

THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS*

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☆ INTERNATIONAL ☆

SHEIK MOHAMMED PURCHASES INTEREST IN TOP GERMAN SIRE

In an event unprecedented in German thoroughbred history, Sheik Mohammed al Maktoum has purchased a 10.8-percent interest in leading European second-crop sire Lomitas (GB) (Niniski). The 11-year-old will remain at Gestut Fahrhof in Germany and stand the 2000 breeding season for a stud fee of DM38,000 (\$19,841). Lomitas' book will be limited to 65 mares, though to date 125 applications have been received. Sheik Mohammed will be entitled to send seven mares to the stallion. A three-time Group 1 winner and multiple champion in Germany, Lomitas is the sire of the 1998 highweight German two year old and 1999 G2 German 2000 Guineas winner Sumitas (Ger) and this year's G1 Deutsches Derby hero Belenus (Ger).

OAKS TRIPLE FOR RAMRUMA

With the English and Irish Oaks already in the bag, Ramruma (Diesis {GB}) completed a famous hat-trick of Oaks wins with a score in yesterday's Yorkshire Oaks at York Racecourse in England, repelling all challenges throughout the length of the long straight for her third Group 1 success. The win also brought a tremendous gesture from her owner. Prince Fahd Salman promised to give £5,000 to the Spinal Injuries Association should his filly win and in the euphoria of the winner's circlethat figure was doubled. Mary Stuart (Ire) (Nashwan) went straight to the lead but jockey Pat Eddery, unhappy with the moderate pace, sent Ramruma to the front after only two furlongs. She still held sway with three furlongs to run, but the challenges were beginning to mount as Noushkey (GB) (Polish Precedent) and Zahrat Dubai (GB) (Unfuwain) made brief vet fruitless bids. Ramruma was game in front and still had more to offer as Ela Athena (Ire) (Ezzoud {Ire}) came down the wide outside to deliver one final challenge. Ramruma kept up a relentless gallop and won with a bit in hand. Salman said, "If I could sum it up in just one word I would say 'smashing.' As far as the Arc and St Leger are concerned, the plans are still open as I haven't made up my mind yet, but I think I will keep her in training as a four-year-old. She's very lazy but she wouldn't let anything pass her."

Yesterday, York, England:

ASTON UPTHORPE YORKSHIRE OAKS-G1, £196,500, York, England, 8-18, 3yo/up, f/m, 11f 195ydsT, 2:29.17, gd.

- 1--RAMRUMA, 120, f, 3, by Diesis (GB)
 1st Dam: Princess Of Man (Ire) (GSW-GB), by Green God (GB)
 2nd Dam: White Legs (GB), by Preciptic (GB)
 3rd Dam: Caspian Sea (GB), by Tehran (GB)
 O-H R H Prince Fahd Salman; B-Newgate Stud Farm
 Inc; T-Henry Cecil; J-Pat Eddery; £119,500. Lifetime
 Record: 7-5-1-1, £433,788. *Full to Ausherra, SW,
 MGSP-GB; Royal Scimitar, SW-GB.
- 2--Ela Athena (GB), 120, f, 3, Ezzoud (Ire)--Crodelle (Ire), by Formidable. (29,000gns yrl '97 TAOCT). O-Andreas Michael; B-Biddestone Stud; £43,950.
- 3--Silver Rhapsody, 130, f, 4, Silver Hawk--Sister Chrys, by Fit To Fight. (\$195,000 yrl '96 KEESEP). O-Lordship Stud; B-Jayeff B Stables (Ky); £20,850. Margins: 1 1/4, 2, HF. Odds: 5-6, 33-1, 11-1. Also ran: Zahrat Dubai (GB), Mary Stuart (Ire), Mistle Song (GB), Cerulean Sky (Ire), Noushkey (GB), Calando, Sunspangled (Ire), Lady In Waiting (GB).

SPRINTERS LINE UP AT YORK

Another rung on the ladder toward the European champion sprinter will be climbed at York today, and Stravinsky will be short odds to confirm the excellent form he showed when running away with the G1 July Cup at Newmarket July 8. This will be no formality, as he faces a furlong shorter trip and softer ground conditions. Adding to those concerns, he also faces some stern opposition, most notably from Sainte Marine, second in this event last year. This French-trained filly has been in smart form this season and was a highly convincing winner of the G2 Prix du Gros Chene at Chantilly June 5. She has since finished third in the G2 King's Stand S. at Royal Ascot June 18, and should have an outstanding chance here. Lochangel, last year's winner, has had this as her main target all season. She was second to Tipsy Creek in the G2 Temple S. at Sandown May 31, and was fourth in the King's Stand S. Flanders was second in the King's Stand S. and enters calculations on that form alone. She has solid each-way claims. (Nunthorpe S. field p2)



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RAMRUMA



Today, York, England, post time 3:55 p.m. PERSIMMON HOMES NUNTHORPE S.-G1, £155,000, 2vo/up. 5fT

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SC	(PP)	HORSE (Sire)	TRAINER	WT		
1	(15)	Afaan (Ire) (Cadeaux Genereux {GB})	Marvin	135		
2	(4)	Almaty (Ire) (Dancing Dissident)	Muir	135		
3	(5)	Averti (Ire) (Warning {GB})	Muir	135		
4	(8)	Cortachy Castle (Ire) (Pips Pride {GB})	Meehan	135		
5	(2)	Dashing Blue (GB) (Dashing Blade {GB})	I Balding	135		
6	(6)	Night Flight (GB) (Night Shift)	Fahey	135		
7	(9)	Night Shot (GB) (Night Shift)	I Balding	135		
8	(3)	Proud Native (Ire) (Imp Society)	Nicholls	135		
9	(12)	Rambling Bear (GB) (Sharrood)	Blanshard	135		
10	(11)	Tipsy Creek (Dayjur)	Hanbury	135		
11	(14)	Rosselli (Puissance {GB})	Berry	133		
12	(10)	Sheer Viking (Ire) (Danehill)	B Hills	133		
13	(13)	Stravinsky (Nureyev)	A O'Brien	133		
14	(7)	Lochangel (GB) (Night Shift)	I Balding	132		
15	(1)	Sainte Marine (Ire) (Kenmare {Fr})	R Collet	132		
16	(16)	Flanders (Ire) (Common Grounds {GB})	T Easterby	130		

☆ RESULTS ☆

Yesterday, York, England:

SCOTTISH EQUITABLE GIMCRACK S.-G2, £119,390, York, England, 8-18, 2yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:11.51, gd.

- 1--#@MULL OF KINTYRE, 123, c, 2, by Danzig
 1st Dam: Retrospective, by Easy Goer
 2nd Dam: Hay Patcher, by Hoist The Flag
 3rd Dam: Turn To Talent, by *Turn-To
 (\$1,000,000 yrl '98 KEEJUL). O-Susan Magnier &
 Michael Tabor; B-Georgia E Hofmann (Ky); T-Aidan
 O'Brien; J-Michael Kinane; £71,565. Lifetime Record:
 3-2-1-0, £83,461.
- 2--Ma Yoram, 123, c, 2, Dayjur--Quelle Affaire (GB), by Riverman. O-Sheikh Ahmed bin Rashid al Maktoum; B-Clovelly Farms (Ky); £26,565.
- 3--Bally Pride (Ire), 123, c, 2, Pips Pride (GB)--Ballysnip (Ire), by Ballymore (Ire) (13,500gns wnlg '97 TADEF; 13,043gns yrl '98 GOOC1). O-Mrs Jennifer E Pallister; B-P J B O'Callaghan; £12,815.

Margins: 3, 1 1/4, SHD. Odds: 4-5, 9-2, 33-1.

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Gimcrack S. cont

Also ran: Day Journey, Foe (Ire), Trajan (Ire), Compton Banker (Ire), Full Flow, Petary (GB), Zabionic (Ire).

Gaining ample compensation for his defeat by City On A Hill in the G3 July S. at Newmarket July 7, Mull Of Kintyre simply ground the opposition down to score his first Group win. In doing so, he afforded his owners the opportunity of making the traditional winner's speech at the Gimcrack Dinner later in the year. With the victory, Mull Of Kintyre became the first Irishtrained winner of the race since Nebbiolo in 1976. Breaking well, he raced prominently in the third lane off the the rail as Foe dictated the early tempo, with Ma Yoram racing widest of all in fourth. Approaching the final quarter, it became apparent that Mull Of Kintyre was travelling best of all and it was only a question of when Mick Kinane's patience for sitting handy ran out. The question was no sooner asked than answered as Mull Of Kintyre guickened clear approaching the final furlong and settled the matter in an instant. He was only kept up to his work to score in convincing style. Ma Yoram was not disgraced by the obviously highclass winner and ran on well to secure second place. Bally Pride kept on well from the rear and proved best of the others when taking third from Day Journey (Dayjur) close to home. Winning co-owner Michael Tabor said, "He's up there with the best that we've got, without saying he is the best. It's difficult to gauge these things with two-year-olds. We haven't discussed a plan for him at this stage; it is just a question of taking it one step at a time."

Yesterday, Saratoga Race Course: SARATOGA SPECIAL S.-GII, \$150,000, SAR, 8-18, 2vo, 6 1/2f, 1:17 3/5, ft.

- 1--#@BEVO, 117, c, 2, by Prospectors Gamble
 1st Dam: Wheatly Way (SW), by Wheatly Hall
 2nd Dam: Family Way, by Cyane
 3rd Dam: Family Line, by Double Jay
 (\$31,000 wlng '97 KEENOV; \$75,000 yrl '98
 KEESEP). O-Peter Callahan; B-Woodbridge Farm Inc
 (KY); T-William Badgett Jr; J-E S Prado; \$90,000.
 Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-1, \$148,228.
- 2--Afternoon Affair, 114, c, 2, Black Tie Affair (Ire)--Ballad, by Ogygian. O/B-B & R Roberts (Ky); \$30,000.
- 3--Settlement, 114, c, 2, Kris S.--Prospectora, by Mr. Prospector. (\$360,000 yrl '98 KEESEP). O-Edward P Evans & Lee Lewis; B-Jamm Ltd & Haras du Mezeray (Ky); \$16,500.

Margins: 2HF, 1, 8. Odds: 3.90, 0.80, 13.30. Also Ran: Bulling, Dance Master, Gone Super. Scratched: House Burner.

Ten 1999 SW for Dixieland Band, incl. three in August:

Grade 2 Winner A Lady From Dixie, Grade 3 Winner Dixie Union & Listed Winner Delta Music



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Saratoga Special cont.

With pro-tem leader More Than Ready staying in the barn awaiting the GI Hopeful S. Sept. 4, the Saratoga Special presented an opportunity for Eastern juveniles to help themselves to graded-stakes credentials. Bevo proved himself most capable as he returned from a two-month layoff to capture his first added-money event. After breaking his maiden by two lengths at Aqueduct Apr. 29, Bevo had some trouble when third to More Than Ready in the Flash S. at Belmont June 4. The chestnut colt then trounced an allowance field at Belmont June 18 in his most recent start. Drawing the outside, Bevo veered right at the break, but settled quickly in fourth as Afternoon Affair and Dance Master (Gone West) dueled through fractions of :21 4/5 and :45 1/5. Bevo launched his bid three wide off the turn and drew clear through the lane under a drive. "Today, it looked like there was plenty of speed, so we took back to make one run," said winning trainer Billy Badgett. "We'll think about the Hopeful, but...I think hell be better going longer. Our plan all along is to get him stretched out for the races later in the year." Winning jockey Edgar Prado captured his second graded stakes in two days after piloting Regally Appealing in Monday's GII Adirondack S. "He shot through at the top of the stretch and kept going," said Prado. "He's still learning with every race." Favored Afternoon Affair held gamely after his pace battle and will return to fight another day. "We'll nominate him for the Hopeful, and see what develops," said trainer Stanley Hough.

Yesterday, Del Mar:

BEST PAL S.-GIII, \$150,000, DMR, 8-18, 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:16 2/5, ft.

- 1--DIXIE UNION, 121, c, 2, by Dixieland Band 1st Dam: She's Tops GSW, \$200,880), by Capote 2nd Dam: She's A Talent, by Mr. Prospector 3rd Dam: Paintbrush, by Bold Hour (\$425,000 yrl '98 KEEJUL). O-Diamond A Racing Corp & Sarkowsky; B-Herman Sarkowsky (KY); T-Richard Mandella; J-A Solis; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$178,620.
- 2--Exchange Rate, 117, c, 2, Danzig--Sterling Pound, by Seeking the Gold. (\$1,400,000 yrl '98 KEEJUL). O-Padua Stables; B-Philip Freedman (KY); \$30,000.
- 3--Captain Steve, 117, c, 2, Fly So Free--Sparkling Delite, by Vice Regent. (\$12,000 wlng '97 KEENOV; \$70,000 yrl '98 FTKJUL). O-Pegram Michael E; B-Roger Laubach (KY); \$18,000.

Margins: HF, 5HF, 4HF. Odds: 1.40, 4.70, 2.50. Also Ran: Hugh Hefner, Caller One. Scratched: Magical Dragon.

Best Pal S. cont

The field for the Best Pal sported a combined nine wins in 11 starts, including the two-for-two record achieved by Dixie Union. The 2.40-1 favorite in his June 13 debut at Hollywood Park, the dark bay allowed himself to be taken off a very hot pace set that day by Caller One (Phone Trick), then collared and passed that rival to win by 1 1/2 lengths. Give five weeks, Dixie Union next appeared in the GIII Hollywood Juvenile Championship and dueled on the lead with Excahnge Rate, eventually getting the better of that foe late while down on the inside to win by 1 1/4 lengths. Caller One set the early fractions with Exchange Rate in between horses in second and Dixie Union in a striking position from third. Entering the stretch, Caller One hoisted the white flag, and it was a rematch of the Hollywood race. Exchange Rate was a half length in front at the eighth pole with Dixie Union pinned on the rail, but the latter showed good courage and got up to nip Exchange Rate at the line. Winning trainer Dick Mandella commented, "Even as close as it was, it just seemed he had that look about him turning for home that he was the dominant force there and that's the way it was." Added winning rider Alex Solis, "I think he is going to be one of those horses who doesn't win by many. But I think he is going to do lot of winning." The closing day GII Del Mar Futurity Sept. 8 is next for the winner and runner up.

Previews cont.

Today, York, England, post time 2:10 p.m. PEUGEOT LOWTHER S.-G2, £80,000, 2yo, f, 6fT SC (PP) HORSE (Sire) TRAINER A Jarvis 1 (1) Asturian Lady (Ire) (Zieten) 2 (7)Crimplene (Ire) (Lion Cavern) C Brittain 3 (6)Jemima (GB) (Owington {GB}) T Easterby 4 **B Hills** (2)Journalist (Ire) (Night Shift) Red Letter (GB) (Sri Pekan) 5 Hannon (4)6 Channon (5)Rowaasi (GB) (Green Desert) 7 (9) Seraphina (Ire) (Pips Pride {GB}) McMahon 8 (3)Tabheei (Ire) (Mujtahid) **B Hills** A O'Brien 9 (8) Warrior Queen (Quiet American)

All carry 123 pounds.

CURRENCY CONVERSIONS

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Lowther S. cont

Yet another Aidan O'Brien inmate makes the journey across the Irish Sea in an attempt for further Group race glory for the powerful Irish team. Warrior Queen is Ballydovle's representative and reopposes Rowaasi, who finished in front of her when they were third and second, respectively, in the G3 Queen Mary S. at Royal Ascot June 16. It is worth noting that Warrior Queen was reported to have hit her head when a touch fractious in the stalls and her performance was more creditable than the bare form would suggest. Journalist was most impressive on her debut when winning a maiden at Newmarket July 8, and she reaffirmed the promise of that run with a fine second in the G3 Princess Margaret S. at Ascot July 24. She looks a classy sort and has the necessary ability to figure.

Saturday, Saratoga Race Course:

ALABAMA S.-GI, \$400,000, 3yo, f, 1 1/4m

Champion Silverbulletday (Silver Deputy) breezed five furlongs over Saratoga's main track in 1:00 2/5 Tuesday. The three-year-old filly galloped out six furlongs in 1:12 3/5 and is expected to face five other rivals, including GI CCA Oaks winner On a Soapbox (Mi Cielo).



PEDIGREE INSIGHTS



by Andrew Caulfield

JUDDMONTE INTERNATIONAL S.-G1, £346,150, York, England, 8-17, 3yo/up, 10f 85ydsT, 2:06.91, gd.

1--ROYAL ANTHEM, 131, c, 4, by Theatrical (Ire) 1st Dam: In Neon (B'mare of the Year, SW, \$111,595), by Ack Ack

2nd Dam: Shamara, by Dewan

3rd Dam: Palsy Walsy, by Sea O Erin

Royal Anthem--the Theatrical colt billed by owner Ahmed Salman as the best horse in the world--is yet another rich dividend that Salman's Thoroughbred Corporation has reaped from Barretts' select sale of two-vear-olds.

It was at the 1996 sale that Salman paid a sale-topping \$900,000 for a filly by Storm Cat out of the Ack Ack mare In Neon. Although the filly had cost no more than \$205,000 at Saratoga, her new owner declared that, "I would have paid more if I had to. She's lovely--a perfect 10." This assessment proved spot on, because the filly, named Sharp Cat, went on to earn over \$2,000,000 in a career that featured seven Grade 1 wins at up to nine furlongs.

Sharp Cat had notched up three of those Grade I wins by the time her half brother by Theatrical was consigned by Kirkwood Stables to Barretts' 1997 sale. Although the Thoroughbred Corporation team had to go to such prices as \$1,000,000 and \$900,000 to secure other yearlings, they was able to purchase the Theatrical colt--the future Royal Anthem--for \$500,000. The colt now looks an even bigger bargain than Sharp Cat, with considerable future earnings surely awaiting him on the track and at stud.

Royal Anthem and Sharp Cat were both sired by grandsons of Northern Dancer, but the two grandsons involved are very different types. Whereas Storm Cat is a robust, powerful sort who gained the bulk of his earnings at two, Theatrical is a tall, narrow individual who earned most of his fortune as a five-year-old. Both, of course, have proved to be very good sires, serving somewhat different sections of the industry.

As a champion turf performer at around 1 1/2 miles, Theatrical has naturally tended to sire horses who excel over 1 1/2 miles or more, enjoying worldwide success thanks to such as Zagreb, Broadway Flyer, Portway Player, Duda, Hishi Amazon, Auntie Mame, Dahlia's Dreamer, Marchand de Sable and Vaudeville. However, Theatrical has also sired some very notable winners at shorter distances, including Madeleine's Dream, Geri, Pharma, Apolda and Golden Treat, with the aid of mares by the likes of Tyrant, Mr. Prospector, Hagley and Blushing Groom.

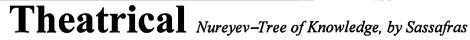
Royal Anthem's dam In Neon was a stakes winner over 8 1/2 furlongs as a five-year-old but his broodmare sire, Ack Ack, defied categorization. In earning the title of Horse of the Year in 1971 he won stakes races over 5 1/2, 7, 8 1/2, 9 and 10 furlongs, so he possessed speed allied to a sizeable measure of stamina. His name has tended to become associated with stamina, thanks to the Derby successes of his son Teenoso and of Benny The Dip, a colt out of an Ack Ack mare, and the 1 1/4-mile Grade I successes of Broad Brush. However, Henry Cecil is convinced that Royal Anthem is better at 1 1/4 miles than 1 1/2 miles, despite the colt's win in the Canadian International. The next dam, Shamara, was by Dewan, an important winner at up to 1 1/4 miles, but it is worth pointing out that she was bred along similar lines to Rousillon, a top-class European colt who never ventured beyond a mile. Whereas Shamara was by a grandson of Nasrullah out of Palsy Walsy, Rousillon was by a grandson of Nasrullah out of a daughter of Palsy Walsy.

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KEENELAND TO SELL MELLON HORSES The remaining horses owned by the estate of Paul Mellon, including Kentucky Derby winner Sea Hero, will be dispersed by Keeneland beginning in September. The Mellon Estate will sell 10 yearlings in September and 10 broodmares and Sea Hero during Keeneland's November Breeding Stock Sale. Among the yearlings to be sold in September are fillies by Seeking the Gold and Kingmambo and colts by Unbridled and Gilded Time. The mares selling in November are Coronation Cup (Chief's Crown) in foal to Coronado's Quest; See You (Gulch) in foal to Quiet American; and You'd be Surprised (Blushing Groom {Fr}) in foal to Pulpit.

FASIG-TIPTON SARATOGA RESULTS Trainer Niall O'Callaghan, agent, made a final bid of \$120,000 to take home World Storm (Summer Squall), the sales topper at Tuesday's Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Horses of Racing Age and Two-Year-Olds Sale. The unraced twoyear-old, out of the Globe mare Bestofbothworlds, was consigned to the sale by Parrish Farms. The highestpriced horse of racing age was Political Folly (Deputy Minister). The three-year-old colt, consigned by Scotty Schulhofer, agent, was purchased for \$80,000 by Kenneth and Sarah Ramsey. Fasig-Tipton sold 34 twoyear-olds for \$744,200 for an average of \$21,888. Last year, 31 juveniles sold for \$703,200 and an average of \$22,684. A total of 32 horses of racing age sold Tuesday for \$402,400 and an average of \$12,575. Last year, 41 sold for \$455,700 and an average of \$11,115.

MEMO COLT TOPS AT CTBA SALE A colt by Memo (Chi)--Nevis (Cox's Ridge) fetched \$110,000 to top Tuesday night's final session of the California Thoroughbred Breeders Association's Del Mar Yearling Sale. Richard Matlow, agent, made the final bid to buy the yearling from the consignment Yearsley Bloodstock, agent. During the two-day sale, 109 horses sold for \$4,011,000. The average was \$36,798 and the median was \$30,000.

STAKES CLOSINGS

TOMORROW, FRIDAY, AUGUST 20: 10-30 \$250,000 Wells Fargo California Cup Classic, SA, 3yo/up, SJ, 9f, (100)



NEWYORK 5

Yesterday's Results:

8th-SAR, \$50,000, Alw, 3yo, 1 1/8mT, 1:46 2/5, fm. 1--MONARCH'S MAZE, 115, c, 3, Kingmambo--Puzzle Book (SW, \$111,425), by Text. O-Live Oak

Plantation; B-Live Oak Stud (FL); T-Patrick J Kelly. Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-3, \$69,300. *1/2 to Brock Street (Afleet), GSW, \$344,668; Mysteriously (Afleet), MGSW, \$659,579

2--Gold From the West, 117, f, 3, West By West--Quimper, by Palace Music.

3--Rhythmean, 119, g, 3, Sun Master--White Brandy, by General Holme.

Margins: 5HF, 1, 1HF. Odds: 10.70, 7.70, 32.25.

Monarch's Maze showed impressive accleration when breaking his maiden in his most recent start at Belmont July 16 which marked his second turf start. Returning against winners here, the bay colt was unhurried early at the back of the pack before advancing four wide on the turn. Monarch's Maze came five wide into the stretch and drew off under a hand ride.

3rd-SAR, \$44,000, Alw, 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:23 1/5, ft. COUNTRY HIDEAWAY (f, 3, Seeking the Gold--Our Country Place, by Pleasant Colony) broke her maiden June 17 at Belmont and came back to score in a Spa allowance July 31. The 4-5 chalk gave her most impressive performance yet as she stalked the pace, took over on the turn and drew off by 5 1/2 lengths under a hand ride. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$75,600.

O-O Phipps. B-Phipps Stable (KY). T-C McGaughey III.

5th-SAR, \$43,000, Alw, 3/up, 1 3/16mT, 1:53 1/5, fm. MEDIEVIL HERO (c, 3, Sea Hero--Evil Elaine {SW, \$119,729}, by Medieval Man) returned to the sight of his maiden win and notched his first victory of the year. Most recently eighth to Stellar Brush and Ecton Park in the GII Ohio Derby July 24, the 6-1 shot made his second start on the lawn as he prompted the pace, took over leaving the turn and widened for a 6 1/4-length romp. He is a 1/2 to Cold N Calculating (It's Freezing), SW, \$417,595; Favorite Trick (Phone Trick), Horse of the Year, Ch. 2yo Colt, MGISW, \$1,726,793. Lifetime Record: GISP, 12-2-3-2, \$97,820. O-Lacombe Stables. B-Mr & Mrs M L Wood (KY). T-William I Mott.



BREEDERS' CUP NATIONAL STAKES RACE CLOSINGS

CLOSESTRACKRACE8-25DmrDel Mar Breeders' Cup H. (GII)8-28BelGarden City Breeders' Cup H. (GII)

3yo/up, 1m 3yo, f, 1 1/8mT

CONDITIONS

PURSE RUNS \$200,000 9-5 \$200,000 9-12 \$150,000 9-11

8-29 RP Edward J. DeBartolo Sr. Memorial Breeders' Cup 3yo/up, 11fT

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New York Report cont.

2nd-SAR, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft. MELODY MAKER (f, 3, Stop the Music--Baldski's Holiday, by Baldski), a full to Illeria, GSW, \$392,692, had some trouble when third in her most recent start July 24 at Monmouth. The 10-1 shot was outrun early, swung wide coming off the turn and closed determinedly to win by 1 1/2 lengths. Melody Maker was a \$60,000 KEESEP yearling and a \$70,000 KEEAPR juvenile. Lifetime Record: 8-1-3-1, \$47,240. O-Tracy Farmer. B-Fares Farm Inc (KY). T-Nicholas P Zito.

6th-SAR, \$40,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft. SOUTHERN REVEILLE (f, 3, Dixieland Band--Glorious Morning, by Graustark), a full to Jambalaya Jazz, MGSW, \$503,200, was sent off as the even-money choice in her first start since last October. The gray filly raced close up, advanced three wide on the turn and scampered away through the stretch to a four-length victory. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-0, \$31,600.

O-Joan G & John W Phillips. B-Phillips Racing Partnership (KY). T-James J Toner.

Rage Moving to New York

Six-year-old Rage (Gulch--Waya {Fr}, by Faraway Son) will stand the 2000 season at Silvernails Farm near Pine Plains, NY. A full brother to graded stakes winner and 1999 freshman sire De Niro, Rage stood his first season this year at High Mark Farms in Ocala, Fl. Stakes-placed Rage is also a half brother to stakes winners Vidalia (Nijinsky II) and Sofitina (Alydar).

☆ MIDWEST ☆

Yesterday's Results:

7th-HAW, \$26,400, Msw, 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5, ft. +SAVOY'S PRINCE (c, 2, Geiger Counter--Desert Angel, by Desert Wine) got his career off on the right track with this professional debut score. The \$85,000 KEESEP yearling raced close up while fifth, rallied through the stretch and won going away by 1 3/4 lengths at odds of 9-1. He is a 1/2 to Sand Saint (Manzotti), SW, \$116,610; Desert Air (Manzotti), GSW, \$326,051; and Desert Demon (Manzotti), SW & GSP, \$254,830. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$15,840. O-Marc Goldish & Savoy Stable. B-Mt Brilliant Farm LLC (KY). T-Wayne M Catalano.

1st-ELP, \$22,800, Msw, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39, ft. MARKET MOVER (g, 3, Kingmambo--Mime {Ire}, by Cure the Blues) made two starts in Ireland, finishing second in his June 6 debut at Cork and third in a Roscommon maiden eight days later. Returning to his native land, the \$95,000 KEESEP yearling purchase rated between rivals early, rallied wide entering the stretch and outgamed favored Fargo (Mr. Prospector) by a neck at odds of 9-1. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$16,112.

O-J D Gunther. B-Robert N Clay (Ky). T-Dallas Stewart.

5th-ELP, \$22,600, Msw, 2yo, 7f, 1:26 4/5, ft. +DEPUTY WARLOCK (c, 2, Silver Deputy--Date Stone, by Forty Niner), a \$220,000 KEESEP yearling, lit up the board at 27-1 with this debut score. Dueling for the early lead, the bay colt inched ahead on the turn and gamely prevailed by a length over Miner's Prize (Miner's Mark). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$14,094. O-Select Stable. B-Mt. Brilliant Farm LLC (KY). T-Kenneth G McPeek.

☆ SO. CALIFORNIA ☆

Yesterday's Results:

6th-DMR, \$62,000, Alw, Opt. Clm. (\$80,000), 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:48, fm.

BOLD WORDS (h, 5, Bold Ruckus--Trillium Woods, by Briartic) came to the U.S. at the end of December and showed five on-the-board finishes in as many starts, including a third-place finish in his most recent effort over the Hollywood main track June 4. Back on the turf for this, the chestnut pulled his way along while stalking the early pace, circled three wide into the stretch and proved 3/4 lengths the best at 8-1. Lifetime Record: 21-4-5-2, \$132,908.

O-Gary Tanaka. B-Crow's Nest & Hermitage Farm (On). T-B D A Cecil.

8th-DMR, \$48,000, Msw, 3/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36 1/5, fm. NO MALO (f, 3, Bien Bien--Jeanie's Gift, by Gulch) began her career on the main track with a seventh-place result at Santa Anita, before finishing three times second in four turf starts. Back on the local main track for her last Aug. 1, the chestnut was a well-beaten eighth. Stepping back on to the lawn for this effort, the \$50,000 KEESEP yearling saved ground while chasing the loose leader, came outside of that one on the second turn, was three lengths clear with a furlong to run then held on to win by three parts of a length as the 7-2 third choice. Lifetime Record: 7-1-3-0, \$54,360. O-Desperado Stables. B-John A Toffan & Trudy McCaffery (KY). T-Ted H West.

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Delivery Could Be Special at Del Mar:

Trainer Bob Baffert, who tasted success in the GI Eddie Read with South American import Joe Who (Brz), sends out Argentinian-bred Delivery (Political Ambition) in this afternoon's fourth race at Del Mar for "non-winners of three races other than" to be contested at 1 1/16 miles on the turf. A dual G1 winner in her native country, the bay has trained well over the main track as well as the grass since being purchased for an undisclosed amount by Stonerside Stable, for whom Baffert also trains super two-year-old filly Chilukki.

☆ FOREIGN ☆

AMERICAN-BRED WINNER IN SCOTLAND

Ledham, c, 3, Diesis (GB)--First Tracks, by Alleged.

Musselburgh, 8-18, Brunton Theatre Maiden S.,

3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, \$4,147 to winner. O-Saeed Suhail;

B-Burning Daylight Farm; T-Sir Michael Stoute.

*\$185,000 yrl '97 KEESEP.

AMERICAN BRED WINNER IN FRANCE:

Landlocked, f, 3, Unbridled--Land Shark (Fr), by Pitskelly (Ire). Deauville, 8-18, Prix de l'Eure (Cond.), 3yo, 1 1/4mT, \$11,920 to winner. O-Mrs A O'Reilly; B-West Star Bloodstock; T-Pascal Bary.

SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY AMERICAN SIRES:

Smytzer's Defence (NZ), c, 3, Defensive Play--Western Hula (NZ), by Western Symphony. Sandown (Victoria), 8-17, Soho Square H., 3yo, c/g, 6 1/2fT, \$9,533 to winner. B-Mr D B Gardner; T-David Hall.

Sing Hallelujah (Aus), f, 3, Is It True--Pucesca (Aus), by Marscay (Aus). Belmont (West Australia), 8-18, Monaghan H., 3yo, f, 6fT, \$3,853 to winner. B-Mr T J Davenport; T-Mrs C A Stelmach.

The American Hours (Aus), c, 3, Regal Classic--Bespoken, by Danzig. Kyneton (Victoria), 8-17, Super VOBIS Maiden, 3yo, 5f 55ydsT, \$3,250 to winner. B-Mr K R Jospeh; T-Matthew Hyland.

Dark Blue (NZ), f, 3, Wallenda--Royal Cipher (NZ), by Imperial Seal (GB). Newcastle (New South Wales), 8-17, Boolaroo Auto Centre H., 3yo/up, 6fT, \$4,901 to winner. B-Wedgewood Stud Ltd; T-Neville McBurney.

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BREEDERS' EDITION

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

4th-DMR, \$50,000, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:16 4/5, ft.

CAPOTE'S CAPER (f, 3, Capote--Lemhi Love {MSW, \$265,723}, by Royal and Regal) Lifetime Record: 10-2-1-0, \$63,900. O-Robert B & Beverly J Lewis. B-Ray Stark (CA). T-Bob Baffert.

8th-MTH, \$43,500, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38 1/5, ft. CASSIDY'S CODE (f, 4, Better Arbitor--Sharon's Stunning, by Ziad) Lifetime Record: 33-7-8-1, \$126,076. O-Gumpster Stable. B-Kevin Sleeter (NJ). T-Patricia Farro.

4th-HAW, \$35,200, Opt. Clm. (\$40-35,000), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16 3/5, ft.

RUFF HALO (c, 4, Houston--Halomatic, by Halo) Life-time Record: 14-5-2-2, \$111,830. O-Cherrywood Racing Stables Inc. B-Donald Eberts (KY). T-Michele Boyce.

3rd-MTH, \$35,070, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 2/5, ft. STARKE BOUY (g, 5, Ferdinand--Erica's Fault, by Muttering) Lifetime Record: 44-9-6-6, \$159,828. O-The Write Stuff Stable. B-Liberty Farm (KY). T-John H Forbes.

6th-DEL, \$33,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 4/5, ft. H. F. BRIMSTONE (f, 3, Far North--Collision Course, by Macho Hombre) Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-0, \$65,625. O-Win More Stable. B-Mike Chainyk (CA). T-Tim F Ritchey.

8th-BMF, \$32,410, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5, ft. STOPALONG CADILLAC (g, 3, Strolling Along-Katherine Jean, by Temperence Hill) Lifetime Record: 9-2-0-1, \$39,935. O-Once Stable. B-Coal Creek Farm (WA). T-Howard Belvoir. *1/2 to Hilltown (Sabona), SW, \$153,349.

7th-DEL, \$31,600, 3yo/up, a1m70yd, 1:41 4/5, ft. TRYUMPHANT (c, 4, Corporate Report--Amber Ryder {MSW, \$152,312}, by Red Ryder) Lifetime Record: 31-2-6-6, \$132,610. O-John S Barberino. B-James M Herbener Jr & Paul V Paternostro (KY). T-Tim F Ritchey. *1/2 to Goldseeker Bud (Smile), GSW, \$164,178; Ashboro (Regal Classic), MSW & GISP, \$321,725.

9th-MTH, \$30,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :57 4/5, fm.
MAGGIE MAY'S SWORD (f, 3, Sword Dance
{Ire}--Little Cris Cross, by Apalachee) Lifetime Record:
14-3-2-1, \$58,665. O-Beverly Parezo & Steve Klesaris.
B-Cheryl A Curtin (FL). T-Steve Klesaris.



9th-HAW, \$28,600, (S), 3yo/up, a1 1/8mT, 1:49 2/5, fm.

MINOR WISDOM (c, 3, Major Impact--Alberta Johnson, by Upper Nile) Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$39,408. O/B-Carolyn K Friedberg (IL). T-Richard R Scherer.

8th-LRL, \$28,000, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 2/5, ft. GET THE PICTURE (c, 3, Private Terms--Valay Maid {MGSW & GISP, \$641,442}, by Carnivalay) Lifetime Record: SP, 11-3-4-1, \$72,723. O/B-Mrs Frank P Wright (MD). T-Donald H Barr.

7th-LRL, \$26,000, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36 2/5, fm. ON THE HORIZON (f, 3, Lord Avie--She'll Be Mine, by Fichte) Lifetime Record: 5-2-2-0, \$42,720. O/B-Four Horsemen's Ranch (FL). T-John E Salzman. *1/2 to Walkie Talker (American Standard), SW &MGSP, \$184,293.

MAIDEN WINNERS:

- Jostle, f, 2, Brocco--Moon Drone (SP, \$144,699), by Drone. MTH, 8-18, 1m, 1:39. B-Prestonwood Farm Inc (Ky).
- + Whatamichael, c, 2, Carnivalay--What a Gaylord (SP), by Lord Gaylord. LRL, 8-18, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5. B-John A Guest & Barbara A Anderson (Md).
- + Savoy's Prince, c, 2, Geiger Counter--Desert Angel, by Desert Wine. HAW, 8-18, 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Mt. Brilliant Farm LLC (Ky). *\$85,000 yrl '98 KEESEP. **1/2 to Sand Saint (Manzotti), SW, \$116,610; Desert Air (Manzotti), GSW, \$326,051; Desert Demon (Manzotti), SW & GSP, \$254,830.
- Harlan Traveler, c, 2, Harlan--Protostar, by Procida. ELP, 8-18, 7f, 1:25 4/5. B-Arthur B Hancock III (Ky). *\$52,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.
- Rockin Roy, f, 2, Roy--Kenwood Park (SP), by Al Nasr (Fr). DEL, 8-18, (C), 6f, 1:13 2/5. B-Green Willow Farms (Md). *\$10,000 yrl '98 FTMOCT. **1/2 to Goodtobeking (Premiership), MSW, \$132,455.
- + Deputy Warlock, c, 2, Silver Deputy--Date Stone, by Forty Niner. ELP, 8-18, 7f, 1:26 4/5. B-Mt. Brilliant Farm LLC (Ky). *\$220,000 yrl '98 KEESEP.

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- 9. CHILUKKI
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- Forever Always, f, 2, Sultry Song--Pray Lady, by Dixieland Band. WOX, 8-18, (C), 6 1/2f, 1:19 1/5.
 B-Patrick Ballentine Estate (On). *\$16,550 yrl '98 CBSOCT.
- Playasultrytune, c, 2, Sultry Song--Tahila, by Slew the Knight. SAR, 8-18, (S), 5 1/2f, 1:05 3/5. B-Dr William B Wilmot & Dr Joan M Taylor (NY). *\$67,000 yrl '98 FTNAUG; \$17,000 yrl '98 KEEJAN; \$120,000 2yo '99 OBSFEB.
- + Meandmyloveman, c, 2, Way West (Fr)--Majestical, by Garthorn. HAW, 8-18, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:06 1/5. B-Michael Yates (Fl). *\$16,000 yrl '98 OBSAUG. **First winner for freshman sire (by Gone West).
- Night of the Comet, c, 3, Becker--Maggi C., by North Sea. DEL, 8-18, 5 1/2f, 1:05. B-Mr & Mrs Louis A Teletski (Pa).
- No Malo, f, 3, Bien Bien--Jeanie's Gift, by Gulch. DMR, 8-18, 1mT, 1:36 1/5. B-John A Toffan & Trudy McCaffery (Ky). *\$50,000 yrl '97 KEESEP.
- Strings Attached, f, 3, Clever Trick--Princess Royalty (SW, \$106,600), by Slew's Royalty. DMR, 8-18, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:17 3/5. B-Harris Farms Inc (Ca).
- Southern Reveille, f, 3, Dixieland Band--Glorious Morning, by Graustark. SAR, 8-18, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Phillips Racing Partnership (Ky). *Full to Jambalaya Jazz, MGSW, \$503,200.
- Del's Time, f, 3, Gilded Time--Del Sovereign, by Sovereign Dancer. LRL, 8-18, (C), 6f, 1:12 3/5. B-Sondra & Howard M Bender (Md).
- Box Buster, c, 3, Housebuster--Quixotic Lady (MGSW & GISP, \$554,239), by Quadratic. DMR, 8-18, (C), 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-Foxfield (Ky). *\$85,000 yrl '97 KEESEP.
- Market Mover, g, 3, Kingmambo--Mime (Ire), by Cure the Blues. ELP, 8-18, 1m, 1:39. B-Robert N Clay (Ky). *\$95,000 yrl '97 KEESEP.
- Luck o' the Iris, c, 3, Lucky North--Oh Nyet, by Time for a Change. RKM, 8-18, a1m40yd, 1:44 2/5. B-High Mark Farms Inc (FI).
- Greny, f, 3, Stop the Music--Granny Ruth, by Key to the Mint. DMR, 8-18, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5. B-R Claypool & J Hyska (Ky). *\$30,000 yrl '97 KEESEP.
- Melody Maker, f, 3, Stop the Music--Baldski's Holiday (MSW & GSP, \$298,723), by Baldski. SAR, 8-18, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-Fares Farm Inc (Ky). *\$60,000 yrl '97 KEESEP; \$70,000 2yo '98 KEEAPR. **Full to Illeria, GSW, \$392,692.
- La Samanna, f, 3, Trempolino--Jewel of the Mile, by Spectacular Bid. LRL, 8-18, 1 1/16mT, 1:42 2/5. B-Cashmark Farms Inc (Ky). *\$55,000 yrl '97 KEESEP. **1/2 to Swift Appraisal (Star de Naskra), MSW, \$272,705.
- Virgin Stanza, f, 4, Opening Verse--Browser, by Nijinsky II. RKM, 8-18, 1 1/16mT, 1:48 1/5. B-Jerry D & Peggy F Woods, et al (Wa). *\$42,000 wlng '95 KEENOV. **1/2 to High Browser (Tom Rolfe), GSW, \$210,484.
- Myfirst 'n Lastluv, f, 4, Silent Tempest--My Sister Laura, by Imp Society. TDN, 8-18, 6f, 1:12 1/5. B-White Cross Farm (Ky).



THOROUGHBRED DAILY NEWS

★ EUROPEAN EDITION ★

Thursday, August 19, 1999

PRIX MORNY FIELD SHAPES UP

Bachir (Ire) (Desert Style {GB}), the John Gosden-trained Richmond S. winner, stable companion Warm Heart (USA) (Diesis {GB}), and the Peter Chapple-Hyam- trained Mount Abu (Ire) (Foxhound {GB}) are the three British acceptors for the G1 Prix Morny at Deauville this Sunday. Irish trainer Aidan O'Brien has left in Rossini (USA) (Miswaki {USA}), Fasliyev (USA) (Nureyev {USA}) and Buffalo Berry (Ire) (Sri Pekan {GB}). Godolphin's City On A Hill (USA) (Rahy {USA}), the July S. winner whose form was boosted by the success of the second Mull Of Kintyre (USA) (Danzig {USA}) at York yesterday, is one of the three French-trained acceptors in the six-furlong event.

BRITAIN

Yesterday's Results:

COSTCUTTER ROSES S.-Listed, £26,500, York, 8-18,

2vo, c/g, 5fT, 1:00.46, gd.

- 1--BUY OR SELL (IRE), 123, c, 2, Brief Truce (USA)--Repetitious (Ire) {GSP-Ire}, by Northfields (USA). (30,000gns wing '97 TADEF; 14,000gns yrl '98 TAOCT). O-Sporting Index Racing Club; B-R H Strudwick; T-Tim Easterby; J-John Carroll; £17,625. Lifetime Record: 6-3-3-0, £34,382. *1/2 to Sarhoob (USA) (Alydar {USA}), GSW-Fr, FF817,158; Sifting Gold (USA) (Slew o'Gold {USA}), GSW-Fr.
- 2--Alfailak (GB), 123, c, 2, Green Desert (USA)--Great Inquest (GB), by Shernazar (Ire). £5,250.
- 3--Melon Place (Ire), 123, c, 2, Dancing Dissident (USA)--Shikari Rose (GB), by Kala Shikari (Ire).

Margins: HD, 1 1/4, HF. Odds: 5-2, 7-2, 6-1. Also ran: Labrett (GB), Shinbone Alley (GB), Performing

Magic (USA), Kind Emperor (GB).

A winner just five days ago when successful by a head in a conditions event at Ripon, Buy Or Sell got up in the final strides to deny Alfailak and secure his first stakes win. Kind Emperor (GB) (Emperor Jones {USA}) led in advance of Melon Place and Shinbone Alley (GB) (Lake Coniston (Ire)) as Alfailak and Buy Or Sell raced in midpack with the field tightly bunched. Racing with a quarter-mile to go, Melon Place looked menacing on the outside as Shinbone Alley, Alfailak and Buy Or Sell moved up to challenge. The four were line abreast at the distance and Alfailak was the first to seize the initiative with 150 yards to run. (Cont.)

Costcutter Roses S., Cont.

Melon Place kept on as Shinbone Alley started to fade and it was left to Buy Or Sell to make the final challenge. He inched closer to the runner-up with every stride and grabbed the lead in the shades of the post to wrest victory from the game Alfailak. Melon Place held on well for third as Labrett (GB) (Tragic Role {USA}) made giant paces from the rear to take fourth. Winning trainer Tim Easterby said: "He is one of the toughest horses we have ever had. You run him, and then the next day he is absolutely spot on again. Having won at Ripon on Saturday, we were not going to run but after looking at the field (of entries) I could not resist it. He has always been a very quick horse so I was not really concerned about the drop back to five furlongs."

TOTE EBOR H. (Class B), £165,400, York, 8-18, 3yo/up, 13f 194ydsT, 2:54.48, gd.

- 1--VICIOUS CIRCLE (GB), 116, g, 5 Lahib (USA)--Tight Spin (GB), by High Top (Ire). O-David Metcalf and Jeff Samuel; B-W Macauley, Mrs Amanda Skiffington & Mrs Cunliffe-Lister; T-Luca Cumani; J-Kevin Darley; £109,350. Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-1, £126,994.
- 2--Travelmate (GB), 130, g, 5, Persian Bold (Ire)--Ustka (GB), by Lomond (USA). £32,850.
- 3--Mowbray (USA), 122, g, 4, Opening Verse (USA)--Peppy Raja (USA), by Raja Baba (USA). £15,850. Margins: 2, NK, 3/4. Odds: 11-1, 8-1, 14-1.

Lightly raced Vicious Circle came into this race off only two starts this campaign--including a win first time up in a Newcastle conditions event at the end of June and a good second in an Ascot handicap July 24. Well in rear for much of the race, he only began to close on the leaders well down the straight when switched for a clear run along the inner rail and quickened well to go clear a furlong out and run on strongly for a daylight win from the fast-finishing Travelmate, who was also runner-up in the Northumberland Plate at Newcastle at the end of June.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a + will denote winners who are first-time starters.

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Gr.2 Scottish Equitable Gimcrack S.

MULL OF KINTYRE

July Sale Graduate



7.30 Kempton, 'Bond Night' Conditions S. (Class C), £8,940, 8-18, 2yo, 7fT, 1:33.63, sf.
WINNING VENTURE (GB) (c, 2, Owington {GB}--Push A Button {Ire}, by Bold Lad {Ire}) settled in third behind the leader, Aretino (Ire) (Common Grounds {GB}), winner of his only previous start, until well down the straight. Making his challenge, the pacesetter more than a furlong out, Winning Venture grabbed the lead with a furlong to run, but then had to be hard ridden to see off the persistent Aretino, who would not go down without a fight. He prevailed by three-quarters of a length at 9-2 to give his freshman sire (by Green Desert {USA}) another winner. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, £7,276.
O-Dr Frank S B Chao; B-Woodsway Stud and Chao Racing & Bloodstock Ltd; T-Sean Woods; J-John Reid.

2.45 Brighton, Croft Original Maiden S. (Class D), £6,330, 8-18, 3yo/up, 7f 214ydsT, 1:40.30, sf. BAALBEK (GB) (f, 3, Barathea {Ire}--Temple Row {GB}, by Ardross {Ire}) was sent straight to the front from the start and tried to slip her field early in the straight when switched to race along the stands rails. The tactic appeared to have worked until the final furlong when she was headed by Global Concept (USA) (Warning {GB}), who looked the probable winner, but Baalbek fought back determinedly and just got up to win by a short head at odds of 9-2. Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-0, £5,571. O-Lord Hartington; B-Side Hill Stud; T-Luca Cumani; J-Michael Fenton.

3.35 Musselburgh, Fringe Classified S. (Cond.), £6,240, 8-18, 3yo/up, 7f 30ydsT, 1:29.30, gd/sf. PRIDE OF DINGLE (IRE) (c, 3, Dolphin Street {Fr}--Aneeda {GB}, by Rainbow Quest {USA}), always in the front rank, was hard-ridden a quarter-mile out to keep his place and ran on bravely to hold the strong late finish of Three Angels (Ire) (Houmayoun {Fr}), winning at odds of 9-1. Lifetime Record: 10-2-0-1, £15,531. O-Mike Dawson; B-J Keappock; T-Michael Bell; J-Richard Mullen.

6.30 Kempton, EBF 'Moneypenny' Maiden Fillies S. (Class D), £5,525, 8-18, 2yo, f, 7fT, 1:32.17, gd/sf. NAVAL AFFAIR (IRE) (f, 2, Last Tycoon {Ire}--Sailor's Mate {GB} {GSW-Ire}, by Shirley Heights {GB}), with the Stoute stable in such good form, was sent off the warm 5-4 favourite and justified the support, leading throughout and winning by a length from Island Princess (Ire) (Turtle Island {Ire}), who was always close up but could not quicken to catch the leader in the closing stages. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-1, £4,182.
O-Lord Weinstock; B-Ballymacoll Stud Farm Ltd; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Pat Eddery.

MISCELLANY...

Doncaster Bloodstock Sales Limited's Director and Auctioneer Michael White has succeeded the late Kenneth Oliver as vice chairman of the company...In the Wednesday, Aug. 18 edition of TDN-Euro, the sales information on the winner of the Acomb S., King's Best, was inadvertently omitted. The colt was a FF2,300,000 yearling purchase at the 1998 Deauville August sale.

4.35 Musselburgh, Brunton Theatre Maiden S. (Class D), £3,880, 8-18, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:54.20, gd/sf. LEDHAM (USA) (c, 3, Diesis {GB}--First Tracks {USA}, by Alleged {USA}) looked to have an easy opportunity to finally break his maiden in his eighth attempt and was sent off the 6-4 favourite. Racing close to the pace, the \$185,000 1997 Keeneland September yearling grabbed the lead well over a quarter mile out and was soon clear and ran out an easy seven-length winner. Lifetime Record: 9-1-3-2, £8,885.

O-Saeed Suhail; B-Burning Daylight Farm; T-Sir Michael Stoute; J-Fergal Lynch.

* FRANCE *

Yesterday's Results:

PRIX MICHEL HOUYVET-Listed, FF260,000, Deauville, 8-15, 3yo, 1 7/8mT, 3:25.50, vsf.

1--#COLOUR SCHEME (FR), 120, f, 3, Perrault (GB)--Perfect Rainbow (GB), by Rainbow Quest (USA).

O/B-Baron Thierry van Zuylen; T-David Smaga;

J-Dominique Boeuf; FF140,000. Lifetime Record:
4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, FF271,000.

2--Amilynx (Fr), 123, c, 3, Linamix (Fr)--Amen (USA), by Alydar (USA). FF48,000.

3--Casamasa (Ire), 123, c, 3, Sadler's Wells (USA)--Millieme (Ire), by Mill Reef (USA). FF36,000.

Margins: 3/4, HD, HF. Odds: 5.00, 4.00. Also ran: Lord Brex (Fr), Turtle Valley (Ire).

Having finished a respectable fourth to Prairie Runner (Ire) in the G3 Prix Minerve at Deauville July 14, Colour Scheme, the only filly in the race, recorded her first stakes win under a highly proficient ride. She led at a slow pace in advance of Turtle Valley (Ire) (Turtle Island (Ire)) during the early going. Turtle Valley joined Colour Scheme turning out of the back straight and went to the front entering the straight. Dominique Boeuf had kept plenty up his sleeve, however, and encouraged Colour Scheme back into the lead at the quarter-mile marker. She went two lengths clear of her rivals and that advantage was to prove decisive as none of the others could peg her back. Amilynx kept on resolutely for second without mounting a serious challenge and Casamasa ran on well for third. Winning trainer David Smaga said: "Colour Scheme is an improving filly and very courageous, who finds more everytime she runs. She will now be pointed to the G3 Prix de Lutece over 3000 meters at Longchamp Sept. 7."

2.25 Deauville, Prix de Bonneville (Class C) (Mdn.), 8-18, FF160,000, 2yo, 7½fT, 1:42.70, vsf. +TIMES (FR) (f, 2, Nureyev {USA}--Trevillari {USA}, by Riverman {USA}) exited the stalls sharply but was restrained in fourth as Beringneyev (Ire) (Bering {GB}) led. She was ridden at the quarter-mile marker, led 150 yards from the finish and ran on well for a comfortable two length win. Lifetime Record: 1 start, 1 win, FF80,000.

O-Mrs A Head; B-Alec & Ghislaine Head; T-Freddie Head; J-Davy Bonilla.



France, Cont.

2.55 Deauville, Prix de l'Eure (Class D) (Cond.), 8-18, FF140,000, 3yo, 1 1/4mT, 2:19.90, vsf.

LANDLOCKED (USA) (f, 3, Unbridled {USA}--Land Shark {Fr}, by Pitskelly {Ire}) raced close up in second as Hors La Loi (Fr) (Exit To Nowhere {USA}) led at a steady pace. She was ridden entering the straight, eventually got to the lead with a half furlong to run and was all out to hold off the strong late challenge of Maranta (Fr) (Marju {Ire}) by a nose. Lifetime Record: 4 starts, 2 wins, 2 places, FF143,000.

O-Mrs A O'Reilly; B-West Star Bloodstock; T-Pascal Bary; J-Sylvain Guillot.

★ GERMANY ★

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★ UNITED STATES ★

EUROPEAN SHIPPERS IN THE U.S.:

Yesterday's Results:

1st-Ellis Park, \$22,800, Msw, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:39, ft. MARKET MOVER (g, 3, Kingmambo--Mime {Ire}, by Cure the Blues) made two starts in Ireland, finishing second in his June 6 debut at Cork and third in a Roscommmon maiden eight days later. Returning to his native land, the \$95,000 KEESEP yearling purchase rated between rivals early, rallied wide entering the stretch and outgamed favored Fargo (Mr. Prospector) by a neck at odds of 9-1. Lifetime Record: 3-1-1-1, \$16,112.

O-John D Gunther. B-Robert N Clay (Ky). T-Dallas Stewart.

3rd-Saratoga, \$44,000, Alw, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23 1/5, ft. Enemy Action (USA) (Forty Niner {USA}) ran last of seven in her U.S. debut yesterday at Saratoga. The three-year-old filly, who had won her first two career starts in Europe for Henry Cecil and was fourth in the G2 Lowther S. at York, trailed the field throughout in her first-ever dirt start as the 8-1 fourth choice. The race was won by the Shug McGaughey-trained Country Hideaway (USA) (Seeking the Gold {USA}), who ran her record to three-for-three with a 5 1/4-length win.

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SO. HEMISPHERE WINNERS BY EUROPEAN SIRES: Cemaes (Aus), g, 3, Brief Truce (USA)--Anglesey (NZ), by King Island (Ire). Gold Coast (Queensland), 8-18, Southport Yacht Club H., 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$6,850 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes.

Dangerous (Aus), c, 3, Danehill (USA)--Antwerp (NZ) (SW-Aus), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Newcastle (New South Wales), 8-17, Parador Motors Plate, 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$4,600 to winner. B-Woodlands Stud; T-John Hawkes. *MG1SP-Aus.

Tycoon's Gold (Aus), f, 3, Last Tycoon (Ire)--Sound Gold (NZ) (GSW-Aus), by Sound Reason (Can). Bay Of Plenty (New Zealand), 8-18, BK & Jonny Breakfast Show Maiden, 3yo/up, 6fT, NZ\$3,250 to winner. B-Mr G W Henderson; T-Paul O'Sullivan.

Madame Conqueror (Aus), f, 3, Perugino (USA)-Anaconda (Aus), by Motavato (USA). Murray Bridge
(South Australia), 8-18, Bellotto H., 3yo/up, f/m, 6fT,
A\$4,140 to winner. B-Mr B & Mrs K F Pateyjohns &
Mr H Vogel; T-Peter Hayes.

Grammy Award (Aus), f, 4, Shalford (Ire)--Miss Lazarus (Aus), by Sir Tristram (Ire). Sandown (Victoria), 8-18, August H., 4yo/up, f/m, 7fT, A\$14,300 to winner. B-Mr & Mrs P Moran & Mr & Mrs R Gilbert; T-Peter Hayes.

Seasoned Star (Aus), h, 6, Green Desert (USA)--Moon's Circle (USA), by Irish River (Fr). Canterbury (Sydney), 8-18, Port Hacking Rosemary Club H., 3yo/up, 6fT, A\$13,600 to winner. B-Emirate's Park Pty Ltd; T-Neville Layt.

★ MAIDEN WINNERS ★

Naval Affair (Ire), f, 2, Last Tycoon (Ire)--Sailor's Mate (GB), by Shirley Heights (GB). Kempton, England, EBF 'Moneypenny' Maiden Fillies S. (Class D), 8-18, 2yo, f, 7fT, £3,631 to winner. B-Ballymacoll Stud Farm Ltd.

+ Times (Fr), f, 2, Nureyev (USA)--Trevillari (USA), by Riverman (USA). Deauville, France, 8-18, Prix de Bonneville (Class C) (Mdn.), 2yo, 7½fT, FF80,000 to winner. B-Alec & Ghislaine Head.

Winning Venture (GB), c, 2, Owington (GB)--Push A Button (Ire), by Bold Lad (Ire). Kempton, England, 8-18, 'Bond Night' Conditions S. (Class C), 2yo, 7fT, £5,284 to winner. B-Woodsway Stud and Chao Racing & Bloodstock Ltd. *Winner for freshman sire (by Green Desert {USA}).

Baalbek (GB), f, 3, Barathea (Ire)--Temple Row (GB), by Ardross (Ire). Brighton, England, 8-18, Croft Original Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo/up, 7f 214ydsT, £4,163 to winner. B-Side Hill Stud.

Ledham (USA), c, 3, Diesis (GB)--First Tracks (USA) (MSP-Fr), by Alleged (USA). Musselburgh, Scotland, 8-18, Brunton Theatre Maiden S. (Class D), 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, £2,738 to winner. B-Burning Daylight Farm. *\$185,000 yrl '97 KEESEP.