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GRABBING THE "BRASS" RING

First or second in seven of his eight previous dirt starts, Brass Hat (Prized) closed from off a pedestrian



Brass Hat

pace to take the GII New Orleans H. at Louisiana Downs vesterday afternoon. The fiveyear-old won the GII Ohio Derby and GII Indiana Derby in 2004, but fractured an ankle in the GIII Lone Star Derby and disappeared for nearly 13 Lou Hodges Jr. months. The bay made his comeback in an optional

claimer on the Churchill turf Nov. 24, finishing seventh, but turned it around in his second start back to win the Dec. 17 Prairie Bayou S. at Turfway by a length and a half. He made it two in a row with a determined late charge in the New Orleans. "Patience did pay off," owner/breeder Fred Bradley said. "Buff [his son, trainer William Bradley] and I talked about that a lot, the whole 13 months he was off. He had a little problem in the healing process, and it delayed us a little bit, but everything worked out just beautifully."

New Orleans H. cont. p2

Saturday, Fair Grounds at Louisiana Downs **NEW ORLEANS H.-GII**, \$435,600, LAD, 1-7, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51 1/5, ft.

1--BRASS HAT, 117, g, 5, by Prized 1st Dam: Brassy, by Dixie Brass

2nd Dam: Calm Princess, by Sensitive Prince

3rd Dam: Equanimity, by Sir Ivor O/B-Fred F Bradley (KY); T-William Bradley; J-W Martinez; \$261,360. Lifetime Record: 12-5-4-0,

\$917,090.

- 2--Dixie Meister, 113, g, 4, Holzmeister--Dixity Do Dah, by Dixieland Band. (\$4,600 yrl '03 TEXAUG). O-Millennium Farms; B-Ken & Linda Quirk (TX); T-Steven M Asmussen; \$87,120.
- 3--Alumni Hall, 116, h, 7, A.P. Indy--Private Status, by Alydar. O/B-W S Farish, James Elkins & W Temple Webber Jr (KY); T-Neil J Howard; \$47,916.

Margins: 2HF, HF, 1. Odds: 2.80, 32.20, 2.30. Also Ran: West Virginia, Mr. Trieste, M B Sea, Silver Axe, Sanctuary's Omooni.

KEENELAND HOPING FOR MORE OF THE SAME

Following a 2005 sales season that saw total gross receipts of nearly three-quarters of a billion dollars, hopes are high that the new year will kick off on a similarly successful note as the Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale gets underway tomorrow morning in Lexington. A record total of 2,508 horses have been catalogued for the auction, lengthened this year to six days from five in 2005, including 1,290 in- and outof-foal broodmares, 924 newly turned yearlings, 268 horses of racing age, 22 stallion prospects and four stallion shares. The catalogue is 21-percent larger than that of last year, when a then-record 2,073 horses were on offer. But despite a trend of increasing supply, officials at the auction house are confident that buyers will continue their robust spending and take advantage of one final opportunity to fill their breeding stock orders. "There is great interest in our game and there's a lot of money in the world and the January sale is an outlet for it," said Geoffrey Russell, Keeneland's director of sales. "We're lucky at the moment that there's great interest and the breeding market is doing well. Stallions are selling well and people need some mares to fill up books, so that's what we're looking for. We keep hearing stories that people still haven't filled their orders, Europeans especially, and they're going to be coming over to buy some horses." Keeneland cont. p6-7

FLYING "BRIDG"

Jockey Shaun Bridgmohan swept all three stakes



races on the card at Gulfstream Park yesterday, guiding On Thin Ice (Tactical Cat) to a 5 3/4-length score in the GIII Hal's Hope H., coming back to take the Aventura S. by a nose with **Doctor** Decherd (Louis Quatorze) and Gaff and Bridgmohan Equi-Photo then capping the day with a neck victory aboard Gaff

(Maria's Mon) in the GIII Mr. Prospector H. "This is pretty awesome," Bridgmohan said. "Gulfstream Park is a tough meeting and you're riding against the best here. Hopefully I can carry this on through the meeting."

> The market – the most respected of judges – awarded Street Cry its highest accolade at Keeneland November: he's the leading second-crop sire by average and median.



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New Orleans H. cont. Getting Down to Brass Tacks...

Sent off the 5-2 second choice, Brass Hat was last but one as favored Alumni Hall dawdled through an opening quarter in :24.88. He edged closer as they eased through a half in :50.26 and was just three lengths off the lead after six furlongs in 1:14.38. Alumni Hall and West Virginia (Tomorrows Cat) were head and head as the field hit the stretch, but Brass Hat collared the leaders just inside the eighth pole and drew clear. "This horse is so versatile," jockey Willie Martinez said. "He's overcome a lot of things, and he's just coming into form." Martinez believes the gelding is even better now than he was before the injury. "In the past, I don't think we got to see the best of Brass Hat," he said. "I told Buff...he's totally a different horse. He's more mature. You've just got to know how to push the right buttons." Looking ahead, trainer "Buff" Bradley said, "We'll just see how he comes back and then make some plans. We really don't try to get too far ahead of ourselves." Click for the brisnet.com chart or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree or the Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.



GII San Pasqual H.-SA High Limit (Maria's Mon) gets back on track with a front-running score. GIII Santa Ysabel S.-SA Itty Bitty Pretty (El Corredor) romps by six in her two-turn debut. GII New Orleans H.-LAD Brass Hat (Prized) comes from off the pace to win handily.

Saturday, Santa Anita SAN PASQUAL H.-GII, \$150,000, SAX, 1-7, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43 3/5, ft.

- 1--HIGH LIMIT, 118, c, 4, by Maria's Mon 1st Dam: Known Romance, by Known Fact 2nd Dam: Spa Romance, by Saratoga Six 3rd Dam: Intentional Move, by Tentam (\$145,000 yrl '03 KEESEP). O-Gary & Mary West Stables Inc; B-Brookfield Farm (KY); T-Robert J Frankel; J-P A Valenzuela; \$90,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 10-4-1-1, \$682,500.
- 2--Buckland Manor, 116, h, 6, Bien Bien--Bags of Pace, by Shadeed. O/B-John Toffan & Trudy McCaffery (KY); T-J J Gonzalez; \$30,000.
- 3--Spellbinder, 115, h, 5, Tale of the Cat--Thorough Fair, by Quiet American. (\$375,000 yrl '02 KEESEP). O-Mr & Mrs Jerome S Moss; B-James E Jones (KY); T-Richard E Mandella; \$18,000.

Margins: NO, HF, 3/4. Odds: 2.90, 3.20, 8.00. Also Ran: Turnbolt, Bully Hayes, Melanyhasthepapers, Sam Forli (Chi).

High Limit started his career with three consecutive victories, capping the streak with a four-length tally in the GII Louisiana Derby last March, but he had been unable to find the winner's circle since. Second in the GI Blue Grass S., he was 20th in the GI Kentucky Derby and fifth in the GI Preakness, then took a break. The bay was third as the odds-on choice in his return, the July 17 GIII Leonard Richards S., prompting trainer Bobby Frankel to try him on the turf. But, after off-theboard efforts in the Aug. 8 GII Hall of Fame S. and Sept. 5 GII Del Mar Derby, it was time to regroup. High Limit was back on the main track while making his return here. Sent off the favorite, he went right to the front and held off all challengers despite drifting during the stretch drive. "He's been training well and he looks better than last year," Frankel said. "He's gained a lot of weight and he's growing a little bit." The winner could go next in the Feb. 18 GII San Carlos S. going seven furlongs. Click for the brisnet.com chart or the free brisnet.com catalogue-style pedigree or the Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park
HAL'S HOPE H.-GIII, \$100,000, GPX, 1-7, 3yo/up,
1 1/8m, 1:48, ft.

- 1--@#ON THIN ICE, 114, g, 5, by Tactical Cat
 1st Dam: Frigid Zone, by Procida
 2nd Dam: Arctic Belle, by Far North
 3rd Dam: Necessity, by Sir Gaylord
 (\$20,000 yrl '02 KEESEP). O-D J Stable LLC;
 B-Charles Nuckols, Jr & Sons (KY); T-Joseph F
 Orseno; J-S D Bridgmohan; \$60,000. Lifetime
 Record: 13-5-3-2, \$171,610. *1/2 to Zone Judge
 (Judge T C), GSW, \$290,982.
- 2--Network, 114, g, 4, Pulpit--Broadcast, by Broad Brush. O/T-Edwin T Broome; B-Mrs Adele B Dilschneider (KY); \$20,000.
- 3--Seek Gold, 114, g, 6, Touch Gold--Aly's Adita, by Alydar. O-Robert V Lapenta; B-Highfield Farm (KY); T-Nicholas P Zito; \$11,000.

Margins: 5 3/4, 2, 1HF. Odds: 5.30, 11.00, 3.60. Also Ran: Wiggins, Niigon, Dazzling Dr. Cevin, Philanthropist, Itsawonderfulife, Ricardo A.

On Thin Ice hadn't had his picture taken since winning an allowance at Philly Park in September of 2004, but he was on the board in four of five tries last year. The gray was sent off at 39-1 in his latest, the Oct. 29 GIII Fayette S. at Keeneland, but outran his odds to finish second, beaten a half-length by Alumni Hall.

Breaking The Ice...

A well-backed 5-1 in his first start of 2006, On Thin Ice pressed 52-1 Ricardo A (Out of Place) through fractions of :23.17, :46.34 and 1:10.66. He forged to the

front at the quarter pole and was all alone down the lane, winning handily. "This horse was plagued by recurring foot problems," trainer Joe Orseno explained. "We took him to Keeneland in the fall and trained him over that new all-weather surface, and his feet kept getting better and better...and stayed that way. We have now been able to train him



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the way we want. He's never trained better." As for what's next, he added, "We said that if he ran good in this race...that we would go on to the Donn H. [GI, Feb. 5]." Philanthropist (Kris S.), the 9-5 favorite, was in tight quarters on the first turn, then stalked the pace, but faded late to be seventh. Click for the brisnet.com chart or the Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

The **brisnet.com** 'Race of the Day' is the GII San Gorgonio H. For pps and a complete race analysis, click <u>here</u>.

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STAKES WINNER #14 in 2005! Marchonin

Won her last 4 starts including the \$40,000 Joy To The World S. on Dec. 26 at Calder!

Congratulations to owner John B. Goodman and trainer Michael Matz.

\$250,000 yrlg KeeSep 2003

Lifetime Record: 8-4-1-0, Earnings \$112,680

STAKES WINNER #15 in 2005! Drum Major

Impressive win against a competitive field in the \$100,000 Pete Axthelm S. on New Year's Eve at Calder!

Congratulations to owner Dogwood Stable and trainer George Weaver.

\$85,000 yrlg FTKJuly 2003; sold \$200,000 2yo KeeApril 2004

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Saturday, Gulfstream Park
MR. PROSPECTOR H.-GIII, \$100,000, GPX, 1-7,
3yo/up, 6f, 1:08 2/5, ft.

1--@GAFF, 113, c, 4, by Maria's Mon
1st Dam: Ionlyhaveeyesforu, by Tunerup
2nd Dam: Real Jenny, by Valid Appeal
3rd Dam: Child Bride, by Jaipur
(\$7,000 wlng '02 KEENOV; \$100,000 yrl '03
KEESEP). O-Heiligbrodt Racing Stable & Michael
Smurfit; B-Earle Irving Mack (KY); T-Steven M
Asmussen; J-S Bridgmohan; \$60,000. Lifetime
Record: SP & MGSP-Ire, 11-4-1-2, \$195,558.

- 2--War Front, 115, c, 4, Danzig--Starry Dreamer, by Rubiano. O/B-J Allen (KY); T-H A Jerkens; \$20,000.
- 3--Friendly Island, 116, h, 5, Crafty Friend--Island Queen, by Ogygian. (\$85,000 2yo 2003 OBSMAR). O-Anstu Stables Inc; B-Kildare Stud & Adrian Regan (NY); T-Todd A Pletcher; \$11,000.

Margins: NK, 3/4, 5 3/4. Odds: 5.80, 4.20, 2.40. Also Ran: Nightmare Affair, Storm Surge, Sir Greeley, Funny Cide, Pisgah.

A Listed winner while racing in Ireland, Gaff returned to the land of his birth this summer. He came back after a three-month break to be third in a Belmont allowance Sept. 18, then went gate to wire to win Oct. 20. He made it two in a row in a NW2X at Churchill Nov. 9, but was off at 5-1 to add to his streak in his first stateside stakes start. Never far from the front as Friendly Island dashed off a half in :45.10, the bay caught the pacesetter in deep stretch and held on gamely as an unlucky War Front closed to be second. "I know his last race at Churchill was just a 'two other than,' but it was visually very impressive and Social Probation, who was second, was second in the King's Bishop, so it was a pretty good race," trainer Steve Asmussen said. What's next for the winner? "I want this horse to do what the winner of this race did last year," Asmussen said. Saratoga County won the 2005 Mr. Prospector, then took the \$2 million G1 Dubai Golden Shaheen S. Funny Cide (Distorted Humor) saved ground to no avail, finishing seventh. "It's not that big a deal," said jockey Edgar Prado. "The main goal is for longer races. I still feel confident in him." Click for the brisnet.com chart.

SANTA YSABEL S.-GIII, \$109,200, SAX, 1-7, 3yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:44 3/5, ft.

- 1--@#ITTY BITTY PRETTY, 118, f, 3, by El Corredor
 1st Dam: Tipsy Girl (MSW & MGSP, \$285,817), by Raise a Cup
 2nd Dam: Astrology Miss, by Cornish Prince
 3rd Dam: Good Call, by Case Ace
 (\$75,000 yrl '04 FTSAUG; \$40,000 2yo 2005
 BESMAY). O-STD Racing Stable & Jason Wood;
 B-Liberation Farm & Oratis Thoroughbreds (KY);
 T-Doug F O'Neill; J-P A Valenzuela; \$65,520.
 Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-2, \$127,909. *Fourth SW for sophomore sire (by Mr. Greeley).
- 2--Sabatini, 115, f, 3, Five Star Day--Play Date, by Geiger Counter. (\$60,000 yrl '04 FTKJUL; \$26,000 yrl '04 KEEJAN; \$350,000 2yo 2005 FTFFEB).

 O-Michael B Tabor, Mrs John Magnier & Derrick Smith; B-Hermitage Farm LLC (KY); T-Patrick L Biancone; \$21,840.
- 3--Horse B With You, 118, f, 3, Slewdledo--Our Rich Native, by Our Native. O-J Paul Reddam; B-Frank E Tonkin (WA); T-Doug F O'Neill; \$13,104.

Margins: 6, 1 1/4, 3 3/4. Odds: 4.50, 0.40, 6.80. Also Ran: I Can See, Incumbent, Miss Fury. Scratched: Sweet Fourty.

Itty Bitty Pretty broke her maiden by a half-length at Del Mar in August, then picked up checks in her next three starts, running third in the Sept. 17 Barretts Debutante S., fourth in the Oct. 23 Anoakia S. and second behind subsequent GI Hollywood Starlet S. winner Diplomat Lady in her most recent effort, a Hollywood allowance test Nov. 13. Trying a route of ground for the first time, the bay rated just off the early leaders and was three wide around the far turn. She took control as they straightened for home and opened up on the field to win as much the best. "Patrick [Valenzuela] gave her a perfect, patient ride and when he called on her she accelerated perfectly," trainer Doug O'Neill said. "These El Corredors have really been running well." Click for the brisnet.com chart or the Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

2005 Leading Sires of 2-Y-O's in U.S.A. RANK STALLION (SIRE) **GIANT'S CAUSEWAY (Storm Cat)** 1,632,400 **HENNESSY** (Storm Cat) 1,352,540 3 Tiznow (Cee's Tizzy) 1,340,798 Stephen Got Even (A.P. Indy) 1,216,395 El Corredor (Mr. Greeley) 1,211,025 **FUSAICHI PEGASUS** (Mr. Prospector) 1,163,828 7 Songandaprayer (Unbridled's Song) 1,123,823 8 Storm Cat (Storm Bird) 1,065,035 THUNDER GULCH (Gulch) 1.038.715 Source: Thoroughbred Times, 31st Dec.

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Saturday, Kenilworth, South Africa BLOODSTOCK SA CAPE GUINEAS-G1, R750,000, Kenilworth, 1-7, 3yo, 1mT, 1:37.91, gd.

- 1-- EXPRESS WAY (BRZ), 126, c, 3, by Royal Academy
 1st Dam: Night-Fall (Brz) (MG1SP-Brz), by Roi Normand
 2nd Dam: Chastity (Brz), by Sassafras (Fr)
 3rd Dam: Babulina (Fr), by Ballymoss (GB)
 O-Mrs M Slack; B-Fazenda Mondesir; T-Dean
 Kannemeyer; J-Karl Neisius; R468,750. Lifetime
 Record: 5-5-0-0, R688,750.
- 2--Floatyourboat (SAf), 126, g, 3, Jet Master (SAf)--Foverington (SAf), by Foveros (GB). O-Messrs N M Shirtliff and E A Braun; B-Mr & Mrs C F de Vos; T-Mike W Bass; R150,000.
- 3--Anti-Freeze (SAf), 126, c, 3, Western Winter--Cyber Cento (SAf), by Centenary. O-A Geemooi; B-Wilgerbosdrift; T-Weiho H Marwing; R75,000. Margins: 3/4, 1 3/4, 3/4. Odds: 18-10, 9-2, 100-1.

The winner of the G2 Selangor Cup over course and distance Dec. 10, Express Way stretched his record to a perfect five-for-five. Settled in mid-division early, he took over with 1 1/2 furlongs remaining before safely holding the game rally of the runner-up.

Saturday, Kenilworth, South Africa TBA PADDOCK S.-G1, R300,000, Kenilworth, 1-7, 3yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:52.89, gd.

- 1--BAD GIRL RUNS (SAF), 115, f, 3, by Western Winter
 1st Dam: Badius (Ire), by Sadler's Wells
 2nd Dam: Bay Shade, by Sharpen Up (GB)
 3rd Dam: Bay Street (GB), by Grundy (Ire)
 - O-Mrs S Plattner; B-La Plaisance Stud; T-Brett J Crawford; J-Piere Strydom; R187,500. Lifetime Record: 5-5-0-0, R649,375.
- 2--Ilha da Vitoria (Brz), 128, m, 5, Candy Stripes--De Memoria (Arg), by Equalize. O-Mrs M Slack; B-Haras Old Friends; T-Mike de Kock; R60,000.
- 3--Joshua's Princess (SAf), 127, f, 4, Joshua Dancer--Princess Daisy (SAf), by Pedlar (NZ). O-Messrs R J Bloomberg, G J Wilson and Team Valor; B-Normandy Stud; T-Mike W Bass; R30,000.

Margins: 1HF, 1, HD. Odds: 16-10, 15-20, 8-1.

Talented sophomore Bad Girl Runs remained unbeaten when making almost all to best odds-on Ilha da Vitoria. Successful in the Nov. 5 G2 Odessa Stud Fillies Championship over seven furlongs and Dec. 3 G1 Cape Fillies Guineas over a mile, she set moderate early fractions before being headed inside the final quarter. She regained the advantage in the stretch and had first run on Ilha Da Vitoria, who ran out of real estate.



Sunday, Santa Anita, post time: 4:10 p.m. PST

SAN GORGONIO H.-GII, \$150,000, 4yo/up, f/m, 1 1/8mT PP HORSE TRAINER ODDS SIRE 1 12-1 Bond Deal (Ire) Pivotal (GB) Cecil 2 Ticker Tape (GB) Royal Applause (GB) Cassidy 3-1 Royal Copenhagen (Fr) Inchinor (GB) 3 De Seroux 12-1 4a Star Parade (Arg) Parade Marshal Vienna 7-5 5a Flip Flop (Fr) Zieten Cecil 7-5 7-5 6a Barancella (Fr) Acatenango (Ger) Frankel 7 Movie Star (Brz) Royal Academy Frankel 8-1 Sam M. 8 Dream's (Chi) McAnally 10-1 9 Silver Cup (Ire) Almutawakel (GB) Biancone 12-1 10 Halo Ola (Arg) Southern Halo 15-1 Seglin Drysdale 8-1 Stage Shy Theatrical (Ire)

Winless in seven starts last year after batting .500 in 2004, Ticker Tape tries to get back on track in her first outing of '06. The bay mare has two wins and a second in her three attempts over this course. She comes off a third-place finish in the Dec. 3 GIII My Charmer H. at Calder, where trainer Jim Cassidy felt she was compromised by a slow pace. "She was back a little too far for the way the pace scenario set up," he said. "If you look at the fractions [:49 3/5, 1:13 1/5, 1:37], they were walking and...she got hung outside. It looked like she was going to make a winning move, then she hung the last part, but she had a lot more to do than the top horses." Halo Ola was also shut out in '05, but she was right there while facing top company. Third behind Megahertz (GB) in the Oct. 1 GI Yellow Ribbon S. and a close-up fourth in the Nov. 5 GII Las Palmas H., she switched to the dirt for the Dec. 11 Gll Bayakoa H., but finished a lackluster fifth behind Star Parade.

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Off The Market...

George Budig and R.C. Durr have owned Shes Got The Look (Prospector's Music) since buying her for \$25,000 as a KEESEP yearling...and they will keep her

a bit longer. The 10-year-old bay mare, dam of GIII Hollywood Prevue S. winner and GI Hollywood Futurity runner-up Your Tent Or Mine (Forest Camp), was catalogued for the Keeneland January Sale, but she has been withdrawn. "My partner, R.C. Durr, together with Kerry Cauthen and



Your Tent Or Mine Benoit Photo

Doug Cauthen, made the decision to take her out of the sale," Budig explained. "We think her value has risen...we hope, we hope...so we'll hold on to her for now." A multiple stakes-placed winner of \$182,334, Shes Got The Look has produced four foals to date. In addition to three-year-old Your Tent or Mine, who was bred by Budig and Durr and sold for \$310,000 as a KEESEP yearling before bringing \$250,000 as a FTFFEB juvenile, she also has the winner Manchito (Out of Place), a two-year-old filly by Out of Place and a yearling filly by Chief Seattle.

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Barbaro winning the GIII Tropical Park Derby Jim Lisa photo

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Birthplace: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Current Residence: West Grove, Pennsylvania.

Primary Business? Ret. pro baseball executive (Roy), ret. pastoral counselor (Gretchen).

Favorite racetrack and why? The Curragh, Ireland. Open, natural terrain, the greenest grass course, good visibility, the knowledge and the spirit of the Irish racing fans, and a few sheep tossed in.

Most underrated stallion? Belong to Me; consistently produces runners--always.

Favorite foods? Seafood, shrimp salad, Caesar salad (everything!).

Favorite vacation spot? Eleuthera, Bahamas.

Most respected historical figure? (Roy): Winston Churchill--for his ability to bring and hold England together during a threatening time. (Gretchen): Jesus--for showing the way.

What was the last thing you purchased? Gas!

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2005--A Year in Review...

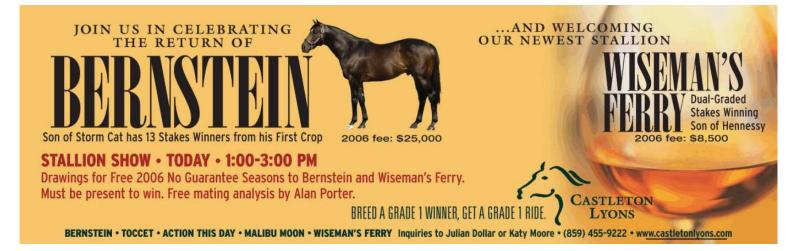
The stars aligned on several occasions in the Keeneland sales pavilion in 2005, and the January sale got the year off on the right foot. The event had received a boost the previous October when Wilko upset the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile. His dam, Native Roots (Ire), reached seven figures when she was purchased by Lane's End Farm for \$1.1 million at the sale, and there was added momentum when Cozzene's Angel, the dam of Toccet, was knocked down for \$1.35 million to Eaton Sales, agent. Overall, the January sale grossed \$53.4 million, the third highest in its history. In the absence of a million-dollar juvenile, the Keeneland April Sale of Two-Year-Olds in Training realized a shade over \$17 million in total sales, but any fireworks missing from the spring were certainly in evidence when the September yearling sale took center stage.

SALES SUMMARY 2004 and 2005				
2005:				
Sale	<u>Horses</u>	Gross (\$)	Average (\$)	Median (\$)
Jan	1361	53,418,000	39,249	13,000
Apr	105	17,040,500	162,290	130,000
Sept	3545	384,349,900	108,420	40,000
Nov	2816	289,602,900	102,842	35,000
Totals	7827	\$744,411,300	\$95,108	
% chg	+ 2.9%	+9.8%	+6.8%	
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Jan	1260	49,362,600	39.177	39,225
Apr	101	22,012,000	217,941	135,000
(Disp)	7	2,025,000	289,286	235,000
Sept	3370	324,904,300	96,411	37,000
Nov	2873	279,680,200	97,348	32,000
Totals	7611	\$677,984,100	\$89,080	
% chg	+10.4%	+ 20.5%	+9.2%	
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Clash of the Titans...

A tremendously enthusiastic group of buyers gathered for the mammoth September sale. The world's two leading operations, Sheikh Mohammed and John Magnier, hooked up in one of the most heated and entertaining duels seen at Keeneland in some time. With the bidding approaching \$9 million on a colt by Storm Cat--Tranquility Lake, the two sides traded punches, one party more deliberate than the other, and in the end, it was Sheikh Mohammed, bidding himself while in the company of his wife Princess Haya, who would not be denied. The tote board read \$9.7 million. That was one of just 40 horses to make seven figures during an auction which totaled over \$384 million in gross receipts, easily surpassing the record \$324 million achieved a year earlier. Equally eagerly anticipated was the November Breeding Stock sale, which featured reigning Eclipse Award and seven-time Grade I winner Ashado, who was being retired by Jack and Laurie Wolf, Johns Martin and Paul Saylor. Exhibiting all of her class and standing statuesque during the nearly 15 minutes of bidding, the daughter of Saint Ballado was also destined to join the increasingly imposing broodmare band at Darley at Jonabell Farm after she was knocked down for \$9 million. The November sale capped an extraordinary year in the Bluegrass, grossing \$289 million, with a record average of \$102,842. "Last year was an amazing and phenomenal year sales-wise," Russell reflected. "It firmly put September as a place where people can come and buy horses at every range and consignors provided tremendous horses. To have a world record sale in 2004 usurped that quickly in 2005 was just fantastic. And that led into November, which usually piggybacks onto September. If September is good, the breeders will come back and buy some mares. We just hope that January is a continuation of that market." The bar has certainly been set high as the new sales season is launched in Lexington.

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KELSO'S OWNER DEAD AT 92 Allaire C. DuPont. best known as the owner of five-time Horse of the Year



Kelso, died Friday at Woodstock Farm in Chesapeake City, Maryland, where she had lived for more than 50 years. She was 92. "She was a great, wonderful lady," said Carl Hanford, who trained for DuPont's Bohemia Stable and handled the career of

Kelso. "She was great to train for. She never interfered at all, Allaire DuPont cecilwhig.com but she knew racing. Nobody knew who I was until Kelso and Mrs. du Pont came along." An accomplished sportswoman, DuPont was an avid glider pilot, skeet shooter and tennis player and, upon his retirement, she rode Kelso in fox hunts three days a week. She was also involved in the preservation of open spaces, the revitalization of her home town and in helping find homes for retired racehorses, co-founding Thoroughbred Charities with Herb and Ellen Moelis. "She did so much good for so many people and so many organizations," said longtime friend and horseman

Robert Ring. "She'll always be remembered for that. It's

the end of the dynasty." DuPont is survived by daugh-

ter Lana Wright, daughter-in-law Caroline Prickett and by several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Per

her request, there will be no memorial service.

First Samurai Sharp at Gulfstream:

Eclipse finalist First Samurai (Giant's Causeway), third in the Oct. 29 GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile last time out, worked five furlongs in 1:00 3/5 at Gulfstream yesterday morning. The three-year-old is being pointed for the Feb. 4 GII Hutcheson S., according to trainer Frank Brothers. Also on the work tab were a pair of undefeated sophomores, Hemingway's Key (Notebook), who went a half in an easy :51; and Doc Cheney (Fusaichi Pegasus), clocked going five-eighths in 1:02 2/5. Both are trained by Nick Zito.

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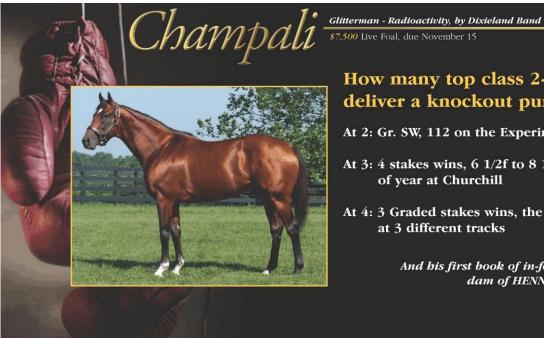
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Yesterday's Results at Gulfstream: AVENTURA S., \$125,000, GPX, 1-7, 3yo, 1m,

1:37 3/5, ft.

1--#DOCTOR DECHERD, 116, c, 3, by Louis Quatorze
1st Dam: Hidden Pleasure, by Proper Reality
2nd Dam: Andora, by Conquistador Cielo
3rd Dam: Sabin, by Lyphard

(\$11,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$70,000 yrl '04 KEESEP; \$100,000 2yo 2005 FTFFEB). O-Mike McCarty; B-Calumet Farm (KY); T-Steven M Asmussen; J-S Bridgmohan; \$75,000. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$110,195.

- 2--Itsallboutthechase, 116, c, 3, Devil His Due--Wild Goose Chase, by Dynaformer. (\$50,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). O-J Travis Burr. \$25,000.
- 3--My Golden Song, 116, c, 3, Unbridled's Song--Golden Par, by Gold Meridian. O-Centaur Farms Inc. \$13,750.

Margins: NO, 5 1/4, 1. Odds: 14.50, 7.80, 7.10.
Connections have a legitimate Derby contender in the form of Private Vow and may hold a second bullet following the game victory of Doctor Dechard in the



Horsephotos

first three-year-old stakes of the meet. Rested after bleeding in his Aug. 31 bow, a fourth-place effort at Arlington, the dark bay blew the doors off a Keeneland sprint maiden Oct. 19, winning by 13 1/2 lengths with the additions of Lasix and Shaun Bridgmohan. He faced the starter just once more in 2005 and could not overcome a sluggish

start, finishing a distant fourth as the favorite at Churchill Downs Nov. 25. Lightly regarded in his sophomore bow, Doctor Dechard was a handy fourth through the opening stages as 19-10 favorite In Summation (Put It Back) set a pressured pace. Angled out three wide at the quarter pole, the Asmussen trainee split rivals and took a narrow lead at the furlong grounds before staving off the bid of Itsallaboutthechase. "His race today was everything you could hope for," the winning conditioner commented. "In his last race at Churchill he didn't get away very well and that hurt his chances in a big field. I was very concerned about the size of the field today. He's a big horse but everything seemed to come together. We'll go on and get him to his next race around two turns on March 4 [GII Fountain of Youth S. at nine furlongs]." In Summation tired down the stretch and wound up fifth. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.



2:14p 4th GPX, \$35K, NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f
HRTV Undefeated LADY WRANGLER (EI Prado {Ire}) makes her third start, her first since beating Churchill allowance foes Nov. 9. Jerry Bailey rides for trainer Frank Brothers.

Brisnet.com PPs

3:44 p

Tth GPX, \$35K, NW2X, 4yo/up, 1 1/16mT

WHALE (Elusive Quality) has been off since finishing second to subsequent GI winner Shakespeare in a Saratoga allowance in July. The lightly raced 5yo, who took two on the lawn by daylight last year, has been working well for return. Harbor Master (Seattle Slew) makes turf bow; Tungsten (Seeking the Gold) goes for three in a row. Brisnet.com PPs

5:04p 4th SAX, \$44K, MSW, 3yo, f, 6 1/2fT FANTASTIC SPRING (Fantastic Light) brought \$400K as a KEESEP yearling and is working sharply for trainer Bob Baffert. She faces a firster by Danehill and turf debuters by Fusaichi Pegasus and Songandaprayer. Brisnet.com PPs

5:36p 5th SAX, \$48K, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f
HRTV EXCESSIVELY NICE (In Excess {Ire}) came back after a
15-month absence to best Cal-bred allowance foes Dec. 18,
earning a 100 Beyer. Fellow Baffert trainee Domestic Dispersal
(Scatmandu) won lone prior start despite slow break.

Brisnet.com PPs

6:39p \$75K San Miguel S., SAX, 3yo, 6f
HRTV PEACE CHANT (War Chant), a \$900K KEESEP yearling,
broke his maiden handily in Dec. 3 debut; makes second start.
No. Cal shipper Cause to Believe (Maria's Mon) goes for fourth
stakes in a row; unbeaten Bound to Be MVP (Snowbound)
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1st-GPX, \$33,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

CANDY BOX (f, 4, Running Stag--Miners Mirage {SW, \$204,308}, by Mining), who began her career with Kiaran McLaughlin, ran fourth for trainer Bobby Frankel at Woodbine Nov. 17 before joining Brian Lynch's barn soon after. For her third conditioner in four starts, the dark bay ran a tired second sprinting seven panels at Calder Dec. 12 and was a 7-2 chance scaling back a bit here. The three-parts sister to Alpha Capo (Alphabet Soup), SW, \$185,136, tracked the leaders, then rallied to a 3 1/2-length victory under Javier Castellano. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-0, \$60,571.

O-Stronach Stables. B-Adena Springs (ON). T-B Lynch.



Aventura S. (7th-GPX) Doctor Decherd (Louis
Quatorze) digs deep for his first stakes win.

Count Fleet S. (8th-AQU) Achilles of Troy (Notebook)
shows no weakness in 14-length romp.

Marshua S. (6th-LRL) Celestial Legend (City Zip)
has rivals seein' stars in third straight stakes win.

6th-GPX (\$32k Msw) Hopes and Dreams (More Than Ready) gets it done in her second career effort.

3rd-GPX (\$33k Alw) Keyed Entry (Honour and Glory)
improves to two-for-two for trainer Todd Pletcher.

2nd-GPX (\$32k Msw) Exclusive Quality (Elusive
Quality) lives up to his \$850k price tag.

6th-AQU (\$43k Msw) Sweetnorthernsaint (Sweet-southernsaint) blows 'em away in 1:09 flat.

3rd-GPX, \$33,000, Alw, NW1X, 3yo, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft. KEYED ENTRY (c, 3, Honour and Glory--Ava Knowsthecode {GSP, \$156,596}, by Cryptoclearance) was a first-out winner at Monmouth Park July 10 at 6-1 odds, but went missing after that. Working well for his comeback, the \$145,000 FTKJUL yearling, once again a 6-1 chance, broke sharply from post nine and was hustled up to contest the lead. Hitting the quarter pole with a full head of steam but confronted soon after by the hard-charging Miner's Lamp (Seeking the Gold), the dark bay dueled briefly before kicking away en route to an impressive 5 1/2-length tally. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 2-2-0-0, \$42,000.

O-Starlight Stable LLC, Paul H Saylor & Donald J Luca. B-Oakbrook Farm (KY). T-Todd A Pletcher.

4th-GPX, \$33,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:10 2/5,

CRUNCH THE NUMBERS (c, 4, Vicar--Silver Seas, by Go For Gin) posted an 89 Beyer winning his second career start at Belmont June 26, then regressed a bit as the heavy chalk when stretching out to a mile July 15, running third. The \$185,000 FTMSEP yearling got some time off after that and was a 7-2 shot in his return to the races. Biding his time near the back of the pack, he kicked into gear when asked by jockey Jerry Bailey and came home with good energy to record the 2 1/2-lengths success over War Plan (Fusaichi Pegasus). Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-1, \$58,800.

O-Klaravich Stables Inc. B-Robert T Manfuso (KY). T-Richard A Violette Jr.

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10th-GPX, **\$33,000**, **Alw**, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/8mT, 1:45 4/5, fm.

EINSTEIN (BRZ) (c, 4, Spend a Buck--Gay Charm {Brz} {MG1SW-Brz}, by Ghadeer {Fr}) never raced in his native Brazil, but has done fine in his adopted country. Fifth of 11 in his unveiling at Keeneland in October, he prevailed as the chalk next time in an off-the-turfer at Churchill Nov. 6. He did make it to the turf in Louisville Nov. 25, and ran a very good fourth in a 8 1/2-furlong NW1X. The dark bay got a little more ground to work with this time and took advantage of it, rallying from way back to notch the half-length victory at 5-1 odds. Another 5-1 shot, Merger (Mr. Greeley), was second, with favored Cat's On a Prowl (Catienus) third. Einstein is a half to Veracite (Brz) (Roy), SP-Brz. Lifetime Record: 4-2-0-0, \$47,640.

O-Midnight Cry Stable. B-Mondesir Fazenda (BRZ). T-Helen Pitts.

2nd-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft. EXCLUSIVE QUALITY (c, 3, Elusive Quality--First Glimmer, by Glitterman) was handsome enough to elicit an \$850,000 bid from the Joneses as a KEESEP yearling in 2004. Well-supported when he debuted at Aqueduct Nov. 19, he came running late to be second as the 4-5 pick. Odds-on once again, the bay was well placed racing along in fifth and showed good acceleration as he lengthened clear down the lane to win by two lengths at 1-2 odds. Firster Megapunch (Two Punch) was second. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$27,800.

O-Aaron U & Marie D Jones. B-Manali Farm (FL). T-Todd A Pletcher. 6th-GPX, \$32,000, Msw, 3yo, f, 1 1/16mT, 1:40 3/5, fm

HOPES AND DREAMS (f, 3, More Than Ready--Nokia, by Theatrical {Ire}) was backed as the 2-1 choice in her career opener at Belmont Oct. 21, but raced greenly and never threatened, coming home fourth. Given a bit of time to regroup, the \$260,000 KEESEP yearling made a smart return to the races here as the crowd's 5-2 favorite. Settled into a nice stride as Miracle Moment (Chester House) bounded clear of the field, Hopes and Dreams inherited the lead when that foe bolted on the far turn and held Reigning Emerald (Monarchos) at bay by 2 1/2 lengths. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$21,350.

O-Cobra Farm & Castletop Stable. B-Grapestock LLC & Westwood Thoroughbreds LLC (KY). T-Stanley M Hough.

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Yesterday's Results:

COUNT FLEET S., \$74,880, AQU, 1-7, 3yo, a1m70yd, 1:39 3/5, ft.

- 1--#ACHILLES OF TROY, 116, c, 3, by Notebook
 1st Dam: Steamy Recipe, by Relaunch
 2nd Dam: Bearly Cooking, by Really Cooking
 3rd Dam: Keg's Folly, by Tampa Trouble
 (\$120,000 yrl '04 FTKOCT). O-Paraneck Stable;
 B-Glen Hill Farm (KY); T-Jennifer Pedersen;
 J-A Garcia; \$44,928. Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1,
 \$86,028. *Full to Guidebook, SP, \$242,086.
- 2--Extra Bend, 118, g, 3, Twining--Talega, by Devil's Bag. (\$18,000 yrl '04 KEESEP). O-Markpoint Stable. \$14,976.
- 3--Platinum Couple, 118, c, 3, Tale of the Cat--Ingot's Dance Away, by Gate Dancer. O-Team Tristar Stable. \$7,488.

Margins: 14, 1HF, 4 3/4. Odds: 3.35, 7.10, 10.20. The gray Achilles of Troy hit the board in two of his first three starts against special weight company this



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fall, then put it all together in his latest adding Lasix, romping by daylight over the Big A's inner Dec. 29. Keeping it together and then some, the Paraneck colorbearer was sent up to take command as they left the three-eighths pole. Turning it into a procession from there under Alan Garcia, he lengthened away

from the pack and hit the wire 14 lengths clear of Extra Bend. "My team did a great job," said winning trainer Jennifer Pedersen said. "He was a nice horse; he was just immature. His last race gave him a lot of confidence. Lasix has helped him big time." Added Ernie Paragallo, "I haven't made plans on where he is going yet. I know he will run as far as he wants to run. I know that he will run a mile and a quarter." Favored Trailing Twelve (Five Star Day) ran an even fourth. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

3rd-AQU, \$45,000, Alw, NW1X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:09 2/5, ft

BIG APPLE DADDY (c, 4, Precise End--Clever Actress, by Theatrical {Ire}) was second in a pair of New York-bred stakes last year and most recently finished runner-up in an open allowance at the Big A Nov. 26. Pounded down to 3-5 to go one better, the \$40,000 OBSMAR two-year-old sat off the pace of Precise Motion (Precise End), collared that foe at the furlong grounds and inched away to win by 1 3/4 lengths. Lifetime Record: MSP, 15-4-7-1, \$251,246.

O-Ervin Rodriguez. B-Thomas/Lakin (NY). T-Bruce N Levine.

6th-AQU, \$43,000, Msw, 3yo, 6f, 1:09, ft. SWEETNORTHERNSAINT (c, 3, Sweetsouthernsaint--Ice Beauty, by Waquoit) showed little when up the track in a grassy Colonial maiden Aug. 1 while under the tutelage of trainer Leo Azpurua. Transferred to Michael Trombetta's care and dropped in for a \$40,000 tag coming off the break at Laurel Dec. 21, he destroyed the opposition by 16 lengths, but was disqualified and placed fourth. Trying to keep his nose clean this time shipping up to New York, the 2-1 second choice was quickly in front and had a comfortable lead after a half in :45 3/5. He gave himself even more breathing room down the stretch, bounded clear with every stride and prevailing in hand by 7 3/4 lengths in a quick 1:09 flat. The winner is a half to Maria's Image (Master Bill), SW, \$158,605. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$27,000. O-Joseph J Balsamo. B-Eduardo Azpurua (FL). T-Michael J Trombetta.

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Yesterday's Results:

MARSHUA S., \$63,500, LRL, 1-7, 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04, ft.

1--CELESTIAL LEGEND, 122, f, 3, by City Zip

1st Dam: Lunar's Legend, by Polish Numbers

2nd Dam: Lunar Halo, by Halo

3rd Dam: Ringmistress, by Nantallah (\$45,000 yrl '04 FTKJUL). O-Richard Schultz & David Menard; B-William Fitzgibbons Sr & David H Wade (MD); T-Dale Capuano; J-E D Rodriguez; \$45,000. Lifetime Record: 5-5-0-0, \$144,360.

- 2--Flirt for Fame, 116, f, 3, Freud--Flirt With Fame, by Trench Digger. O-John D Murphy Sr. \$10,000.
- 3--Ten Halos, 118, f, 3, Marquetry--Shahalo, by Halo. O-Candy Stables. \$5,500.

Margins: 12, 6, 1 3/4. Odds: 0.20, 16.40, 2.70.

Celestial Legend was searching for her third consecutive stakes win here and had the backing of Laurel's faithful to do so. The Maryland-bred daughter of sophomore sire City Zip won her first two races before moving into stakes company last fall. She took the Holly S. at the Meadowlands by 3 1/2 lengths Oct. 28 and followed that up with a win in Laurel's Toddler S. Nov. 26. The 1-5 chalk here, she stepped on the gas soon after the break, leading the way through :22 3/5 and :46 splits, and never let up as she cruised home clear by a dozen lengths.

Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

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Mill Ridge Stallion Show Set for Wednesday:

Mill Ridge will host its annual stallion show this Wednesday, Jan. 11, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Available for inspection will be Diesis (GB), Gone West, Johar, Midas Eyes and Mr. Light (Arg). Reservations are not required. For more information, call Bayne Welker at (859) 231-0606.

Yesterday's Results:

PAN ZARETA S., \$62,100, LAD, 1-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11 1/5, ft.

- 1--JOSH'S MADELYN, 117, m, 5, Quiet American-Intend to Win (SP), by Housebuster. (\$10,000 yrl '02 KEESEP). O-Michael Pressley & Jim Neidig; B-Mt Brilliant Farm LLC (KY); T-J J Jones; J-T J Thompson; \$37,260. Lifetime Record: GSW, 24-8-3-2, \$390,309.
- 2--Granny's Pride, 117, m, 5, Broad Brush--Gracious Granny, by Lost Code. \$12,420.
- 3--Lady Dynasty, 117, f, 4, Richter Scale--Northern Dynasty, by Northern Jove. \$6,831.

Margins: 3 1/4, 1 3/4, 1 1/4. Odds: 0.90, 2.80, 10.20. Following her victory in the GII Raven Run S. in October of 2004, Josh's Madelyn went on a seven-race winless skid before notching a late-running tally nearly a year later at Keeneland Oct. 9. Third in the Dr. A. B. Leggio Memorial S. over this course Dec. 3, she was odds-on backing up a furlong for this one. Last of six after a half in :45 4/5, she began picking off rivals with a strong rally and proved too strong for 'em late, drawing away to win by 3 1/4 lengths.

TURFWAY PREVUE S., \$49,000, TPX, 1-7, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:19 1/5, ft.

- 1--#FINAL COPY, 120, g, 3, Souvenir Copy--Widow's Walk, by Storm Cat. O/B-Donamire Farm (KY); T-Gregory D Foley; J-J L Castanon; \$31,300. Lifetime Record: 7-4-0-0, \$97,671.
- 2--Warrior Within, 118, c, 3, Catienus--Slyka, by Stuka. O-David A Ross. \$10,000.
- 3--Rock' N Fire, 116, c, 3, Lord Carson--Chibi, by Dynaformer. O-Anthony J Didier. \$4,000.

Margins: 3 1/4, 5 1/4, NK. Odds: 1.20, 4.80, 14.50.

Final Copy, winner of an Ellis Park maiden in July, came into this off consecutive allowance victories at Churchill Nov. 5 and at Turfway Dec. 18. In mid-pack up the backstretch, he launched a wide rally on the turn, made the lead a furlong out and was roused clear for his initial stakes success.

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Yesterday's Results:

5th-SAX, \$**56,672**, **Alw**, NW1X, 4yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51, ft.

MARENOSTRUM (BRZ) (h, 5, Royal Academy--Dominance {Arg}, by Dark Brown {Brz}) has enjoyed success on the track, even if the dates on his past performance lines are sporadic and the locales a bit unconventional. The TNT homebred was fourth in his debut in Brazil in April of 2004, but came back two months later to win the G1 Grande Premio Juliano Martins S. by 10 3/4 lengths. Sidelined until last March, he finished third in a Santa Anita allowance for Bobby Frankel, then shipped to Dubai and ran a non-threatening second to the ill-fated Blues and Royals in the Mar. 26 G2 UAE Derby. Shelved once again, he took plenty of support here at 8-5 odds despite the ninemonth absence. Paired with Pat Valenzuela, he shadowed the leaders in third, overhauled longshot Men Only (Gentlemen {Arg}) and bested that foe by a length. Lifetime Record: G1SW-Brz & GSP-UAE, 5-1-1-1, \$448,230.

O/B-TNT Stud (BRZ). T-Robert J Frankel.

4th-SAX, \$47,592, Msw, 3yo, a6 1/2fT, 1:14 2/5, fm. + NEW JOYSEY JEFF (c, 3, Bright Launch--Dyna Peak, by Dynaformer), a half to good turf sprinter Dyna Da Wyna (Doc's Leader), GSW, \$394,540, was sent off a 31-1 longshot in his debut. Racing down the hill eighth in a crowed 12-horse field, he began to make up ground as they crossed over the main track and outfinished fellow closer Plug Me In (Hold For Gold) to take the win by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$26,400.

O/B-Ellenay Racing Inc (KY). T-Mark Glatt.

PAST ECLIPSE AWARD WINNERS FEMALE TURF HORSE

1997 Ryafan (3)

1998 Fiji (GB) (4)

1999 Soaring Softly (4)

2000 Perfect Sting (4)

2001 Banks Hill (GB) (3)

2002 Golden Apples (Ire) (4)

2003 Islington (Ire) (4)

2004 Ouija Board (GB) (3)

* AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS *

IN BRITAIN:

Abstract Art, c, 3, Distorted Humor. See "Britain."

IN HONG KONG:

Good Ba Ba, g, 4, Lear Fan--Elle Meme, by Zilzal. Sha Tin, 1-7, Hcp., 1600mT. B-Haras Santa Maria de Araras SA. *\$80,000 yrl '03 KEESEP; HK\$1,700,000 2yo '04 HKIS.

Classa Win, g, 8, Trempolino--Amyride (Ire) (SP-Fr), by Salt Dome. Happy Valley, 1-4, Hcp., 1650mT. B-Shoreham Park Pty Ltd.

IN SOUTH AFRICA:

Destination Mars, f, 4, Coronado's Quest--Destination Mir, by Cherokee Colony. Kenilworth, 1-7, Hcp., 2000mT. B-Gaillardia LLC. *\$45,000 yrl '03 KEESEP.

Kelly's Olympics, f, 4, Kingmambo--Ophidian (SW & GSP), by Ogygian. Kenilworth, 1-7, Hcp., 1000mT. B-Calumet Farm. *GSP-SAf. **\$170,000 yrl '03 KEESEP.

★ PUERTO RICO ★

Friday, El Comandante, Puerto Rico
DIA DE REYES-G1-PR (Listed), \$66,400, El
Comandante, 1-6, 4yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:48, gd.
*1--SHAHID, 114, c, 4, by Fappiano's Star

1st Dam: Testadura (SP-PR), by Ankara
2nd Dam: Summer Romance, by Cutlass
3rd Dam: Time to Remember, by Bold Native
O-Fanucci Racing; B-Potrero Los Llanos, Inc (PR);

T-Manuel Fernandez; J-P Gonzalez; \$39,840. Lifetime Record: N/A. *Full to Little Franky Boy, MSW-PR, \$227,390.

2--Rojizo, 111, c, 4, Goldwater--Alheli, by Wolf Power (SAf). O-Establo Angel Cruz; B-Haras Santa Isabel, Inc (PR); T-Julio Diaz Jr; \$13,280.

3--Lightning Al Boy, 111, c, 4, Lightning Al--Winner's Design, by Sejm. O-Violeta Racing; B-Jose Vazquez (PR); T-Maximo Gomez; \$6,640.

Margins: NK, 2, HF. Odds: 14.30, 4.15, 15.75. Also Ran: Don Dandy, Co Animadora, Fogueo P, Little

Christopher, Portentoso.

*Rojizo finished first, but was DQ'd and placed second.

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SOPHOMORE SPOTLIGHT

Stakes/First-time Starters to Watch: Sunday, Jan. 8

Sire (Sire's Sire), Farm, 2002 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)

APTITUDE (A.P. Indy), Juddmonte, \$25K, 188/11/0 8-LAD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Well Said, \$57K EAS MAY 2yo, 6-1 BROKEN VOW (Unbridled), Pin Oak, \$10K, 187/13/1 8-LAD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Old Colony, \$150K FTF FEB 2yo, 5-1 DIXIE DOT COM (Dixie Brass), Cardiff, \$6K, 74/4/0 6-BM, Msw, 6f, Wilmore

6-BM, Msw, 6f, Wilmore EXCHANGE RATE (Danzig), Padua, \$10K, 84/12/1 8-LAD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Zurich, \$60K KEE SEP yrl, 15-1 FANTASTIC LIGHT (Rahy), Darley, \$43K, 202/13/3 6-SA, Msw, 1mT, Ebony Light, \$140K KEE APR 2yo 4-SA, Msw, 6 1/2f, +Fantastic Spring, \$400K KEE SEP yrl FLAME THROWER (Saint Ballado), Cloverleaf, \$7K, 67/7/0 6-BM, Msw, 6f, Firebaugh, \$55K EAS MAY 2yo FOREST CAMP (Deputy Minister), Airdrie, \$10K, 167/18/2 7-SA, Stk, 6f, The Pharaoh, \$80K FTK JUL yrl MINARDI (Boundary), Walmac, \$13K, 68/6/0 6-GP, Msw, 6f, +Special Fan, \$19K KEE SEP yrl MONARCHOS (Maria's Mon), Claiborne, \$25K, 131/5/2 2-AQU, Msw, 6f, +Moneypenny, \$180K KEE APR 2yo SONGANDAPRAYER (Unbridled's Song), Walmac, \$10K, 109/20/3

4-SA, Msw, 6 1/2f, Symphonic, \$350K FTF FEB 2yo

<u>TIZNOW</u> (Cee's Tizzy), WinStar, \$30K, 189/12/1

8-LAD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Tiznow Or Never, \$110K KEE SEP yrl, 8-1

<u>VISION AND VERSE</u> (Storm Cat), Hill N Dale, \$8K, 108/9/0

8-LAD, Msw, 1 1/16m, Panoramic View, \$12K KEE JAN yrl, 20-1







★ BRITAIN★

Yesterday's Results:

Lingfield, 1.40, Mdn, £5,909, 3yo, 1 1/4m (AWT), 2:07.18, st.

ABSTRACT ART (c, 3, Distorted Humor--Code from Heaven, by Lost Code) was hammered down to 8-15 following his second in a mile maiden here Dec. 20. Soon at the head of affairs, the \$55,000 KEESEP yearling and \$62,000 KEEAPR juvenile dominated the contest throughout and was geared down near the line to beat Sky High Guy (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}) by 1 1/2 lengths. Lifetime Record: 5-1-2-0, £6,569.

O-Matthew Green; B-Ms J L Mills; T-Neville Calaghan.

TDN TODAY

Lingfield, **12.40**, **Mdn**, £4,924, 3yo, 6f (AWT), 1:11.60, st.

DINGAAN (IRE) (c, 3, Tagula {Ire}--Boughtbyphone {GB}, by Warning {GB}), third behind the subsequent G2 Coventry S. scorer Red Clubs (Ire) in a conditions event at Newmarket on his last start in May, was sent off the 7-2 second favorite to overcome the absence. Up to lead early, the €35,000 GOFNOV weanling and 28,000gns TATOCT yearling quickened decisively at the top of the straight to secure a comfortable 1 1/2-length success from Trans Sonic (GB) (Trans Island {GB}). The winner is a half brother to Pentecost (GB) (Tagula {Ire}), MSP-Eng, \$351,869. Lifetime Record: 4-1-0-2, £4,909.

O-Lady C S Cadbury; B-Gill Wilson; T-Andrew Balding.

★ EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN HONG KONG:

Fat Choy Forever (GB), g, 5, Desert Style (Ire)--Brilliance (GB), by Cadeaux Genereux (GB). Sha Tin, 1-7, Hcp., 1200m (AWT). B-Highclere Stud Ltd. *28,000gns yrl '02 TATOCT.

Sounds Best (Ire), g, 5, Intikhab--Lidanna (GB) (MGSW-Ire, \$103,306), by Nicholas. Happy Valley, 1-4, Hcp., 1650mT. B-Ballylinch Stud. *Formerly Prince Monalulu (Ire).

IN SOUTH AFRICA:

Sugar Baron (Fr), g, 3, Trempolino--Sugar Lolly, by Irish River (Fr). Vaal, 1-5, Novice plate, 2000mT. B-Varsfontein Stud.



AUSTRALASIA



PROMISING RUNNER FOR CUGAT King Cugat's first Australian winner Heza Bonus (Aus) will target the \$500,000 Inglis Classic (1200m) at Rosehill Feb. 11 after winning Friday in a fashion that suggests there is plenty more in store. A A\$20,000 Inglis graduate, the colt won a maiden over 1000 meters at Taree, sitting off the pace early before coming home three wide to fight off the well-backed Mr Genuine (Aus). Heza Bonus debuted with a fifth at Tamworth Sept. 30. "He is a lovely looking horse; at his first race at Tamworth, he missed the start, but then caught up fairly well and ran a lovely race. We turned him out after that and he has just developed into a really nice horse," said trainer Tas Morton. "He will be at his best when he gets up over a mile. He had to be shaken up [Friday] as he is very green, he gets to the front and sits there." Heza Bonus is a half-brother to three winners including the stakes placed Blonde Jester (Aus) (Rory's Jester {Aus}), from the mare Stray Bullet (Aus) (Jevington {Aus}), whose five wins include the G3 WATC Sir Ernest Lee-Steere Classic.



HTBA ANNOUNCES SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

The winner of the Annual Hunter Thoroughbred Association (HTBA) Irish National Stud Scholarship was Luke Cash, 19, from Yarraman Park Stud in Scone. Luke will depart for the Irish National Stud at the end of January for a six-month course covering all aspects of the horse industry from foal care, reproduction, fertility and sale preparation to pedigree analysis. "The scholarship aims to provide international experience and to expand the knowledge of the staff employed by member studs of the Hunter Thoroughbred Breeders Association, to the ultimate benefit of our industry," said HTBA President Antony Thompson, adding that many scholarship winners have gone onto senior positions at prominent Hunter Stud farms. The scholarship is opened to applicants from the Hunter Valley who are aged 18-25 years. Applications close at the start of November.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

STAKES RESULTS:

RED CAMELIA S., \$83,100, LAD, 1-7, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:35 2/5, fm.

- 1--EQUESTRIAN GIRLS, 119, f, 4, Leestown--Rosie City, by Carson City. (\$9,500 yrl '03 LOUSEP). O-John J Aertker III; B-J Adcock (LA); T-Kelly Broussard; J-J Riquelme; \$49,860. Lifetime Record: 15-5-2-3, \$245,772.
- 2--Our Love, 119, m, 6, Combat Ready--Your Love, by Spruce Bouquet. \$16,620.
- 3--Nicks Nights, 117, m, 5, City Nights (Ire)--Nicks World, by Island Whirl. \$9,141.

Margins: 2HF, 3HF, NK. Odds: 7.00, 0.60, 9.00.

MINARET S., \$60,000, TAM, 1-7, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

- 1--PLATINUM PERFECT, 122, m, 5, Jules--Pleasant Wendi, by Katowice. O-Valeri C Robert; B-Arthur I Appleton (FL); T-Lynne M Scace; J-J Lezcano; \$34,500. Lifetime Record: 15-7-1-3, \$218,350.
- 2--Beautiful Bets, 118, m, 6, Alphabet Soup--Sommerfest, by El Prado (Ire). (\$22,000 2yo 2002 OBSJUN). \$9,000.
- 3--Louve Sauvage, 116, m, 5, Wolf Power (SAf)--Run Wild, by Taylor's Falls. (\$17,500 yrl '02 FTKOCT). \$4,500.

Margins: 1, 1HF, 1. Odds: 2.10, 4.10, 33.60.

A # will distinguish first-time stakes-winners, a @ will indicate first-time graded stakes-winners, a \(\text{\text{\text{\text{will first-time}}}} \) will denote a first-time Grade/Group 1 winner, a + will 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.

WINSHAM LAD H., \$50,000, SUN, 1-7, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:36 1/5, ft.

- 1--DON'T STRIKE OUT, 119, h, 6, <u>Smart Strike</u>--Classy n' Sassy (SW), by Regal Classic. O-Richard R Kasuda; B-Kathleen Crompton (KY); T-Raymond M Carlisle Jr; J-M A Villa; \$30,000. Lifetime Record: 39-13-6-4, \$211,229.
- 2--Broke Sharply, 116, c, 4, With Approval--Broke Slowly, by Northern Flagship. \$11,000.
- 3--Song Dancer, 117, h, 8, Unbridled's Song--Lizeality, by Hold Your Peace. (\$200,000 2yo 2000 OBSJUN). \$5,000.

Margins: NK, HF, 5HF. Odds: 2.80, 6.30, 2.10.

COTTON FITZSIMMONS MILE H., \$40,000, TUP, 1-7, 4yo/up, 1mT, 1:35, fm.

- 1--WESTERN ACT, 117, g, 4, Western Fame--Qualified, by Golden Act. (\$2,200 wlng '02 BESNOV; \$6,000 yrl '03 ARZNOV). O-Cory Kellogg, Huber Doyle & Kingsfield Racing Inc; B-Applebite Farms (CA); T-Cory J Kellogg; J-C S Williams; \$24,000. Lifetime Record: 13-5-2-1, \$83,354.
- *2--**Strategically**, 124, h, 6, Bertrando--Triple Charm, by Great Charmer. \$0.
- 3--Raging Wind, 116, c, 4, Category Five--Narivella, by Silent Fox. (\$3,500 2yo 2004 BESJAN). \$3,200. Margins: 2 3/4, NK, HF. Odds: 7.70, 0.80, 12.60. *Aza (Gold Meridian) finished second, by was DQ'd and placed fifth.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

1st-LAD, \$52,200, NW1X, (S), 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12,

COURTNEYS DOLL (f, 4, Slew the Surgeon--Courtneys Battle, by Battle Launch) Lifetime Record: SP, 12-3-4-3, \$89,660. O-David Korkames. B-Ronnie Lopiparo (LA). T-F Loy.

5th-LAD, **\$51,600**, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000), NW2X, 4yo/up, 6f, 1:11 3/5, ft.

JONESBORO (c, 4, Sefapiano--Mom's Command {Ch. 3yo Filly, MGISW, \$902,972}, by Top Command) Lifetime Record: SW, 8-3-2-1, \$117,885. O-Michael Langford. B-Jayeff "B" Stables (KY). T-Randy L Morse. *\$27,000 yrl '03 KEESEP.

7th-AQU, \$46,000, Opt. Clm. (\$25,000), NW2X, (S), 4yo/up, a1m70yd, 1:42 1/5, ft.

STEP IT UP (g, 4, David--Candy Mint, by Allen's Prospect) Lifetime Record: 8-3-2-0, \$101,515. O-Barry K Schwartz. B-Stonewall Farm (NY). T-Michael E Hushion.

4th-CTX, \$34,000, 1-6, NW16MX, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:28 4/5, gd.

SMOKIN' GREIDA (m, 5, Smoke Glacken--Greida {MSW}, by Far North) Lifetime Record: SP, 22-5-2-7, \$123,380. O-John L Kill-Kelley. B-Ellen B Kill-Kelley (KY). T-Lori J Bourne.



10th-CTX, **\$31,000**, 1-6, NW1X, 4yo/up, 4 1/2f, :52 3/5, gd.

BUCKRUB (g, 6, Western Echo--Su Bucks {SP}, by Su Ka Wa) Lifetime Record: 18-5-0-2, \$55,969. O-Danny A Limongelli. B-Deborah E Corter (PA). T-Steven Krebs.

9th-CTX, **\$30,000**, 1-6, NW3L, 3yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:21 4/5, gd.

MALIBU SUE (f, 3, Malibu Moon--Sue Chen, by Lord Parham) Lifetime Record: SW, 6-3-2-0, \$69,320. O-Wade S Sanderson. B-Ralph S Thomas (WV). T-Edwin L Tobin.

6th-SUN, **\$27,800**, NW2L, (S), 3yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04 1/5, ft.

ZZZS GHOST (f, 3, Ghostly Moves--Some Smash, by Rare Brick) Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-3-0, \$39,030. O-BLM Racing Stable Inc. B-V J Callaway (NM). T-Jamie Zamora. *1/2 to Star Smasher (Full Choke), MSW, \$437,992; full to Some Ghost, MSW, \$163,044.

10th-TPX, **\$26,250**, 1-6, NW2X, 4yo/up, a1m, 1:41 1/5, ft.

DYNAGOLD (g, 4, Gold Case--Dynella, by Dynaformer) Lifetime Record: 9-3-3-2, \$72,630. O-Joe Cain, Kermit Burton & Gary Robertson. B-Mobile Homes Tuckers (KY). T-S Joseph Cain.

8th-PHA, \$25,200, NW1X, 3yo, 6 1/2f, 1:18 1/5, ft. COUNT ON PAL (g, 3, Numerous--Always Pals {SW}, by Polish Numbers) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$27,840. O/B-Timber Creek Farm (PA). T-Cynthia G Reese.

6th-TPX, **\$25,000**, 1-6, NW1\$X, 4yo/up, f/m, a6f, 1:13. ft.

CAT IN THE TREE (f, 4, Forest Wildcat--Meadow Oaks {SP}, by Meadowlake) Lifetime Record: 6-3-2-0, \$68,175. O-Wildwood Racing. B-David E Hager II (KY). T-Brad H Cox.

7th-SUN, **\$24,300**, NW2L, 4yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10 3/5, ft.

TROPICAL GLAMOUR (f, 4, Dancing Glamour--Tropical Twister, by Compliance) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-0, \$18,930. O-Gary Owens. B-Leon Rafael (FL). T-Martin Lozano. *\$1,200 yrl '03 OBSOCT.

9th-PHA, \$24,300, NW2X, 4yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:24, ft. SHE'S FANCY FREE (m, 5, Peteski-Foolish Secret, by Maudlin) Lifetime Record: 23-4-5-1, \$79,560. O/B-Anthony J Merlino (PA). T-Philip T Aristone.

8th-TPX, \$22,900, NW1X, 3yo, f, 1m, 1:44 3/5, ft. MILITARY CASH (f, 3, Military--Cash Audit, by Lost Opportunity) Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-0, \$25,855. O-Gilbert Miller. B-Hillcrest Farms (KY). T-Curvin D Smith.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- We Miss You Nicko, g, 3, A. P Jet--Bestsofar, by Northern Score. LRL, 1-7, 6f, 1:13 4/5. B-John T Crane Jr (Md).
- Must Be a Quest, f, 3, Coronado's Quest--Must Be a Lady, by Lord At War (Arg). BMX, 1-7, 6f, 1:11 3/5. B-Stuart S Janney, III (Ky). *\$15,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.
- Go Bucky Go, c, 3, Elusive Quality--Terminal Blush, by Silent Screen. TPX, 1-7, a6f, 1:14. B-Mill Ridge Farm, Ltd (Ky). *\$130,000 yrl '04 FTKJUL; \$57,000 yrl '04 KEEJAN.
- Clever Selection, f, 3, Forest Camp--Regal Kate, by Colonial Affair. TPX, 1-6, 6f, 1:14. B-Castle Park Farm, LLC and Sergio Desousa (Ky). *\$40,000 wlng '03 KEENOV; \$75,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.
- Superb Ravi, f, 3, Holy Bull--Maltese Lovers, by Thunder Gulch. LAD, 1-7, 1 1/16m, 1:47 1/5. B-Yoshio Fujita (Ky).
- + Sir Sexy Lexy, c, 3, Lexicon--So Sanguine, by Moment of Hope. CTX, 1-6, 4 1/2f, :53 1/5. B-William Lussky (FI). * \$6,000 2yo 2005 OBSJUN.
- Caddymaster, g, 3, Western Fame--Art Smart, by Affirmed. SAX, 1-7, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:16. B-Applebite Farms (Ca). *\$7,000 yrl '04 BESOCT.
- Money Never Sleeps, m, 5, Fastness (Ire)--Shamdayjur, by Dayjur. CTX, 1-6, 7f, 1:30. B-Evergreen Thoroughbreds, Inc (Ky).

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

FRANCE, **Deauville**, **2.05**, €14,000, 4yo, f, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:29.20, st.

PRINCESSE JASMINE (FR) (f, 4, Gold Away {Ire}--Doucelisa {Fr}, by Cardoun {Fr}) Lifetime Record: MSP-Fr, 18 starts, 2 wins, 11 places, €69,700. O-P Sabban; B-E Lellouche & P Sabban; T-Yves de Nicolay.

ITALY, Siracusa, 3.20, 1-6, €9,000, 3yo, 15/16mT, time: n/a, gd.

NERO D'AVOLA (GB) (c, 3, Beat All--Persian Smoke {GB}, by Persian Bold {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 12 starts, 5 wins, 6 places, €38,284. O-S Guerrieri; B-Jamie Donovan; T-Antonio Failla. *1,200gns yrl '04 TATOCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Peloponnese (Fr), c, 4, Keos--Dumping (Fr), by Sicyos. Deauville, France, 1-7, Cond, 4yo, c/g, 7 1/2f (AWT). B-Hillbrow Breeding Ltd.

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