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TREVE TOPS IN EUROPE

Sheikh Joann Bin Hamad al Thani's **Treve (Fr)** (Motivator {GB}), who ran her career unbeaten streak to a perfect five-for-five with a stunning five-length



Treve *Racing Post*

victory in the G1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe Oct. 6, was named Europe's horse of the year and champion 3-year-old filly at the Cartier Awards held Tuesday evening at the Dorchester Hotel in London. Treve fought off some formidable opponents to land the

top honor, including fellow sophomore filly **Sky Lantern (Ire)** (Red Clubs {Ire}), top middle-distance horse **Novellist (Ire)** (Monsun {Ger}), **Al Kazeem (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}) and **Moonlight Cloud (GB)** (Invincible Spirit {Ire}). Treve made the first three starts of her career for her breeder Alec Head's Haras du Quesnay, winning her lone juvenile start last September and a Saint-Cloud conditions event May 15 before springing an 11-1 upset in the G1 Prix de Diane June 16. Acquired by Sheikh Joann in a private transaction thereafter, Treve remained under the care of Criquelette Head-Maarek. The bay ran her streak to four with a comprehensive 1 3/4-length tally in the G1 Prix Vermeille over the Arc course and distance Sept. 15 before rattling home to win the Arc in magnificent fashion ([video](#)). Though they missed out on Horse of the Year accolades, the connections of **Moonlight Cloud** did not go home empty-handed, as the talented 5-year-old mare was recognized as champion older horse. George Strawbridge's homebred, conservatively campaigned this term, is perfect in her four trips to the post, including a title defense in the G1 Prix Maurice de Gheest, the G1 Prix Jacques le Marois and G1 Prix de la Foret. **Cont. p3**



The Queen accepting the Cartier Stayer Award from Arnaud Bamberger

'ELECTION' DAY AT NOVEMBER

The 3-year-old colt **General Election** (Harlan's Holiday), who carried WinStar's silks to a pair of graded stakes wins in 2013, topped yesterday's eighth session at Keeneland November at \$450,000, helping to drive big double-digit gains from last year's corresponding session. Tuesday's session average was \$37,069, up 47.4% from last year's average of \$25,151, while the median of \$25,000--from last year's \$17,000--was up a near identical 47.1%. **Cont. p5**



2013 CARTIER AWARDS

HORSE OF THE YEAR/3-YEAR-OLD FILLY

TREVE (FR) (Motivator {GB})

O-Sheikh Joann al Thani; B-Haras du Quesnay; T-C Head-Maarek

OLDER HORSE

MOONLIGHT CLOUD (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire})

O/B-George Strawbridge; T-Freddy Head

STAYER

ESTIMATE (IRE) (Monsun {Ger})

O-The Queen; B-HH the Aga Khan's Stud SC; T-Sir Michael Stoute

SPRINTER

LETHAL FORCE (IRE) (Dark Angel {Ire})

O-Alan Craddock; B-Declan Johnson; T-Clive Cox

3-YEAR-OLD COLT

MAGICIAN (IRE) (Galileo {Ire})

O-Smith, Tabor & Magnier; B-Absolutelyfabulous Synd.; T-A O'Brien

2-YEAR-OLD COLT

KINGSTON HILL (GB) (Mastercraftsman {Ire})

O-Paul Smith; B-Ridgecourt Stud; T-Roger Varian

2-YEAR-OLD FILLY

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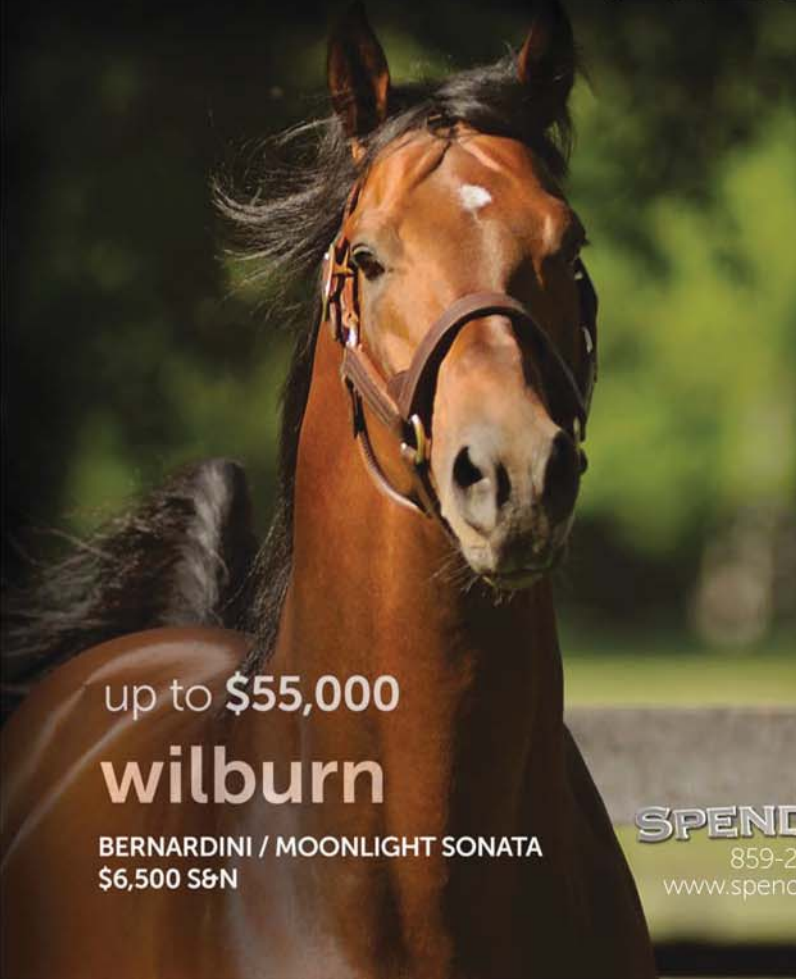


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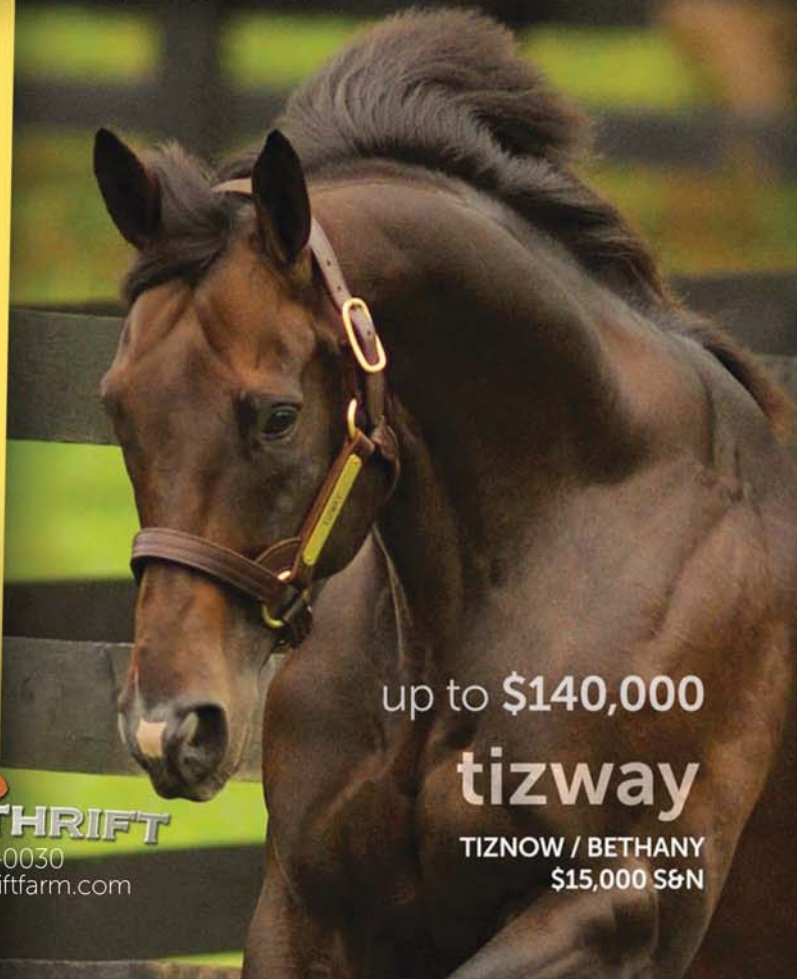
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Keeneland November Sale - Day 8

Lucas Marquardt covers the Keeneland November sale's eighth session, which was comprised mostly of horses of racing age. Hip2556, Zloty (Exchange Rate), a 2-year-old Chad Brown trainee, was the highest priced filly and brought the second highest price of the session with \$345,000 from B.Flay Thoroughbreds.

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Cartier Awards cont. from p1

Moonlight Cloud is presently under consideration for the G1 Hong Kong Mile Dec. 8. On the strength of an historic triumph in the G1 Gold Cup at Royal Ascot this past June, The Queen's **Estimate (Ire)** (Monsun {Ger}) was named champion stayer, while **Lethal Force (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}) parlayed a Group 1 double in the Diamond Jubilee S. and July Cup into a Cartier Award as Europe's top sprinter. The results of the Breeders' Cup had no small bearing on this year's Cartier Awards, as a pair of winners emerged from victorious efforts at Santa Anita. Derrick Smith, Michael Tabor and Sue Magnier's **Magician (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}) returned from his winter vacation to take Chester's G3 Dee S. before cutting back to a mile to prove best in the G1 Irish 2000 Guineas just over two weeks later. Last of nine in the G1 St James's Palace S. at Royal Ascot in mid-June, the bay belied a 4 1/2-month absence and odds of 7-1 to defeat The Fugue (GB) (Dansili {GB}) in the G1 Breeders' Cup Turf Nov. 2 and secure top 3-year-old honors, defeating **Toronado (Ire)** (High Chaparral {Ire}) and **Dawn Approach (Ire)** (New Approach {Ire}).



Moonlight Cloud

Chriselliam (Ire) (Iffraaj {GB}) was just a maiden winner when she upset the G1 Shadwell Fillies' Mile S. at Newmarket Sept. 28, but proved that effort was no fluke when running out a 2 1/2-length winner of the G1 Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf, securing the champion 2-year-old filly trophy in the process. It was a brief, albeit sweet freshman campaign for **Kingston Hill (GB)** (Mastercraftsman {Ire}), but he did more than enough in just three racetrack appearances to secure the champion 2-year-old title over the likes of the talented **War Command** (War Front). A debut winner at Newbury Sept. 21, he comfortably accounted for Newmarket's G3 Autumn S. Oct. 12 and returned on two weeks' rest to dominate the G1 Racing Post Trophy by 4 1/2 lengths at Doncaster Oct. 26. Collecting the Cartier/Daily Telegraph Award of Merit for 2013 was Jim Bolger which recognized his considerable prowess as a trainer, owner and breeder in the year that his homebred **Trading Leather (Ire)** (Teofilo {Ire}) captured the G1 Irish Derby. The Cartier Awards were established in 1991 to reward excellence in horseracing. They are determined by points earned by horses in pattern races throughout 2013, combined at the end of the season with the opinions of a panel of racing journalists and votes from readers of Britain's *Racing Post* and *Daily Telegraph*.



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Racing New South Wales in conjunction with the Australian Turf Club have announced a significant change to the autumn racing calendar with the creation of “The Championships” at Royal Randwick. The series, to be conducted over consecutive Saturdays Apr. 12 and 19, 2014, is expected to attract horses from across Australia and the world. Through the support of the New South Wales government, over A\$18 million in prize money will be on offer. “The NSW government is pleased to have contributed A\$10 million to the event,” said Minister for Racing George Souris. “The Championships will generate more than A\$41 million to the economy of NSW, increasing further as the event gains momentum. We have chosen this path to help ensure funds accumulated from race fields fees are preserved for use in country and provincial areas.”

The highlight of the first of the two programs is the G1 The Star Doncaster Mile H., which will assume the mantle of the world’s richest race at the distance with purse money of A\$3 million.



Australian Turf Club

Also on the Apr. 12 program are the A\$2.5-million G1 Darley T. J. Smith S., a race won twice by Black Caviar (Aus) and now the world’s richest open turf sprint race; the A\$2-million G1 BMW Australian Derby; and the A\$1-million G1 Sires’ Produce S., the second leg of the Australian 2-year-old Triple Crown.

The following Saturday will feature the G1 Queen Elizabeth S., and will be the world’s richest turf race over 2000 meters at A\$4-million. Randwick will also host three other A\$1-million races: the Schweppes Sydney Cup at 3200 meters; the Australian Oaks and the Queen of the Turf S.

“We have identified 10 Championship races across various age and distance ranges which are the highlight of these two days,” explained Racing NSW Chairman John Messara. “Some of these races become the richest of their category in Australia and the world. Eight of those races are already Group 1 events and with the injection of almost A\$10 million, this program will lure the finest horses from Australia and New Zealand and from other countries across the globe. Our goal is for this to become the greatest event for racing in the Southern Hemisphere.”

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The second Tuesday at Keeneland November has, for the last seven years, focused on horses of racing age. Last year's session was topped by the \$775,000 Flashy Gray (Flashy Bull), and while General Election didn't reach those heights, racing prospects in general sold much better. In 2012, there were five horses that sold for six figures, with none, bar Flashy Gray, who reached the \$200,000 mark. Yesterday, 16 horses made six figures, including seven that made \$200,000 better, and three who made \$300,000 or better.

Arlington Park chairman Richard Duchossois, bidding on the phone through Keeneland's Tom Thornbury, saw off a challenge from trainer Neil Drysdale to land General Election, who sold from WinStar's consignment as [hip 2807](#). Duchossois would have had a chance to see General Election at his best this year. The colt, trained by Kellyn Gorder, won the GIII Arlington Classic in late May at the Chicago-area oval that he's helmed for decades. General Election later came back to win the GIII Jefferson Cup at Churchill Downs Sept. 28.

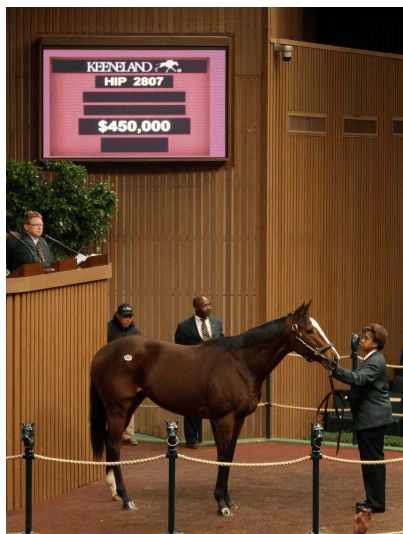
General Election will now join the barn of trainer Neil Pessin at Fair Grounds, with the \$75,000 Woodchopper S. for 3-year-olds going a mile on the grass Nov. 30 as the immediate target.

"He's been a nice horse all year, and I wish [Mr. Duchossois] a lot of luck with him," said WinStar's Elliott Walden. "He's been a very good racehorse, and I think he'll continue to get better. We race primarily to make stallions, and with him being a grass horse, [it made sense to sell]. We tend to focus on dirt horses. But there's a lot of racing left in him."

Of the price, Walden added, "He was right where we thought he'd be. I thought he'd bring a half a million, give or take \$50,000 either way. So I was very pleased."

Walden said it was exciting to sell a horse to Duchossois. "I've always respected Mr. Duchossois and what he's done for the game," said Walden. "I remember seeing a sign on his desk a long time ago, when I was training horses, that said: Don't Expect What You Don't Inspect. And that's how he ran his business; he's a very detail-oriented guy."

The annual WinStar consignment at Keeneland November has helped the horses-in-training session take hold. **Cont. p6**



Hip 2807
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2013 TOP FRESHMAN WEANLING SIRES – by Average Price

RANK	STALLION	RING	SOLD	AVERAGE	TOP COLT	TOP FILLY
1	Uncle Mo	18	15	129,800	250,000	190,000
2	Gio Ponti	11	9	125,778	200,000	130,000
3	Ice Box	3	3	91,667	150,000	100,000

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Over the years, WinStar has sold the likes of Spring at Last (Silver Deputy), Will He Shine (Silver Deputy) and the recent GI Breeders' Cup Sprint runner-up Laugh Track (Distorted Humor) at the sale.



Montana Native
Adam Coglianesse

"We've sold a lot of good horses here, and it allows us to see our horses for a year, and gives us a venue to sell those who we don't think will make the stallion barn," said Walden. "But of course with Spring at

Last, we had to go and buy him back!"

WinStar sold 23 horses for \$1,806,000 to rank second behind the session's leading consignor, Adena Springs, which sold 84 horses for \$2,999,000. Adena's draft included four of the top six horses on the day, led by the \$330,000 **Montana Native** (Yes It's True), who sold to Castleton Lyons.

"The overwhelming response to how they sold was a great surprise to us," said Adena Springs General Manager Eric Hamelback. "We're very pleased. [This is] a testament to [Adena owner] Frank [Stronach] and his picking what we call 'racehorse pedigrees.' They've all gone out and run. Everything we brought through here today we felt someone could take right on back to the track."

November's penultimate session begins today at 10:00 a.m. For more, visit www.keeneland.com.

Flay Buys with Friends in Mind...

Bobby Flay has enjoyed some big thrills in racing, including winning a Breeders' Cup race in 2010 with Juvenile Fillies' Turf heroine **More Than Real** (More Than Ready). Now, he's getting some pals in on the action. Yesterday at Keeneland, Flay acquired juvenile filly **Zloty** (Exchange Rate--A. P. Reality, by Pulpit) for \$345,000, and said he'll race her in partnership "with four of my boys."

Explained Flay, "I was looking for something to race that I knew could run, something that might have some upside. With people who are new to the business, it's nice when you start with something you know can run, rather than waiting for two or three years to find out."

Taylor Made Sales consigned Zloty, a daughter of the multiple graded performer A. P. Reality, as a racing or broodmare prospect as [hip 2556](#).

Acquired by Bradley Thoroughbreds for \$65,000 at OBS April this spring, Zloty has shown promise in three starts for the Chad Brown barn. A 6-1 chance when she finished third in her debut going long on the turf at Saratoga Aug. 18, she came back to graduate at Belmont Oct. 3. Zloty then ran third after a wide trip in the Chelsea Flower S. Oct. 27. Flay said he would keep the filly with Brown.

"I'm excited to have a horse with Chad--I've never had one with him before," said Flay. "I spoke to him after I bought her, and he said she definitely had some upside. Hopefully, she'll have an exciting 3-year-old season. We'll see what happens."

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The group that will race Zloty includes Laurence Kretchmer, a business partner in Flay's restaurants; Jean-Pierre Francois, the general manager of Mesa Grill Las Vegas; Flay's New York restaurant manager Angelo Pietrunti; and his friend Jimmy Ventura.

"Those guys have always been very supportive of me and with my racing, and were around for the Breeders' Cup, and I want them to experience a little of the fun," said Flay.

Experiencing a little fun yesterday was Pete Bradley, who selected Zloty out of the OBS April Sale with the express intent of re-selling her later in the year--a risky but potentially lucrative pinhooking venture.

"At this session last year, I saw some people who had some leftovers from the 2-year-old sales who did pretty well, and I went ahead and put together a partnership to buy 2-year-olds and then get them to another sale," Bradley said. "The whole concept was to sell at this sale and at Fasig-Tipton's July Sale [which introduced a new racing age catalog last year]."

Bradley wasn't surprised by the attention Zloty received. "A live racehorse can bring any kind of money, and we thought she was a \$250,000 to \$300,000 horse," he said. "She was clean as a whistle and is stakes quality. I actually think she's graded stakes quality. But we made some money, and I think she's good value to the people that got her."

Bradley also put through the 2-year-old filly **Instrumental** (City Zip), a New York-bred half-sister to GSW Willy O'the Valley (Will's Way) ([hip 2678](#)) who has placed in all three of her starts in New York. Bradley bought that one back for \$67,000.

KEENELAND NOVEMBER

Hip	Name	Status	Price (\$)
2807	General Election <i>(c, 3, Harlan's Holiday--Menekineko, by Kingmambo)</i> Consigned by WinStar Racing, Agent Purchased by Richard Duchossois	Racing/Stallion Prospect	450,000
2556	Zloty <i>(f, 2, Exchange Rate--A.P. Reality, by Pulpit)</i> Consigned by Taylor Made Sales Agency, Agent for Bradley Thoroughbreds LLC Purchased by B. Flay Thoroughbreds	Racing/Broodmare Prospect	345,000
2713	Montana Native <i>(f, 3, Yes It's True--Special American, by Quiet American)</i> Consigned by Adena Springs, Agent V Purchased by Castleton Lyons	Racing/Broodmare Prospect	330,000
2812	Hardest Core <i>(c, 3, Hard Spun--Lillybuster, by House Buster)</i> Consigned by Adena Springs, Agent V Purchased by Gregory S. Bentley	Racing/Stallion Prospect	210,000
2727	Pyrite Mountain <i>(c, 3, Silent Name {Jpn}--Gold Lining, by Numerous)</i> Consigned by Adena Springs, Agent V Purchased by Steven W. Young	Racing/Stallion Prospect	200,000
2720	Palm Island <i>(c, 3, E Dubai--Papalma, by Dixieland Band)</i> Consigned by Adena Springs, Agent V Purchased by D.J. Stables	Racing/Stallion Prospect	200,000
2788	Commandment <i>(c, 2, Sky Mesa--Heavenly Humor, by Distorted Humor)</i> Consigned by WinStar Racing, Agent Purchased by Norman Casse, Agent	Racing/Stallion Prospect	200,000
2467	Renards Lapin <i>(f, 3, Tiznow--Spring Flight, by Miswaki)</i> Consigned by WinStar Racing, Agent Purchased by Siena Farm	Racing/Broodmare Prospect	190,000
2735	Rule <i>(h, 6, Roman Ruler--Rockside, by Personal Flag)</i> Consigned by WinStar Racing, Agent II Purchased by Dr. Oscar Benavides, Agt. for St. George Stables	Stallion Prospect	150,000
2834	Mean Season <i>(c, 3, Henny Hughes--Mean Imogene, by Silver Deputy)</i> Consigned by Adena Springs, Agent V Purchased by Jake Ballis	Racing/Stallion Prospect	150,000

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KEENELAND NOVEMBER BREEDING STOCK SALE

SESSION TOTALS	2013	2012
Catalogued	410	409
No. Offered	244	346
No. Sold	211	279
RNAs	33	67
% RNAs	13.5%	19.4%
No. \$200K+	7	1
High Price	\$450,000	\$775,000
Gross	\$6,841,900	\$7,017,200
Average (% change)	\$37,069 (+47%)	\$25,151
Median (% change)	\$25,000 (+47%)	\$17,000

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Castleton Lyons Nabs Montana Native...

Shane Ryan's Castleton Lyons came away with yesterday's third-highest-priced horse, the stakes-winning racing or broodmare prospect **Montana Native** (Yes It's True--Special American, by Quiet American), who went for \$330,000. A 3-year-old, Montana Native was offered as [hip 2713](#) as the property of Adena Springs. Castleton Lyons Equine Manager Jamie Frost handled the bidding duties out back.

"We haven't decided who will train her, but we'll definitely keep her in training," said Frost. "We think she's lovely. She's a beautiful physical, and she looks like a gutsy racehorse. Hopefully, there's a little improvement in her, and we'll go from there."

Montana Native was purchased by representatives of Frank Stronach's Adena Springs for \$72,000 at the 2011 Keeneland September Sale. Put into training with Kenny McPeck, the bay took a few starts to get the hang of things, but has been very good of late, winning three of her last four. That includes a first stakes win in the Broom Dance S. at Saratoga and, after a fifth in the GI Alabama S., a gate-to-wire nose victory in the Remington Park Oaks Sept. 29.

Castleton Lyons, which raced and now stands the multiple champion **Gio Ponti** (Tale of the Cat), isn't new to purchasing fillies of racing age. Earlier this year, it secured the GI Princess Rooney S. winner **Starship Truffles** (Ghostzapper) for a sale-topping \$1 million at Fasig-Tipton's inaugural Summer Horses of Racing Age Sale.

"We like good physicals and good race records, and these fillies have both," added Frost. "We have Gio Ponti and now Justin Philip, too, and eventually they will come home and be bred to one of them."

Justin Philip (First Samurai), winner of this year's GI Alfred G. Vanderbilt at Saratoga, was recently retired to Castleton Lyons at a fee of \$12,500.



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KEENELAND NOVEMBER BREEDING STOCK SALE

<u>CUMULATIVE</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Catalogued	2839	2873
No. Offered	2,292	2314
No. Sold	1,937	1752
RNAs	355	562
% RNAs	15.5%	24.3%
No. \$1m+	14	7
High Price	\$4,000,000	\$4,500,000
Gross	\$190,315,000	\$137,188,800
Average (% change)	\$98,252 (+25.4%)	\$78,304
Median (% change)	\$47,000 (+34.3%)	\$35,000

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Vicky Anderson (left), Lynn Schiff & Pat Craddock

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Lebanon, Ohio-based Clover Hill Farm grew corn, wheat and soybeans, but, before the theft, was primarily a cattle operation. Schiff decided to change things up. The man who managed Clover Hill--Patrick Craddock--had experience with Thoroughbreds, and agreed to help her build a small, but select, broodmare band.

Easter night about 15 years ago, when the vast majority of the cattle she owned and raised got "rustled," she explains.

"They were at a farm being conditioned, and on Easter night, some people rolled in and stole four truckloads of them--baby cows!" said Schiff.

She's able to relate the story with a big smile these days, but at the time, Schiff was crestfallen. Her

"We just decided to give racehorses a shot," said Schiff, who although she'd been around and ridden horses all her life, had never before bred or raced Thoroughbreds.

Clover Hill started by copying Allen Paulson's Brookside Farm...literally. "They were dispersing at the time, and we were down in Lexington looking at barns," said Schiff. "They were so sweet. They said, 'Just look at our barn and copy it.' I said that it was going to be in a field in Ohio, and it probably wouldn't be as nice, but I think it turned out pretty nice. And that's how we got started."



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Keeneland November cont.

Up until 11 days ago, Schiff and her team, which also includes Clover Hill's co-farm manager Vicky Anderson, enjoyed success on a smaller scale. There were a few a few smart runners, including stakes winner **Cohiba Miss** (Cat Thief) and the graded-stakes horse **Hasslefree** (Forestry), as well as **Holy Lute** (Midnight Lute), who won the El Cajon S. at Del Mar in August and ran third in the GII Indiana Derby in October. But then everything changed on Breeders' Cup Saturday.

In the span of 17 minutes on Nov. 2, the Schiff-bred **Ria Antonia** (Rockport Harbor) was put up in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies, and a horse she co-bred by Darley, the up-and-coming 3-year-old **Romansh** (Bernardini), romped by 9 1/4 lengths in the GIII Discovery H. at Aqueduct.

"I was on the *floor*," said Schiff, who admitted she was so excited about Ria Antonia's victory that she didn't get the TV switched over in time to see Romansh in the Discovery.

The mares that gave Schiff that graded exacta are still part of Clover Hill's broodmare band. Ria Antonia's dam is the 10-year-old **Beer Baroness** (Mr. Greeley), a daughter of a stakes-winning half to GISW Behaving Badly (Pioneering) who was purchased for \$180,000 at the 2008 Keeneland January Sale. Schiff sold Ria Antonia--the mare's fourth foal--for just \$9,000 at last year's Fasig-Tipton October sale, but Patrick Craddock said the price didn't reflect the filly's quality.

"It disappointed us that she only brought \$9,000," he said. "We thought she was a special horse. She had a great mind and was a very correct horse with a fluid stride. There just wasn't much happening on the page at that point."

Romansh, on the other hand, was on the other end of the sales spectrum, selling for \$750,000 to John Ferguson at the 2011 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Sale. "He was good looking and really stood out," said Craddock.

DARBY DAN 2014 STUD FEES

<u>Stallion (Sire)</u>	<u>Fee</u>
American Lion (Tiznow)	\$5,000
Dialed In (Mineshaft)	\$7,500
Jersey Town (Speightstown)	\$10,000
Magna Graduate (Honor Grades)	\$5,000
* O'Prado Again (El Prado)	\$5,000
Perfect Soul (Ire) (Sadler's Wells)	\$7,500
Run Away and Hide (City Zip)	▲\$7,500
Shackleford (Forestry)	\$20,000
Tale of Ekati (Tale of the Cat)	\$15,000

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Romansh is a son of MSW & MGSP **Cologne** (Go For Gin), whom Schiff purchased, in foal to A.P. Indy, for \$800,000 back at the 2005 Keeneland November Sale. Schiff retained the resulting foal, A. P. Cindy, as a broodmare, and that one's first foal, the 2-year-old Lady of the Nile (Pioneer of the Nile), rallied from last to break her maiden at Betfair Hollywood Park for the Bob Baffert barn this past Sunday.

In addition to Romansh, Cologne has produced the six-time winner Terminus (Pulpit), a \$310,000 FTSAUG yearling in 2010. Cologne did not produce foals in 2011 or 2012, and had a filly by Giant's Causeway this spring. She is now in foal to Hat Trick (Jpn).

Beer Baroness had a Line of David yearling colt who made \$55,000 at the most recent edition of Fasig-Tipton July, and has an Indygo Shiner weanling colt "who's just gorgeous," said Craddock. She's back in foal to Trappe Shot.

Schiff boards her mares at Mill Ridge Farm in Lexington during the breeding season, and is advised by Mill Ridge's Headley Bell, who sold Ria Antonia last year. The affable Schiff has been married for over 43 years to Jack Schiff, chairman of the Cincinnati Financial Corporation, and has three children, sons John and Charlie and daughter Maggie Gieseke. She has 10 grandchildren.

2014 ASHFORD STUD FEES

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CAPE BLANCO (Galileo)	\$15,000
▲ DUNKIRK (Unbridled's Song)	\$15,000
FUSAICHI PEGASUS (Mr. Prospector)	\$7,500
GIANT'S CAUSEWAY (Storm Cat)	\$85,000
LOOKIN AT LUCKY (Smart Strike)	\$15,000
▲ MAJESTIC WARRIOR (A.P. Indy)	\$22,500
MUNNINGS (Speightstown)	\$10,000
SCAT DADDY (Johannesburg)	\$30,000
*SHANGHAI BOBBY (Harlan's Holiday)	\$20,000
STAY THIRSTY (Bernardini)	\$15,000
TALE OF THE CAT (Storm Cat)	\$25,000
THUNDER GULCH (Gulch)	\$10,000
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Military Attack Set For Weekend Test...

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"I'm not saying that he can't win on Sunday," stated the trainer. "Purton and I were both pleased with the way he pulled up yesterday and he showed in his work that he really wanted to get on with it, especially passing the winning post, which was a good sign." California Memory will also stretch back out to his pet distance of 2000 meters as he prepares for a third straight victory in the Hong Kong Cup. Also engaged for the weekend is Hong Kong Derby hero **Akeed Mofeed (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}), who impressed in a recent trial with the addition of blinkers.

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Jockey Tony Vega Passes Away:

Jockey Antonio "Tony" Vega, leading rider at Monmouth Park in 1983, passed away following a brief illness Tuesday. He was 52. Vega, who led all local riders in 1983 with a then-Monmouth Park record of 134 wins, finished second in that year's Eclipse Award voting for leading apprentice. The New Jersey native, born Apr. 21, 1961 in New Brunswick, rode in New Jersey as recently as 2012. Out of six Monmouth Park mounts that year, Vega's best finish was a third-best placing aboard Bojan in September. Final arrangements are pending.



Tony Vega
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INDUSTRY INFO

Southern Lights Festival to Support KY Horse Park:

The Southern Lights holiday festival kicks off Nov. 21 with the Southern Lights Stroll. It is the only time visitors can experience a major portion of the Kentucky Horse Park's holiday light display on foot. Families may walk through and enjoy the lights, while runners can participate in the 5K portion of the event. There will also be Mini Train Express rides, refreshments, and prize drawings. Registration begins at 5 p.m. and the stroll begins at 6:45 p.m. All proceeds support the Kentucky Horse Park Foundation.

TCA Stallion Season Auction to Be Held in January:

The 24th annual Thoroughbred Charities of America Stallion Season Auction will be held Jan. 2 through Jan. 4. The auction will take place via telephone and internet with a live Select Stallion Season Auction at the Keeneland Entertainment Center in Lexington, K.Y. The majority of the seasons will be sold during the telephone and online auction with 10-15 seasons being sold at the live auction. There will also be other items available at the live auction such as a Triple Crown ticket package, 2014 Breeders' Cup tickets, and a John Deere mower.

"Planning is in full swing for our annual Stallion Season Auction," said Erin Crady, executive director of TCA. "The auction is our largest annual fundraiser and is vital to TCA as it enables us to grant funds to Thoroughbred-related non-profit organizations across the nation." In 2013, TCA granted \$500,000 to over 70 Thoroughbred industry related charities. For further information visit www.tca.org.

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STALLION	FEE (\$)
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BAILERO (ARG) (Roy), 3/0/0

5-CT, Msw, 6 1/2f, Tha Real McCoy, 12-1

BANBURY CROSS (Storm Cat), Cedar Creek, \$, 5/2/0

7-ZIA, Alw, 5 1/2f, River Crossing, \$7K RNA RUI MIX yrl, 5-1

BEHINDATTHEBAR (Forest Wildcat), Le Mesa Stallions, \$3K, 27/1/0

6-RP, Msw, 6f, Wrong Again, \$9K TEX APR 2yo, 10-1

BENNY THE BULL (Lucky Lionel), Winding Oaks, \$3K, 45/4/0

7-RP, Msw, 6f, +Bullanginger, \$16K OBS OPN 2yo, 15-1

COLONEL JOHN (Tiznow), WinStar, \$15K, 86/6/1

6-RP, Msw, 6f, Denali Justice, \$10K FTK OCT yrl, 8-1

COSMONAUT (Lemon Drop Kid), Saratoga Stud LLC, \$5K, 21/2/0

6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, Takeoff Your Hat, 3-1

COWBOY CAL (Giant's Causeway), Pin Oak, \$8K, 95/5/0

7-RP, Msw, 6f, Cocoa Cowgirl, \$30K KEE NOV wnl, 10-1

DIABOLICAL (Artax), A&A Ranch, \$4K, 44/12/1

7-ZIA, Alw, 5 1/2f, Quick Time, 6-1

11-ZIA, Msw, 1m, Diabolic Power, \$22K RUI MIX yrl, 4-1

DUNKIRK (Unbridled's Song), Ashford, \$10K, 126/14/2

6-AQU, Msw, 1 1/16mT, +Stephanie's Secret, \$19K RNA EAS SEP yrl, 12-1

6-RP, Msw, 6f, Danzig Deposit, \$2K FTK OCT yrl, 12-1

HIGH OCTANE (A.P. Indy), SW Cattle Company, \$, 17/1/0

11-ZIA, Msw, 1m, High Magnitude, 30-1

KODIAK KOWBOY (Posse), WinStar, \$7K, 52/11/0

8-HAW, Aoc, 6f, Cool Cowboy, \$110K KEE SEP yrl, 7-2

First/Second-crop starters to watch: Wednesday, Nov. 13

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

HEART OF THE STORM (Storm Cat), 35/7/0

4-LRL, Msw, 1m, +Skylar Bleu, 15-1

RUN AWAY AND HIDE (City Zip), Darby Dan, \$8K, 95/33/6

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SPEED HAWK (c, 2, Henny Hughes--Cosmic Wing {MSP-US, \$114,106}, by Halo), third on debut on this trip at Kempton at the end of last month, was hammered into 11-10 favoritism and raced near the pace throughout the early stages. Committed on the front end with a quarter mile to race, the \$2,000 KEENOV weanling and \$55,000 yrl '12 KEESEP yearling asserted to best Minnaloushe (Ire) (Lawman {Fr}) by 1 1/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £3,296. [VIDEO, courtesy attheraces.com.](#)

O-Khalifa Dasmal; B-Santa Rosa Partners; T-Robert Cowell.



BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

BLACK-TYPE RESULTS:

CLASICO DIA DEL VETERANO-GI, \$39,690, CMR, 11-10, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/4m, 2:07 4/5, ft.

- 1--**@ARQUITECTO, 122, g, 4, by Hockenheim**
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 2nd Dam: **Deconcenter, by Air Forbes Won**
 3rd Dam: **Contrefaire, by Sham**

O-Establo Rafanil; B-Rafael Matos (PR); T-Jose D Velez; J-Juan C Diaz. \$23,490. Lifetime Record: 19-10-7-0, \$350,845.

- 2--**Don Carlos R., 122, g, 4, Wilko--Glory by Choice, by Honour and Glory.** O-Costazul Racing; B-Haras Santa Isabel Inc (PR); T-Ramon Morales. \$8,100.

- 3--**Son De Goma, 118, c, 3, d' Coach--Aromantica, by Lost Soldier.** O-Establo Quintana; B-Haras Nortena (PR); T-Maximo Gomez. \$4,050.

Margins: 2 1/4, 1, 15. Odds: 1.00, 10.45, 1.20. Also Ran: Italy Pride, Don Paco.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

10th-ZIA, \$33,100, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 4/5, ft.

AMBERS PRIDE (m, 6, Desert God--Ambersent, by Lord Pleasant) Lifetime Record: SP, 27-5-5-4, \$162,767. O-Donald W Erickson. B-Fred Alexander (NM). T-O D Jamison Sr. *\$30,000 yrl '08 RUIJUL.

1st-FLX, \$22,000, NW2L, 3yo/up, 1m70y, :00, gd. PLEIADIAN (g, 3, Indy Wind--Prettyatthetable, by Point Given) Lifetime Record: 12-2-0-0, \$33,306. O-Rudina Stable. B-Hardacre Farm LLC (FL). T-James Kettell. *1/2 to Pomeroy's Pistol (Pomeroy), MGSW & MGISP, \$574,678; D'cats Meow (D'wildcat), MSP, \$195,776; Wildcat Creek (Wildcat Heir), MSP, \$146,940.

7th-FLX, \$21,000, NW2L, 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05 2/5, gd. JUPITER MOON (f, 4, Defer--Jupiter Hollow, by Salt Lake) Lifetime Record: 8-2-2-0, \$41,754. O/T-Charlton Baker. B-Phil Trowbridge (NY). *1/2 to Tall Poppi (Intidab), MSP, \$201,547.

7th-TUP, \$19,900, Opt. Clm. (\$30,000), C, 3yo/up, a7 1/2fT, 1:30 1/5, fm. SPANISH JAZZ (g, 4, Jazil--Spanish Cat, by Hennessy) Lifetime Record: 7-4-3-0, \$50,621. O-Randy Howg & Bob Butz. B-Don Amos & Crossroads Farm LLC (KY). T-Robertino Diodoro. *\$210,000 yrl '10 FTKJUL.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- Peace at Last, c, 3, Peace Rules--Funky Fraulein, by Sligo Bay (Ire).** MNR, 11-11, 5f, 1:00 3/5. B-John David Zuidema Jr (FL). *\$1,200 yrl '11 OBSAUG.
- Hillbilly Hula Gal, f, 4, Friendly Island--Champagneforlisa, by Champagneforashley.** FLX, 11-12, 6f, 1:13. B-Brendan Mullery (NY). *1/2 to City in the Clouds (Good and Tough), MSP, \$262,649.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, Angers, 14.50, 11-12, €50,000, 3yo,
1 7/8mT, 3:28.72, hy.

BARONESS DANIELA (GB) (f, 3, Tiger Hill {Ire}--Bedara {GB} {SP-Eng}, by Baratheia {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 12 starts, 4 wins, 6 places, €90,705. O-Alexandre Pereira; B-Floors Farming & Beckhampton Stables Ltd; T-Henri-Alex Pantall. *€10,000 yrl '11 BBASEP.

FRANCE, Angers, 13.15, 11-12, €33,000, 2yo,
1 1/4mT, 2:14.11, hy.

AUTHOSELK (FR) (c, 2, Authorized {Ire}--Selkis {Fr}, by Darshaan {GB}) Lifetime Record: 3 starts, 2 wins, 1 place, €27,700. O-Ecurie Cerdeval & Couetil Elevage; B-Haras du Mezery; T-A. Couetil. *€35,000 yrl '12 ARQAU.

FRANCE, Angers, 14.20, 11-12, €22,000, 2yo,
1 1/4mT, 2:14.35, hy.

KAMELLATA (FR) (f, 2, Pomellato {Ger}--Kamakura {Ger}, by Exit to Nowhere) Lifetime Record: 7 starts, 2 wins, 3 places, €25,800. O-Sandro Gianella; B-Appapays Racing Club; T-Henri-Alex Pantall.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Time For Mabel (Fr), c, 2, Soldier of Fortune (Ire)--Athens Two O Four, by Distant View. Marseille Pont-de-Vivau, France, 11-12, Mdn, 2yo, 1 1/4m (AWT). B-Patrick Klein & Michel Henochsberg. *€57,000 yrl '12 ARQOCT. **Seventh winner for freshman sire (by Galileo {Ire}).

Della Shine (Fr), f, 3, Della Francesca--Shine Bright (GB), by Fantastic Light. Nimes, France, 11-11, Mdn, 3yo, f, 1 3/16mT. B-Jacques Vergracht.

Spoilyndeekid, g, 3, Elusive Jazz--Heather's Lady, by Dixieland Band. ZIA, 11-12, (S), 1m, 1:39 4/5. B-John Pinkerton (NM).

Polarsturm (Ger), c, 3, Samum (Ger)--La Parabol (Fr), by Trempolino. Toulouse, France, 11-11, Mdn, 3yo, 1mT. B-Gestut Karlshof. *€40,000 yrl '11 BBASEP. **Full to Pazifiksturm (Ger), Ch. Imp. 3yo Colt, Ch. Older Horse, Horse of the Year-Spa, MSW-Spa.



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May 8, 2011 - GI Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint:

2nd-HOL, \$51,500, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:08 2/5, fm. MIZDIRECTION (f, 3, Mizzen Mast--Deceptive, by Clever Trick) closed well to be second under Chantal Sutherland in her debut at Santa Anita Mar. 12. Backed down to 3-5 with the switch to Mike Smith, the grey was a close-up second through an honest quarter in :22.53, gained command on the turn and drew off to win by an eye-catching 11 1/2 lengths. Holy Script (Holy Bull) closed to be second. Sales history: \$85,000 yrl '09 KEESEP; \$50,000 2yo '10 FTMMAY, Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$40,800. [Click for VIDEO](#). O-Tom Lenner, Alan Peterson, W Strauss, Alex Solis II, Jason Litt et al. B-Joseph J Perrotta (KY). T-M Puype.

June 4, 2011 - GI Breeders' Cup F/M Sprint:

3rd-CDX, \$59,190, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6.5f, 1:16 2/5, ft. GROUPIE DOLL (f, 3, Bowman's Band--Deputy Doll, by Silver Deputy) failed to land a blow when eighth over the Churchill lawn in her June 4 unveiling and was overlooked at 14-1 here. Placed in a perfect spot in third behind the dueling leaders, she came charging down the stretch to take over with authority and drew off to win by 3 1/4 lengths over hot firster Burban (Speightstown). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$36,050. [Click for VIDEO](#).

O/B-Fred & William Bradley (KY). T-William Bradley.

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