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DEL MAR YEARLING NUMBERS UP The Del Mar Select and Preferred Yearling Sale ended its two-day run Tuesday night at the Del Mar Horse Park. Monday night's select session saw 37 horses sell for a total of \$1,147,200. The average of \$31,005 was up 41.6 percent from last year's corresponding session when 35 horses sold for a total of \$766,500 and an average of \$21,900. The median price of \$25,000 was up 25 percent from last year's figure of \$20,000. The select session topper was hip number 9, a colt by General Meeting--River of Stars, by Riverman. The full brother to multiple graded stakes winning two-year-old **Career Collection** was consigned by Mary Knight, agent and brought a final bid of \$110,000 from Prince Ahmed Salman's The Thoroughbred Corp. During Tuesday night's preferred yearling session, 72 horses were sold for a total of \$899,900 and an average of \$12,499. The 1997 average bests the corresponding 1996 figure of \$7,100 by 76 percent. During last year's preferred session, 59 horses sold for a total of \$418,900. Tuesday's session topper was hip number 77, a colt by Flying Continental--Time to Succeed, by Time to Explode. Consigned by Continental Success, the yearling brought a final bid of \$42,000 from Jack Finley.

CANADIAN SUMMER YEARLING SALES

RESULTS The sales topper at Sunday's Canadian Thoroughbred Horse Society's 1997 Summer Yearling Sale was hip number 60--a colt by Silver Deputy--Lift My Spirit, by Ogygian. The yearling, consigned by Salishan Meadows, agent, brought a final bid of \$90,000 from Eric Barcea, agent. In all, 79 horses were sold for a total of \$1,091,700. The 1997 average of \$13,819 is up 10.5 percent from last year's average of \$12,510. At the 1996 sale, 97 horses sold for a total of \$1,213,500.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, FRIDAY, AUGUST 15:
10-25 \$250,000 Wells Fargo California
Cup Classic, SA, (S), 3yo/up, 9f
(\$100)



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SARATOGA SPECIAL-GII, \$150,000, SAR, 8-13, 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:17, my.

1--**FAVORITE TRICK**, 122, c, 2, Phone Trick--Evil Elaine (SW, \$119,729), by Medieval Man. (\$32,000 yrl '96 KESEEP; \$100,000 2yo 1997 OBSFEB). O-Lacombe Joseph; B-Wood M L Mr & Mrs (KY); T-Patrick B Byrne; J-P Day; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 5-5-0-0, \$326,886. *1/2 to Cold N Calculating (It's Freezing), SW, \$299,285.

2--**Case Dismissed**, 114, c, 2, Known Fact--Roses for Avie, by Lord Avie. (\$32,000 yrl '96 KESEEP). O-Stonach Frank H; B-Audley Farm, Inc (VA); \$30,000.

3--**K. O. Punch**, 119, c, 2, Two Punch--Joanie's Princess, by Joanie's Chief. (\$57,000 wlng '95 KEENOV; \$100,000 yrl '96 KESEEP; \$575,000 2yo 1997 FTFFEB). O-The Thoroughbred Corp; B-Dark Hollow Farm (MD); \$16,500.

Margins: 3HF, NK, 8. Odds: 0.70, 5.30, 2.05.

Also Ran: Fortunate Halo, Hitech.

Scratched: Torgan.

Favorite Trick kept on rolling here to preserve his perfect record after victories in an Apr. 25 Keeneland maiden race, the May 3 WHAS S., the May 26 Kentucky Breeders' Cup H. and June 28 Gill Bashford Manor S. last time out. The favorite settled in good position while saving ground before advancing along the rail to take the lead at the top of the stretch and then drawing away despite drifting out late. "I really liked the way he was coming into this race," winning jockey Pat Day said. "He was working out super and I wasn't concerned much with an off-track because I knew he would handle it. I knew a few of the horses out there had speed, so I wanted to get into a good spot. He broke aggressively and he was very responsive. Everything was set up perfect for us and I rode him very confidently. He showed a lot of poise and he's proving that he can do it all." The winner may run next in the Aug. 30 GI Hopeful S. at Saratoga. Previously unbeaten K.O. Punch, bumped at the start with HITECH (Technology), and then raced in close contention between horses to just miss grabbing the place spot. "He stumbled a little bit down the backside and struggled with his footing," jockey Gary Stevens explained. "I had him outside and Shane (Sellers, jockey aboard Case Dismissed) put his head in front, and my colt wasn't able to hold position. Once I got into the clear, he finished nicely. He ran decent for not handling the surface. You have to give the winner credit; he ran over the deepest part of the track."



◆ PREVIEW ◆

Friday, Saratoga:

BERNARD BARUCH H.-GII, \$100,000a, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT

The field, in post position order, will be: **Outta My Way Man** (Hatchet Man), 114; **Sentimental Moi** (Maudlin), 112; **Boyce** (Lord Avie), 120; **Ok By Me** (With Approval), 120; **Defacto** (Diesis {GB}), 114; **Lucky Coin** (Chas Conerly), 114; **Fortitude** (Cure the Blues), 112; **Jambalaya Jazz** (Dixieland Band), 115.

(News cont.)

GONE FOR REAL TO WAFARE Graded stakes winner **Gone For Real** (Gone West) has been retired from racing and will stand the 1998 breeding season at Nathan Fox and Joe Haller's Wafare Farm in Lexington, Kentucky. The six-year-old stallion, unraced this year, took the 1995 GIII Royal Palm H., finished second in the 1996 GII Canadian Turf H. and third in the 1994 GIII Tropical Turf H. In a 15-race career, **Gone for Real** won six races, with five seconds and one third for earnings of \$173,230. He is currently being syndicated and will stand his initial year at stud for \$2,500 live foal.

◆ FOREIGN ◆

Yesterday's Results:

UPAVON FILLIES' S., \$28,012, Salisbury, England, 8-13, 3yo/up, f/m, 9f 209ydsT, 2:07:64, gd/fm.

1--**#DUST DANCER (GB)**, 117, f, 3, **Suave Dancer--Galaxie Dust**, by **Blushing Groom (Fr)**. O/B-Hesmonds Stud; T-John Dunlop; J-B Doyle; \$16,650. *1/2 to **Zimzalabim (GB)** (Damister), Horse of the Year & Ch. 3yo-Aut, Hwt. Older Horse 11-13 1/2f-Ire, Ch. 3yo & Ch. Stayer-Slovak Republic, SW-Fr, Ity; **Bulaxie (GB)** (Bustino {GB}), GSW-Eng, \$113,759.

2--**Dragonada**, 117, f, 3, **Nureyev--Don't Sulk**, by **Graustark (GB)**. O-Niarchos Family. \$6,215.

3--**The Faraway Tree (GB)**, 117, f, 3, **Suave Dancer--Sassalya (GB)**, by **Sassafras (Fr)**. O-A E Oppenheimer. \$3,025.

Margins: 5, 1 1/4, 1/2.

Local News, England:

The English National Stud reported yesterday the purchase of a majority stake in **Emarati** (Danzig--Bold Example, by **Bold Lad**), who will stand at the stud in 1998 at a fee to be announced in the autumn. The 11-year-old stallion is a three-parts brother to **Polish Precedent** (Danzig), sire of 1997 Group race winners **Pilsudski** and **Predappio**.

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN ENGLAND:

Social Charter, c, 2, **Nureyev--Aunt Pearl**, by **Seattle Slew**. **Salisbury**, 8-13, **EBF Sandown Maiden S.** (Div.1), 2yo, 6fT, \$5,218 to winner. O-Robert Sangster; B-Swettenham Stud; T-Peter Chapple-Hyam.

◆ NEW YORK ◆

Local News, Saratoga:

The 18th annual Travers Ball will be held Thursday, August 21 at the Saratoga Performing Arts Center (SPAC). The black-tie affair, hosted by New York State Governor and Mrs. George Pataki and the Travers Committee, will begin with cocktails at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m. Proceeds from the gala benefit the Equine Research Program at Cornell University's College of Veterinary Medicine as well as SPAC. For more information, contact the Travers Committee at (518) 584-1114.

Tomisue's Delight (A.P. Indy) worked five furlongs Tuesday in 1:02 4/5. **Runup the Colors** (A.P. Indy) went five furlongs in 1:03 3/5. The two Neil Howard trainees will likely start in Saturday's GI Alabama...Trainer Mohammed Moubarak's Alabama hopeful **Seek the Power** (Seeking the Gold) worked five furlongs Sunday in 1:02 1/5 with Angel Cordero, Jr. in the irons...August 23 GI Travers hopeful **Affirmed Success** (Affirmed) worked six furlongs Tuesday in 1:11.

Yesterday's Results:

8th-SAR, \$43,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m (off turf), 1:52 4/5, my.

1--**PURR PLEASURE**, 116, f, 4, **El Gran Senor--Fantasy Cat**, by ***Cougar II**. O-Christiana Stable; B-Middleton, Charles G III (KY); T-James W Murphy. Lifetime Record: 15-4-3-1, \$89,913.

2--**Key Hunter**, 114, f, 3, **Jade Hunter--Key Flight**, by **Bates Motel**.

3--**Siostra**, 110, f, 3, **Polish Numbers--Saladina**, by **Raise a Man**.

Margins: 3/4, 3/4, HF. Odds: 27.25, 3.10, 9.10.

Purr Pleasure came off of a six-month layoff to win a June 13 Pimlico turf allowance race and then finished eighth last time out June 28 at Laurel. The winner, who was bumped at the start, trailed the field of seven early and then unleashed a powerful stretch rally between horses to get the lead in the final stages.

GULCH NO. 1 AT KEENELAND & SARATOGA

GULCH sired the sales topper at Saratoga at \$1.4 million and the top-priced filly at Keeneland at \$1,050,000.

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New York report cont.

10th-SAR, \$39,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m (off turf), 1:53, my.

HAIL (f, 3, Shaded--Hello Columbus, by Roberto) came in fourth in a July 11 \$27,500 Belmont claiming race last time out and went to the winner's circle for the first time since capturing an Oct. 23 \$35,000 Aqueduct maiden claimer, six starts back. The 17-1 longshot got loose on the lead and then accelerated away from the field around the far turn en route to a 17-length victory. Lifetime Record: 10-2-2-0, \$41,040. O-James Hill. B-Daniel Galbreath (KY). T-M Hushion.

6th-SAR, \$39,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 4/5, sy. PRECIOUS GIRL (f, 3, Jeblar--Proud n' Precious, by Valid Appeal) ran fourth in a July 30 Saratoga allowance race last time out and picked up her first win in this spot since a 10-length victory in a Feb. 9 Gulfstream allowance event, three starts back. The 3-1 second choice stalked the early pace before taking over and drawing away in the stretch to win by three lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-0, \$64,140. O-Kaster Nancy & Richard. B-Farnsworth Farms & M. & M. Bloodstock (FL). T-Patrick B Byrne.

1st-SAR, \$39,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 2 1/16m, 3:44 3/5 (steeplechase), sf. THELIGHTFANTISTIC (h, 5, Citidancer--Fluid Movement, by *Le Fabuleux) finished second in an Aug. 4 six-furlong Delaware allowance race on dirt last time out. In his eighth start over fences, the 9-2 shot set the pace and then extended his margin in the stretch for a six-length victory. He is a 1/2 to Moving Appeal (Valid Appeal), MSW, \$173,581. Lifetime Record: 15-5-3-1, \$84,810. O/B/T-Jonathan E. Sheppard (PA).

4th-SAR, \$34,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:19 3/5, sy. FURLOUGH (f, 3, Easy Goer--Blitey {MGSW, \$297,746}, by Riva Ridge) was a well-beaten second in a July 23 Saratoga maiden race in her previous start. The 2-1 second choice trailed the field of seven early before commencing her late bid around the far turn and grabbing the lead inside the furlong-pole for a three-length victory. She is a 1/2 to Dancing Spree (Nijinsky II), MGISW, \$1,470,484, Fantastic Find (Mr. Prospector), GISW, \$335,410 and Dancing All Night (Nijinsky II), GSW, \$185,420. Lifetime Record: 6-1-3-2, \$46,280. O-Ogden Phipps. B-Phipps Stable (KY). T-Claude McGaughey III.

◆ EAST ◆

Local News, Monmouth Park:

Trainer Dan Perlsweig has been named the recipient of Monmouth Park's 1997 Virgil (Buddy) Raines Distinguished Achievement Award. The award honors horsemen at the New Jersey track who have demonstrated a continuing commitment to the sport of Thoroughbred racing as a trainer or owner and whose conduct has been exemplary for professionalism, integrity and service to the sport.

Yesterday's Results:

11th-MTH, \$22,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11, ft. + ZORRA (f, 3, Silent Fox--La Strada, by Amerrico) crushed the field in her debut as the 9-2 third choice. The winner took command down the backside and then drew away in the stretch to win by 9 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$13,200. O-Albert L Leesac. B-Ladona Hudson (TX). T-Robert A Donato.

5th-RKM, \$10,290, Msw, 2yo, f, 5f, 1:01 3/5, sy. MS VERSATILITY (f, 2, Opening Verse--Delma, by Theatrical {Ire}) finished third July 19 at Delaware and third July 28 at Saratoga. The 3-5 favorite grabbed the early lead and then pulled away in the stretch for a three-length victory. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-1, \$10,870. O/B-Francis McDonnell (FL). T-James E Hartley.

◆ MIDWEST ◆

Late Tuesday Results:

10th-ELP, \$22,370, Msw, 2, f, 5 1/2fT, 1:02 4/5, fm. + HURRICANE BERTIE (f, 2, Storm Boot--Clever Bertie, by Timeless Native) upset the field in her debut at odds of 13-1. The winner, who bobbed at the start, raced just off the pace on the inside before angling out for the stretch drive to win going away by four lengths. She became the second winner for freshman sire, Storm Boot (Storm Cat). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$14,585. O/B-Bert Klein (KY). T-Bernard S Flint.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters, an (S) will be used for state-bred races, a (C) will be used for maiden-claiming races, and an (R) will be used for other restricted races.

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◆ SO. CALIFORNIA ◆

Local News, Santa Anita:

The Santa Anita Companies yesterday reported results for the second quarter which ended June 30, 1997. Excluding non-recurring items and preferred stock dividends, combined income for the second quarter was \$245,000, or \$.02 per share, compared to \$1,334,000 or \$.12 per share for the prior year's second quarter. Including non-recurring income of \$375,000 in 1997 and a charge of \$855,000 in 1996, the combined net income for the second quarter was \$620,000 in 1997 and \$479,000 in 1996. After an accrual for preferred stock dividends of \$936,000 in the 1997 second quarter, the combined net loss applicable to common shares was \$316,000 or \$.03 per common share.

Yesterday's Results:

REAL GOOD DEAL S., \$85,000, DMR, 8-13, (S), 3yo, 7f, 1:22 2/5, ft.

1--**#BATOILE, 118, g, 3, Batonnier--Stars in My Pocket (SW, \$202,874), by Full Pocket.** O-Walter Family Trust; B-Walter Mr & Mrs Robert H. (Ca); T-Bob Baffert; J-C McCarron; \$55,600. Lifetime Record: 14-3-4-2, \$179,970. * 1/2 to Roujoleur (Red Ransom), MSW, \$129,494.

2--**True Pioneer, 118, g, 3, General Meeting--Charming Dreamer, by Miswaki.** \$17,000.

3--**Fearless Pirate, 114, g, 3, Pirate's Bounty--Radiant Glow, by Northern Dancer.** (\$22,000 yrl '95 CALAUG). \$10,200.

Margins: 1/2, 4, 1/2. Odds: 5.30, 5.30, 28.90.

Batoile came into this effort off of a 1 1/2-length win in an August 2 Del Mar allowance test against state-bred company. Last early, the bay gelding rallied strongly turning for home to get up for a half-length victory.

6th-DMR, \$62,400, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43, fm.

1--**VIA LOMBARDIA (IRE), 110, h, 5, Shardari--Closette (SP-Ire), by Fabulous Dancer.** O-Pabst Henry; B-Dobson D H W (Ire); T-Neil Drysdale. Lifetime Record: MGSW, 21-5-4-4, \$344,043.

2--**Arrivederci Baby, 115, g, 5, Caros Love--Wake Up Baby, by Shahrud.**

3--**Sharpest Image (Ire), 115, h, 5, Exactly Sharp--Tycoon's Drama (Ire), by Last Tycoon (Ire).**

Margins: 3, 2 1/2, 2 1/4. Odds: 8.20, 12.50, 26.20.

Via Lombardia (Ire), winless in his last ten starts, was coming off of an eighth-place finish in the June 15 GII Shoemaker Breeders' Cup Mile. The bay took a short lead at the top of the stretch and drew off to the wire.

8th-DMR, \$39,000, Msw, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 2/5, fm.

TUZLA (FR) (f, 3, Panoramic {GB}--Turkeina {Fr}, by Kautokeino {Fr}) ran second in each of her previous starts in her native France, most recently July 8 at Chantilly. The 2-1 favorite in her American debut, the bay filly rallied from seventh to take the lead at midstretch and win by one length. Lifetime Record: 4-1-3-0, \$40,623.

O-Osborne Krysta. B-Ecurie Maulepaire (Fr). T-Canani J.

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ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

5th-SAR, \$39,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8m (off turf), 1:53 2/5, sy.

HEAVENLY SUNSET (f, 3, St. Jovite--Solar Halo {GSW, \$190,561}, by Halo) Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-1, \$51,670. O-James F Edwards. B-C B F Corporation (NY). T-Harold James Bond. *15-length winner.

9th-BMF, \$39,990, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:02 1/5, ft.

WINDOVER (h, 6, Silent Fox--Northern Pairodice, by Far North) Lifetime Record: 52-4-2-7, \$161,697.

O-Anderson L J. B-Estate of Laz Barrera (CA). T-Ricardo Zamora.

10th-ELP, \$30,900, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:24, ft.

BLUFFING GIRL (f, 3, Pine Bluff--Current Girl, by Little Current) Lifetime Record: SW, 9-4-2-0, \$132,053.

O-Courtney Robert E Jr & Durr R C. B-Robert E. Courtney & R. C. Durr (KY). T-Lawrence D Hughes.

9th-MTH, \$28,700, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft.

HOLY STEP (f, 3, Pas Seul--Holy Water {SP}, by Divine Royalty) Lifetime Record: 11-2-2-3, \$43,664.

O/B-Robert L. Edwards (NJ). T-Janice T Nini.

4th-MTH, \$28,700, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12 2/5, gd.

LAST LOOK (f, 4, Horatius--Lady Dux, by Gentleman Gene) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$43,804. O-Briardale.

B-Joseph M. Imbesi (NJ). T-Guadalupe Preciado.

9th-ELP, \$28,500, 8-12, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37, ft.

TEJANO RED (c, 3, Tejano--Life's Melody, by Stop the Music) Lifetime Record: 13-3-1-3, \$78,922.

O-Stonebridge Farm Inc. B-W. D. & Wm D. Fishback (KY). T-Jack C Van Berg.

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7th-LRL, \$24,000, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:36 1/5, fm.
TRUSTY KRIS (c, 3, Kris S.--Sweet Proud Polly {MSW, \$201,451}, by Proud Birdie) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-0, \$29,685. O-Mrs E H Cocks. B-Rosa Cocks (FL). T-Mary E Eppler.

8th-WOX, \$22,400, 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT, 1:12 3/5, gd.
NOIR VELOURS (f, 3, Tunerup--Island Logic, by *Hawaii) Lifetime Record: 12-5-3-0, \$71,942. O-Digiulio Frank & Frank Jr. B-Norman Casse (FL). T-Robert Tiller. * 1/2 to Ocean Breeze (Blade), MSW, \$127,568.

8th-APX, \$22,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13 4/5, gd.
LI'LBITO'OFFEE (f, 4, Water Bank--Exquisite Taste, by What Luck) Lifetime Record: 13-5-0-1, \$53,895. O-Chapman & Gordon & Ruchim & Stiegel. B-Judy Lucero (IL). T-Leslie E Ahrens. * 1/2 to Excess Energy (Lord Avie), MSW, \$127,923.

8th-LRL, \$21,560, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04 4/5, ft.
TURNING FIFTY (g, 4, Forty Niner--Broom Dance {GISW, \$330,022}, by Dance Spell) Lifetime Record: 9-2-4-0, \$55,940. O/B-Christiana Stables (KY). T-Henry S Clark. *Full to End Sweep, GSW, \$372,413.

9th-APX, \$21,000, 3yo, 1m (off turf), 1:38, gd.
KNIGHTLY ALARM (c, 3, Caveat--Accent Knightly {SP}, by Hail Emperor) Lifetime Record: 7-2-1-1, \$24,383. O/T-Louie J Roussel III. B-Caroline T. Benson (MD).

7th-APX, \$21,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 3/5, gd.
NEON BLONDE (f, 4, Sir Naskra--Hula Blade, by Blade) Lifetime Record: 18-4-3-1, \$56,070. O-Apple Hill Farm. B-Barr Inman (KY). T-Tom Dorris.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

General Jake, c, 2, All Thee Power--Outrageous Bounty, by Pirate's Bounty. DMR, 8-13, (C), 7f, 1:26 1/5. B-Gomez Risa Ann (Ca). *\$11,500 yrl '96 CALAUG.

J J Ball of Fire, f, 2, Bates Motel--Miss Adena, by Timeless Moment. ELP, 8-13, (C), 1m, 1:42 1/5. B-Consuegra Antonio (Ky).

+ Peppermint Bay, f, 2, Defensive Play--Triflin Gal (SW, \$168,906), by Country Boy Jim. LRL, 8-13, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-Kevin & Allan G Lavin Jr (Ky). *\$5,500 yrl '96 KEESEP; \$14,500 2yo 1997 FTMMAY.

Ms Versatility, f, 2, Opening Verse--Delma, by Theatrical (Ire). RKM, 8-13, 5f, 1:01 3/5. B-Mcdonnell Francis (Fl).

Ruby Hill, c, 2, Pentelicus--Ruby Wax, by Gallant Romeo. SAR, 8-13, (S), 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-Robsham E Paul (NY).

+ Hurricane Bertie, f, 2, Storm Boot--Clever Bertie, by Timeless Native. ELP, 8-12, 5 1/2fT, 1:02 4/5. B-Klein Bert (Ky). *Second winner for freshman sire, Storm Boot (Storm Cat).

Legion of Doom, c, 3, Alwuhush--Eloped, by Blushing Groom (Fr). ELP, 8-13, 1 1/8mT, 1:49. B-Alan S Kline & Koichiro Hayata (Md). *\$3,700 yrl '95 KEESEP; \$11,500 2yo 1996 FTMMAY.

Courier Du Prix, f, 3, Apalachee--Tico's Regent, by Vice Regent. WOX, 8-13, 1 1/4mT, 2:08 4/5. B-Minshall Farm Div of Fiesta Barbeques Ltd (Can).

Biennale, g, 3, Carnivalay--Trillora Gold, by Strike Gold. LRL, 8-13, 1 1/8m, 1:55. B-Wettach Michael F (Md).

Proven Cure, c, 3, Cure the Blues--Lady Brigand, by Pancho Villa. APX, 8-13, 1m, 1:37. B-Dr William A Reed & Stonecrest Farm (Ky).

Furlough, f, 3, Easy Goer--Blitey (MGSW, \$297,746), by Riva Ridge. SAR, 8-13, 6 1/2f, 1:19 3/5. B-Phipps Stable (Ky). * 1/2 to Dancing Spree (Nijinsky II), MGISW, \$1,470,484; Fantastic Find (Mr. Prospector), GISW, \$335,410; Dancing All Night (Nijinsky II), GSW, \$185,420.

Echo Dancer, g, 3, Eastern Echo--Cherry Lady, by Bold Lad. DMR, 8-13, (C), 5 1/2 f, 1:03. B-Brandyleigh Farms, Inc (Ky). *1/2 to Back Bay Barrister (Big Spruce), GISW, \$135,723. **\$40,000 yrl '95 FTKJUL; \$55,000 2yo BESMAR.

Melis Melis, f, 3, Executive Order--Ms. Sunny B., by Sunny's Halo. TDN, 8-13, 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-South River Ranch (Il).

Handy Lad, c, 3, Hansel--Lucy Gayheart, by Golden Ruler. ELP, 8-13, 1 1/8mT, 1:46 4/5. B-Fisher Mary V (Ky).

Three Sevens, c, 3, Nasty and Bold--Now Hear This, by Verbatim. MTH, 8-13, (S), 6f, 1:11 2/5. B-Maraspin L (NJ). *\$8,500 2yo 1996 FTMMAY.

Tuzla (Fr), f, 3, Panoramic (GB)--Turkeina (Fr), by Kautokeino. DMR, 8-13, 1 1/8mT, 1:50 2/5. B-Ecurie Maulepaire.

+ Zorra, f, 3, Silent Fox--La Strada, by Americo. MTH, 8-13, 6f, 1:11. B-Hudson Ladona (Tx).

Jubilee Jig, f, 3, Shotiche--Born to Spend, by His Majesty. WOX, 8-13, 7f, 1:25 4/5. B-O'Neil Earl (Can).

Speed of Sound, c, 3, Stop the Music--Rorty, by Super Concorde. WOX, 8-13, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:17 3/5. B-Christopher Fung & Patrick Fung (Can).

Tripleprized, c, 4, Prized--Sasafrass Rose, by Al Nasr (Fr). BMF, 8-13, 1m, 1:34 2/5. B-Cardiff Stud Farms (Ca). *\$62,000 2yo 1995 BESAPR.

+ G. R. Rabbit, c, 4, Tex R. Rabbit--Faffy G., by Capital Idea. MTH, 8-13, (S), 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Doyle James (NJ).

BREEDERS' CUP NATIONAL STAKES RACE CLOSINGS



CLOSES	TRACK	RACE	CONDITIONS	PURSE	RUNS
8-15	HST	The Breeders' Cup Lassie S.	2yo, f, 6 1/2f	\$65,000	8-24
8-23	BEL	Belmont Breeders' Cup H. (GIII)	3yo/up, 1 1/16mT	\$200,000	9-06

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