everything she's thrown, colt-wise, has been a runner, and her daughters are dropping runners, too."

Holy Wish's daughter Plinking (Talkin Man) has produced a pair of graded horses, including Deciphering Dreams (Freud) and Jung Man Scott (Freud). "He was a total freak," Grey said of the latter. "It's unfortunate he broke down in the GI Norfolk S. [in 2009], when he was beaten only two lengths by Lookin At Lucky. He could have been any kind."

Holy Wish didn't have a foal in 2010 or 2011, but produced a "really handsome" Elusive Quality colt this spring, said Grey. "We decided to step up a little bit stallion wise," he said. "We decided on Elusive Quality because Raven's Pass [the Darley sire's GI Breeders' Cup Classic winner] is out of a Lord At War mare. Then we bred her back to another Darley stallion this year, Girolamo (A.P. Indy)." Girolamo, like Freud, stands at Sequel in New York, where Grey boards his eight broodmares.

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Zetterholm/Grey cont.

One of the other mares Grey has at Sequel is Frankly Fran (D'Accord), who, to the cover of Freud, supplied Grey with his first-ever Grade I winner in Franny Freud. A standout 3-year-old in 2010, the John Terranova-trained filly won the GI Prioress S. and GI Beaumont S. before suffering a career-ending injury on the eve of the GI Test S. at Saratoga. Grey, along with partners Stephen Yarbrough and Paul



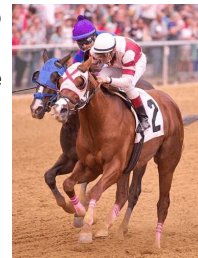
Franny Freud
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Pompa Jr., later sold Franny Freud to Katsumi Yoshida for \$560,000 at Fasig's November Sale. Frankly Fran produced colts by Freud in 2011 and 2012 and was bred back to the Storm Cat stallion.

As Grey enters the 2012 Preakness, he knows he's asking a lot of Zetterholm. But he feels it's the right time to take a chance. "I don't see why he won't be as good as his brothers, and if you're going to run a big one, now's the time," he reasoned. "If we're ever going to beat the likes of Bodemeister and I'll Have Another and Went the Day Well, it's going to be off two weeks' rest off the Derby. We're rolling the dice."

Pretension Confirmed as Preakness Cast Member

Kidwells Petite Stable's **Pretension** (Bluegrass Cat), coming off an upset win in the Cananero II S. at Pimlico May 5, will take his place in Saturday's GI Preakness S. "I think the delay in the decision came down to that [owner Irving Kidwell] didn't want to run if he wasn't going to be there," said trainer Chris Grove. "I think he'll come to the track around 4 or 5 o'clock and be there for the race." Kidwell, an 87-year-old resident of Annapolis, Maryland, was briefly hospitalized earlier this week.



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NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK
Preakness Placers Who Skipped the KY Derby

Yr	Horse	Preakness Odds	Finish
'11	Astrology	15-1	3rd
'10	First Dude	23-1	2nd
'09	Rachel Alexandra	9-5	1st
'08	Macho Again	29-1	2nd
	Icabad Crane	22-1	3rd
'06	Bernardini	12-1	1st
	Hemingway's Key	29-1	3rd
'05	Scrappy T.	13-1	2nd
'04	Rock Hard Ten	6-1	2nd
	Eddington	12-1	3rd

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ON THE HOOF

Hoof It (GB) (Monsieur Bond {Ire}) was on the fringes of the big time last term and can shine in his own right as he returns for today's G2 Duke of York S. on the opening day of the Dante meeting. Unlucky when hampered late and running out of track to be a nose and a head behind Dream Ahead (Diktat {GB}) and Bated Breath (GB) (Dansili {GB}) in the G1 Haydock Sprint Cup when last seen in September, the star of veteran Mick Easterby's stable had previously set a weight-carrying record in the six-furlong Stewards' Cup at Goodwood in July. "I think he's the best horse in the race," his colorful trainer told *PA Sport*. "I think his best form will be on good-to-firm ground this year, but it's the same for everybody."

Restiadargent (Fr) (Kendargent {Fr}) is an intriguing opponent, having been supplemented by Henri-Alex Pantall after running too keenly and failing to stay the seven furlongs of the G3 Prix Imprudence at Maisons-Laffitte Apr. 5. She looked a class act when annexing the G3 Prix d'Arenberg and G2 Criterium de Maisons-Laffitte over this trip in the autumn and is able to take advantage of a large weight-for-age swing and sex allowance here.

York specialist Richard Fahey relies on the highly progressive **Mayson (GB)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), who followed a third to ☆ **"TDN Rising Star"** ☆ **The Cheka (Ire)** (Xaar {GB}) in the Listed Cammidge Trophy at Doncaster Mar. 31 with wins in Newmarket's Listed Abernant S. Apr. 19 and G3 Palace House S. May 5. "He's in great order at the moment and he knows how to win now," Fahey told *PA Sport*. "He seems as effective over five furlongs or six, but if I had a choice I think he's better over six."

Others of note in a typically strong renewal are last year's G1 Golden Jubilee S. winner **Society Rock (Ire)** (Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}) and Godolphin's Australian import **Soul (Aus)** (Commands {Aus}). Successful in the 2010 G2 Danehill S., the 5-year-old needs to show more than when a latest flop in the G1 Golden Shaheen on Meydan's Tapeta Mar. 31. "He looks in good form at the moment and has been working nicely," trainer Saeed bin Suroor commented. "The return to turf should suit him and I am looking for a better result this time."

Wednesday, York, Britain, post time: 3:00 p.m.

DUKE OF YORK TOTEPOOL S.-G2, £100,000, 3yo/up, 6ft

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	13	Definightly (GB)	Diktat (GB)	J Doyle	Charlton	133
2	8	Doncaster Rover	War Chant	S de Sousa	Brown	133
3	10	Elnawin (GB)	Elnadim	Dobbs	Hannon	133
4	11	Hoof It (GB)	Mnsieur Bnd (Ire)	R Moore	M Easterby	133
5	6	Libranno (GB)	Librettist	R Hughes	Hannon	133
6	2	Mayson (GB)	Invncible Spirit (Ire)	Hanagan	Fahey	133
7	14	Sirius Prospect	Gone West	Kelly	Ivory	133
8	3	Society Rock (Ire)	Rck of Gibrtr (Ire)	Fallon	Fanshawe	133
9	5	Soul (Aus)	Commands (Aus)	Dettori	bin Suroor	133
10	12	The Cheka (Ire)	Xaar (GB)	Callan	Jhnsn Hghtn	133
11	7	Tiddliwinks (GB)	Piccolo (GB)	Spencer	K Ryan	133
12	4	Bannock (Ire)	Bertolini	Fanning	Johnston	124
13	1	Bogart (GB)	Bahamian Bounty (GB)	Makin	K Ryan	124
14	9	Restiadargent (Fr)	Kendargent (Fr)	Peslier	Pantall	124

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PASSING THE BATON

Aidan O'Brien's Epsom hand could hardly be stronger at present, and **Twirl (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) is the latest Ballydoyle hopeful to attempt to continue the run of recent trial successes in today's G3 Tattersalls Musidora S. Derrick Smith's full-sister to multiple Group 1 winner Misty For Me (Ire) looked smart when breaking her maiden by 6 1/2 lengths over seven furlongs at Leopardstown in November and returned with a fine effort to be runner-up to Chrysanthemum (Ire) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}) in the G3 Park Express S. over a mile at The Curragh Mar. 25. Heading the domestic defence is Lord Lloyd-Webber's **The Fugue (GB)** (Dansili {GB}), who was a highly promising fourth on only her second start in the G1 1000 Guineas at Newmarket May 6. "She was caught behind by another filly in the Guineas and dropped back three lengths, but finished her race well," trainer John Gosden explained. "It has healed very nicely and she's in good order. She's a smart sort of filly."

Wednesday, York, Britain, post time: 2:30 p.m.

TATTERSALLS MUSIDORA S.-G3, £65,000, 3yo, f, 10f 88ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	5	Aniseed (Ire)	Dalakhani (Ire)	Fallon	Haggas
2	6	Esentepe (Ire)	Oratorio (Ire)	R Hughes	Hannon
3	4	Good Morning Star (Ire)	Shirocco (Ger)	Norton	Johnston
4	1	Salford Art (Ire)	Sir Percy (GB)	R Moore	Elsworth
5	3	The Fugue (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Buick	Gosden
6	2	Twirl (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	J O'Brien	A O'Brien

All carry 124 pounds.



TIZ WAS

Yet another Ballydoyle Oaks contender steps into the fray here as **Was (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) bids to book her ticket to Epsom. Off the mark at the first attempt over a mile at The Curragh in August, the 1.2-million guineas star of the 2010 Tattersalls October Sale could be anything at this stage. Her Oaks-bound stable companion **Kissed (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) dealt with today's opponents **Aaraas (GB)** (Haafhd {GB}) and **Cleofila (Ire)** (Teofilo {Ire}) with contempt in the Listed Salsabil S. over this trip at Navan Apr. 29 and that pair will offer clues as to the winner's standing among the 3-year-old fillies here. Impressive maiden winners **Princess Highway** (Street Cry {Ire}) and **Shebella (Ire)** (Dubai Destination) represent the top yards of Dermot Weld and John Oxx, respectively, and like Was are open to major improvement.

Wednesday, Naas, Ireland, post time: 7:20 p.m.

IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF BLUE WIND S.-G3, €77,500, 3yo, f, 1 1/4mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	2	Aaraas (GB)	Haafhd (GB)	McDonogh	K Prendergast
2	3	Aloof (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Lee	Wachman
3	6	Cleofila (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Manning	Bolger
4	4	Princess Highway	Street Cry (Ire)	Smullen	Weld
5	5	Shebella (Ire)	Dubai Destination	Murtagh	Oxx
6	1	Was (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Heffernan	A O'Brien

All carry 121 pounds.

Thursday, York, Britain, post time: 2:30 p.m.

BETFRED DANTE S.-G2, £150,000, 3yo, 10f 88ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	4	Bonfire (GB)	Manduro (Ger)	Fortune	Balding
2	7	Dream Tune (GB)	Oasis Dream (GB)	Kirby	Cox
3	3	Ektihaam (Ire)	Invincible Spirit (Ire)	O'Shea	Varian
4	5	Ernest Hemingway (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	J O'Brien	A O'Brien
5	1	Fencing	Street Cry (Ire)	Buick	Gosden
6	6	Mandaeen (GB)	Manduro (Ger)	Barzalona	Al Zarooni
7	2	Ptolemaic (GB)	Excellent Art (GB)	Eaves	Smart

All carry 126 pounds.

Thursday, York, Britain, post time: 2:00 p.m.

BETFRED MIDDLETON S.-G2, £100,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 10f 88ydsT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	8	Sea of Heartbreak (Ire)	Rck of Gibrtr (Ire)	J Doyle	Charlton
2	11	Barefoot Lady (Ire)	Footstpsinthesnd (GB)	Hamilton	Fahey
3	10	Beatrice Aurore (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	R Moore	J Dunlop
4	1	Goldplated (Ire)	Selkirk	O'Shea	J J Murphy
5	3	I'm a Dreamer (Ire)	Noverre	Fortune	Simcock
6	6	Izzi Top (GB)	Pivotal (GB)	Buick	Gosden
7	9	Mohedian Lady (Ire)	Hurricane Run (Ire)	Fallon	Cumani
8	7	Myplacelater (GB)	Where or When (Ire)	Norton	Fahey
9	5	Sajjhaa (GB)	King's Best	Dettori	bin Suroor
10	2	Set to Music (Ire)	Danehill Dancer (Ire)	Spencer	Bell
11	4	Timepiece (GB)	Zamindar	Queally	Cecil

All carry 124 pounds bar Sea of Heartbreak, 127.

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Thursday, Baden-Baden, Germany, post time: 7:00 p.m.

BADENER MEILE-G3, €55,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Worthadd (Ire)	Dubawi (Ire)	M Demuro	Prescott	132
2	1	Eigelstein (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Minarik	Schiergen	128
3	8	Gereon (Ger)	Next Desert (Ire)	Porcu	Zschache	128
4	7	Nafar (Ger)	Singspiel (Ire)	Pietsch	Hickst	128
5	6	Neatico (Ger)	Medicean (GB)	Starke	Schiergen	128
6	3	Point Blank (Ger)	Royal Dragon	Hellier	M Hofer	128
7	5	Sir Oscar (Ger)	Mark of Esteem (Ire)	Bojko	Potters	128
8	4	Ferro Sensation (Ger)	Paolini (Ger)	de Vries	Pubben	126



MOFEED MISSES GUINEAS DATE

Jaber Abdullah's luckless **Akeed Mofeed (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}) was yesterday ruled out of the G1 Abu Dhabi Irish 2000 Guineas after meeting another setback. Originally scheduled for the Newmarket Guineas and G1 Epsom Derby, last year's G2 Beresford S. runner-up was being targeted at next Sunday's mile Curragh Classic, but will now be campaigned with June 30 G1 Irish Derby in mind. "He won't be ready in time for the Irish Guineas, it will be too much of a rush for him," trainer John Oxx told *PA Sport*. "The annoying thing is it's nothing serious, just a little tweak, but they take time to get over. At this stage of the season, all the races come at you fast and it doesn't need to be much for you to miss a few of them. Hopefully he'll come right some time next week and we'll take it from there and start preparing him for the Irish Derby."

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RACETRACK ROUND-UP

CRACKERJACK HAS PLATE OPTION

Sunday's G1 Premio Presidente della Repubblica winner **Crackerjack King (Ire)** (Shamardal) could be aimed at the G1 Cox Plate, trainer Marco Botti announced yesterday. Last year's G2 Derby Italiano scorer has been transferred from Stefano Botti's yard following his 2 1/2-length success in the 10-furlong Capannelle contest and the 4-year-old is set to tackle the major international races now. "I am delighted to have Crackerjack King join my stable and thank my brother Stefano for the great job that he has done with him," Marco Botti said. "He will be reunited with his half-brother Jakkalberry (Ire) (Storming Home {GB}), with both horses likely to race in Australia over their spring carnival in Melbourne. Crackerjack King arrives on Wednesday and a plan will be made once he has settled in. He has been invited to the Cox Plate [at Moonee Valley Oct. 27] and this could be a possible long-term target for him."

Darren Dance of Australian Thoroughbred Bloodstock, which has purchased a 50% share in Crackerjack King, added, "Sunday was a fabulous result for us and our partners. It was the first Group 1 win for most of his owners who share in his ownership. Jakkalberry was our first purchase in Europe and we are dreaming of a Melbourne Cup for him and now maybe a Cox Plate for his brother."

GRADED/GROUP RESULTS

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1--**PREMIO LOCO**, 130, g, 8, by **Prized**

1st Dam: **Crazee Mental (GB)** (G1SP-GB), by **Magic Ring (Ire)**

2nd Dam: **Corn Futures (GB)**, by **Nomination (GB)**

3rd Dam: **Hay Reef (GB)**, by **Mill Reef**

(19,000gns yrl '05 TATDEC). O-Bernard R Westley;

B-Kidder, Cole & Griggs; T-Chris Wall; J-George

Baker; SKr700,000. Lifetime Record: MGSW-Ger &

MG1SP-Eng, 33-14-4-2, SKr7,074,563. **Werk Nick**

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

2--**Silver Ocean**, 130, g, 4, Silver Train--Endless Sea, by

Mt. Livermore. (\$60,000 wnlg '08 KEENOV; \$37,000

RNA yrl '09 KEESEP; £26,000 2yo '10 GOFMAR;

23,000gns HIT '10 TATHIT; 120,000gns HIT '11

TATHIT). O-Autoindustri AB; B-Sun Valley Farm;

T-Niels Petersen; SKr250,000.

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3--**Empire Storm (Ger)**, 130, h, 5, Storming Home (GB)--

Emy Coasting, by El Gran Senor. (€4,500 RNA yrl '08

BBAOCT). O-Frau Manuela Sohl; B-Hannes K

Gutschow; T-Andreas Wohler; SKr120,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1, 5. Odds: 1.20, 2.10, 10.90.

BRIS Speed Ratings

Top Weekly Stakes Races

Horse	Sire	Race	BRIS Speed
Royal Currier	Red Bullet	Diablo S.	107
Aquitania	Leroidesanimaux (Brz)	Marta S.	103
Mark Valeski	Proud Citizen	Peter Pan S.-G2	102
Fort Loudon	Awesome of Course	In Summation S.	101
Ponzi Scheme	Sunday Break (Jpn)	Decathlon S.	99
Dhaamer (Ire)	Dubai Destination	Round Table S.	98
North Freeway	Jump Start	Winter Melody S.	98
Uno Caliente	Macho Uno	Champali S.	98
Currency Swap	High Cotton	You and I S.	96
Strait of Dover	English Channel	Marine S.	95
Dixie Strike	Dixie Union	Selene S.-G3	94
Redbud Road	Awesome of Course	French Village S.	94
Drill	Lawyer Ron	Lazaro Barrera Memorial S.-G3	93
Class Included	Include	Hastings H.	92
Cresco Direct Hit	One Hundred Slews	John Wayne S.	92
Going to Kukaro	Speightstown	Genuine Devotion S.	91
Stoney Fleece	Decarchy	Alcatraz S.	90
Sakakawea	Rossini	Mamie Eisenhower S.	89
Wild About Marie	Wildcat Heir	Unbridled Sidney S.	89
Im a Bear	Touch Tone	Texas Stallion S.	87
Boca Bay	Too Much Bling	Texas Stallion S.	81
Aggressive Elegance	Macho Uno	Tomboy S.	77

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Premio Loco has proved an admirable campaigner down the years and the stalwart of Chris Wall's Newmarket stable took to the dirt here to register a sixth Pattern-race success. Given a break after his win in the G3 Winter Derby on Lingfield's Polytrack Mar. 24, the chestnut was ridden prominently early as Silver Ocean assumed the lead. Getting the better of that rival passing the furlong marker, he asserted in the run to the line in a race that very few got into.

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NEWS TODAY

Carter Carnegie; Breeders' Cup and Beyond

Carter Carnegie, who recently left his position as senior vice president of sales at the Breeders' Cup, was forthcoming about his decision to leave following his 10-year stint with the organization.

"It was the best and right time for me to leave the company, and the best time for the Breeders' Cup as well, in terms of making sure an appropriate transition had taken place, and to allow the new CEO [Craig Fravel] to be able to move forward and impart his vision into the business and at the same time to give me time to look for new opportunities," explained Carnegie.

Among the company's that entered into long-term marketing and licensing agreements with the Breeders' Cup during Carnegie's tenure are Grey Goose, Emirates Airline, Sentient Jet and TVG.

"One of the main reasons I was brought in 10 years ago was to create a corporate partnership program and to bring corporate dollars to the Breeders' Cup and the NTRA, which were a joint venture during my first few years on the job," said Carnegie. "Over 10 years, we generated in excess of \$70 million in business and that is something I am pretty proud of in terms of bringing in something that never really existed and creating a structure of it to succeed and for the Breeders' Cup to succeed. Sponsorships are pretty tough to accomplish, especially when it's only a two-day event. Over the years, I have had a lot of \$1-million, multi-year deals and I'm proud of those accomplishments."

He continued, "As for the brand, I had the opportunity to explore the event from the breeder and owner side of things and worked on expanding the brand internationally. The last couple of years, the focus has been to bring in stallions that were not in the program to be part of the Breeders' Cup initiative. Now, the Breeder's Cup has over 300 stallions standing outside of North America that are part of the program. I think that has helped globalize the brand and you'll see the effects of that a lot more over the next few years."


Regarding a possible next step for Carnegie, he offered, "My background has been in sports marketing, but at this point, I am just taking a breath. However, at some point, I will be exploring different opportunities, maybe some will be in the industry and probably in sports on a whole."

Reflecting on his overall experience with the Breeders' Cup, Carnegie concluded, "I was fortunate enough to be very passionate about the brand and I think the competition itself is one of the most exciting days on the racing calendar. Also, working toward trying to put that together and end up with something you can be proud of, both as a competitive, wagering and global product really made it a lot of fun for me."

JOCKEY CLUB SENDS LETTER TO NYSRWB


The Jockey Club has released a letter addressed to John Sabini, chairman of the New York State Racing and Wagering Board, in response to a call from the NYSRWB for public comment on the race-day use of furosemide. The organization outlined many of its own initiatives regarding racing and medication, and stated. "Our stance has not wavered one bit: We believe that the overuse of medication endangers our human and equine athletes, threatens the integrity of our sport and erodes consumer confidence in our game. Horses should compete only when they are free from the influence of medication." The complete letter can be read [here](#).

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Beyer: Reddam learns it's not all academic en route to the Preakness
"Post-race interviews in the Triple Crown races rarely deviate from the usual clichés, and it is safe to say that there had never been a reference in the winner's circle to the author of "Tractatus Logico-Philosophicus."
 Andrew Beyer, Daily Racing Form

Clarifying some terms, such as 'bleeder'
"There's so much confusion about exercise-induced pulmonary hemorrhage (EIPH) in articles, blogs, and SM today that I want to clarify some issues as they have appeared in recent posts in this space. For one, whenever possible I've defined a "bleeder" as a horse exhibiting epistaxis (bleeding through nostrils) when referring to studies quoted here from Hong Kong, Australia, and South Africa, because that is how they are defined in these regions, as opposed to here in the US where a horse does not need to visibly bleed from the nostrils to be classified as a bleeder."
 Sid Fernando, + Observations

FOR SALE, OR NOT FOR SALE?

No one needed to wait too long for Monday's top price at the second session of the Copa Bullrich Yearling Sale at San Isidro near Buenos Aires, Argentina. The first yearling through the ring, a Not for Sale (Arg) filly consigned by Haras Chenaut, was knocked down to John Fulton Bloodstock for 320,000 pesos (US\$72,235). Selling as [hip 77](#), the bay is out of Beautiful (Rahy), and hails from the extended family of Mr. Greeley (Gone West).

The session's second-highest-priced yearling was [hip 148](#), a son of Honour and Glory--Alejandra Mia (Stormy Atlantic) purchased by Orbit Bloodstock for 165,000 pesos. Offered by Haras Firmamento, the bay descends from the family of Cigar.

During Monday's session, 63 yearlings went through the ring, with just 38 successfully changing hands. The day's gross was 4,074,000 pesos (US\$919,639), and the average was 107,211 pesos (US\$24,201). For more information, visit www.abullrichsa.com.




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EUROPEAN 2ND-CROP SIRES' WILD WEEKEND

A couple of weeks ago (May 2, [click here](#)), in previewing the English Guineas races, we touched on Europe's second-crop sires of 2012 (meaning their first crops are 3-year-olds this year), and I either said or thought, we may hear a bit more from some of these over the next few weeks. Cue last weekend, when no fewer than seven of Europe's second-crop sires had a total of 10 runners win or place in black-type races. There were two bits of really huge news in that department. First, the unheralded Turtle Bowl, a good miler by an obscure son of Night Shift, Dyhim Diamond, had the upset winner of a messy G1 Poule d'Essai des Poulains--the French 2000 Guineas--in Lucayan. Having just the previous week had another colt by him, French Fifteen, run a cracking second in the G1 English 2000 Guineas, Turtle Bowl now leads all European-based second-crop sires by 2012 progeny earnings, according to a table compiled by The-racehorse.com website ([click here](#) to view this table).

The second bit of huge news to do with European second-crop sires is that Dylan Thomas (Danehill) may have been relegated from first to second by Turtle Bowl's amazing Guineas run, but he, too, had a monster weekend: he had runners in no fewer than four important group races in France and Ireland on Sunday, and only one failed to hit the board. Furner's Green looked pretty unlucky to just grab third in the Poulains, but then things took a fatal turn: he broke a leg just after the wire and had to be put down. The Dylan Thomas filly Devotion rattled home to take second in another mile contest, Leopardstown's G3 1000 Guineas Trial; while another colt, Tower Rock, ran second in the G2 Derrinstown Derby Trial, also at Leopardstown, over 10 furlongs. Since March 25, I count 12 separate horses from Dylan Thomas's first crop in TDN's Progeny PP's which have either won or been black-type placed; Furner's Green (previously a Group 3 winner) and Devotion have done it at a mile, but the other 10 have all won or been black-type placed at distances ranging from 9 1/2 to 12 furlongs. This horse has burst upon the sire scene in no uncertain terms this spring.

The winner of the G2 Derrinstown was Light Heavy, a colt from Teofilo's first crop who had previously won the G3 Ballysax this year and will now be pointed to the G1 Irish Derby, according to his breeder/trainer, Jim Bolger. Light Heavy's €61,750 Derrinstown win propelled Teofilo into fourth spot among European second-crop sires by 2012 progeny earnings (I'm discounting Scat Daddy, who is ranked first on The-Racehorse's list by virtue of Daddy Long Legs's win in the G2 UAE Derby, but who stands in Kentucky).

A Top 2nd-Crop Sire
ENGLISH CHANNEL'S
 Strait of Dover is
"Magnificent in the Marine!"



Watching **Strait of Dover** stretch out to his 6 1/2 length victory in the \$156,300 Marine Stakes, Woodbine's longtime track announcer Dan Loiselle called him "magnificent in the Marine!" Strait of Dover has now won three consecutive races and is a possible contender for the historic Queen's Plate on June 24.

- OTHER WINNERS IN MAY:**
- Sark (MSW at CD), Skyring (CD),
 - Trois Aureole (ALW at BHP),
 - English Progress (MSW at BHP),
 - One Dream Ticket (in France),
 - English Rhythm (Maiden), & Dover Crossing (GG).

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Parish Hall, Bolger's G1 Dewhurst winner by Teofilo (and who is inbred 3x3 to Sadler's Wells, being out of a Montjeu mare), is due to reappear in the G1 Irish 2000 Guineas later this month, so there's every chance Teofilo will be bracketed with Turtle Bowl and Dylan Thomas as this crop's three leaders by the end of the month.

Unless Manduro makes it the crop's four leaders. He currently ranks eighth among European second-crop sires this year, and already has a group winner to his credit in the filly Trois Lunes, who won the G3 Prix Vanteaux over 1850m (9 1/4 furlongs) late last month. He has a chance to move up the list tomorrow when both Godolphin's Mandaeen and Highclere's Bonfire will be two of the favorites in the G2 Dante S., the most important G1 Epsom Derby prep. It's a salty field--the best for a Derby prep so far this year (other than maybe the G1 English 2000 Guineas, won by Camelot)--but Mandaeen won the G1 Criterium de Saint-Cloud over 10 furlongs last year, while Bonfire was counted a most unlucky loser of the G1 Criterium International, run over a mile, also at Saint-Cloud last back-end. Both are making their seasonal debuts, and right now are probably second- and third-favorites, behind Camelot, in the Epsom betting.

Also last weekend, the Danehill Dancer horse Jeremy had his first group winner when his filly Yellow Rosebud took a very competitive renewal of Leopardstown's G3 1000 Guineas Trial, making her a live candidate for the real thing, the G1 Irish 1000 Guineas, later this month. He moved up to number 15 on the European second-crop list (also discounting Hard Spun). Authorized had the two-three in Saturday's Listed Lingfield Oaks Trial and moves up to number 13. Rail Link, who had the Listed Prix de la Seine second Sediciosa, now ranks 11th; and Sir Percy, now number 23, had G3 Lingfield Derby Trial third Cavaleiro. I'll bet he improves his placing over the next few weeks, too.

The weekend Classic which didn't feature any second-crop sires with runners in the money was the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches--the French 1000 Guineas. That was won with a minimum of fuss by the Wildenstein's unbeaten Deep Impact filly, Beauty Parlour, who is out of a Giant's Causeway mare. This is further confirmation that Deep Impact (first foals now just 4-year-olds), widely regarded as the best racehorse ever by the great Sunday Silence, can legitimately be considered a World Top 12 sire.

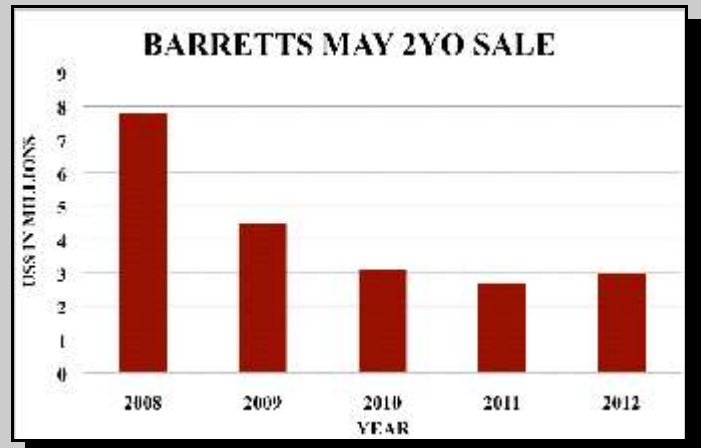
There was action, too, among North American second-crop sires. Scat Daddy is still way out in front among this group ([click here](#)), but second-placed Hard Spun had another stakes placing over the weekend (he has 14 black-type horses already this year), and third-placed Street Sense had the GII Peter Pan third, Street Life. The second in the Peter Pan, Right to Vote, is by another second-crop sire, a son of Unbridled's Song called Political Force; that's his third black-type horse this year, but he's now holding court in Saudi Arabia.

Weekly Sales Ticker

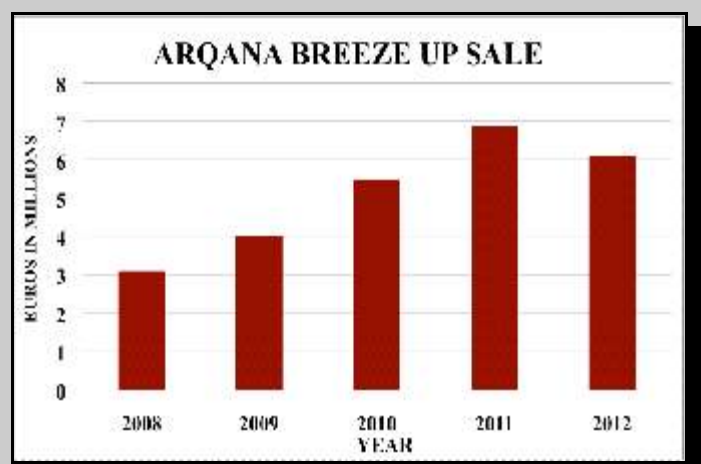
by Bill Oppenheim

"Arqana's sale of 2-year-olds at Saint-Cloud was off 12% in gross and 9% in average from last year, but was still plenty strong, from reports of those who were there; the sale's gross is still nearly double that of 2008. Barretts May sale was up 12% in gross and 18% in average from last year, though its gross was less than half that in 2008. Again, there were only 124 catalogued and 69 sold at Barretts, reinforcing the view that OBS has become the true barometer of the North American 2-year-old market."

- Bill Oppenheim



YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2012	124	85	69	31.5%	81.2%	55.6%	\$2,986,500	\$43,283
2011	123	92	72	25.2%	78.3%	58.5%	\$2,662,000	\$36,972
2010	166	115	86	30.7%	74.8%	51.8%	\$3,096,000	\$36,000
2009	263	173	123	34.2%	71.1%	46.8%	\$4,511,000	\$36,675
2008	329	221	147	32.8%	66.5%	44.7%	\$7,816,400	\$53,173



YEAR	CAT	RING	SOLD	%W/D	%S/R	%S/C	GROSS	AVG
2012	165	149	107	9.7%	71.8%	64.8%	€6,075,000	€56,776
2011	161	142	111	11.8%	78.2%	68.9%	€6,917,000	€62,315
2010	156	139	107	10.9%	77.0%	68.6%	€5,526,000	€51,645
2009	150	127	97	15.3%	76.4%	64.7%	€4,040,000	€41,649
2008	155	138	88	11.0%	63.8%	57.4%	€3,061,000	€34,784

Data compiled by Brianne Stanley



English Channel is helping Smart Strike's profile as a sire of sires; the 2007 turf champion has climbed to fourth spot on the North American second-crop list, knocking Discreet Cat back a place to fifth, and got his second black-type winner of the year last weekend when the colt Strait of Dover captured Woodbine's Marine S., run at 8 1/2 furlongs on the all-weather. English Channel also has GI Santa Anita Derby third Blueskiesnrainbows and the GII Rebel S. second Optimizer on the dirt.

Lawyer Ron ranks sixth, though he unfortunately died before he even had any runners. He would have been pretty useful, though: Drill, from his first crop, added another graded stakes win in the GIII Laz Barrera Memorial over seven furlongs on the all-weather at Betfair Hollywood Park (formerly known as Hollywood Park). Further down the second-crop sire list, High Cotton, a son of Dixie Union who stands in Florida, got a Belmont Park black-type win by Currency Swap, who won last year's GI Hopeful S.; and a filly by Stevie Wonderboy, Katie Get Excited, ran third in Woodbine's GIII Selene S.

The GI Preakness is this Saturday. I hope we're live for the first Triple Crown winner in 34 years after the race. If I'll Have Another can win this, he's a really good bet to get the trip in the Belmont. I liked him for the Derby, I bet him, and--acknowledging all the dangers--I like him for the Preakness, too. Safe trip and come home first.

TOUGH ACT TO FOLLOW

I'd never met Carter Carnegie when I was elected to the Breeders' Cup 'Big Board' in 2008, but I soon learned what a dedicated and invaluable asset he was to the organization. It wasn't just that he was a 'true believer' in the mission of the Breeders' Cup; he also proved to be a world-class negotiator in his role of VP for Sponsorship--by one estimate he generated \$70 million in sponsorship revenue in his 10 years with the firm--but was also both a thinker and a doer in the Breeders' Cup continuing efforts to 'expand the brand' internationally, especially after that was identified as a key objective through the 2009 Strategic Planning process. To many people around the world, it's fair to say Carter, who has been a regular at many of the world's top auction sales, has been the international face of the Breeders' Cup. In a time when selling horse racing in North America to potential sponsors will be challenging, to put it mildly, Carter's successor in sponsorship is going to need to be another real wizard, that's for sure. But Carter's personal efforts to expand the brand internationally are going to be a really tough act to follow. Those of us who are board Members of an international 'persuasion' will have to redouble our own efforts to sustain the momentum Carter helped to create--provided, that is, those of us up for re-election this year still meet with the favor of you, our constituents.

There have been a number of changes in key posts at the Breeders' Cup in the last year: Tom Ludt of Vinery has succeeded Bill Farish as Chairman; Craig Fravel, formerly of Del Mar, has succeeded Greg Avioli (who then did a one-year stint with Frank Stronach) as President and CEO; Bob Elliston, formerly of Turfway Park, has succeeded Matt Lutz as Chief Operating Officer; and now Carter's departure. But "the road goes ever ever on", as Bilbo Baggins put it in *The Hobbit* (no, I'm not embarrassed to quote from the prelude to *The Lord Of The Rings*, the greatest epic written in at least the last 200 years and one of my Top Ten Books of All Time). The personalities may have changed, but the mission remains the same. It is a difficult and challenging mission, but Craig Fravel is very, very good, and we have a tremendous group among the 39 elected Members on the 'Big Board', and some great minds directing the show among the 13 members of the Board of Directors, who are elected by the Big Board. I'm not just saying that because it sounds politic to do so; I've grown up in the business with a lot of colleagues on the Big Board, and in my opinion you would have to go a very long way to find a more dedicated and determined group of professionals committed to making this business work, if it is humanly possible to do so. We will miss Carter immensely--he's been a tremendous positive force for good--and on a personal note, I will miss his energy and counsel immensely. But the road goes ever ever on. Carter will be a tremendous success whatever he chooses to do next; his legacy is the energy, the can-do attitude, and the determination for the Breeders' Cup (a not-for-profit organization) to succeed in its missions. Carter, good luck, buddy, from all of us who have benefitted from your work for the Breeders' Cup, and thanks a million; and now we'd better get back to work fulfilling those missions.

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MASTER COMMAND COLT TOPS BARRETT'S

A colt by the late stallion Master Command topped Monday's Barretts May Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training in Pomona, California, soliciting a final bid of \$300,000 from bloodstock agent Brett Lindenbaum.



Hip 9
Benoit

The chestnut colt, who worked a furlong in **:10 flat**, is out of multiple stakes placed Grinch (Salt Lake) and was consigned by Ciaran Dunne's Wavertree Stables. Dunne purchased the youngster for \$37,000 at last year's Keeneland September sale. "He really is now just

what he was [in September]," Dunne said of the 2-year-old. "He was a big strong horse, mature for his age." The Irishman admitted his main concern with buying the colt as a pinhooking prospect last fall was a potentially less-than-fashionable sire. "There was some trepidation that he was by Master Command, but you walk around Keeneland September for two weeks looking for a big pretty horse that knocks your socks off and, nine times out of 10, when you finally find one, it's by a stallion who gives you cold feet. But he was an outstanding individual."

Wavertree has enjoyed big success at the Barretts juvenile sales in recent years, selling the March toppers in 2009, 2010 and 2012, as well as last year's May topper. Dunne explained Monday's topper was always destined for the Barretts sales ring. "He was always supposed to go to the Barretts May sale," Dunne explained. "We have untold lists of who is going to what sale and every list is different, but this horse was always going to this sale on every list because we figured, if there was anywhere that an individual would sell over the stallion, this would be it."

Dunne also pinhooked the night's second highest lot, with a son of Lion Heart out of Seattle Qui (Seattle Slew) selling for \$210,000. The half-brother to multiple graded stakes placed Classical Slew (Bernstein) was a \$130,000 Keeneland September yearling.

Of the 116 horses catalogued for the one-day auction, 69 horses sold for \$2,986,500. The sale average of \$43,283 was up 15.7% from last year's corresponding figure of \$36,466. The \$23,000 median was up a similar 15%, from \$20,000. A total of 16 horses failed to meet their reserves, equating to an RNA rate of 18.8%.

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Hip	Sex	Sire	Dam	Price(\$)
<u>9</u>	c	Master Command (\$37,000 yrl '11 KEESEP) B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY)	Grinch	300,000
Consigned by Wavertree Stables, Inc. (Ciaran Dunne), Agent I Purchased by Brett Lindenbaum, Agent				
<u>51</u>	c	Lion Heart (\$130,000 yrl '11 KEESEP) B-Joseph LaCombe Stables, Inc. (KY)	Seattle Qui	210,000
Consigned by Wavertree Stables, Inc. (Ciaran Dunne), Agent I Purchased by Mr. Dennis R. O'Neill				
<u>123</u>	f	Rock Hard Ten (\$45,000 RNA yrl '11 KEESEP; \$22,000 2yo '12 OBSAPR) B-Briland Farm, Robert & Stacy Mitchell (KY)	Requesting More	200,000
Consigned by SGV Thoroughbreds (Steven Venosa), Agent Purchased by Brett Lindenbaum, Agent				
<u>95</u>	c	Horse Greeley (\$10,000 wnl '10 KEENOV; \$80,000 yrl '11 OBSAUG; \$95,000 RNA 2yo '12 BESMAR) B-Ramona Thomson (KY)	Boom Boom Bertie	160,000
Consigned by Sequel Bloodstock (Becky Thomas), Agent Purchased by Daisuke Shima				
<u>14</u>	c	Raven's Pass (\$120,000 yrl '11 KEESEP) B-New Dawn Stable, LLC (KY)	Heart of Honor	140,000
Consigned by Sequel Bloodstock (Becky Thomas), Agent Purchased by Mersad Metanovic & Jeff Bonde				

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No. Offered	107	91
No. Sold	69	73
RNAs	16	18
% RNAs	6.69	19.7
No. Over \$200K	2	1
High Price	\$300,000	\$220,000
Gross	\$2,986,500	\$2,662,000
Average (% change)	\$36,903 (+1.2%)	\$36,466
Median (% change)	\$20,000 (Unch.)	\$20,000

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EASTERN U.S.

TOM RIDGE S., \$99,500, PID, 5-15, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:09, ft.

1--**#SUM OF THE PARTS, 122, c, 3, Speightstown--Enjoy the Moment (MGSW & GISP, \$538,088), by Slew's Royalty.** (\$75,000 yrl '10 FTKJUL; \$150,000 2yo '11 BESMAR). O-Klaravich Stables Inc & William H Lawrence; B-Farfellow Farms Ltd (KY); T-Thomas M Amoss; J-Julien R Leparoux; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-0, \$145,263.

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2--**Johannesbourbon, 113, c, 3, Johannesburg--Mary Ellise, by In Excess (Ire).** (\$60,000 2yo '11 FTMMAY). O-Bourbon Lane Stable. \$20,000.

Purchased as a two year old by McMahon and Hill Bloodstock
Bourbon Lane Racing Partnership

3--**Hogy, 119, g, 3, Offlee Wild--Floy, by Petionville.** (\$17,000 yrl '10 KEEJAN). O-Alice Mettler. \$10,000. Margins: NK, 3/4, 6. Odds: 1.50, 1.80, 5.40.

Sum of the Parts concluded 2012 by chasing the torrid early pace of the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Sprint en route to a sixth-place finish. The dark bay made an eye-catching return in wiring a Keeneland allowance by 7 3/4 lengths Apr. 20, and was the choice while shifting to Tapeta from Polytrack. After dashing off a :21.96 opening quarter, he was confronted by Hoky, but put that challenge away, and dug in late to deny the rallying Johannesbourbon. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.](#)

INAUGURAL S., \$97,500, PID, 5-15, 3yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:09 4/5, ft.



1--**GYPSY ROBIN, 121, f, 3, Daaher--Feisty Princess (SW, \$141,613), by Indian Charlie.** (\$27,000 yrl '10 KEESEP). O-Wesley A Ward, Gatewood Bell & Wes Welker; B-Cloyce C Clark Jr (KY); T-Wesley A Ward; J-Julio A Garcia; \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 6-4-0-0, \$245,000. *1/2 to 2008 Tiger Cat Lilly (Tale of the Cat), SW.

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2--**Brilliant Katie, 114, f, 3, Gone West--Katherine Seymour (GB), by Green Desert.** (\$165,000 yrl '10 FTSAUG; \$270,000 RNA 2yo '11 FTFFEB). O-Green Hills Farm Inc. \$20,000.

Purchased as a Yearling by Justin Casse
AMERICA'S BEST SELLERS...TAYLOR MADE

3--**Mali, 116, f, 3, Bwana Charlie--Fortunate Bebe, by Fortunate Prospect.** (\$10,000 2yo '11 FTHRSJ). O-Robert P Murray & Matthew S Kintz. \$10,000.

 Consigned by **BLUEWATER SALES** at FTHRSJ '11 
 Margins: 4, HF, 3 3/4. Odds: 1.20, 1.00, 29.20.

Inaugural S. cont.

Gypsy Robin was put away following her Sorority S. success at Monmouth on Labor Day, and resumed with a front-running victory in Keeneland's GII Beaumont S. Apr. 15. Sent off as the second choice here, the blinkered bay broke alertly and set the pace. Favored Brilliant Katie attempted to mount a challenge entering the stretch, but Gypsy Robin had another gear and drew off in the final furlong. [Click for the brisnet.com chart.](#) [Video, sponsored by Taylor Made Sales.](#)

NETWA Honors Newly Elected Hall of Fame Class:

The New England Turf Writers Association will honor the newly elected Hall of Fame class of 2012 at the organization's 70th Annual Awards Dinner July 19 in Danvers, Massachusetts. The class includes stakes-winning sprinter Concorde Bound (Super Concorde), six-time Eli Chiat Jockey Award winner Joseph Hampshire, Jr., top New England trainer Maurice "Junie" Bresnahan, perennial New-England leading owner and breeder Frank Bertolino of Monarch Stables and longtime Suffolk Downs executive Robert M. O'Malley. The names of this year's inductees will be added to a plaque in the New England Thoroughbred racing exhibit at the Sports Museum located in the TD Banknorth Garden.

INDUSTRY INFO

Equibase introduces Past Performance App:

Equibase Company LLC has introduced the Equibase iPPs Past Performance App for the iPad. The app offers past performances for all Thoroughbred, Quarter Horse and Harness tracks in North America in an array of formats. "The Equibase iPPs app displays past performance information in a format that can be easily personalized simply by touching the iPad screen," said Hank Zeitlin, president and COO of Equibase. "Whatever marks you make while handicapping using a traditional print program or *Daily Racing Form*--whether it's circling, highlighting or making specific notes--you can now make and save right on your iPad." iPPs can be downloaded in the Apple App store.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS

IN FRANCE:

Dark Orchid, f, 3, Dansili (GB). See "France."
Moonday Sun, c, 3, Mizzen Mast. See "France."

IN IRELAND:

Van Rooney, c, 3, Van Nistelrooy. See "Breeders' Edition, Europe."



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ROOKIES

First-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, May 16

Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2009 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

SALUTE THE SARGE (Forest Wildcat), Walmac, \$8K, 51/0/0
3-EVD, Msw, 4 1/2f, +Fishin Frank, \$4K JF2 YO 2yo, 7-2

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, May 16

Sire (Sire's Sire), current farm, 2008 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/BlackTypeWnrs * Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

EL NINO (Storm Cat), Martin Stbls, \$5K, 38/7/0
3-IND, Msw, 6f, +La Nina Brava, \$2K OBS WIN yrl
FLASHY BULL (Holy Bull), Airdrie, \$10K, 153/29/3
3-IND, Msw, 6f, +Outburst

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EUROPE

TATTS IRELAND RE-JIG NOVEMBER SALE

Tattersalls Ireland yesterday announced that its November Breeders' Flat Sale will now to be known as the November Yearling Sale. Set to take place Nov. 17-18, the auction which has produced the future stars Paco Boy (Ire) (Desert Style {Ire}) and Snow Fairy (Ire) (Intikhab) has earned an upgrade, according to the sales company's General Manager Roger Casey. "With the continued overseas demand to purchase yearlings at Tattersalls Ireland November Breeders' Flat Sale, we felt that concentrating on a yearling-based catalogue would fill this demand," Casey said.

FRANCE

Wednesday, Lyon-Parilly, post time: 12:30 p.m.

COUPE DES TROIS ANS-Listed, €55,000, 3yo, 1 1/2mT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER
1	3	Wintergreen (Ire)	Authorized (Ire)	Guyon	Fabre
2	5	Lac Fontana (Fr)	Shirocco (Ger)	Thulliez	Clement
3	6	Lanceur (Fr)	Rail Link (GB)	Rispoli	Schiergen
4	2	Temple Bar (Fr)	Rck of Gibrtr (Ire)	Soumillon	F Rossi
5	4	Gentle Storm (Fr)	Gentlewave (Ire)	Mendizabal	Barberot
6	1	Dartagnan d'Azur (Fr)	Slickly (Fr)	Vion	Hefter
7	7	Remus de la Tour (Fr)	Stormy River (Fr)	Bonilla	Borgel

All carry 128 pounds.

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX GEORGES TRABAUD-Listed, €55,000, Marseille-Borely, 5-15, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 1:57.75, gd.

- 1--#**GRIS CARO (GB), 123, c, 3, by With Approval**
1st Dam: Aviane (Ger) (SW-Ger & Ity), by Winged Love (Ire)
2nd Dam: Averna (GB), by Heraldiste
3rd Dam: Allez Alpha (Ire), by Ela-Mana-Mou (Ire) (€25,000 yrl '10 ARQOCT). O-Jean-Claude Seroul; B-Haras de Bourgeauville; T-Frederic Rossi; J-Thierry Thulliez; €27,500. Lifetime Record: 5 starts, 3 wins, 2 places, €33,200.
- 2--**Faraway Run (Ire), 123, c, 3, Hurricane Run (Ire)--**
Melatonina (Ire), by King Charlemagne. (38,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; €58,000 RNA 2yo '11 ARQMAY). O-Antoine Capozzi; B-Compagnia Generale SRL; T-Patrick Khozian; €11,000.
- 3--**Mobaco (Fr), 123, c, 3, Slickly (Fr)--Lunaa (Fr), by**
Anabaa. O/B-J-C Seroul; T-F Rossi; €8,250.
Margins: 2, SNK, HD. Odds: 1.80, 2.40, 13.00.
Also Ran: Spoil the Fun (Fr), Sinnkosako (Fr).

Gris Caro has raced exclusively in France's second city, closing a three-race juvenile campaign with a neat victory at the Pont de Vivaux course and opening this year in similar vein back there Feb. 16. He backed up with another comfortable score at this venue Apr. 3, but succumbed to Faraway Run in another conditions heat back here last time Apr. 21. Gris Caro was keen in third early until settling fourth turning onto the backstretch in this stakes bow. Coming under pressure soon after straightening for home, he was urged to the front with 100 meters to go and drew off late to post a first black-type score.

PRIX VOLTERRA-Listed, €55,000, Saint-Cloud, 5-15, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:44.10, gd.

- 1--#**DARK ORCHID, 123, f, 3, by Dansili (GB)**
1st Dam: Pleione (Fr), by Sadler's Wells
2nd Dam: Whakilyric, by Miswaki
3rd Dam: Lyrism, by Lyphard
O-Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Darley; T-Andre Fabre; J-Maxime Guyon; €27,500. Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €46,800.
- 2--**Quanzhou (Fr), 123, f, 3, Dubawi (Ire)--Quezon Sun**
(Ger), by Monsun (Ger). O/B-Haras de la Perelle; T-Alain de Royer-Dupre; €11,000.
- 3--**Gaazaal (Ire), 123, f, 3, Iffraaj (GB)--Safqa (GB), by**
Singspiel (Ire). O-Sh. Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Shadwell Estate Co. Ltd; T-F Head; €8,250.
Margins: 1HF, SHD, 4HF. Odds: 1.40, 1.80, 3.00.
Also Ran: Madam Blanche (Ire), Day of Victory (Fr).

Andre Fabre may have suffered a disappointment with the flop of Waldlerche (GB) (Monsun {Ger}) in the G3 Prix Cleopatre earlier on this card, but he was quick to bounce back with another potentially smart filly in Dark Orchid here. Runner-up on debut over this track and trip Apr. 9, the homebred went one better over 1950 meters at Longchamp 17 days later and continued her upward trajectory with this authoritative first black-type success. Settled in third early, the flashy bay took control passing the quarter pole and was firmly on top at the line.



French report cont.

Saint-Cloud, 14.50, Cond, €34,000, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:48.60, gd.

FIESOLANA (IRE) (f, 3, Aussie Rules--Tidal Reach, by Kris S.), who ran fourth in a hot renewal of the Apr. 27 Listed Prix Caravelle at Toulouse last time, was sharpest from the gate and led from the bell in this lesser spot. Coming under pressure when threatened with 500 meters to go, the 17-10 chalk soon established a decisive buffer and coasted to the wire in the closing stages to score by a cheeky 1 3/4 lengths from Night Garden (Redoute's Choice {Aus}). Fiesolana is a half to Innit (Ire) (Distinctly North), GSW-US & Ity, \$445,809. Sales history: €35,000 2yo '11 GORMAY. Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 3 wins, 3 places, €44,932. O-Simone Brogi; B-Robert de Vere Hunt; T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

Saint-Cloud, 14.20, Cond, €34,000, 3yo, c/g, 1mT, 1:41.60, gd.

MOONDAY SUN (c, 3, Mizzen Mast--Storm Dove {SW & GSP-Eng}, by Storm Bird) was allowed off at 27-5 despite bagging a course-and-distance newcomers' event last time Apr. 9. Leading from flagfall, he was stoked up passing the two pole and kept on strongly under whipless encouragement in the latter stages to safely hold Le Bahamien (Fr) (Kentucky Dynamite) by a neck. Moonday Sun is a full to Cruel Sea, SP-Eng. Lifetime Record: 2 starts, 2 wins, €29,000. O-Khalid Abdullah; B-Juddmonte Farms; T-David Smaga.

SWEDEN

Yesterday's Results:

LANWADES STUD JAGERSRO SPRINT-Listed, SKr500,000, Jagersro, 5-15, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.30, stn. 1--**#ALCOHUAZ (CHI), 132, g, 7, Merchant of Venice--Giverny (Chi), by Hussonet.** O-Dr Omar Zawawi; B-Haras de Pirque; T-Lennart Reuterskiold Jr; J-Fredrik Johansson; SKr300,000. Lifetime Record: Ch. Sprinter-Scan, GSW-Chi, GSP-Fr, 40-20-6-3, SKr3,315,947. *Full to Yangtse (Chi), GSW-Chi. 2--**Govinda, 132, g, 5, Pulpit--Garden In the Rain (Fr),** by Dolphin Street (Fr). (\$90,000 wnlg '07 KEENOV; €70,000 yrl '08 BBASEP; €20,000 RNA HIT '11 ARQARC). O-Stall Konigsforst; B-Fred N Sahadi; T-Andreas Wohler; SKr100,000 3--**Match Point (Fr), 129, m, 6, Verglas (Ire)--Danira (Ire),** by Danehill. (€65,000 yrl '07 DEAAUG). O-E Nagell-Erichsen Family; B-Eric Puerari & Michel Henochsberg; T-Niels Petersen; SKr50,000. Margins: 3, 6, 3HF. Odds: 0.30, 10.30, 7.50. Also Ran: Fratellino (GB), Reggae Dancer (Ire), Panama Jack (GB). Scratched: Judas Jo (Fr).



BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-IND, \$45,001, 5-15, NW16MX, 3yo/up, f/m, a7 1/2fT, 1:27 1/5, fm.

CREDIT CRUNCH (m, 5, Najran--Seven Grand {SP}, by Pembroke) Lifetime Record: 34-5-8-6, \$139,508. O-Richard Finucane. B-Hopewell Investments LLC (KY). T-T R Haehn. *\$9,000 RNA yrl '08 KEESEP.

6th-IND, \$39,000, 5-15, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.
SLIM SHADY'S LADY (f, 3, Spanish Steps--Always Devilish {SP}, by Devil His Due) Lifetime Record: 5-3-0-1, \$74,518. O-Likens, Herbert and Darlene. B-Martin Stables Inc (IN). T-Ralph Martinez. *\$10,000 RNA yrl '10 INDOV.

8th-IND, \$36,001, 5-15, NW1X, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft.

TRIPLEDOGDAREYA (f, 4, Devil His Due--Schauncie, by Menifee) Lifetime Record: 9-5-1-1, \$61,634. O/B-Hunt and Smith Ventures (KY). T-Richard B Kohnhorst.

1st-IND, \$36,000, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:42 2/5, ft.
ROSA MARIA (f, 3, Grand Chance--Bolero Rose, by Siphon {Brz}) Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$42,000. O/B-Ruben C Duran (IN). T-A Duran.

9th-MNR, \$23,000, 5-15, Opt. Clm. (\$20,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 3/5, gd.

FAISAL PRINCE (c, 4, Officer--Dr. Kathy {SW & GSP}, by Polish Numbers) Lifetime Record: 11-3-1-3, \$54,762. O-Faisal Seddiq Al Mutawa . B-Faisal Seddig Al Mutawa (KY). T-Tom Bergin.

8th-FLX, \$20,000, NW1BX, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:06, ft.

MY LUCKY WAY (m, 5, Hook and Ladder--Khe Sanh, by Tactical Cat) Lifetime Record: 22-6-3-3, \$59,170. O-Sheila J Englehart. B-Sequel Thoroughbreds LLC, JMJ RacingStables, LLC & Dennis Repp (NY). T-Chris J Englehart. *\$17,000 RNA 2yo '09 OBSAPR.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Okie Nova, f, 3, Cavy--Okie Valoy, by Bernstein. WRD, 5-15, (S), 6f, 1:14 1/5. B-Richter Family Trust (OK).

El Deputy, c, 3, El Corredor--Comarillo (SP), by Deputy Commander. WRD, 5-15, 1m, 1:43. B-Liberation Farm & Brandywine Farm (KY). *\$1,700 yrl '10 FTKOCT.

Thisdansenstaken, f, 3, Gators N Bears--Dance Approval, by With Approval. PID, 5-15, 5f (AWT), :59 4/5. B-Cornelia S Gibson (MD). *\$11,000 yrl '10 FTMOCT. **1/2 to Shefoggledmyglasses (Proud And True), MSP, \$209,04.



IT PAYS TO BREED MARYLAND-BREDS





Angel Terrace, f, 3, **Ghostzapper**--Another Storm, by Gone West. PID, 5-15, (S), 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:05. B-George Strawbridge (PA). *1/2 to Asperity (War Chant), GSW-Fr & GSP-Eng.

Meteor's Legacy, g, 3, **Tenpins**--Meteor Game, by Stage Colony. IND, 5-14, (S), 1m70y, 1:45 2/5. B-Rancho Monarca LLC (IN).

Swim, f, 4, **Friends Lake**--Numerous Ambition, by Numerous. FLX, 5-15, 5 1/2f, 1:06 2/5. B-Old Mill Farm (KY).

Kela's Boy, g, 4, **Kela**--Seattle Sham (SW), by Manastash Ridge. IND, 5-15, 5f (off turf), :58 1/5. B-Brandywine Farm (KY).



Editor's Note: *Bob Hutt of Fantasy Lane Thoroughbred Racing Stable sent the following letter to the New York Attorney General regarding the suit against the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation. He has submitted it to the TDN as an Open Letter to the Industry.*

Dear Sir:

To see the New York Attorney General's Office being used in such a sleazy manner only suggests your staff has performed little or no due diligence regarding the TRF. If you had, you'd be ashamed and embarrassed by your actions. In America, everyone is considered innocent until proven guilty; but apparently not by your office. All of us in the racing industry know the people who serve on the Board of the TRF. It is a thankless job that not too many others would take on. These are good and decent people who deserve our adulation, not our scorn.

Jennifer Givner should be dismissed immediately as she made a rush to judgment in which she has absolutely no factual basis. She is just another political appointee who has curried favor with each administration as she has gone from job to job. For her to write such a defaming press release is inexcusable. She has, in effect, tried and passed judgment based on an overzealous political "wannabe" in one David E. Nachman.

Ms. Givner writes ...

"Since the filing of our lawsuit, the Attorney General has received additional complaints about TRF's failure to properly execute its mission of caring for retired racehorses. We are confident that the courts will reject this desperate attempt by TRF's board to gloss over the failures that have plagued the organization, and give new leadership an opportunity to bring reform."

As for David E. Nachman, once the truth is known he should be fired post haste. More people than you can ever imagine are watching this fable unfold. And once the truth is known, combined with the damage you've caused, helpless animals' blood will be on your hands.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Marseille-Borely, 13.00, 5-15, €27,000, 3yo, 12f 55ydsT, 2:36.96, gd.

MARTINVAST (FR) (g, 3, **Hurricane Run {Ire}**--Great Artist {Fr}, by Desert Prince {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 3 wins, 1 place, €35,850. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand; B-Michel Henochsberg & Dominique Ades-Hazan; T-J-C Rouget. *€65,000 yrl '10 ARQAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Top Notch Tonto (Ire), g, 2, **Thousand Words (GB)**--Elite Hope, by Moment of Hope. Beverley, Britain, 5-15, Mdn, 2yo, 5fT. B-Seamus Finucane. *€4,000 RNA wnlg '10 GOFNOV; €3,000 yrl '11 TATIRE. **Third winner for freshman sire (by Dansili {GB}).

Nassau Storm (GB), g, 3, **Bahamian Bounty (GB)**--Got To Go (GB) (SP-Eng), by Shareef Dancer. Kempton Park, Britain, 5-15, Mdn, 3yo, 7f (AWT). B-Glebe Stud & J F Dean. *50,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT.

Dedication (GB), f, 3, **Beat Hollow (GB)**--Total Devotion (GB), by Desert Prince (Ire). Kempton Park, Britain, 5-15, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 3/8m (AWT). B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd.

Dutch Supreme (GB), g, 3, **Dutch Art (GB)**--Barnacla (Ire), by Bluebird. Kempton Park, Britain, 5-15, Mdn, 3yo, 6f (AWT). B-Mr & Mrs J Laws. *6,000gns wnlg '09 TATDEC; 15,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT.

+ **Rojika (Fr)**, f, 3, **Gentlewave (Ire)**--Roji (Fr), by Diamond Prospect. Salon-de-Provence, France, 5-14, Mdn, unraced 3yo, 1 1/4mT. B-Gheorge Codre. *€3,000 RNA yrl '10 ARQYLG.

On the Hoof (GB), g, 3, **Monsieur Bond (Ire)**--Smart Hostess (GB), by Most Welcome (GB). Beverley, Britain, 5-15, Mdn, 3yo, 7f 100ydsT. B-Whitsbury Manor Stud & Pigeon House Stud. *4,000gns wnlg '09 TATDEC; £30,000 yrl '10 DONNOV.

Van Rooney, c, 3, **Van Nistelrooy**--Royal Shyness (GB) (SW-US, G1SP-Eng), by Royal Academy. Killarney, Ireland, 5-15, Mdn, 3yo, 1m 100ydsT. B-Galleria Bloodstock & Samac. *52,000gns yrl '10 TATOCT; 75,000gns HIT '11 TATHIT. **1/2 to Commander Cave (Tale of the Cat), SP- Eng, \$120,306.

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The TRF cares for 1,100 retired racehorses. These are magnificent creatures who gave us their all for our enjoyment. They are totally dependent on donations thru the TRF. Although your office has received thousands of letters in support of the TRF advising of all the good things the TRF has done, based on first hand experience, Mr. Nachman has ignored it, and paid it no mind.

Ms. Givner has publicly stated that "Additional Complaints" have come forward; but the truth as you know it to be is that many other letters have been received by your office in support of the TRF. Why did she release such an underhanded statement. All you need do is ask her how many letters were pro and how many were con?

Do you call her press release "fair and balanced" journalism? Why not tell the public honestly how many letters have been pro-TRF? As for her statement that it's a "Desperate Attempt" she is 100% correct. We are all "DESPERATE" in stopping this nonsense so we can get back to saving the lives of horses! Time is of the essence; something your office fails to realize.

Instead, Mr. Nachman has taken a "scattergun" approach in trying to impeach the good names and character of all those who sit on the Board of Directors. The unfortunate victims left in his wake are 1,100 horses as donations have dried up.

And Mr. Nachman knew by his unfounded allegations it would result in a drop off in contributions. All that was necessary was for him to become involved and perform some due diligence. Doesn't your office have any backbone? If you think you'll get a pass for currying a political favor, you'd better think long and hard.

I implore you to get off your duff and become involved before it's too late as you send these poor animals to their deaths. There's absolutely no excuse as tomorrow will be too late. Yes we are "desperate" to save the animals animals we love.

I can assure you won't be able to wash your hands pawning this off on your underlings because it's your good name and career that's on trial too. And the voters of New York will come for you as there's not one iota of truth to the trumped up charges you have brought.

To quote the most famous person of all time, "Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing." {Luke 23:34}

Please Sir, time is of the essence as you must act now to ascertain the facts and come to the rightful and logical conclusion. Once you open your eyes to the truth I pray you'll do the correct and honorable thing in dropping this unwarranted lawsuit. Thank you for your time and courtesy. I remain,

Very Truly Yours,
Robert L. Hutt

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Accomplishments: SW & GSP, \$196,105. Dam of Christine Daae (Giant's Causeway), SP.

WANDER STORM, 18, Storm Bird--Vivid Imagination, by Raise A Man
Foal born Feb. 25, a colt by Street Sense.
Will be bred back to Super Saver.
Owned by and boarded at Sun Valley Farm.
Accomplishments: Dam of Wander Mom (Maria's Mon), GSW & GISP, \$399,656; Minewander (Mineshaft), GSP, \$224,591; Backtrack (Grand Slam), SP.

MISS KILROY, 14, A.P. Indy--Miss Caerleona (Fr), by Caerleon
Foal born Mar. 16, a filly by Unbridled's Song.
Will be bred back to Street Cry (Ire).
Owned by and boarded at Sun Valley Farm.
Accomplishments: Dam of Abby's Angel (Touch Gold), SW & GSP, \$152,671; Miss Jean Brodie (Maria's Mon), G1SP-Ire, \$111,825.

BACHATA, 8, Kingmambo–Meadow Vista, by Meadowlake
Foal born Apr. 9, a filly by More Than Ready.
Will be bred back to Stormy Atlantic.
Owned by and boarded at Pin Oak Stud, LLC.
Accomplishments: SW & GSP, \$163,925.

BEAUTY'S DUE, 15, Devil His Due--Beauty's Sake, by Lyphard's Ridge
Foal born Apr. 9, a filly by Giant's Causeway.
Will be bred back to Kitten's Joy.
Owned by Celebre Investments.
Boarded at Glennwood Farm.
Accomplishments: Dam of Kolo (Dynaformer), SW; Devil By Design (Medaglia d'Oro), GSW, \$268,041.