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MIGUEL CLEMENT FOLLOWING IN HIS FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS

Miguel Clement | *Godolphin Flying Start*

by Carly Silver

Miguel Clement straddles many divides. Son of Christophe Clement--best known for training 2014 GI Belmont S. and GI Jockey Club Gold Cup winner Tonalist (Tapit) and Gio Ponti (Tale of the Cat), champion turf horse in 2009 and 2010 and champion older male of 2010--he balances his responsibilities as assistant trainer for his father's stable with his love for his family and unbridled passion for the Thoroughbred.

On a balmy August morning, 27-year-old Clement stands in the center of his father's Saratoga stableyard, hands planted on his hips. Just a hint of a Gallic burr, inherited from his French-born father, underlies his enthusiastic tones as he murmurs performance stats and directs grooms in rapid-fire Spanish. Nothing escapes his keen, bespectacled gaze, conditioned from birth to evaluate a wide-legged walk or the set of a proud chestnut head. Miguel--fluent in Spanish, English, and French--noted, "It's great, because communication's key. You can speak to all your guys."

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1,499 YEARLINGS FOR FTKOCT

Fasig-Tipton has catalogued 1,499 yearlings for its October Sale, which will take place in Lexington, KY Oct. 22 - 25 with sessions beginning at 10:00 a.m.

"The October Sale continues to produce successful results for both buyers and sellers, which has generated a larger catalogue once again in 2018," said Fasig-Tipton President Boyd Browning. "There is good quality from start to finish--at all price levels--and the sire power represented is outstanding."

Browning added, "October graduates have globally notched an impressive 175 stakes wins or placings to date in 2018."

Among the offerings in this year's renewal are 11 members of Triple Crown winner American Pharoah's highly coveted first crop. There are also nine sons and daughters of Tapit and three Medaglia d'Oros.

The FTKOCT catalogue is available to view online and via the equineline app. Print catalogues will be available Oct. 5.

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KODIAC COLT KING AT TATTERSALLS IRELAND

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10 years ago: *In winning his second consecutive GI Jockey Club Gold Cup at Belmont Park, Hall of Famer Curlin (Smart Strike) boosted his career earnings past Cigar's then-North American record of $9,999,915.* | NYRA

BIG WEEKEND TAKING SHAPE

Fields were drawn Wednesday for important Breeders' Cup preps taking place at Belmont, Santa Anita and Churchill Downs Saturday.

THREE NAMED TO KEENELAND BOARD 7

Cheyenne Stables' Everett Dobson, Claiborne Farm President S. Walker Hancock Jr. and Ashview Farm Co-General Manager W. Gray Lyster IV have been named to Keeneland's Advisory Board of Directors.

TODAY'S GRADED STAKES

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9:35a	**Tattersalls S. (Somerville Tattersalls S.)-G3**, NMK	----------	TVG

Miguel Clement cont. from p1

Picking his way through the sodden ground, he knows which bay needs a shadow roll and which filly requires leg wraps. That the War Front colt--the one that bucked and rolled in the round pen just out of eye shot--might have a promising chance in a new turf stakes. Miguel will break off mid-sentence to examine the stride of a 2-year-old ambling down the shedrow.

"You get labeled and pigeonholed as a turf trainer because when [my father] first came over from Europe, he had a lot of European horses," he shared. "That was basically his only clientele, because he came without really training, without really spending any time in the States much beforehand--I think he spent one year with Shug McGaughey, like four years before he decided to come back and assistant train--so when he came from Europe, he had six horses, all from Europe, therefore obviously they were all turf horses. I think the turf label has just kind of stuck with us. I guess it's good to be labeled something than not to be labeled as anything."

Clement Senior named his son after his own late father. A well-known conditioner who took the 1966 Prix du Jockey Club with Nelcius, Miguel Clement Sr. passed away in 1978, when Christophe was only 12. His sons followed in his footsteps; Christophe's brother, Nicolas, numbers 1990 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe victor Saumarez among his most distinguished former trainees. Perhaps it was inevitable, then, that the second Miguel Clement would follow suit. Though, according to Christophe, "My wife [Valerie] and I, we did everything we could to expose him to other things than racing."

The Clement bloodline ran true, his dad admitted: "But he got back to racing and that's the way it is."

Miguel and his sister, Charlotte, grew up on the backstretch. Christophe recalled of Miguel, "He's always been at the barn; he's always been at the races."

That entailed moving around as his father's schedule dictated.

"We moved around a lot," Miguel said. "Wherever the horses were based is where I grew up. So believe it or not, I actually did two schools every year up to high school. I spent September to November in [Garden City] New York and then February to April at a school in Florida and then I went back to my school in New York to finish up the year, so May and June."

Walking down the shedrow, Miguel pointed out stock the Clements purchased jointly. He gestures towards 6-year-old stakes winner and MGSP **Stormy Victoria (Fr)** (Stormy River {Fr}), an attractive gray whom Nicolas and Miguel bought jointly.

"She works on the grass; she's nice," said Clement, rattling off her pedigree notes from memory (Nicolas trained her group 1-winning sire, Stormy River). "She's actually very well-bred, out of a mare by Anabaa."

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Clement cont.

Miguel is particularly high on the five-time stakes-winning 3-year-old **Therapist**. The cleverly named son of Freud tallied back-to-back victories in New York-bred stakes this summer. And then there's 2-year-old filly **Egyptian Storm**, a Pioneerof the Nile half-sister to 2018 Triple Crown winner Justify (Scat Daddy), who is working towards her first start. He and his team nurse a soft spot for world-record setting turf sprinter **Disco Partner** (Disco Rico), the ham of the Clement shedrow. With his penchant for giving "kisses" and using humans as scratching posts, the gray 5-year-old attracts an audience.

Miguel Clement and Joel Rosario | *Carly Silver*

"Everyone thinks we're a big operation numbers-wise because we've won so many, but to be honest we only have 80," Clement mused, adding, "[My father's] dream world is to be just focused only on quality, not quantity. Some other guys view the training as a numbers game. My dad likes to be really hands on. Therefore, that's why we tailored the whole program--just two outfits."

Growing up, Miguel put in plenty of man-hours with his dad.

"In the summers from basically, like, middle school onwards, all the trainers' sons were pretty much walking hots for their dads," he said.

He moved on to become his father's office assistant, which he replicated in 2012 at his uncle Nicolas's yard at Chantilly.

"I spent a few summers with him, believe it or not," Clement said. "I never worked for him full time because I thought I saw a lot of Chantilly and I never worked at Newmarket, and I actually liked Newmarket a lot when I was first there--so as a result I wanted to work at Newmarket."

In 2009, Clement moved to North Carolina to attend Duke University. Despite majoring in economics and completing an internship at a California bank, "for me it was always horse racing," Miguel said. Working for his father in the summers, Clement also interned at the New York Racing Association.

Clement cont.

He graduated college in 2013, then entered Darley's Flying Start Program.

"I did the Flying Start because it brought me to different aspects of the industry and different countries that I had never witnessed before," Miguel recalled. "In every country, they train differently, from training regimes to the style that they train, the medication they use, the ideologies--you name it, everything has a different country, different regions."

In America, he worked with West Point Thoroughbreds. In Australia, he assisted trainer Chris Waller, who taught him about syndication models. Clement noticed the success of partnerships that are able to purchase horses on spec there; a team can buy a horse "without having to work strenuous hours beforehand trying to find a buyer before they're purchased." He has adapted this model to the Clement stable, assisting his father in developing more partnerships among his owner base and purchasing horses at the sales.

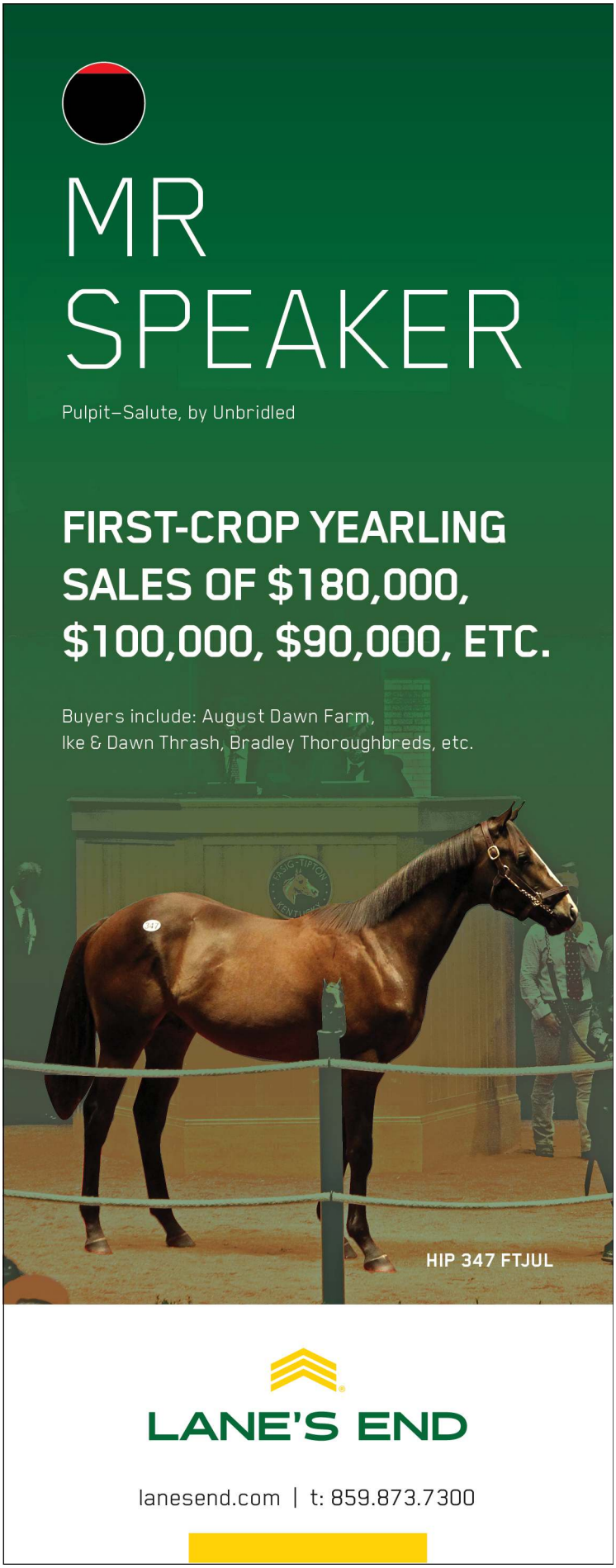
"I buy it on spec and sell it to our owners," Clement said. "By the time you finally get a yes, it's so much time wasted that you sometimes miss the horse."

In Johannesburg, Miguel worked under leading South African conditioner Mike de Kock. He still marvels at the way de Kock works his horses without shoes, observing, "He pushes you to think about things that you've never thought about or things you thought were a guarantee--like training horses with shoes or a riders on their backs."

After completing Flying Start in 2015, Clement moved to England, where he assisted trainer Hugo Palmer at Newmarket for nearly two years.

In 2016, Palmer's successes included G2 German 1000 Guineas winner Hawksmoor (Azamour {Ire}) and G1 English 2000 Guineas and G1 St. James's Palace S. victor Galileo Gold (GB) (Paco Boy {Ire}). He enjoyed working Palmer's horses over surfaces besides the racetrack, learning about the importance of adapting to accommodate a horse's individual needs. **Cont. p6**

Christophe Clement | *Horsephotos*



Clement cont.

The prodigal son returned to work for his father in September 2017. As an assistant trainer, helping to oversee his father's 80-strong stable, he migrates to Florida in the winter and New York in the summer.

And he's used to the grueling work regimen, saying, "If you love it and are obsessed by winning results and horse racing, you don't worry about the hours. Wherever the horses are is where home is. It's the same circuit I've been going through ever since I was a kid."

When asked about the importance of family in the operation, Christophe said it is special to work alongside his son, who brings a new perspective to their daily operation.

"The fun thing for me is, it's fun when your son can bring something new to the table, can bring new things that I wasn't exposed to," the family patriarch said. "He's traveled the world for the last five years and it's great because he's got new things that I've not been able to see. I've never been to Australia, to South Africa, to those places, so it's just nice to bring something new to the table...Training a horse is not a job--it's like a way of life--and if you can share that passion with a member of your family, I think it's an amazing luxury."

Whether or not Charlotte, age 22, will follow her father and brother is undetermined; Miguel noted she is currently working for a consulting firm and loves racing, but isn't sure in which capacity she'd like to get involved.

"We get to share the same passion with our father, which is great," Clement said. "We work very well together, so in that sense, I'm very lucky. Sometimes, it has a bit of a taxing role on family life, when you're also working together, on relationships...You have to reap the benefits twice as much when it goes well and you have to suffer twice as much the consequences when they're not--and that's life."

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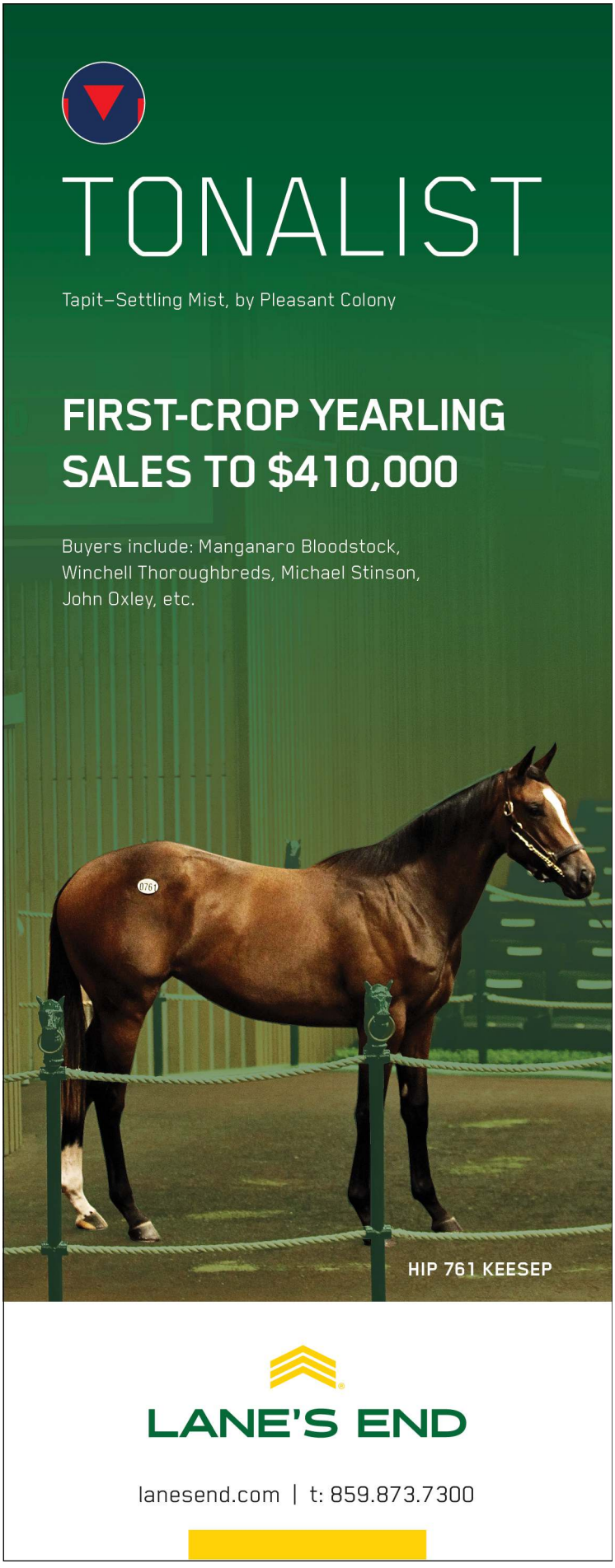
FASIG-TIPTON MIDLANTIC CATALOGUES 55 SUPPLEMENTS

Fasig-Tipton has catalogued 55 supplemental entries for its upcoming Midlantic Fall Yearlings Sale. These entries, which are catalogued as hips 446-500, may now be viewed online and in the equineline sales catalogue app.

“There is good sire power and quality in the supplemental catalogue,” said Midlantic Director of Sales Paget Bennett. “There are now 500 yearlings total catalogued at Midlantic Fall, which makes this sale a ‘must-attend’ event for every serious yearling buyer.”

Print versions of the supplemental catalogue will be available on the sales grounds. **Cont. p7**



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FT Midlantic cont.

Midlantic Fall Yearlings will be held this coming Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 1-2, at the Maryland State Fairgrounds in Timonium, Maryland. The Monday session, which will offer hips 1-150, will begin at 4 p.m. The Tuesday session, which will begin at 10 a.m., will offer hips 151-500.

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DOBSON, HANCOCK, LYSTER NAMED TO KEENELAND BOARD

Cheyenne Stables' Everett Dobson, Claiborne Farm President S. Walker Hancock Jr. and Ashview Farm Co-General Manager W. Gray Lyster IV have been named to Keeneland's Advisory Board of Directors.

"Everett, Walker and Gray each bring valuable talent and perspective to the Keeneland Board," Keeneland President and CEO Bill Thomason said. "They will be wonderful assets and we thank them for serving."

Dobson, Hancock and Lyster will begin their service at the advisory board meeting Oct. 11. The Keeneland Board meets semi-annually during the track's April and October race meets and includes a cross section of leaders in the Thoroughbred industry and Central Kentucky community.

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14 STAKES, PURSE INCREASES HIGHLIGHT DMR FALL MEET

Fourteen stakes races and a 5% blended increase in overnight purses highlight Del Mar's 2018 Fall Racing Festival, which will begin a 16-day run Friday, Nov. 9. Nine of the meet's 14 stakes events are graded, including the GI Hollywood Derby and GI Matriarch S. on closing weekend, Dec. 1 and 2, respectively.

"California racing is trending in a positive direction and our Fall Festival will be part of that," said Del Mar's executive vice president of racing Tom Robbins. "Santa Anita and Del Mar have enjoyed very strong meets this year and both were recently named host sites for the Breeders' Cup in 2019 and 2021. In addition to paying some of the highest purses in the country during this period, our fall season once again will offer the popular 'Ship & Win' program, which provides qualifying out-of-state horses with a $2,000 starter bonus and a 30% overnight purse supplement."

The fall meet's overnight purse increases will include $3,000 enhancements to claiming races at the $10,000, $12,500, $16,000 and $25,000 levels.

For the complete stakes schedule and additional information, click here.

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JOCKEY GARCIA ESCAPES SERIOUS INJURY AFTER TRAINING ACCIDENT *by T.D. Thornton*

Martin Garcia (left) after winning the 2014 Breeders' Cup Classic with Bayern | *Horsephotos*

Jockey Martin Garcia appears to have escaped serious injury after being hospitalized Wednesday morning in the wake of a training accident at Santa Anita Park.

Garcia's agent, Thom Mitchell, told the *TDN* via phone at 11:00 a.m. Pacific time that "he landed really hard, but I think in the big picture he'll be fine. But they're going to keep him overnight at Huntington Hospital for observation."

Details of the accident were unclear. According to California Horse Racing Board safety steward Luis Jauregui, the 33-year-old jockey is believed to have lost a stirrup in the vicinity of the half-mile pole while working a horse, causing him to crash to the dirt of the main track.

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Martin Garcia cont.

Mitchell confirmed that the horse was a Ron McAnally trainee. He did not know the Thoroughbred's name, but said it was his belief that "the horse is fine."

The *Blood-Horse* first broke the story, reporting that Garcia had lost consciousness for a while prior to being placed onto a back board by paramedics.

Mitchell told the *TDN* that "when I got to him, when they were going to transport him from the ambulance at the track to take him to the hospital, he was conscious."

At the hospital, Mitchell said Garcia "wasn't [complaining of discomfort] when he talked to me, but [medical personnel] were treating him and everything, so I didn't get to talk to him a whole lot. But he was fine when he was talking."

Garcia has won 26 races from 214 mounts so far this year. He is named to ride two horses on Friday's opening-day card at Santa Anita.

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From the
TDN WEEKEND

SASSICAIA: THE THOROUGHBRED OF ITALIAN WINES

By Kelsey Riley

Just as the great Ribot was a revolutionary of his industry both on the racetrack and at stud, Sassicaia, Italy's most famous wine, is a pioneer of its trade. Ribot and Sassicaia can be mentioned in the same breath not only because they are both great Italian exports, but because they were nurtured and developed on the same land, and by the same family, in the Bolgheri region of Tuscany.

The fertile fields of Sassicaia raise great horses, and great wine
Patty Wolfe photo

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NTRA REPORT FROM CAPITOL HILL

The Incisa della Rocchetta family has been producing wine and racehorses in perfect harmony on its Tuscan estate, Tenuta San Guido, since the 1940s. The Marchese Mario Incisa della Rocchetta had long had a love of horses–indeed, that was a common thread he shared with his wife Clarice della Gherardesca, whom he married in 1930–and he was a friend and business partner of Federico Tesio, who bred Ribot and trained him on the Tenuta San Guido property adjacent to what would become the Sassicaia vineyard. The Marchese was a heavy investor in Tesio's Thoroughbreds and, after Tesio's death in 1954, he raced Ribot with Tesio's wife, Lydia.

While Ribot was establishing himself as one of racing's all-time greats and soon after shaping the breed as the sire of the likes of Tom Rolfe, Graustark, and His Majesty, the origins for Sassicaia were being laid within shouting distance of the very ground upon which Ribot himself had tread.

In addition to his love for horses, the Marchese had a great passion for wine, dating back to his days as an agronomy student at the University of Pisa. The family that hosted the young Incisa della Rocchetta in those days introduced him to wines from the Bordeaux region of France, and the Marchese became curious about how these wines were cultivated.

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From the TDN Weekend cont.

Benedetta Marchetto, public relations and hospitality manager at Tenuta San Guido, explained, "He was drinking the best Bordeaux and it was easy for him to be in love with it. He started to ask himself, 'Is it a matter of [grape] varieties, or is it a matter of what we now called terroir?'"

The Marchese continued to study and ponder viticulture, but it wasn't until he and Clarice relocated their family to Bolgheri in the 1940s to live on the property Clarice had inherited that he began to put his knowledge into practice.

To read the rest of Kelsey Riley's story on Sassicaia's wines, and Chris McGrath's piece on the Thoroughbred operation, visit the September TDN Weekend.

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Correction: Due to an erroneous press release, Good Magic's 2019 stud fee was incorrectly reported in the *TDN* earlier this week. Last year's champion juvenile will in fact stand for $35,000, LFSN next year at Hill 'n' Dale Farm.

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SNELLINGS NAMED KTFMC FARM MANAGER OF THE YEAR

Donnie Snellings of Denali Stud has been named the recipient of the Kentucky Thoroughbred Farm Managers' Club (KTFMC)'s 2018 Ted Bates Farm Manager of the Year Award, it was announced Tuesday. Seeking to identify an individual who exemplifies all the qualities necessary to be a consummate professional, leader, and role model within the industry and community, the KTFMC selection committee tabbed Snelling based on a career path which began at age 15.

Snellings rode show jumping horses, hunters and steeplechase horses as a child and ultimately assumed a role at Spendthrift Farm at a young age. He worked at Spendthrift from 1981 to 1986 alongside his father, Don Snellings, before accepting a role as yearling manager at Strodes Creek Stud. He eventually moved on to Mill Ridge Farm, where he managed various facets of the operation for over 20 years.

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BIEDERMAN REAL ESTATE SELECTED FOR WOODFORD SALE

Biederman Real Estate has been selected to list, market and sell the Woodford Thoroughbreds farm located in Versailles, KY. Woodford principal John Sykes announced last month that Woodford would be closing its Kentucky farm Jan. 1 and consolidating all operations to its Ocala, FL location. The Kentucky farm consists of over 300 acres with five barns, 91 stalls and three residences. For more information, contact Tom Biederman at (859) 312-0606 or tvbiederman@gmail.com.

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DR. SCOTT STANLEY LEAVING UC DAVIS FOR UK

Dr. Scott Stanley, who oversaw the modernization of racehorse drug testing in California at the Kenneth L. Maddy Equine Analytical Laboratory at the University of California Davis, will be leaving his post early next year after accepting a position at the University of Kentucky's Maxwell H. Gluck Equine Research Center. Dr. Ben Moeller will oversee operations at the Maddy Lab until a permanent replacement is found.

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BATTLE IN THE SADDLE SEPT. 28

The sixth-annual Battle in the Saddle Celebrity Team Penning event will take place at the Kentucky Horse Park's Covered Arena on Friday, Sept. 28. All proceeds from the event will benefit the Kentucky Horse Park Foundation. Celebrities expected to take place in the competition include former jockeys Steve Cauthen, Pat Day, Chris McCarron and Rosie Napravnik as well as trainer Joe Sharp. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and the competition begins at 7:00 p.m. For more information on the event, click here.

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TRF'S SILVER SAFARI EUTHANIZED

Silver Safari (Northern Jove), a successful stakes-placed racehorse who became the face of the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation's sponsorship program, was euthanized on Tuesday, Sept. 25 at the TRF's Second Chances Farm at the Wallkill State Correctional Facility in New York. The 27-year-old had been suffering from terminal cancer. "The inmates loved him; he was a huge part of their daily routines," Wallkill's Farm Manager Kelsey Kober said. "They came to enjoy his company and his calm personality. He was a friendly horse to be around." Visit www.trfinc.org for more.

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DR. TONY RYAN BOOK AWARD DEADLINE DEC. 31

The entry deadline for the 2018 Dr. Tony Ryan Book Award is Dec. 31. The award is sponsored by Castleton Lyons and 2018 will mark the 13th consecutive year that authors can be considered for a competition that rewards excellence in equine literature. The winner receives $10,000 and a Tipperary Crystal trophy for a competition that is named for the late Castleton Lyons owner. For further details, visit www.castletonlyons.com.

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81 ENTERED FOR OHIO MIXED SALE

The Ohio Mixed Sale, which will be held Oct. 7 at Majestic Farm in Batavia, Ohio, features a catalogue of 81 horses. The catalogue includes 46 yearlings, 25 of whom are Ohio-accredited. There are also eight weanlings, eight racing/broodmare prospects and 19 broodmares.

"It really is a 'mixed' sale and a good mix it is," said Ohio Thoroughbred Breeders and Owners' Executive Director John Engelhardt. "There is something for everyone."

Supplemental entries will be accepted until Oct. 2. The catalogue can be viewed at www.otbo.com.

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COLONEL JOHN COLT TOPS CTHS ALBERTA SALE

A $67,000 colt by Colonel John topped the CTHS Alberta Thoroughbred Sale held on Wednesday, Sept. 19. The yearling was consigned as hip 109 by Ken Anderson and purchased by Riversedge Racing Stables Ltd. The Apr. 21 foal is a half-brother to SW and MGSP Snapper Sinclair (City Zip). The sales gross was $734,000 with an average of $9,658–down 6% from the 2017 average. Visit www.cthsalta.com for complete results.

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COLORADO WOMAN ACCUSED OF EMBEZZLING FROM AMERICAN HORSE COUNCIL

An FBI investigation is underway after a spokeswoman for the American Horse Council (AHC) was accused in a federal lawsuit of embezzling $588,062 from the nonprofit and using the money to finance a home and two automobiles, according to reports. As first published by *The Denver Post*, the American Horse Council is seeking damages against Ashley Furst and her husband, Christopher, and has requested federal intervention in preventing the couple from further action with the allegedly stolen money.

The lawsuit accuses Furst of falsifying tax forms, bank statements and payroll forms, in addition to applying for loans to cover up for the stolen funds. Meanwhile, according to the lawsuit, Furst and her husband used the embezzled money to pay off a $630,000 home purchased in 2017, as well as two luxury sports cars.

According to the *Denver Post*, Furst was hired by the AHC in January 2010 and ultimately became the organization's director of communications while working remotely from Colorado.

The American Horse Council aims to represent the interests of the American horse industry in Washington, with securing care for unwanted or abandoned horses listed among its chief initiatives.

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Friday, Santa Anita, post time: 6:30 p.m. EDT

EDDIE D S.-GIII, $100,000, 3yo/up, 6 1/2fT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Law Abidin Citizen	Twirling Candy	Agnew, Dan J., Schneider, Gerry and Xitco, John V.	Glatt	Pereira	121
2	Caribou Club	City Zip	Glen Hill Farm	Proctor	Talamo	125
3	Stormy Liberal	Stormy Atlantic	Rockingham Ranch and David A Bernsen LLC	Miller	Van Dyke	123
4	Threefiveindia	Street Hero	Amerman Racing LLC	D'Amato	Franco	121
5	He Will	Cyclotron	All Schlaich Stables LLC, Hollendorfer, LLC, Team Green LLC, Randall and Todaro	Hollendorfer	Desormeaux	121
6	Cistron	The Factor	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Baze	121
7	Kenjisstorm	Stormy Atlantic	Head of Plains Partners LLC, KM Racing Enterprise, Inc. and Carillo, J.	D'Amato	Bejarano	121
8	Conquest Tsunami	Stormy Atlantic	Gary Barber	Miller	Prat	123
9	Touching Rainbows	Aragorn (Ire)	KM Racing Enterprise, Inc. & Madaket Stables LLC	D'Amato	Stevens	121

Breeders: 1-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc, 2-Glen Hill Farm, 3-Dapple Bloodstock &Gryphon Investments LLC, 4-Myung Kwon Cho & Jun Park, 5-Old English Rancho & Berumen, 6-St. George Farm, LLC, 7-Dapple Bloodstock & Susan Bunning, 8-Josham Farms Limited & Yvonne SchwabeThoroughbreds, 9-Esembee Inc.

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Saturday, Belmont, post time: 5:50 p.m. EDT

JOCKEY CLUB GOLD CUP S.-GI, $750,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Carlino	Lemon Drop Kid	Courtlandt Farms	Hennig	Lezcano	126
2	Gronkowski	Lonhro (Aus)	Phoenix Thoroughbred III	Brown	Ortiz	122
3	Mendelssohn	Scat Daddy	Tabor, Michael B., Magnier, Mrs. John, and Smith, Derrick	O'Brien	Moore	122
4	Patch	Union Rags	Calumet Farm	Pletcher	Saez	126
5	Uno Mas Modelo	Macho Uno	Loooch Racing Stables, Inc.	Quartarolo	Castellano	126
6	Diversify	Bellamy Road	Evans, Lauren and Evans, Ralph M.	Violette, Jr.	Ortiz, Jr.	126
7	Discreet Lover	Repent	Uriah St. Lewis	St. Lewis	Franco	126
8	Thunder Snow (Ire)	Helmet (Aus)	Godolphin Racing, LLC	bin Suroor	Soumillon	126

Breeders: 1-Courtlandt Farm, 2-Epic Thoroughbreds LLC, 3-Clarkland Farm, 4-Calumet Farm, 5-Russell L. Reineman Stables Inc., 6-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding, 7-Woodford Thoroughbreds, 8-Darley

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Saturday, Belmont, post time: 4:42 p.m. EDT

JOE HIRSCH TURF CLASSIC S.-GI, $500,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/2mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Robert Bruce (Chi)	Fast Company (Ire)	Convento Viejo LLC	Brown	Ortiz, Jr.	126
2	Hi Happy (Arg)	Pure Prize	La Providencia, LLC	Pletcher	Saez	126
3	Sadler's Joy	Kitten's Joy	Woodslane Farm	Albertrani	Castellano	126
4	Carrick	Giant's Causeway	Donegal Racing	Morley	Velazquez	121
5	Teodoro (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Bellman, Laurence and Ingram, Caroline	Dascombe	Moore	126
6	Spring Quality	Quality Road	Augustin Stable	Motion	Prado	126

Joe Hirsch Turf Classic cont.

7	Highland Sky	Sky Mesa	Young, Joyce B., McManis, Gerald and McManis, Jerrie Stewart	Tagg	Franco	126
8	Channel Maker	English Channel	Wachtel Stable and Barber, Gary	Mott	Ortiz	126

Breeders: 1-Haras Convento Viejo, 2-La Providencia, 3-Woodslane Farm, LLC., 4-Patricia Pavlish, 5-John Connaughton, 6-George Strawbridge Jr., 7-Bonner Young, 8-Tall Oaks Farm

Saturday, Belmont, post time: 4:09 p.m. EDT

VOSBURGH S.-GI, $350,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Sightforsoreeyes	Sightseeing	Loooch Racing Stables, Inc.	Quartarolo	Cohen	124
2	Maniacal	Kitten's Joy	Three Diamonds Farm	Maker	Velazquez	124
3	Forge	Harlan's Holiday	Nice Guys Stables and Hornstock, Steve	Magner	Franco	124
4	Mr. Crow	Tapizar	KRA Stud Farm	Colebrook	Saez	124
5	Silver Ride	Candy Ride (Arg)	Hill, Jim and Susan	Lynch	Ortiz	124
6	Imperial Hint	Imperialism	Raymond Mamone	Carvajal, Jr.	Castellano	124
7	Still Krz	Old Forester	Patrick O. MacWilliams	Handal	Ortiz, Jr.	124

Breeders: 1-Richland Hills Stallions, LLC &Willow Lane Stable, 2-Wesley Ward, 3-Stonehaven Steadings, 4-Avalon Farms, Inc. & Scott Swaim, 5-Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd., 6-Shade Tree Thoroughbreds Inc, 7-Sylon Stable and Partner

Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 5:30 p.m. EDT

AMERICAN PHAROAH S.-GI, $300,000, 2yo, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Rowayton	Into Mischief	OXO Equine LLC	Hollendorfer	Geroux	122
2	Gunmetal Gray	Exchange Rate	Hollendorfer, LLC and West Point Thoroughbreds	Hollendorfer	Prat	122
3	Jefe	Curlin	Big Chief Racing, LLC, Madaket Stables LLC, Rocker O Ranch, LLC and Desormeaux, J. Keith	Desormeaux	Desormeaux	122
4	Game Winner	Candy Ride (Arg)	West, Gary and Mary	Baffert	Rosario	122
5	Sigalert	Street Sense	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Baze	122

Breeders: 1-H. Allen Poindexter, 2-Lee Pokoik, 3-W. S. Farish, 4-Summer Wind Equine, 5-Edition Farm

Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 7:00 p.m. EDT

CHANDELIER S.-GI, $300,000, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Mother Mother	Pioneerof the Nile	Bolton, George, Hall, Barry, Lipman, Barry, Mathiesen, Mark and Molasky, Andrew	Baffert	Smith	122
2	Del Mar May	Jimmy Creed	Calvin Nguyen	Baltas	Stevens	122
3	Vibrance	Violence	Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners, Daniell, Donna and Daniell, Jim	McCarthy	Rosario	122
4	Brill	Medaglia d'Oro	OXO Equine LLC	Hollendorfer	Geroux	122
5	Der Lu	Orb	Baoma Corporation	Baffert	Van Dyke	122
6	Bellafina	Quality Road	Kaleem Shah, Inc.	Callaghan	Prat	122

Breeders: 1-T. F. VanMeter, 2-T/C Stable, LLC, 3-Jason Hall & Bill Vanlandingham, 4-Southern Equine Stables, 5-Merriebelle Stable, LLC, 6-JSM Equine, LLC.

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Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 7:30 p.m. EDT

RODEO DRIVE S.-GI, $300,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/4mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Paved	Quality Road	Ciaglia Racing LLC & Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	McCarthy	Rosario	120
2	Tisbutadream (Ire)	Dream Ahead	King Power Racing Co. Ltd.	Cecil	Conner	121
3	Beau Recall (Ire)	Sir Prancealot (Ire)	Slam Dunk Racing and Medallion Racing	Callaghan	Talamo	123
4	Queen Blossom (Ire)	Jeremy	Abbondanza Racing, LLC and Medallion Racing	Baltas	Geroux	121
5	Amboseli	Medaglia d'Oro	D P Racing LLC	Cassidy	Elliott	121
6	Vasilika	Skipshot	All Schlaich Stables LLC, Hollendorfer, LLC, Gatto Racing, LLC and Todaro, G.	Hollendorfer	Prat	123
7	Sophie P (GB)	Bushranger (Ire)	D P Racing LLC	Cassidy	Desormeaux	125
8	Cambodia	War Front	Winter Quarter Farm	Proctor	Van Dyke	123

Breeders: 1-St. George Farm, LLC, 2-J. F. Tuthill, 3-Tom Wallace, 4-Irish National Stud, 5-Dayton Investments LTD., 6-Mikhail Yanakov, 7-New Hall Stud, 8-Don M. Robinson &Maverick Productions, Ltd.

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Saturday, Santa Anita, post time: 8:00 p.m. EDT

AWESOME AGAIN S.-GI, $300,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Shades of Victory	Thorn Song	Reed Saldana	Saldana	Pedroza	121
2	Isotherm	Lonhro (Aus)	Matthew Schera	D'Amato	Franco	121
3	Prime Attraction	Unbridled's Song	D P Racing LLC	Cassidy	Desormeaux	121
4	The Lieutenant	Street Sense	Warren, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William K.	McCarthy	Prat	121
5	West Coast	Flatter	West, Gary and Mary	Baffert	Smith	123
6	Accelerate	Lookin At Lucky	Hronis Racing LLC	Sadler	Rosario	125

Breeders: 1-C-Punch Ranch Inc, 2-H. Allen Poindexter, 3-Payson Stud, Inc., 4-John D. Gunther, 5-CFP Thoroughbreds LLC, 6-Mike Abraham

Saturday, Belmont, post time: 5:16 p.m. EDT

PILGRIM S.-GIII, $200,000, 2yo, 1 1/16mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Rhythm With Soul	Munnings	Nedlaw Stable	Kimmel	Saez	118
2	Forty Under	Uncle Mo	August Dawn Farm	Englehart	Franco	118
3	Dashing Dan	D' Funnybone	Autry, George and Stephanie	Dilger	Hill	118
4	Vineyard Sound	Stormy Atlantic	Vineyard Racing	Dilger	Prado	116
5	Opry	Declaration of War	Cheyenne Stables LLC and Gaillardia Racing LLC	Pletcher	Castellano	122
6	Ole Mole	Hard Spun	Nicholas Cammarano, Jr.	Preciado	Cohen	118
7	Somelikeithotbrown	Big Brown	Skychai Racing LLC and Koenig, David	Maker	Ortiz, Jr.	118
8	Social Paranoia	Street Boss	The Elkstone Group LLC	Pletcher	Velazquez	116
9	Spirit Animal	Lemon Drop Kid	Klaravich Stables, Inc.	Brown	Ortiz	118
10	Pipes	Exchange Rate	Dogwood Stable & Eclipse Thoroughbred Partners	Contessa	Lezcano	118
Also Eligible						
11	Casa Creed (MTO)	Jimmy Creed	LRE Racing LLC	Mott	No Rider	118

Breeders: 1-Three Diamonds Farm, 2-Cedar Hill LLC, 3-George Autry & Stephanie Autry, 4-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc., 5-Crosshaven Bloodstock, 6-Kendall E. Hansen, M.D. Racing, LLC, 7-Hot Pink Stables & Sand Dollar Stables, 8-Mineola Farm II LLC &Silent Grove Farm LLC, 9-Caldara Farm Inc., 10-Fred W. Hertrich III, 11-Silver Springs Stud, LLC

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Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 10:11 p.m. EDT

LUKAS CLASSIC S.-GIII, $200,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/8m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Honorable Duty	Distorted Humor	DARRS, Inc.	Walsh	Lanerie	121
2	Remembering Rita	Spring At Last	Jeral Keith Adams	Anderson	Birzer	123
3	Rated R Superstar	Kodiak Kowboy	Radar Racing LLC	McPeek	Hernandez, Jr.	123
4	Toast of New York	Thewayyouare	Al Shaqab Racing	Osborne	Leparoux	121
5	Flowers for Lisa	Flower Alley	Flying P Stable	Navarro	Ferrer	121
6	Mind Your Biscuits	Posse	Shadai Farm, J Stables LLC, Head of Plains Partners LLC, Summers, M. Scott, Summers, Daniel, Summers, Chad and Kisber, Michael E.	Summers	Gaffalione	121
7	Term of Art	Tiznow	Calumet Farm	Cox	Bridgmohan	121
8	Breaking Lucky	Lookin At Lucky	West Point Thoroughbreds, Reeves Thoroughbred Racing, Young, Eric and R. A. Hill Stable	Weaver	Santana, Jr.	121

Breeders: 1-Juddmonte Farms Inc, 2-Dapple Bloodstock & Lisa McNamara, 3-Thorndale Stable L.L.C., 4-Ashleigh Stud, Frank Ramos & JackieRamos, 5-Kenneth L. Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 6-Jumping Jack Racing LLC, 7-Whisper Hill Farm, LLC, 8-Christine Hayden

Saturday, Laurel, post time: 3:30 p.m. EDT

BALTIMORE/WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL TURF CUP S.-GIII, $200,000, 3yo/up, 1mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Night Prowler	Giant's Causeway	Dermot Magner	Magner	McCarthy	120
2	Grasshoppin	Cat Thief	Michael W. Jester	Gonzalez	Carrasco	120
3	Dalarna	K One King	Gunpowder Farms LLC	Rubley	Toledo	120
4	Abiding Star	Uncle Mo	Stonehedge LLC	Allard	No Rider	120
5	O Dionysus	Bodemeister	Marathon Farms, Inc.	Capuano	Toledo	120
6	Siem Riep	Tapit	Marc Detampel	Colebrook	Lynch	120
7	Projected (GB)	Showcasing (GB)	Juddmonte Farms, Inc.	Brown	Bravo	120
8	Conquest Panthera	Kitten's Joy	Gary Barber	Casse	Lermyte	120
9	Irish Strait	English Channel	Isabelle de Tomaso	Motion	Vargas, Jr.	120
10	Doctor Mounty	Street Sense	Pratt, Larry and Alden, Dave	McGaughey III	Boyce	120

Breeders: 1-Paul Pompa Jr., 2-Michael W. Jester, 3-Gunpowder Farms LLC, 4-Gilbert G. Campbell, 5-Dark Hollow Farm, 6-R. A. Hill Stable, 7-Juddmonte Farms Ltd, 8-Kenneth L Ramsey & Sarah K. Ramsey, 9-Isabelle H. de Tomaso, 10-G. Watts Humphrey Jr., Susan Keller,Vicki Oliver & G. Watts Humphrey III

Saturday, Churchill Downs, post time: 9:39 p.m. EDT

ACK ACK S.-GIII, $100,000, 3yo/up, 1m

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Awesome Slew	Awesome Again	Live Oak Plantation	Casse	Lanerie	121
2	Giant Expectations	Frost Giant	Exline-Border Racing LLC, Gatto Racing, LLC and Zubok, Garrett	Eurton	Leparoux	121
3	Flatlined	Flatter	Hytrek, Brian, Paden, Rodney and Kuhn, Ryan	Dickey	Rocco, Jr.	121
4	Warrior's Club	Warrior's Reward	Churchill Downs Racing Club	Lukas	Landeros	121
5	Nice Not Nice	Twirling Candy	Keene Ridge Racing, LLC	Bradley	Saez	121
6	Seeking the Soul	Perfect Soul (Ire)	Charles E. Fipke	Stewart	Hernandez, Jr.	121
7	C Z Rocket	City Zip	Frank Fletcher Racing Operations, Inc.	Stall, Jr.	Bridgmohan	121

Breeders: 1-Live Oak Stud, 2-Sunrise Stables, 3-B & B Thoroughbreds Inc. & Marty Hughes, 4-John O'Meara, 5-Sierra Nevada Racing, LLC, 6-Charles Fipke, 7-Farm III Enterprises LLC

2018 Leading General Sires by YTD Earnings

for stallions standing in North America and Europe through Tuesday, Sept. 25

Earnings and Black-type represents worldwide figures & stud fees are for 2018

Rank	Stallion	BTW	BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	**Dubawi (Ire)**	29	41	21	32	5	11	247	112	4,038,432	15,497,565
	(2002) by Dubai Millennium (GB) FYR: 2007 Crops: 10				*Stands: Dalham Hall Eng Fee: 250,000*					*Benbatl (GB)*	
2	**Kitten's Joy**	13	29	7	13	3	5	342	149	3,929,935	14,992,783
	(2001) by El Prado (Ire) FYR: 2007 Crops: 10				*Stands: Hill 'n' Dale Farm KY Fee: $60,000*					*Hawkbill*	
3	**Candy Ride (Arg)**	14	25	8	15	3	6	216	110	7,000,000	14,097,918
	(1999) by Ride the Rails FYR: 2006 Crops: 11				*Stands: Lane's End Farm KY Fee: $80,000*					*Gun Runner*	
4	**Scat Daddy**	19	34	11	20	2	5	308	146	3,798,000	14,002,714
	(2004) by Johannesburg FYR: 2009 Crops: 8				*Stands: Ashford Stud USA (Dead/Ret/Exp)*					*Justify*	
5	**Into Mischief**	15	37	6	16	1	4	298	148	1,003,520	10,811,617
	(2005) by Harlan's Holiday FYR: 2010 Crops: 7				*Stands: Spendthrift Farm KY Fee: $100,000*					*Audible*	
6	**Galileo (Ire)**	27	44	21	39	5	17	275	104	1,147,883	10,408,791
	(1998) by Sadler's Wells FYR: 2003 Crops: 14				*Stands: Coolmore Stud Ire Fee: Private*					*Kew Gardens (IRE)*	
7	**Tapit**	11	35	5	20	1	4	260	117	680,000	10,070,153
	(2001) by Pulpit FYR: 2006 Crops: 11				*Stands: Gainesway Farm KY Fee: $300,000*					*Unique Bella*	
8	**Curlin**	14	27	7	16	1	3	202	91	1,728,400	9,896,169
	(2004) by Smart Strike FYR: 2010 Crops: 7				*Stands: Hill 'N' Dale Farms KY Fee: $150,000*					*Good Magic*	
9	**More Than Ready**	13	22	8	14	2	5	253	116	1,528,000	9,434,320
	(1997) by Southern Halo FYR: 2002 Crops: 15				*Stands: WinStar Farm KY Fee: $60,000*					*Catholic Boy*	
10	**Empire Maker**	2	4	1	2	--	--	291	125	419,902	9,339,939
	(2000) by Unbridled FYR: 2005 Crops: 12				*Stands: Gainesway Farm KY Fee: $85,000*					*Eterna Minoru (JPN)*	
11	**Quality Road**	15	25	9	16	5	8	193	115	862,000	9,333,675
	(2006) by Elusive Quality FYR: 2012 Crops: 5				*Stands: Lane's End Farm KY Fee: $70,000*					*City of Light*	
12	**Medaglia d'Oro**	11	28	6	13	--	4	206	82	1,179,488	8,275,249
	(1999) by El Prado (Ire) FYR: 2006 Crops: 11				*Stands: Jonabell Farm KY Fee: $250,000*					*Wonder Gadot*	
13	**Flatter**	7	15	1	6	--	2	185	88	3,600,000	8,210,586
	(1999) by A.P. Indy FYR: 2005 Crops: 12				*Stands: Claiborne Farm KY Fee: $40,000*					*West Coast*	
14	**Frankel (GB)**	15	32	10	21	3	7	152	80	1,498,227	8,103,745
	(2008) by Galileo (Ire) FYR: 2014 Crops: 3				*Stands: Banstead Manor Stud Eng Fee: 175,000*					*Mozu Ascot*	
15	**Shamardal**	13	29	6	16	2	2	263	108	2,592,129	8,091,255
	(2002) by Giant's Causeway FYR: 2007 Crops: 11				*Stands: Kildangan Stud Ire Fee: Private*					*Pakistan Star (GER)*	

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NORTH AMERICAN ALLOWANCES

IN ORDER OF PURSE:

1st-Belmont, $70,525, (S), Alw (NW2$X)/Opt. Clm ($40,000), 9-26, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:43.73, my.

TAKE CHARGE AUBREY (f, 3, Take Charge Indy--Dr. Zic {GISW, $365,786}, by Milwaukee Brew) cleared her first state-bred allowance condition going seven furlongs at the Spa Aug. 13, then returned on short notice to just fall short by a nose stretching out to 1 1/8 miles in the Fleet Indian S. Aug. 24. Off as the second choice at 6-5 here, she sat just behind the early leaders in fourth, shot through an opening along the rail at the top of the stretch and drew off to win by five lengths. Rachel's Blue Moon (Bodemeister) was second. Dr. Zic, heroine of the GI Vinery Madison S., had a filly by Constitution in 2017 and a colt by Oxbow in 2018. She was bred back to Keen Ice. Sales history: $42,000 RNA Ylg '16 SARAUG; $20,000 2yo '17 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: SP, 7-3-2-0, $175,875. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Glencrest Farm LLC (Lessee); B-SF Bloodstock LLC (NY); T-Bruce N. Levine.

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NORTH AMERICAN MAIDENS

IN ORDER OF PURSE:

4th-Delaware, $34,380, Msw, 9-26, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04.28, ft.

MUSIC OF LIFE (f, 2, Bodemeister--Allemande, by Medaglia d'Oro), off at odds of 7-1, was hustled to the front from her inside draw. She led through fractions of :22.01 and :45.55, cornered for home in cruise control, and kept finding in the stretch to graduate by a length over She'll Do (Hard Spun). The winner's dam had a colt by Constitution this year and was bred back to Tonalist. Sales history: $80,000 Ylg '17 KEESEP; $30,000 2yo '18 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $20,400. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-R and M Thoroughbreds, LLC; B-William Harrigan & Mike Pietrangelo (KY); T-Brittany Trimble.

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3rd-Indiana Grand, $31,000, Msw, 9-26, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:39.54, gd.

RED ROUNDER (f, 2, English Channel--Wardelle {SW, $435,115}, by Toccet), off at odds of 4-1, held a narrow advantage while showing the way through fractions of :22.90 and :48.85. Locked in battle with favored firster Support (Arch) at the top of the lane, she began to shake clear from that one late to win going away by three lengths. Wardelle is also represented by a Red Rocks (Ire) colt of 2017 and a Raison d'Etat colt of this year. She was bred back to Bal a Bali (Brz). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $18,600. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

O/B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Michael J. Maker.

FIRST & SECOND-CROP RUNNERS

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FIRST-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: THURSDAY, SEPT. 27

Atreides (Medaglia d'Oro), Hill 'n' Dale Farms, $6,500
54 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Delaware, Aoc 1mT, CALADAN, 8-1
$20,000 EAS OCT yrl

Flashback (Tapit), Hill 'N' Dale Farms, $7,500
105 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
2-Charles Town, Msw 4 1/2f, OCEAN LILLY, 6-1
$50,000 EAS OCT yrl

Goldencents (Into Mischief), Spendthrift Farm, $15,000
119 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners
6-Churchill Downs, Msw 6 1/2f, TROY OUNCE, 6-1
$20,000 FTK JUL yrl; $150,000 OBS APR 2yo

SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: THURSDAY, SEPT. 27

El Padrino (Pulpit), Northview PA, $5,000
115 foals of racing age/22 winners/1 black-type winner
6-Delaware, Msw 5 1/2f, PADRINO'S HEART, 6-1

$28,000 EAS OCT yrl

Oxbow (Awesome Again), Calumet Farm, $17,500
167 foals of racing age/34 winners/1 black-type winner
6-Churchill Downs, Msw 6 1/2f, BIRD DOG, 12-1

Shanghai Bobby (Harlan's Holiday), Ashford Stud, $15,000
238 foals of racing age/63 winners/5 black-type winners
3-Presque Isle Downs, Msw 6f, FIVES WILD, 5-2
$55,000 KEE JAN yrl

Soldat (War Front), Woodford Thoroughbreds, $5,000
158 foals of racing age/42 winners/1 black-type winner
6-Churchill Downs, Msw 6 1/2f, GRENADIER, 6-1

Treasure Beach (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Pleasant Acres Stallions, $10,000
129 foals of racing age/28 winners/1 black-type winner
6-Delaware, Msw 5 1/2f, CELTIC TREASURE, 10-1

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:
8th-Belmont, $67,353, (S), 9-26, (NW1$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (off turf), 1:11.14, ft.
SHE'S DELIGHTFUL (f, 3, Mission Impazible--Chimichurri {GSW & GISP, $269,126}, by Elusive Quality) Lifetime Record: 11-3-1-1, $131,563. O-Our Sugar Bear Stable LLC; B-Sequel Thoroughbreds & JMJ Racing Stables (NY); T-Bruce R. Brown. *$24,000 Ylg '16 OBSAUG; $40,000 2yo '17 OBSMAR.

Sequel New York graduate

8th-Zia, $40,500, (S), 9-25, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.75, ft.
FAST GATOR (f, 3, Diabolical--Gator Prowl {SW, $106,000}, by Roar of the Tiger) Lifetime Record: MSW, 7-6-0-0, $263,335. O/B-J. Kirk & Judy Robison (NM); T-Henry Dominguez.

6th-Thistledown, $35,700, (S), (NW3X)/Opt. Clm ($25,000), 9-26, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:42.48, my.
VISUAL MISSION (g, 4, Colonel John--Visual Arrest, by Pollard's Vision) Lifetime Record: 30-4-6-8, $140,616. O/B-Mast Thoroughbreds LLC (OH); T-Robert M. Gorham.

2nd-Indiana Grand, $34,500, (S), 9-26, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:40.09, my.
BLACK NOVA (f, 3, Holiday Promise--Spousal Privilege, by Successful Appeal) Lifetime Record: SW, 12-2-1-3, $105,941. O/T-Ronald G. Brown; B-Crystal Chapple (IN).

5th-Indiana Grand, $33,800, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($25,000), 9-26, 3yo/up, 5fT, :58.29, gd.
TOMMYTOM (g, 3, Denman {Aus}--Talented Nany, by Vindication) Lifetime Record: 5-2-0-1, $42,940. O/B-Calvin Crain (KY); T-John Ennis.

7th-Indiana Grand, $32,500, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($25,000), 9-26, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m 70y, 1:43.32, gd.
LADY CLEOPATRA (f, 4, Pioneerof the Nile--Ketchmewhereyoucan {SW, $106,900}, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: 23-6-2-2, $90,299. O-Peter McFarland; B-Magalen O. Bryant (KY); T-Joseph D. Davis. *$7,500 2yo '16 OBSOPN.

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7th-Thistledown, $27,000, 9-26, (C), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:12.44, my.
FIRST GROWTH (g, 6, Candy Ride {Arg}--Altesse {GSW, $412,232}, by A.P. Indy) Lifetime Record: GSP, 30-10-3-5, $218,404. O-Michelle Winters; B-Alexander Groves Matz, LLC (KY); T-Odin J. Londono, Jr. *$220,000 Ylg '13 KEESEP; $7,000 4yo '16 KEENOV.

3rd-Thistledown, $24,000, 9-26, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:14.48, my.
SUNSET PAULA JO (f, 3, First Dude--Long Legged Girl, by Wekiva Springs) Lifetime Record: 9-2-0-3, $34,763. O-Southeastern Arena LLC; B-Maria Montez Haire (FL); T-Robert C. Cline. *$1,200 Ylg '16 OBSAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Wide Open, f, 3, **Flat Out**--Officially, by Officer. Thistledown, 9-26, (S), 6f, 1:15.82. B-Preston Stables LLC (OH). *$9,000 Ylg '16 FTKOCT. **Full to Guacamole, GSP.
Pistol Packin Bos, f, 3, **Mobil**--Missy Bos, by Political Folly. Thistledown, 9-26, (S), 6f, 1:16.40. B-Mary Hurley (OH).
Hit a Provisional, f, 3, **Northern Afleet**--Quiet North, by Quiet American. Belmont, 9-26, (S), (C), 1m (off turf), 1:40.88. B-John P Hicks & H & H Farm (NY). *$30,000 Ylg '16 SARAUG.

VINERY SALES GRADUATE

Sugar Shack, f, 3, **Shackleford**--Thinkcandy, by Candy Ride (Arg). Delaware, 9-26, 1m, 1:38.60. B-James Stevenson (KY).
Wave Land Outlaw, g, 3, **Western Outlaw**--Ca Ching the Green, by Catienus. Indiana Grand, 9-25, (S), 1m 70y, 1:45.02. B-Jerry Joe Greenwell (IN).

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BODEMEISTER, Music of Life, f, 2, o/o Allemande, by Medaglia d'Oro. MSW, 9-26, Delaware
CANDY RIDE (ARG), First Growth, g, 6, o/o Altesse, by A.P. Indy. ALW, 9-26, Thistledown
COLONEL JOHN, Visual Mission, g, 4, o/o Visual Arrest, by Pollard's Vision. AOC, 9-26, Thistledown
DENMAN (AUS), Tommytom, g, 3, o/o Talented Nany, by Vindication. AOC, 9-26, Indiana Grand
DIABOLICAL, Fast Gator, f, 3, o/o Gator Prowl, by Roar of the Tiger. ALW, 9-25, Zia
ENGLISH CHANNEL, Red Rounder, f, 2, o/o Wardelle, by Toccet. MSW, 9-26, Indiana Grand
FIRST DUDE, Sunset Paula Jo, f, 3, o/o Long Legged Girl, by Wekiva Springs. ALW, 9-26, Thistledown
FLAT OUT, Wide Open, f, 3, o/o Officially, by Officer. MSW, 9-26, Thistledown
HOLIDAY PROMISE, Black Nova, f, 3, o/o Spousal Privilege, by Successful Appeal. ALW, 9-26, Indiana Grand
MISSION IMPAZIBLE, She's Delightful, f, 3, o/o Chimichurri, by Elusive Quality. ALW, 9-26, Belmont
MOBIL, Pistol Packin Bos, f, 3, o/o Missy Bos, by Political Folly. MSW, 9-26, Thistledown
NORTHERN AFLEET, Hit a Provisional, f, 3, o/o Quiet North, by Quiet American. MCL, 9-26, Belmont
PIONEEROF THE NILE, Lady Cleopatra, f, 4, o/o Ketchmewhereyoucan, by Distorted Humor. AOC, 9-26, Indiana Grand
SHACKLEFORD, Sugar Shack, f, 3, o/o Thinkcandy, by Candy Ride (Arg). MSW, 9-26, Delaware
TAKE CHARGE INDY, Take Charge Aubrey, f, 3, o/o Dr. Zic, by Milwaukee Brew. AOC, 9-26, Belmont
WESTERN OUTLAW, Wave Land Outlaw, g, 3, o/o Ca Ching the Green, by Catienus. MSW, 9-25, Indiana Grand

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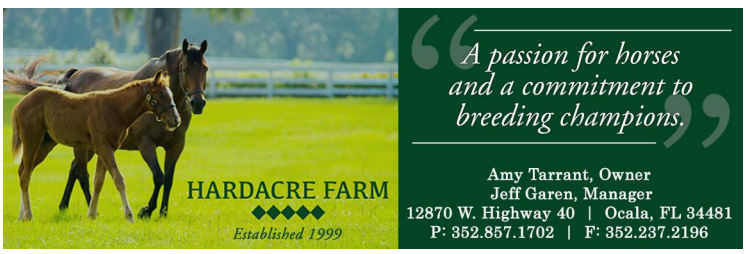

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BROTHER TO ADAAY SETS NEW FAIRYHOUSE RECORD

The sale-topping colt | *Tattersalls Ireland*

by Amy Lynam

FAIRYHOUSE, Ireland—A bigger catalogue would always test the rise of the Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale, but as typical of Ireland's fastest growing yearling sale, many diamonds were to be found in County Meath this week. One of the featured jewels on paper was lot 491, a full-brother to dual Group 2 winner Adaay (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}), offered by Brendan Holland's Grove Stud, who set a new September Sale record at €275,000.

Bids came thick and fast for the strongly-built bay, with the finals blows dealt between Eamon Reilly of BBA Ireland and Stephen Collins, General Manager of Derrinstown Stud, as a full sales ring looked on with bated breath. Last-minute retaliations did enough to keep Simon Kerins's gavel from falling too soon, with delayed direction over the phone adding to the drama. The ding-dong battle ended in Collins's favour, and after signing as Shadwell Estate Company Ltd., he said, "I thought he was a racy, quality colt, with a lovely athletic way about him. He is a very good example of his sire and isn't unlike his brother, though being a late April foal, there is plenty of improvement left in him."

Brendan Holland is renowned for shrewd pinhook purchases, be they resold as yearlings or as 2-year-olds, and the record-breaker was no exception, having cost the Blarney resident €60,000 as a foal last year.

Of his latest sales star, he said, "He was a small foal because of his late birth date, but he was a nice type and has been a joy to prep. He is very athletic and has a great mind, which is what I like most in a racehorse."

Despite a stellar result with a record sales price, Holland was keen to point out that not all was rosy in the sales ring. "I can't complain with the results I've had this week, but overall, vendors' expectations haven't been high due to worries over lack of demand," he said. "The uncertainty caused by Brexit is a major issue, especially given that the UK is our main market, and that this is coinciding with rising foal numbers. The middle part of the market, which is what we're selling to this week, is the main worry and unfortunately there is no short-term solution. The industry has produced beyond demand and at the moment, we are at the wrong point of the circle." **Cont. p2**

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MIGUEL CLEMENT FOLLOWING IN HIS FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS

Miguel Clement, son and assistant of successful trainer Christophe Clement, chats with Carly Silver about his journey in the Thoroughbred industry. **Click or tap here to go straight to TDN America.**

Brendan Holland of Grove Stud | *Tattersalls Ireland*

Brother to Adaay Sets New Fairyhouse Record Cont. from p1

Holland's sentiments were echoed by figures dropping across the board for Part 1 of the sale. Turnover dropped by 8% to €10,488,000, despite 17% more horses going through the ring, while the clearance rate dropped to 78% for 411 horses sold, from an impressive 90% in 2017. The average decreased by 11% to €25,518 and the median by 13% to €20,000.

Despite falling figures, it is encouraging to note that aside from the 2017 results, the latest average and median prices were the highest recorded, though larger catalogues had been offered in the past, the highest being 708 lots in 2005.

Another good pinhooking result came via lot 475, an Excelebration (Ire) colt bought by Matt Coleman and Loughmore Stables as a foal for €26,000. Bred by John O'Connor, the colt blossomed into a €120,000 yearling, helped by the exploits of his half-sister, Lady Kaya (Ire) (Dandy Man {Ire}), who won her second start by an impressive 10 lengths in a competitive Curragh contest.

Excelebration colt out of Kayak | *Tattersalls Ireland*

She followed up with a fine fourth in the G2 Debutante S., before finishing best of the rest behind Skitter Scatter (Scat Daddy) in the recent G1 Moyglare Stud S.

Given her sire, Lady Kaya has been watched closely by Joe Foley and it was he who outbid Kevin Ross to secure the half-brother to seven winners. After confirming that the bay was bought for Steve Parkin's Clipper Logistics, he commented, "He is a lovely colt and was well presented by Kitty Cowhey and her team at Loughmore Stables. Lady Kaya is a high-class filly, but this colt is a very good individual in his own right and was well bought as a foal. The dam is obviously very special and I'm a big fan of Singspiel (Ire) as a damsire—Steve has had luck with him through Suedois (Fr)."

Joe Foley is a regular face at Tattersalls Ireland, both as a buyer and vendor, and last year spent €397,000 at this sale. At the end of the second day, his outlay was €230,000, and when questioned on current trade, the master of Ballyhane Stud said, "We're on the cliff of Brexit, which is causing uncertainty in the market. Demand seems to be down overall, but the nice individuals stand out."

No Nay Never's popularity this week came as no surprise, the son of Scat Daddy leading the first-season sire table, and he supplied three six-figure lots on the second day at Tattersalls Ireland. **Cont. p3**

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SESSION TOTALS	2018	2017
• Catalogued	279	243
• Number Offered	261	232
• Number Sold	205	206
• Not Sold	56	26
• Clearance Rate	79%	89%
• High Price	€275,000	€160,000
• Gross	€5,314,000	€5,826,500
• Average (% change)	€25,922 (-8%)	€28,284
• Median (% change)	€18,000 (-22%)	€23,000

CUMULATIVE	2018	2017
• Catalogued	560	487
• Number Offered	526	448
• Number Sold	411	401
• Not Sold	115	47
• Clearance Rate	78%	90%
• High Price	€275,000	€230,000
• Gross	€10,488,000	€11,451,000
• Average (% change)	€25,518 (-11%)	€28,556
• Median (% change)	€20,000 (-13%)	€23,000

Brother to Adaay Sets New Fairyhouse Record Cont.

There had been whispers about the popularity of lot 340, a colt offered by Killourney Mor Farm, and his reputation delivered in the ring, where Alex Elliott fended off bids from various parties with a winning price of €120,000.

"He was my pick of the sale," Elliott said. "I loved everything about him, but I didn't think we'd buy him, so I'm delighted. He's for a new client and will be trained in Newmarket by Jeremy Noseda."

A more established stallion accounted for the next highest price of the day, a son of New Approach (Ire) (lot 400) offered by the multiple Group 1 winner's breeder, Lodge Park Stud, which was knocked down to agent John Kilbride at €110,000. The full-brother to Chesham S. winner Tha'ir (Ire) also attracted the attention of Kevin Ross, amongst others, but Kilbride was determined to buy what he described as "a fantastic specimen".

"He's been bought to go to Mark Johnston," said the agent. "We made a list with his specific criteria in mind and I visited the yard for the first time last week to learn more about his regime. I think this colt suits that process physically; he ticked all the boxes, but yet, you don't know where his ceiling is. I've always wanted to buy from Lodge Park Stud—they're renowned breeders of great racehorses." Cont. p4

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LOT 4 LILY'S CANDLE

(Rating **102** / Trip 7-8f)
2yo f. Style Vendome x Golden Lily

Twice a winner this campaign including at Listed level over 7f.

LOT 5 GOLCONDA

(Rating **TBC** / Trip 6-7f)
2yo f. Planteur x Hijaziyah

A dual winner and 2nd in the L. Prix Saraca at Maisons-Laffitte yesterday.

LOT 6 INSANDI

(Rating **104** / Trip 7-8f)
2yo c. Anodin x Insan Mala

A winner at Deauville and only beaten by ANODOR in Gr.3 Prix des Chênes.

LOT 15 SPOTIFY

(Rating **105** / Trip 8-10f)
4yo c. Redoute's Choice x Gwenseb

Highly consistent Stakes winner, placed 3 times at Group level including last time out.

LOT 18 NIGHT OF ENGLAND

(Rating **106** / Trip 2200m)
3yo f. Lord Of England x Ninas Rainbow

One of the best fillies in Germany, 2nd to WELL TIMED in Gr.1 Preis der Diana.

LOT 24 LAGRANDE-CATHERINE

(Rating **100** / Trip 5-7f)
2yo f. Pedro The Great x Sizalia

A winner & only found BEYOND REASON too good in Gr.2 Prix du Calvados.

LOT 25 NATURALLY HIGH

(Rating **104** / Trip 8-10f)
3yo c. Camelot x Just Little

Lightly-raced three-year-old, a Listed winner over 2000m showing a sharp turn of foot.

LOT 29 TRESORERIE

Rating **99** / Trip 2000-2200m)
3yo f. Intello x Treasure

Progressive filly, never out of the money & 2nd on first attempt at Listed level last out.

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A colt by New Approach out of Flashing Green | *Tattersalls Ireland*

Brother to Adaay Sets New Fairyhouse Record Cont.

Kevin Ross tasted success later in the afternoon as his perseverance paid dividends on lot 454, an Acclamation (GB) colt bred on the same Marju (Ire) cross as the brilliant sprinter Marsha (Ire). Offered by his breeder Rathbarry Stud, which also stands the sire, the easy moving-colt is also closely related to listed winner Wentworth (Ire) (Acclamation {GB}) and comes from the family of dual Group 1 winner Sir Percy (GB) (Mark Of Esteem {Ire}).

The final price was €105,000, much to the delight of Paul Cashman of Rathbarry Stud, who said, "He is a real Tattersalls Ireland-type horse; a strong, well-balanced, ready-made 2-year-old, with a bit of quality, as well as a good page. We bought the mare because Marju has worked very well with Acclamation, as he has with this particular family, so she was a no-brainer. Acclamation has had another very solid year, with Expert Eye (GB) heading a strong bunch of stakes winners, and it's good to see that being reflected in the sales ring."

The Acclamation colt was one of eight lots bought by Kevin Ross over the two days for a total of €357,500. Ross, who works with his wife Anna, spent much of the sale accompanied by Jason Maguire, who manages the racing operation of Paul and Clare Rooney, and he confirmed that the horse was for his aforementioned client.

Wednesday, like Tuesday, started strongly at Tattersalls Ireland, as the third lot through the ring sparked a duel between BBA Ireland's Patrick Cooper and Matt Coleman. The object of their affection was a daughter of leading first-season sire No Nay Never (lot 285), from the esteemed family of Invincible Spirit (Ire) (Green Desert), Chinese White (Ire) (Dalakhani {Ire}) and Pride Of Dubai (Aus) (Street Cry {Ire}). Coleman, who is also the UK representative for Tattersalls Ireland, emerged the winner and disclosed that his client was Godolphin, also the new owners of yesterday's top lot at €180,000.

The February-born filly is the first foal out of Cabelo (Ire) (Azamour {Ire}), a winning half-sister to the talented and consistent Master Carpenter (Ire) (Mastercraftsman {Ire}), and represented an excellent result for Herine Bloodstock, who bought Cabelo (Ire) for 30,000gns at the 2015 Tattersalls December Mares Sale.

Consignor Timmy Hillman of Castledillon Stud commented, "She was busy from the moment she arrived and we were very happy with the sale. We also sold a Showcasing (GB) filly for €85,000 yesterday, so it bodes well for later sales, where we're selling a few nice ones."

Prominent owner Zhang Yuesheng was another keen to add a No Nay Never to his growing string, as Michael Donohoe of BBA Ireland explained after giving €100,000 for lot 324 in his client's absence. "He was bought for Yulong Investments. Mr. Zhang is a big fan of the sire and this horse looks a real sharp 2-year-old, hopefully an Ascot type. That's the dream," he said.

Offered by Peter Nolan Bloodstock on behalf of breeder Anna Giunta, the May-born colt is out of a half-sister to the dam of Breeders' Cup Turf Sprint winner Stormy Liberal (Stormy Atlantic), from the renowned family of Dolphin Street (Fr) (Bluebird), Saffron Walden (Fr) (Sadler's Wells) and Sequoyah (Ire) (Sadler's Wells).

Donohoe didn't wait long to strike again, going to €70,000 for lot 330, also by No Nay Never and he confirmed that the filly, too, was for Yulong Investments. "She and the colt will be trained in Ireland, but Mr. Zhang will wait to decide who by. He is building up a big broodmare band in Australia and with her pedigree this filly holds residual value. She offers a nice outcross, being free of Danehill, and Mr. Zhang is racing well-bred fillies to retain, as he hopes to stand his own stallions in time." **Cont. p5**

Ger & Kerri Lyons & Roger Marley | *Tattersalls Ireland*

Brother to Adaay Sets New Fairyhouse Record Cont.

The Manister House Stud-consigned filly is indeed well bred, being a half-sister to St Leger hero Rule Of Law (Kingmambo) and two other black-type horses, while three of her half-sisters have produced stakes performers.

Part 2 of the September Yearling Sale takes place today, with selling starting at 10 a.m. local time.

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SESSION TOPPERS

Tattersalls Ireland September Yearling Sale

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WEDNESDAY'S TOP SIX LOTS

LOT	SEX	SIRE | DAM	PRICE (€)
491	c	**Kodiac (GB)–Lady Lucia (Ire)**	**275,000**
		(€60,000 wnl '17 GOFNOV)	
		Breeder: L. Fox	
		Consignor: Grove Stud	
		Purchaser: Shadwell Estate Company Ltd	
340	c	**No Nay Never–Dara's Girl (Ire)**	**120,000**
		Breeder: Novidale Ltd	
		Consignor: Killourney Mor Farm	
		Purchaser: A C Elliott	
475	c	**Excelebration (Ire)–Kayak (GB)**	**120,000**
		(€26,000 wnl '17 GOFNOV)	
		Breeder: John O'Connor	
		Consignor: Loughmore Stables	
		Purchaser: Joe Foley	
400	c	**New Approach (Ire)–Flashing Green (GB)**	**110,000**
		Breeder: Lodge Park Stud	
		Consignor: Lodge Park Stud	
		Purchaser: Kilbride Equine	
285	f	**No Nay Never–Cabelo (Ire)**	**105,000**
		Breeder: Minch Bloodstock	
		Consignor: Castledillon Stud (Agent)	
		Purchaser: Godolphin	
454	c	**Acclamation (GB)–Irish Cliff (Ire)**	**105,000**
		Breeder: Rathbarry Stud	
		Consignor: Rathbarry Stud	
		Purchaser: Kevin Ross Bloodstock	

BOTTI FAMILY'S CLASS ACT

By Emma Berry

MILAN, Italy--A giant racing mural outside Milan's iconic restaurant which bears his name ensures that the legendary Italian-bred Ribot won't be forgotten any time soon. And while the Italian racing and breeding industry continues to face funding problems, a reminder of the country's breeders' ability to produce top-class horses has been issued this season via the dual Oaks victrix **Sea Of Class (Ire)** (Sea The Stars {Ire}).

Trained by William Haggas in the colours of the Tsui family's Sunderland Holdings, Sea Of Class was bred by Razza Del Velino, the breeding base of the Botti family at Rieti, some 50 miles to the north-east of Rome.

The Botti family at the SGA Yearling Sale | *Emma Berry*

It is impossible not to know the name Botti in Italian racing. When former jockey and trainer Edmondo Botti died in 1969, he left his racing stable to his sons Giuseppe and Alduino, at that time both jockeys themselves. Over the decades to follow, training in partnership, the brothers dominated the country's racing scene, landing their first championship in 1973 and rarely relinquishing the title to their rivals. **Cont. p6**

Botti Family's Class Act Cont.

While Giuseppe and Alduino are still both involved in the training business, to some extent they have been usurped by their own sons--two each, in the theme of family continuity. Stefano, the eldest son of Alduino, is currently the leading trainer in Italy, with stables in Milan and Pisa, and Giuseppe's son Edmondo (Endo), also trains successfully in Pisa. Their younger brothers have spread their wings farther. Stefano's brother Marco quickly became renowned for his international exploits from his base in Newmarket, and Endo's brother Alessandro is one of a number of Italian ex-pats training in France, along with Simone Brogi and Andrea Marcialis.

Sea Of Class | *Racing Post*

The family's breeding interests run to some 60 mares, the majority based at Razza del Velino, while some board in England and Ireland. Holy Moon (Ire) (Hernando {Fr}), the 18-year-old dam of Sea Of Class whose breeding record is now the stuff of legend in Italy, boards at Castlehyde Stud in Co. Cork, where she has a Golden Horn (GB) colt foal at foot and is in foal to Churchill (Ire).

Sea Of Class is the fourth daughter of Holy Moon to have the word 'Oaks' appear in her tally of victories. Three of her elder half-sisters--Cherry Collect (Ire) (Oratorio {Ire}), Charity Line (Ire) (Manduro {Ger}) and Final Score (Ire) (Dylan Thomas {Ire})--have won the Oaks d'Italia, which, in line with all of Italy's Group 1 races bar the Premio Lydia Tesio, has suffered the indignity of a downgrade in status and has been run as a Group 2 since 2006. Charity Line and Final Score have also both won the G1 Premio Lydia Tesio, while their half-brother Back On Board (Ire) (Nathaniel {Ire}) was runner-up in the G2 Derby Italiano. The Group 3 winner Wordless (Ire) (Rock Of Gibraltar {Ire}) and listed-placed Magic Mystery (GB) (Pour Moi {Ire}) bring Holy Moon's tally of black-type-earning offspring to seven.

"We're delighted that this family has done so well in Italy and of course it has been made even better this year with Sea Of Class. To win a Classic abroad is more than you can wish for," said Alduino Botti during last week's SGA Sale in Milan, at which Razza del Velino was the largest consignor.

Holy Moon is not the first Botti mare to have produced multiple black-type winners to have shown their talents in Italy and beyond. Claba Di San Jore (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}) is the dam of Jakkalberry (Ire) (Storming Home {GB}), a Group 1 winner in Italy for Endo Botti who went on to win the American St Leger, G2 Dubai City Of Gold and finish third in the G1 Melbourne Cup when switched to Marco Botti in Newmarket. She also produced G1 Premio Presidente della Repubblica winner Crackerjack King (Ire) (Shamardal) and G1 Derby Italiano hero Awelmarduk (Ire) (Almutawakel {GB}) among her six black-type earners. In 2012, the mare was sold for 575,000gns to Watership Down Stud.

Alduino continued, "Holy Moon is a very important mare for our stud, just like Claba Di San Jore (Ire) was. I had hoped that with all the good publicity for Sea Of Class before the sale [in Milan] it would help to bring more buyers to Italy but unfortunately the atmosphere is still quiet and it hasn't really picked up."

Sea Of Class was bred as a foal-share with the Tsui family, who bought out the Bottis at the Tattersalls December Yearling Sale for 170,000gns. During Book 1 of the October Sale, her half-brother by Oasis Dream (GB), who has been named Honor And Pleasure (GB), will be consigned by Jamie Railton as lot 404.

"Sea Of Class was fairly small as a foal and she was a late foal but she has done so well and it makes us very proud," said her breeder, who trained her dam Holy Moon--from the family of another Oaks d'Italia winner Bright Generation (Ire) who later featured as the grandam of Dabirsim (Fr)--to win five races, including the listed Premio Terme di Merano.

"An even bigger satisfaction for us was the fact that we bought Holy Moon for just IR2,600gns," he added. "She was a very good racehorse, but what she has done for the stud has been incredible."

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DEWHURST DATE FOR TOO DARN HOT

'TDN Rising Star' Too Darn Hot | *Racing Post*

Too Darn Hot (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) will line up in the G1 Dewhurst S. at Newmarket on Oct. 13, trainer John Gosden announced on Wednesday. The 'TDN Rising Star' is unbeaten in three outings, and was last seen taking the G2 Champagne S. at Doncaster on Sept. 15.

"We have been pleased with him since he won the Champagne S. at Doncaster and are very much looking forward to the Dewhurst," said Gosden of the Lord and Lady Lloyd-Webber-owned 2-year-old.

Among Too Darn Hot's expected Dewhurst opposition are Ballydoyle's **Anthony Van Dyck (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), G1 Keeneland Phoenix S. winner **Advertise (GB)** (Showcasing {GB}) and 'TDN Rising Star' and listed winner **Sangarius (GB)** (Frankel {GB}). Godolphin's 'TDN Rising Star' and G1 Goffs Vincent O'Brien National S. winner **Quorto (Ire)** (Dubawi {Ire}) was expected for the Dewhurst, but trainer Charlie Appleby revealed on Wednesday that he would be put away with next year's G1 2000 Guineas in mind.

"The 2000 Guineas has always been the long-term plan, and following discussions with His Highness Sheikh Mohammed, we have decided to put him away for the year," the trainer said.

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AT THE RACES TO SHOW FRENCH RACING

Sky Sports Racing will have exclusive broadcast rights of French racing in the UK and Ireland for three years from Jan. 1, 2019. In addition, At The Races will be the PMU's online video streaming provider to the UK and Irish online betting markets.

Matthew Imi, chief executive of At The Races, said, "This is a very exciting new partnership for us with France Galop, Le Trot and PMU and one that has immense potential. French racing is already well supported by owners and trainers in the UK and Ireland but we will showcase the strength and quality of French Thoroughbred racing throughout the year in a way that has never been done before by UK racing media. Sky Sports Racing will provide consistent, live broadcast coverage of French fixtures with all relevant betting information and presentation crews regularly live on site at French racecourses. Attheraces.com will deliver in-depth and comprehensive online coverage of French racing to the largest digital audience of racing fans in the UK and Ireland. In addition, Sport Mediastream, ATR's wholly owned video streaming platform, will make every one of PMU's 10,000 French Thoroughbred and trotting races available live to online betting operators in the UK and Ireland for the first time."

Cyril Linette, CEO of PMU, said, "We see a great opportunity for French racing in the UK and Ireland. At The Races will be a strong partner for us to help deliver our high-quality racing to the online betting market and at the same time generate interest with regular broadcast coverage and promotion."

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PRINCE EIJI TAKES NEXT STEP

When a 2.6-million gns purchase makes an instant mark, the talk is always of the following year's Classics and **Prince Eiji (GB)** (Dubawi {Ire}) has those on his agenda as he takes the next step in Thursday's G3 Tattersalls S. at Newmarket. Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum's son of Izzi Top (GB) (Pivotal {GB}) brings that extra element into this important staging post, having won with a degree of comfort on debut at Ascot on Sept. 7 and trainer Roger Varian is hopeful he can build on that effort.

"Prince Eiji showed a professional attitude to win first time out and he will naturally improve for the run," he said. "This is a significant rise in grade, but he looks to have a good future and this is a nice step up the ladder for him."

Michael Pescod's 'TDN Rising Star' **Floating Artist (GB)** (Nathaniel {Ire}) will have learned from his second to the smart Great Scot (GB) (Requinto {Ire}) in Haydock's Listed Ascendant S. over a mile on heavy ground Sept. 8, but this represents a test of his versatility dropping in trip on a much livelier surface.

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Roger Varian saddles Prince Eiji in the Tattersalls S. | *Racing Post*

Prince Eiji Takes Next Step Cont.

Ballydoyle's **Cardini** (Magician {Ire}) has the form edge, having finished third to Too Darn Hot (GB) (Dubawi {Ire}) and Phoenix of Spain (Ire) (Lope de Vega {Ire}) in Doncaster's G2 Champagne S. Sept. 15 and experience is also his strong suit with this being his eighth start.

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Thursday, Sept. 27:

UNITED KINGDOM

Alhebayeb (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Tara Stud
128 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners
17:00-PONTEFRACT, 8f, SILKSTONE (Ire)
€12,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2016; £22,000 Goffs UK Silver Yearling Sale 2017; £24,000 Goffs UK Doncaster 2yo Breeze-Up Sale 2018

Australia (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud
125 foals of racing age/9 winners/1 black-type winner
13:50-NEWMARKET, 8f, BANGKOK (Ire)
500,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 1
19:15-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, LAND OF OZ (GB)
80,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 1

Battle of Marengo (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Ballyhane Stud
67 foals of racing age/7 winners/0 black-type winners
19:15-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, SEA OF MARENGO (Ire)
4,500gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 3

Bungle Inthejungle (GB) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Rathasker Stud
95 foals of racing age/23 winners/2 black-type winners
14:05-PONTEFRACT, 6f, UP THE MILLERS (Ire)
€4,000 Tattersalls Ireland Flat Breeding Stock Sale 2016; €15,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2017

Charm Spirit (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Haras de Bonneval
105 foals of racing age/16 winners/1 black-type winner
13:50-NEWMARKET, 8f, KICK ON (GB)
80,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; 135,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 1
14:40-PONTEFRACT, 6f, SAMBUCCA SPIRIT (GB)
40,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; 3,000gns RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 2

Coach House (Ire) (Oasis Dream {GB}), Bucklands Farm & Stud (GB)
76 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
19:45-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, PASSERINA (GB)

Dunaden (Fr) (Nicobar {GB}), Overbury Stud
60 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
15:15-PONTEFRACT, 8f, LOVING PEARL (GB)
8,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016

Garswood (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}), Cheveley Park Stud
74 foals of racing age/5 winners/1 black-type winner
14:05-PONTEFRACT, 6f, CAMBER (GB)
70,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; 60,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 2

Heeraat (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}), Mickley Stud
72 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
14:05-PONTEFRACT, 6f, OLLIVANDER (Ire)
30,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 2; 28,000gns RNA Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Sale 2018
14:05-PONTEFRACT, 6f, TEASE MAID (GB)
£30,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2017

Kingman (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Banstead Manor Stud
116 foals of racing age/14 winners/3 black-type winners
13:50-NEWMARKET, 8f, MOQTARREB (GB)

Kuroshio (Aus) (Exceed And Excel {Aus}), Darley Northwood Park
22 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
15:35-NEWMARKET, 50K GIII THE TATTERSALLS STAKES, 7f, DUNKERRON (GB)

Magician (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Ashford Stud
78 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
15:35-NEWMARKET, 50K GIII THE TATTERSALLS STAKES, 7f, CARDINI
$95,000 Keeneland Association November 2016 Breeding Stock Sale; 210,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 2

Toronado has five runners on Thursday | *Bouquetot*

First-Season Sires With Runners Cont.

Moohaajim (Ire) (Cape Cross {Ire}), Rathbarry Stud
32 foals of racing age/5 winners/0 black-type winners
17:40-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, TEMUJIN (Ire)
€23,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2016; £55,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2017

Mukhadram (GB) (Shamardal), Nunnery Stud
92 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
17:40-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, SOHNI KUDI (GB)
5,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; 11,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 3

Noble Mission (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Lane's End Farm
111 foals of racing age/6 winners/0 black-type winners
19:15-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, BUFFALO RIVER
$85,000 RNA Keeneland Association September Yearling Sale 2017
13:50-NEWMARKET, 8f, HUMANITARIAN
$200,000 Keeneland Association September Yearling Sale 2017
19:15-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, LAAFY
$150,000 Keeneland Association September Yearling Sale 2017

No Nay Never (Scat Daddy), Coolmore Stud
89 foals of racing age/23 winners/4 black-type winners
19:45-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, LADY MADISON (Ire)
€42,000 Goffs Sportsman's Yearling Sale 2017
14:40-PONTEFRACT, 6f, MAKE A WISH (Ire)

Sea The Moon (Ger) (Sea The Stars {Ire}), Lanwades Stud
115 foals of racing age/11 winners/1 black-type winner
17:00-PONTEFRACT, 8f, THE GREAT STORY (GB)
22,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 1

Toronado (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot
121 foals of racing age/12 winners/0 black-type winners
15:15-PONTEFRACT, 8f, EESHA'S SMILE (Ire)
17,000gns Tattersalls February Sale 2018
15:15-PONTEFRACT, 8f, ILLUSIONS (GB)
17:40-KEMPTON PARK, 8f, KORCHO (GB)
50,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 1
19:15-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, NAME THE WIND (GB)
58,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; 62,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 1
19:15-KEMPTON PARK, 7f, TOROLIGHT (GB)
47,000gns RNA Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 2

War Command (War Front), Coolmore Stud
112 foals of racing age/15 winners/1 black-type winner
19:45-KEMPTON PARK, 6f, ARISTOMACHOS (Ire)
38,000gns Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Sale 2018

FRANCE:
Garswood (GB) (Dutch Art {GB}), Cheveley Park Stud
74 foals of racing age/5 winners/1 black-type winner
4-LYON PARILLY, 60K CRITERIUM DE LYON1600m, CALA TARIDA (GB)

BRITAIN

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Wednesday's Results:
BRITISH STALLION STUDS EBF FOUNDATION S.-Listed, £80,000, Goodwood, 9-26, 3yo/up, 9f 197yT, 2:09.76, g/s.

1--**GABR (GB), 123, c, 3, Intello (Ger)--Spacious (GB) (Hwt. Older Mare-Ire at 7-9.5f, MGSW & MG1SP-Eng, G1SP-Ire, $695,671), by Nayef**.
1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (300,000gns Ylg '16 TATOCT). O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Rashid Al Maktoum; B-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd (GB); T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Jim Crowley. £45,368. Lifetime Record: 9-2-4-0, $130,806.

2--**Plutonian (Ire)**, 128, c, 4, Raven's Pass--Ripalong (Ire), by Revoque (Ire). (95,000gns Ylg '15 TATOCT). O-Mrs Fitri Hay. £17,200.

3--**Threading (Ire)**, 121, f, 3, Exceed and Excel (Aus)--Chaquiras, by Seeking the Gold. O-Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum. £8,608.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, NK. Odds: 1.50, 3.50, 2.75.
Also Ran: First Sitting (GB), Colonial Classic (Fr), Canberra Cliffs (Ire). Scratched: Spark Plug (Ire).

Putting a disappointing performance when well beaten in Pontefract's Listed Pomfret S. firmly behind him, Gabr showed the benefit of a break to regain the form that had seen him push Without Parole (GB) (Frankel {GB}) to 3/4 of a length when runner-up in the May 24 Listed Heron S.

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Listed Foundation S. Cont.

The bay, who had shown promise at two when fifth in a strong renewal of the G1 Racing Post Trophy at Doncaster, was perhaps feeling the effects of a busy period when fourth in the Pomfret last time July 29. After his seasonal bow in the Heron at Sandown, he had run sixth in Royal Ascot's G1 St James's Palace S. on June 19 and second in the Listed Sir Henry Cecil S. at Newmarket on July 12. Fitted with a tongue-tie and going beyond a mile for the first time, the son of the accomplished Spacious broke well to lead initially before being reined back to take a lead from Plutonian. Rousted along to take back the advantage from that rival 150 yards from the line, he asserted to prove ample stamina for the new trip.

Shadwell's racing manager Angus Gold was looking ahead after this revival of fortunes. "He always looked to me like a horse that wanted a mile and a quarter, but equally he has shown plenty of speed at home so that's why Sir Michael wanted to stay at a mile until now," he explained. "I hope he's a horse we can keep for next year and, who knows, he might stay even further. At least we can start off at that sort of trip. He's a later-maturing horse and I'm sure he'll be competitive in a good grade next year."

The aforementioned Spacious proved a revelation in the Cheveley Park silks, winning the G2 Windsor Forest S. and G2 May Hill S. and finishing runner-up in the G1 1000 Guineas, G1 Falmouth S. and G1 Matron S. A half-sister to the GII King Edward S., GII Connaught Cup S. and GII Play the King S. winner Dimension (GB) (Medicean {GB}), she has a 2-year-old full-sister to Gabr named Prodigious (GB) and a colt foal by New Approach (Ire). **Click for the Racing Post result. Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

2nd-Wolverhampton, £5,800, Novice, 9-26, 2yo, 7f 36y (AWT), 1:27.45, st.
FOX POWER (IRE) (c, 2, Dark Angel {Ire}--Zenella {GB} {SW-Eng}, by Kyllachy {GB}), who was disappointing when sixth over this trip at Ascot last time Sept. 8, broke alertly to put his experience to full use and lead. Kicking clear on the home turn, the 9-4 favourite stayed on strongly to secure a 3 1/4-length success from Falathaat (Union Rags). The listed-winning dam, who also has a yearling colt by Camacho (GB) and a colt foal by Markaz (Ire), is a granddaughter of the GI Santa Barbara H. heroine Bequest (Sharpen Up {GB}) connected to the GII Highlander S. winner Go Blue or Go Home (Bluegrass Cat). Sales history: 450,000gns Ylg '17 TATOCT. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, $9,530. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-King Power Racing Co Ltd; B-Diomed Bloodstock Ltd (IRE); T-Richard Hannon.

3rd-Wolverhampton, £5,800, Novice, 9-26, 2yo, 6f 20y (AWT), 1:12.86, st.
MADKHAL (c, 2, Distorted Humor--Almurra, by Street Cry {Ire}), runner-up over this course and distance last time Sept. 5, was ideally positioned in second early by the leading apprentice Jason Watson. Gaining the advantage passing halfway, the even-money favourite was never seriously threatened en route to a 2 1/4-length success from Cool Reflection (Ire) (Showcasing {GB}). The winner is the first foal out of a daughter of the GI Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup heroine Alwajeeha (Dixieland Band) who was bred to More Than Ready for 2019. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, $6,383. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-Godolphin; B-Shadwell Farm, LLC. (KY); T-Saeed bin Suroor.

1st-Goodwood, £19,000, Mdn, 9-26, 2yo, 9f 197yT, 2:13.52, g/s.
PABLO ESCOBARR (IRE) (c, 2, Galileo {Ire}--Bewitched {Ire} {MGSW-Ire & GSW-Eng, $368,030}, by Dansili {GB}), a Sept. 4 second going one mile here last time, was well away to stalk the leading duo for most of this fourth go. Making headway in the straight to join the front rank approaching the two pole, the 4-7 pick seized control with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining and was driven out to hold the late surge of The Olympian (Ire) (Olympic Glory {Ire}) by 3/4 of a length. Kin to a yearling colt by Galileo (Ire) and a filly foal by Australia (GB), he is the second scorer produced by four-time Group 3 victress Bewitched (Ire) (Dansili {GB}), herself the leading performer out of GSW G1 Prix de Diane runner-up Abbatiale (Fr) (Kaldoun {Fr}). Sales history: €200,000 Ylg '17 ARAUG. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, $25,064. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-Hussain Alabbas Lootah; B-R Scarborough & Carradale (IRE); T-William Haggas.

4th-Redcar, £10,000, Mdn, 9-26, 2yo, 7fT, 1:22.78, gd.
ALFURAT RIVER (GB) (c, 2, Dubawi {Ire}--Suez {GB} {SW & G1SP-Eng, $128,762}, by Green Desert), runner-up over this trip at Kempton last time Sept. 7, was keen early tracking the early leader. Committed passing the quarter pole, the 11-10 favourite stayed on to score by 1 3/4 lengths from Irreverent (GB) (Iffraaj {GB}). The dam Suez was runner-up in the G1 Cheveley Park S. before producing another high-class juvenile filly in the G1 Fillies' Mile and G2 May Hill S. winner Lyric of Light (GB) (Street Cry {Ire}), G1SW-Eng, $212,991. A granddaughter of the amazing Meon Valley producer Reprocolor (GB) (Jimmy Reppin {GB}), she is a half to the G1 Champions Mile third Polish Princess (GB) (Polish Precedent) whose three group winners are headed by the dual G2 A.D. Hollindale S. winner and G1 Doomben Cup runner-up Leebaz (NZ) (Zabeel {NZ}).

4th-Redcar Cont.

Suez's yearling filly is a full-sister to the winner, while she also has a filly foal by Shamardal. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, $11,486. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.
O-Godolphin; B-Godolphin (GB); T-Saeed bin Suroor.

HANDICAP RESULT:
5th-Goodwood, £50,000, 9-26, 3yo/up, f, 14fT, 3:06.08, g/s.
ELASIA (GB) (f, 3, Nathaniel {Ire}--Elas Diamond {GB} {SP-Eng}, by Danehill Dancer {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, $67,587. O-Sheikh Mohammed Obaid Al Maktoum; B-Newsells Park Stud (GB); T-Roger Varian. *200,000gns Ylg '16 TAOCT. *1/2 to Elas Ruby (GB) (Raven's Pass), SW-Eng & GSP-Fr.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:
Ride the Monkey (Ire), g, 2, **Bungle Inthejungle (GB)**--Eileenlilian (GB), by Authorized (Ire). Redcar, 9-26, 7fT, 1:24.18. B-Rathasker Stud (IRE). *1ST-TIME STARTER. **23rd winner for freshman sire (by Exceed and Excel {Aus}). ***€19,000 Wlg '16 TATFBR; €15,000 Ylg '17 GOFSPT.

FRANCE

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Thursday, Lyon Parilly, post time: 2.05 p.m.
CRITERIUM DE LYON-Listed, €60,000, 2yo, 8fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	8	Delaware (GB)	Frankel (GB)	Cheminaud	Fabre	126
2	2	Go To Hollywood (Fr)	Penny's Picnic (Ire)	Cabre	Barberot	126
3	9	Hooking (GB)	Lope de Vega (Ire)	Boudot	Decouz	126
4	4	Certain Lad (GB)	Clodovil (Ire)	Guyon	Channon	126
5	3	J'Aurais Du (Fr)	George Vancouver	Crastus	C Boutin	126
6	1	Lady Neartica (GB)	Kodiac (GB)	Lemaitre	Head	122
7	6	Cala Tarida (GB)	Garswood (GB)	Benoist	F Rossi	122
8	5	What A Queen (Fr)	Siyouni (Fr)	Hamelin	Palussiere	122
9	7	Kanuka (FR)	Footstepsinthesand (GB)	Perret	Reynier	122

Wednesday's Results:
PRIX SARACA-Listed, €60,000, Maisons-Laffitte, 9-26, 2yo, 6 1/2fT, 1:18.07, g/s.
1--**HAPPY ODYSSEY (IRE), 125, f, 2, by Camacho (GB)**
1st Dam: Casual Remark (Ire), by Trans Island (GB)
2nd Dam: Cidaris (Ire), by Persian Bold (Ire)
3rd Dam: Secret Sunday, by Secreto
1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (€5,000 RNA Wlg '16 TATFBR; €6,000 RNA Ylg '17 GOFFEB; €13,500 Ylg '17 GOYRL; £14,000 2yo '18 GOFBRE). O-Meridian International & Mrs J Redvers; B-Ciara Doyle (IRE); T-Amy Murphy; J-Mickael Barzalona. €30,000. Lifetime Record: 6-2-4-0, €45,921. *1/2 to Remarkable Lady (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}), MSP-Ire, $105,705; and Albishr (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}), SP-Eng.
2--**Golconda (Fr)**, 125, f, 2, Planteur (Ire)--Hijaziyah (GB), by Testa Rossa (Aus). (€105,000 2yo '18 OSAAPR). O-Patrick Chedeville & Mme Therese Dubuc-Grassa, Ecurie du Parc Monceau & Ecurie Vivaldi. €12,000.
3--**Ilanga (Fr)**, 125, f, 2, Penny's Picnic (Ire)--Molly Mara (Ger), by Big Shuffle. (€25,000 RNA Ylg '17 AROCT; €9,000 RNA 2yo '18 OSAAPR). O-Zied Ben M'Rad. €9,000.
Margins: 2, 3, 1. Odds: 7.40, 6.60, 7.70.
Also Ran: Triggered (Ire), Sir Churchill, Bravo Sierra (GB), La Pergola (Fr), Reponse Exacte (Fr), Quiet Waters (Ire), Singing Tower (Fr), Jungle Inthebungle (Ire). **Click for the Racing Post result**. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.

Happy Odyssey bettered a debut second going five furlongs at Lingfield in her June 9 debut with a June 28 tally upped to six panels at Newmarket before rattling off a hat-trick of runner-up finishes at Windsor, at Leicester and at Goodwood last time Sept. 4. Steadied off the pace through the initial fractions, she inched ever closer from halfway and was ridden clear once cruising to the front approaching the eighth pole to comfortably register a first black-type triumph.

Happy Odyssey, one of six scorers from as many runners out of Casual Remark (Ire) (Trans Island {GB}), is a half-sister to MSP Listed Oyster S. runner-up Remarkable Lady (Ire) (Zoffany {Ire}), Listed Stonehenge S. second Albishr (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}) and a filly foal by Clodovil (Ire). Casual Remark is a half-sister to G2 Mill Reef S. and G3 Molecomb S. runner-up Irony (Ire) (Mujadil), Listed Premio Seregno victress Carioca (Ire) (Rakti {GB})--herself the dam of MSW G2 Vintage S. runner-up Tupi (Ire) (Tamayuz {GB})--and to the dam of MGSW G1 Woolavington 2000 runner-up Gimme Six (SAf) (Gimmethegreenlight {Aus}).

Happy Odyssey | *Scoop Dyga*

French Report Cont.

6th-Maisons-Laffitte, €35,000, Cond, 9-26, 3yo, 8fT, 1:41.34, g/s.
BEAUTIFUL MEMORY (IRE) (f, 3, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Express Way {Arg}, by Ahmad {Arg}) Lifetime Record: 10-4-1-3, €46,380. O/B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Henri-Alex Pantall. *1/2 to Rio de la Plata (Rahy), Hwt. Older Horse-Ity at 7-9.5f & 9.5-11f, MG1SW-Ity, G1SW-Fr & MGSW-Eng, $1,704,167; El Expresivo (Arg) (Candy Stripes), G1SW-Arg; and Epsilon (Arg) (Acceptable), GSP-Arg.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Tabularasa (Fr), g, 3, **Sea the Stars (Ire)**--Recreation (GB), by Dansili (GB). Le Mans, 9-26, 11 1/2fT, 2:22.05. B-Harry Parkes (FR). *€22,000 Ylg '16 AROCT.

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS

IN HONG KONG:
Red Warrior (Ire), g, 3, **Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**--Sweet Dreams Baby (Ire), by Montjeu (Ire). Happy Valley, 9-26, Hcp. *(£134k/€151k)*, 1650mT, 1:93.67. B-Barronstown Stud. *Formerly Rusper (Ire). **€62,000 Ylg ''16 GOFORB. **VIDEO**

AUSTRALIAN-BRED WINNERS

IN HONG KONG:
Country Star (Aus), g, 3, **Starcraft (NZ)**--Moonrush (Aus), by Encosta de Lago (Aus). Happy Valley, 9-26, Hcp. *(A$163k)*, 1200mT, 1:09.65. B-Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd (NSW). *A$90,000 Ylg ''17 INGSYD. **VIDEO**
E Master (Aus), g, 5, **Dreamscape (Aus)**--Ditas (NZ), by Don Eduardo (NZ). Happy Valley, 9-26, Hcp. *(A$163k)*, 1200mT, 1:09.98. B-Gooree Park Stud Pty Ltd (NSW). *1/2 to Wimbledon (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}), MSP-Sin, $517,101. **A$36,000 2yo ''15 INGRTR. **VIDEO**

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TATTERSALLS S. (SOMERVILLE TATTERSALL S).-G3, £50,000, 2yo, c/g, 7fT

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	7	Arctic Sound (GB)	Poet's Voice (GB)	de Sousa	Johnston	126
2	6	Bye Bye Hong Kong	Street Sense	Murphy	Balding	126
3	2	Cardini	Magician (Ire)	Moore	A O'Brien	126
4	5	Dunkerron (GB)	Kuroshio (Aus)	Harley	King	126
5	3	Floating Artist (GB)	Nathaniel (Ire)	Spencer	Hannon	126
6	1	Prince Eiji (GB)	Dubawi (Ire)	Atzeni	Varian	126
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DEBUT DAY FOR YOUNG NEWGATE SIRES

Wandjina | *Newgate Farm*

by Bren O'Brien

Saturday's meeting at Randwick looms as a crucial day for Newgate's freshman stallions Deep Field (Aus) and Wandjina (Aus), who will have their first progeny in action in both the G3 Breeders' Plate and G3 Gimcrack S.

The opening 2-year-old races in Sydney always offer plenty of interest for the big studs and while Newgate's General Manager Bruce Slade will be watching all the Deep Fields and Wandjinas, there is one colt in particular who will be in for special attention.

Autocratic (Aus), who runs in the Breeders' Plate, is not only by Wandjina and is part-owned by Newgate, he is also the half-brother to another Newgate stallion, the Group 1 winning sprinter Russian Revolution (Aus) (Snitzel {Aus}).

"He's a lovely horse, born here, raised here, sold by Belinda Bateman as a weanling and we couldn't help ourselves. Along with the China Horse Club, we partnered up and bought him. He then grew out here at Newgate and he's been a star ever since," Slade told *TDN AusNZ*. "[Co-trainer] Peter Snowden has always thought a lot of him, James McDonald loved the way he trialled *(video)* and wanted to stick with the horse on Saturday."

Traits From Both Sides...

Slade said Autocratic, who was sold for A$335,000 as a weanling, shares traits from both sides of his pedigree, but is more likely to stretch out in distance than his half-brother.

"I think Russian Revolution was a jump-and-run sort of horse with enormous speed, where I think this horse who could easily extend to six or seven furlongs and perhaps a mile down the track," Slade said. "He's a horse with a huge stride, Autocratic. I think he'll be effective up to a mile, very much like Wandjina. He'll be getting over heels late and hitting the line hard. Let's just hope he jumps well and puts himself somewhere near it. Because if he is somewhere near them on the turn and gets a clear run, he's a big chance."

The Richard Freedman-trained **Vaporizing (Aus)** is the other colt by Wandjina in the Breeders' Plate, while impressive trial winner **Honey Go Lightly (Aus)** makes her debut in the Gimcrack.

Wandjina won an Australian Guineas as a 3-year-old but was considered precocious enough to run in the Breeders' Plate and Slade said it is not surprising he has a strong representation on Saturday.

"I think he always showed natural ability for Gai [Waterhouse] and was a very dominant winner of his 2-year-old trial at the same time," he said. "I think the main thing about his progeny is that all three in their heats really hit the line hard. They looked like they'd really appreciate the 1000m up to 1200m and 1400m in time. They are three very progressive horses who have got the class to be there on Saturday, and you'd expect them to improve further and deeper into their 2-year-old careers."

Deep Prospects...

Slade gets a similar sense about the offspring of Deep Field, two of which make their debuts in the Breeders' Plate. **Cont. p2**

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"The Northern Meteors were probably autumn 2-year-olds themselves," he said in reference to Deep Field's sire. “But just with the way they [the Deep Fields] sold and the good yards they went to, with their physicals at the sales, we expected them to pop up early and it's good they have."

Deep Field was not sighted on the track until he was a late 3-year-old but Slade said that was not a good guide to how his progeny might perform early on.

"It was injury driven, that was the reason why,” he said. “He crushed a stifle joint and he had to recover from that before he could get racing. His race record is probably not a true reflection of his own precocity, because of that injury. At the same time, the Northern Meteors were back-end autumn 2-year old types and then good 3-year olds. I suppose we expect them to show more and more between now and the end of the season and then into their 3-year-old years."

Fresh Fields...

King's Champ (Aus), who is out of Group 1 winning mare Yosei (Aus) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), won his trial from behind, overcoming Newgate's other colt in Saturday's race, **Lionsgate (Aus)** (More than Ready).

"King's Champ hit the line really well and won his heat,” Slade said. “I know Gerald Ryan thinks a lot of him. He's drawn a bit awkwardly, but there is only one bend at Randwick, so hopefully he can find some cover somewhere and hit the line again."

Redicon (Aus), trained by Neville Layt, overcame a slow start to be narrowly beaten in his trial on the same day.

Slade added, "He missed the kick pretty badly and kicked up the inside and was pretty game in running second there, so I'd expect a lot of improvement from that horse. He's out of a Rory's Jester mare, so there's some nice speed on his dam's side."

Sidestep (Aus), who stands at Telemon Thoroughbreds in Queensland, also has his first runner with **One Step (Aus)** in the Gimcrack, while Rubick (Aus), who had two runners in Australia's opening 2-year-old race at Toowoomba on Sunday, has **Bright Rubick (Aus)** in the Gimcrack S. and **Krameric (Aus)** in the Breeders' Plate.

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Sept. 29	The Metropolitan	Randwick
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	Epsom H.	Randwick