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HOPING TO HIT THE JACKPOT

A field of 10 juveniles has gathered from around the country for the \$1-million GIII Boyd's Gaming Delta



Officer Rocket

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Jackpot S. tonight at Delta
Downs. Shipping in from Maryland is Xchanger (Exchange
Rate), a game winner of the GIII
Sapling S. Sept. 4 who most
recently rallied for third behind
the streaking Day Pass in the GIII
Nashua S. Nov. 3. He is joined
by graded stakes winner Officer
Rocket (GB) (Officer) as well as
Birdbirdistheword (Pure Prize), a

stakes winner on turf who comes here on the strength of a fourth-place finish in the GI Lane's End Breeders' Futurity at Keeneland Oct. 7. But though the shippers

include a pair from the Bob
Baffert barn--Malt Magic (Cherokee Run) and Pirates Deputy
(Bertrando)--a Louisiana-based
colt may be the one to beat: Go
Poppa Fooze (Exciting Story)
has been unstoppable since
breaking his maiden July 30. In
his last out, Toby Keith's chestnut romped by nine lengths going a mile over this surface in
the Jean Lafitte S. Nov. 3.



Go Poppa FoozeCoady photography

Friday, Delta Downs, post time: 9:30 p.m. CDT BOYD'S GAMING DELTA JACKPOT S.-GIII,

\$1,000,000, 2yo, 1 1/16m PP HORSE TRAINER WT Xchanger **Exchange Rate** Shuman 122 1 Malt Magic Cherokee Run Baffert 117 3 Scatter the Tak 117 Mutakddim Blasi 4 Go Poppa Fooze **Exciting Story** Norman 119 5 Officer Rocket (GB) Officer Holthus 122 6 Ice Man Cometh Trippi Violette Jr 117 7 Mistycal Light Festival of Light Allen 117 Birdbirdistheword Pure Prize 119 8 McPeek Pirates Deputy Bertrando Baffert 119 Free House 119 10 Freesgood Currin

TATTERSALLS DECEMBER SALE ENDS

A record-breaking year at Tattersalls finished last night with the Newmarket-based company showing a 233-million guineas turnover in 2006. The December Sale, which ended yesterday, turned over a record



Magical Romance, the worldrecord broodmare who sold for 4.6-million guineas www.tattersalls.com

100,630,900gns, up 36 percent on 2005. The 55,937gns average was up 42 percent and the 25,000gns median rose by 25 percent. "What a great way to round off a marvelous year," said Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony. "We knew that we had a special catalogue for the Mares' Sale, and the Foal Sale last week was spectacular, but we could never have predicted the

extraordinary level of trade

this week. The Tattersalls December sales record books have been completely rewritten over the last four days and the huge number of buyers from literally all corners of the globe reflects the massive international reputation of the sale. Last year the December sales turnover went up 40 percent, to 74-million guineas, which was uncharted territory for a European bloodstock sale, but this year's sale has exploded. The turnover has exceeded 100 million guineas, which is a jump of a further 35 percent and almost double the turnover of two years ago. In addition, we have had a world-record price for a broodmare, a European record price for a filly in training, seven seven-figure transactions, and wide-margin record averages for both foals and breeding stock." Tattersalls cont. p2

BAZE DRAWS EVEN WITH PINCAY

With a win in yesterday's sixth race at Bay Meadows, the 48-year-old Russell Baze equaled Laffit Pincay Jr.'s mark of 9,530 career victories, putting the Hall of Famers on even terms as the winningest jockeys of all time. Baze was aboard **Christie's Fame** (Western Fame) in a one-mile race for \$6,250 claimers and guided that 7-5 favorite to a wire-to-wire score. Baze had a total of six mounts yesterday, racking up a win, two seconds, a third and two off-the-board finishes.

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Tattersalls Chairman Edmond Mahony continued, "It has been truly breathtaking from start to finish and the 'Racing UK' live coverage of Tuesday's mammoth session which was broadcast in Britain, Ireland and America made for compulsive viewing. The obvious highlights of this extraordinary sale have been the world record 4.6-million guineas for Con Wilson's Magical Romance, the European record 3-millions guineas for the Group 1-winner Spinning Queen and the Britton House Stud dispersal, but the real feature has been the huge contribution made by people new to the Thoroughbred business. New Enterprise Investment Schemes, countless new faces from throughout the world and the great tradition of Irish breeders at the December sales have all played a major part, but above all we are currently experiencing an unprecedented global demand for quality bloodstock, and this has never been more apparent than at the 2006 Tattersalls December Sales." Yesterday's top lot was the three-year-old filly Virginia Rose (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), a dual winner for James Given who was knocked down to agent Brian Grassick for 95,000gns. "I've bought her for Eimear Mulhern, who bred her," said Grassick. "Eimear lost the dam [Rispoto] recently and this filly's been bought to breed from so won't run again."

TATTERSALLS DECEMBER TOTALS

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
No. Offered	2262	2455
No. Sold	1799	1878
RNAs	463	577
% RNA	20.5%	23.5%
Gross	100,630,900gns	74,156,000gns
Average (% change)	55,937gns (+41.7%)	39,487gns
Median (% change)	25,000gns (+25.0%)	20,000gns

TATTERSALLS DECEMBER MARES THURSDAY'S TOP LOTS

Hip Name Covering Sire Price (Gns)

2523 Virginia Rose (Ire) B'Mare Prospect 95,000

(f, 3, Galileo {Ire}--Rispoto {GB}, by Mtoto {GB})

Consigned by Mount House Stables

Consigned by Mount House Stables Purchased by Brian Grassick Bloodstock

<u>2560</u> Tidie France Dubai Destination 75,000 (m, 4, Cape Town--Talon d'Aiguille, by Big Spruce)

Consigned by Hillwood Stud Purchased by Barry Walters

2468 Miss Corinne (GB) Denon

58,000

(m, 6, Mark of Esteem {Ire}--Percy's Girl {Ire}, by Blakeney {GB})

Consigned by Voute Sales Ltd,

agent for Disnan Barbara

Purchased by David McGreavy Bloodstock

TATTERSALLS DECEMBER BLOODSTOCK THURSDAY, NOV. 30, 2006

SESSION TOTALS	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>		
No. Offered	330	320		
No. Sold	232	227		
RNAs	98	93		
% RNA	29.7%	29.1%		
Gross	2,882,800gns	1,728,000gns		
Average (% change)	12,426gns (+63.2%)	7,612gns		
Median (% change)	8,500gns (+54.5%)	5,500gns		
CUMULATIVE	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>		
No. Offered	1025	1133		
No. Sold	870	901		
RNAs	155	232		
% RNA	15.1%	20.5%		
Gross	66,235,800gns	46,525,800gns		
Average (% change)	76,133gns (+47.4%)	51,638gns		
Median (% change)	30,000gns (+36.4%)	22,000gns		
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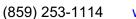


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Covering Sire Dubai Destination

Price (gns) 75,000

(f, 4, Cape Town-Talon d'Aiguille, by Big Spruce)
Consigned by Hillwood Stud
Purchased by Barry Walters

A \$16,000 Keeneland November weanling purchase, Tidie France never made much of an impact at the races and was offered for sale at this auction house's 2006 February sale. The bay RNAd for just 18,000gns on that occasion and was covered by Dubai Destination the following month. Sent back through the ring yesterday, the four-year-old, from the family of Bosra Sham and Hector Protector turned a solid profit.

2515 Pachanga (GB)

Celtic Swing (GB)

45,000

(f, 4, Inchinor {GB}-Gai Bulga {GB}, by Kris {GB})
Consigned by Kildaragh Stud, agent
Purchased by Broughton Bloodstock

Once placed as a three-year-old in France in 2005, Pachanga was hammered down for 15,000gns to Emerald Bloodstock as a horse of racing age at last year's Tatts December Sale. Hailing from the family of G1 2000 Guineas winner Footstepsinthesand (GB) and champion Superstar Leo (GB), she was put in foal to Celtic Swing (GB) and made three times her purchase price of 12 months ago.



TATTERSALLS YEAR-END FIGURES

	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
No. Offered	6327	5893
No. Sold	5128	4736
Gross	233,367,900gns	185,516,800gns

Average (% change) 45,509gns (+16.2%) 39,163gns

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TDN TODAY

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☆ RESULTS ☆

Thursday, Otaki, New Zealand LEVIN CLASSIC-G1, NZ\$200,000, Otaki Maori, 11-30, 3yo, 1mT, 1:40.10, sl.

1--▲@#POROTENE GEM (NZ), 120, f, 3, by Pins (Aus)
1st Dam: Rubyfoo, by Danzatore
2nd Dam: Moonbeam McQueen, by Miswaki
3rd Dam: Seek a Rainbow, by Bolero

O-Mrs A T & P K Broughton; B-P Nicholls; T-Kevin Gray; J-David Walker; NZ\$125,000.

- 2--Jokers Wild (NZ), 123, c, 3, Black Minnaloushe--Miss Rory (Aus), by Rory's Jester (Aus). O-N J Carter, G J Christini & Miss B M Paterson; B-B T Hoong, Mrs J M Wilding & C W Wong; T-Mike Moroney & Andrew Scott; NZ\$40,000.
- 3--Figueres (NZ), 123, g, 3, Star Way (GB)--Figurante (NZ), by His Royal Highness (NZ). O/B-Mrs K D H Lane; T-Kay Lane; NZ\$20,000.

Margins: 1HF, 1 1/4. Winner's Odds: 15-1.



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RECORD CATALOG FOR KEEJAN A record 2,933 lots have been cataloged for the Keeneland January Horses of All Ages Sale, which will be held in Lexington, Kentucky, from Monday Jan. 8 through the following Monday. The number surpasses last year's record 2,508 head by 425, and includes 1,152 broodmares, 361 broodmare prospects, 224 racing or broodmare prospects, 90 racing prospects, 1,011 short yearlings, 59 racing or stallion prospects, 27 stallion prospects, five stallions and four stallion shares. The sale's second day will feature the complete dispersal of F. Eugene Dixon, Jr., consigned by Claiborne Farm and Charlton. The dispersal will include broodmares, racing/broodmare prospects, racing prospects, stallion prospects and yearlings. "The January Sale has come into its own as a truly international auction, which is reflected in last year's record-breaking growth," said Keeneland Director of Sales Geoffrey Russell. "We continue to expand the duration of the sale to accommodate our horsemen, who have come to view January as an extension of the November Sale. This is a solid catalog which offers in particular a good selection of young racing and broodmare prospects." Covering sires include the likes of established stallions Awesome Again, Cozzene, Dehere, Dixieland Band, Dynaformer, El Prado (Ire), Elusive Quality, Forestry, Fusaichi Pegasus, Gone West, Gulch, Johannesburg, Mr. Greeley, Pulpit, Rahy, Silver Deputy, Thunder Gulch, and Tiznow. Stallions with their first mares in foal include Afleet Alex, Consolidator, Eddington, Eurosilver, Forest Danger, Leroidesanimaux (Brz), Limehouse, Offlee Wild, Pollard's Vision, Powerscourt (GB), Rock Hard Ten, Roman Ruler, Saint Liam, and Southern Image, among others. Catalogues will be available from Dec. 4 on www.keeneland.com.

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REDOUTE'S CHOICE DONE FOR YEAR Champion Australasian sire **Redoute's Choice (Aus)** (Danehill) has suffered a small muscle tear off his near side pin bone and will not service any more mares in the current breeding season. "He's not presenting any clinical signs



Redoute's Choice arrowfield.com.au

of injury, but the ultrasound test does show that the small tear has not yet repaired itself," Dr. Mark Wylie, a veterinarian at Arrowfield Stud, told Australian Associated Press. The 10-year-old stallion already has a reported 154 mares pronounced in foal with another 21 holding service. Redoute's Choice is ex-

pected to finish the 2006 breeding season with about 170 mares in foal, giving him a fertility rate of about 90 percent. "We regret that this will inconvenience some of our clients and acknowledge that we are being very conservative, but it's better to be safe than sorry," added Arrowfield owner John Messara. Dr. Wylie went on to say that the injury should not compromise Redoute's Choice's ability to breed a limited number of mares on Northern Hemisphere time beginning in February. From four crops to race, Redoute's Choice is already the sire of 23 stakes winners, including eight Group 1 winners. His progeny have earnings in excess of A\$21.2 million.

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GRADE I WINNERS FACE OFF AT DELTA Tonight's \$300,000 Delta Princess S. at Delta Downs will feature a pair of Grade I-winning two-year-old fillies,



Appealing Zophie

Horsephotos

Appealing Zophie (Successful Appeal) and Meadow Breeze (Meadowlake). Appealing Zophie, runaway winner of the GI Spinaway S. at Saratoga Sept. 3, faded to be sixth in the GII Darley Alcibiades S. Oct. 6 over Keeneland's Polytrack, but most recently ran fourth in the GI Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Nov. 4 at Churchill. Good early foot has been the Florida-bred's calling card. "I

think it's a very good place for her," trainer Scott Blasi told *Daily Racing Form* about the draw. "It gives her a chance to see what the pace will do. She's very quick away from there, has very good gate speed, so I think she'll be well-placed." Her rival surprised the field in the GI Matron S. at Belmont Sept. 23, but never factored when ninth in the GI Frizette S. at the same track Oct. 14. She returned to Louisiana and posted a win over this surface in the My Trusty Cat S. Nov. 3, defeating three of tonight's rivals in the process.

Friday, Delta Downs, post time: 8:33 p.m. CDT DELTA PRINCESS S., \$300,000, 2vo f 1m

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PP	HORSE	SIRE	TRAINER	WT
1	Miss Atlantic City	Stormy Atlantic	Desormeaux	121
2	Gal Wonder	Three Wonders	Marks	121
3	Meadow Breeze	Meadowlake	Deville	121
4	Appealing Zophie	Successful Appeal	Blasi	121
5	Stage Stop	Valid Expectations	C Asmussen	121
6	Wine Diva	Pine Bluff	Mouton	118
7	Splendid In Spring	Best of Luck	Miller	116



3:26p 5th-FGX, \$40K, Msw, 2yo, 6f

WEATHER WARNING (Storm Cat) tired to fourth after encountering a rough start in his career bow at Turfway Park Sept. 9. Following another awkward break last time, the son of GISW City Band weakened in the final strides and had to settle for second at Churchill Downs Oct. 29, but has been working well since. brisnet.com pps

5:01p 4th-HOL, \$50K, Alw, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m TVG PHANTOM ROSE (Danzig) kicked off h

PHANTOM ROSE (Danzig) kicked off her career, and her tenure with trainer Andre Fabre, with a pair of French victories, including a score in the Listed Prix d'Angerville at Maisons-Laffitte May 17. Fourth in the June 4 G2 Prix de Sandringham at Chantilly, the daughter of GISW Honest Lady was within a neck of taking the Listed Prix de la Cochere in her next start Sept. 6. A close-up 13th, beaten only four lengths, in her European farewell in the G1 Prix de la Foret at Longchamp Sept. 30, the bay crossed the wire just behind stablemate Price Tag, the winner of last Sunday's GI Matriarch S. Making her debut for trainer Bobby Frankel, the Juddmonte homebred gets Lasix for her dirt bow.

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IT'S NO JOKE TO STONEWALL Stan Fulton's multiple graded stakes winner It's No Joke (Distorted Humor--It's Personal, by Personal Flag) will join Stonewall Farm Stallions in Versailles, Kentucky for the 2007 season, where he will stand his first season at stud for \$10,000, stands and nurses. A \$675,000 Keeneland September yearling, the four-year-old It's No Joke enjoyed his best season this year, annexing the 1 1/4-mile GII Hawthorne Gold Cup H. and the one-mile GIII Ack Ack H., won at Churchill Downs in 1:34 3/5. He also ran second in the GIII Turfway Park Fall Championship S. and third in the GII Gulfstream Park H. "Distorted Humor has emerged as an elite sire, and we're thrilled to have acquired such a good-looking son, especially one with true miler speed that we can offer to breeders at an attractive price," said Stonewall General Manager Bert Welker. It's No Joke was produced by It's Personal, a multiple graded stakes winner of \$232,836. It's No Joke retires with a record of seven wins in 16 starts and \$685,612 in earnings.

LOVE OF MONEY TO NORTHVIEW Jay Em Ess Stable's five-year-old Love of Money (Not For Love--Mescalina, by Smarten), winner of the 2004 GII Pennsylvania Derby, has been retired from racing and will take up stud duties alongside his sire at Northview Stallion Station in Chesapeake City, Maryland. His fee will be \$3,000, live foal, stands and nurses. A limited number of shares will be available, according to a farm press release. A winner of three of his first four starts by a combined 20 1/2 lengths, Love of Money capped that run with a rousing 8 1/2-length tally in the Pennsylvania Derby, beating Pollard's Vision and Swingforthefences. As a four-year-old last year, he ran third behind Rock Hard Ten and Imperialism in the GII Strub S. and in 2006 he was second, beaten 3/4 lengths by Sir Greeley, in the GIII Westchester H. Produced by a half-sister to graded stakes winner Sheila's Prospect (Not For Love) and thus closely related to that filly, Love of Money is also a half to the stakes-winner Astrid (Concern). He retires with a record of 10-4-2-1, for \$602,705 in career earnings.

* NEW YORK *

Yesterday's Results:

FLAT FLEET FEET S., \$66,500, AQU, 11-30, (R), 3yo, f, 1m70y, 1:42 1/5, ft.

- 1--HOMERETTE, 122, f, 3, Grand Slam--Bien Sucre (SP, \$124,206), by Ends Well. O/B-Fox Ridge Farm, Inc (NY); T-Patrick J Kelly; J-Jean-Luc Samyn; \$39,900. Lifetime Record: 19-4-6-4, \$225,152. *1/2 to Dulce De Leche (Distant View), SW-US, SP-Fr, \$195,324.
- 2--Altesse, 118, f, 3, A.P. Indy--Aldiza, by Storm Cat. O-Helen C Alexander, Helen K Groves & Dorothy A Matz LLC. \$13,300.
- 3--Love Locket, 120, f, 3, Thunder Gulch--Love Lock, by Silver Ghost. O-Michael B Tabor. \$6,650.

 Margins: HF, 1 1/4, 4HF. Odds: 16.00, 2.25, 2.50.

 Homerette, winner of the Irish Linnet S. against New York-breds at Saratoga Aug. 13, ran a close second in another state-bred affair, the Terreavigne S. Oct. 21.

 Fourth in an off-the-turf version of the restricted Rokeby Rose S. in the slop here Nov. 8, the dark bay was overlooked in this second attempt on the main. Settled along the inside in the early going, Homerette swung wide for the drive and dug in determinedly to get the win. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

4th-AQU, \$52,800, Msw, 2yo, f, 1m (off turf), 1:41 2/5, ft.

ROYAL HIGHLAND (f, 2, Royal Academy--Highland Tootsie, by Highland Blade), eighth in the slop here Nov. 12, was given a 10-1 chance on a fast track. Content to track the early pace, the bay took over after three-quarters of a mile and held the advantage all the way home, scoring by 1 1/2 lengths over Fascinating Girl (Langfuhr). The \$45,000 KEESEP yearling is a half to Cape Town Lass (Horse Chestnut {SAf}), MGSP, \$215,142. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$31,827. O-Hinkle Farms. B-Kings Way Farm (KY). T-Kiaran P McLaughlin.

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6th-AQU, \$41,000, Msw, (S), 2yo, 5 1/2f, 1:04 4/5, ft.

SON OF SABATO (c, 2, Precise End--Devon Ridge, by Cox's Ridge), a \$12,000 FTMMAY juvenile acquisition,

completed the trifecta in his Belmont debut Oct. 9, then stayed on for third after setting quick fractions of :21 4/5 and :45 in the New York Stallion Great White Way S. at the Big A Nov. 5. Back with maidens here, the 1-2 chalk was pressed through :22.30 and :45.64 splits, but had plenty left for the stretch, drawing off to win by 2 1/4 lengths. Makin Me Famous (Precise End) finished second. Lifetime Record: SP, 3-1-0-2, \$38,700.



Son of Sabato Sherack photo

O-Team Stallion Racing Corp. B-Thomas/Lakin (NY). T-Gary C Contessa.



2nd-AQU, MSW In For a Dime (Include) takes to the turf to become the 14th winner for her freshman sire.

FLAT FLEET FEET S. (8th-AQU) Homerette (Grand Slam) gets the job done at 16-1.

9th-LRL, MSW Disco Indy (Jump Start) overcomes a bumpy start to score at first asking. 2nd-AQU, \$44,000, Msw, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:40 4/5, gd. IN FOR A DIME (f, 2, Include--Dime Queen, by Sham) rallied to be third in her latest going a mile on the dirt at Delaware Oct. 15 and was 7-1 for this first attempt on the turf. Settled in seventh through the opening quarter mile, the \$15,000 KEENOV weanling angled out for the drive at the top of the stretch and drew clear late to post a one-length victory over Dattts Awesome (Awesome Again). She becomes the 14th winner for her freshman sire (by Broad Brush). Lifetime Record: 6-1-1-1, \$39,740. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made. O-R Larry Johnson. B-Richard Lueck (KY). T-H Graham Motion.

* CANADA *

Old Forester to T.C. Westmeath Stud:

The five-year-old **Old Forester** (Forestry--Halo River, by Irish River (Fr)) has been retired and will stand his

initial season at stud at John Carey's T.C. Westmeath Stud near Shelburne, Ontario. The graded stakes winner's fee has been set at \$5,000, live foal. A \$310,000 yearling acquisition by Live Oak Plantation, Old Forester campaigned for that operation and scored his biggest win in this year's GIII Cliff Hanger S. at



Old Forester Equi-photo

The Meadowlands. He also captured two other stakes, the 2004 Santa Claus S. at Calder and the 2005, 1 1/16-mile Canadian Turf H. at Gulfstream, won in a course-record 1:38 1/5 on the grass. On the board in 19 of his 22 lifetime starts, Old Forester, out of the stakes-winning Halo River and from the family of GISW High Yield, retires with six wins and earnings of \$462,632. Dermot Carty's International Bloodstock Agency brokered the deal to send Old Forester to T.C. Westmeath.

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Yesterday's Results:

Baker.

1st-WOX, \$39,463, Alw, NW3L, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:46 1/5, ft.

BEAR'S KID (c, 3, Lemon Drop Kid--Tap to Music {GISW, \$1,052,526}, by Pleasant Tap), winner of last year's GII Summer S. on the turf, returned this season with a runner-up finish in a \$62,500 optional claimer going seven panels here Sept. 29. A close-up third over track and trip Nov. 4, the \$60,000 ADNMAR juvenile was backed down to 4-5 favoritism this time. Up to contest the early pace, the Kentucky-bred poked his head in front after a half mile in :49.60, dueled with Andalusian (El Prado {Ire}) through the stretch and drove clear late to succeed by two lengths. Lifetime Record: GSW, 8-3-2-1, \$214,768.

O-Bear Stables Ltd. B-Adena Springs (KY). T-Reade

9th-WOX, \$54,142, Msw, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:18, ft. + SUPER TAK (g, 3, Mutakddim--Green Zircon {MSP, \$126,721}, by Avies Copy), sent off at 6-1, stalked the early pace in third, edged up on leader Carla Dee (Twining) in the final sixteenth and forged past that foe late to eke out a head victory. The winner was a C\$60,000 ONTSEP yearling purchase. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,640.

O-Sue Leslie. B-Hill 'N' Dale Farm (ON). T-Sue Leslie.

10th-WOX, \$29,093, Msw, 2yo, 6f, 1:12 1/5, ft. + FORBIDDEN BEAR (c, 2, Forbidden Apple--Inaspecial Way, by Seattle Sleet) went off the 5-2 favorite and did not disappoint. Well back in the opening quarter, the dark bay raced to the fore after a half mile and continued to draw clear late, winning by three lengths over Kettle Rapids (Mizzen Mast). The \$25,000 OBSAUG yearling and \$43,000 OBSJUN juvenile is the first winner for freshman sire (by Pleasant Colony). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$16,189.

O-Bear Stables, Ltd. B-Guy Trolinger (FL). T-Reade Baker.



Yesterday's Results:

9th-LRL, \$30,000, Msw, 2yo, 6f, 1:12, ft. + DISCO INDY (c, 2, Jump Start--Disco Darlin' (SP), by Citidancer), let go at 23-1, was an unhurried eighth through an opening half mile in :46.34. Bumped when angling out in upper stretch, the \$95,000 FTMOCT drove to the front and drew off to post a 2 3/4-length victory over Digger (Yonaguska). The bay is the 18th winner for his freshman sire (by A.P. Indy). Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$17,100. Video, sponsored by Taylor Made.

O-David A Ross. B-Classic Thoroughbred XVIII (KY). T-Ann W Merryman.

* CENTRAL *

\$65,000 raised for Tubby's Clubhouse:

A fundraiser at Ro Parra's Millennium Farms in Kentucky raised \$65,000 to benefit a proposed new chapter of Tubby's Clubhouse. Proceeds from a live auction and from the sale of stallion seasons, as well as a matching grant from the Ro Parra Family Foundation, were donated to the program. Tubby's Clubhouse was established by the University of Kentucky's men's basketball coach Tubby Smith and Parra, a senior vice president at Dell, Inc. The program is based on Dell's TechKnow program that teaches basic computer skills to at-risk children. Upon graduation, each student receives a free refurbished Dell computer. To date, Clubhouses across Kentucky have graduated more than 500 students. "There are so many kids that are at-risk in our communities," said Coach Smith. "With these clubhouses, we can teach them skills that will serve them throughout their lives." The newest Tubby's Clubhouse will be built in partnership with The Keeneland Association at a soon-to-be-determined location in Central Kentucky. It will specialize in teaching children whose families are affiliated with the Thoroughbred industry.

Hawthorne Cancels Thursday Card:

Due to unsafe track conditions and an impending winter storm in the area, Hawthorne cancelled its live racing program yesterday. The Chicago-area track will also be closed for training today, with a decision on this afternoon's card to be made after an assessment of the condition of the racing surface. All of Thursday's races will be brought back as "extras" on future cards.

Yesterday's Results:

8th-FGX, \$40,000, Msw, 2yo, f, a7 1/2fT, 1:34, fm. GOLDEN POSSUM (f, 2, Quiet American--Bold Answer {SW, \$165,383}, by Dynaformer), fourth going a sixteenth shorter over the Polytrack at Keeneland Oct. 21, was installed the 8-5 choice for her truf bow. Never far back, the bay bid three wide turning for home and got up in the final strides to hand Bright Lite (Festival of Lite) a head defeat. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$25,900. O/B-Doug & Linda Neece (KY). T-Michael Stidham.

1st-TPX, \$20,760, Msw, 2yo, f, 5 1/2f, 1:04 2/5, ft. + ALTERED STATE (f, 2, Johannesburg--November Morn, by Capote), sent off the 9-2 third choice, rated just behind the early leaders, squeezed through an opening turning for home and drew off under a steady drive, winning by three lengths over Dance Band (Storm Cat). The \$200,000 FTFFEB juvenile and \$160,000 KEESEP yearling, the 24th winner for freshman sire (by Hennessy), is a half to Irguns Angel (Irgun), GSW, \$276,155 and Balmy (Salt Lake), SW, \$224,968. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$12,405.

O-Dixiana Stables, Inc. B-Gaines-Gentry Thoroughbreds (KY). T-George R Arnold, II.



★ SO. CALIFORNIA ★

Yesterday's Results:

6th-HOL, \$44,708, Msw, 2yo, f, 1 1/16m, 1:43 1/5, ft. SETAFIRE (f, 2, Jump Start--Sanctionize, by Groovy) was trained by Philip Sims when she ran second on Keeneland's Polytrack Oct. 7, then was moved to David Hofmans barn in California. Stretching to two turns for the first time on the Cushion Track, the dark bay was a troubled second going this distance Nov. 8 and was the 3-1 second choice here. Off slowly, she was last of nine through three quarters, rallied wide into the stretch and, under an extended Alex Solis drive, was up to deny favored Indy's Windy (A.P. Indy) by a nose. With the win, Setafire became the 19th winner for her freshman sire (by A.P. Indy). Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-0, \$44,710.

O-Tarabilla Farms, Inc. B-Douglas Arnold (KY). T-David E Hofmans.

★ AMERICAN-BRED WINNERS ★

IN FRANCE:

+ Flash Ram, g, 2, Langfuhr. See "European Breeders' Edition."

IN BRITAIN:

Littleton Telchar, g, 6, Atticus—Miss Waikiki (MSP), by Miswaki. Kempton Park, 11-29, Hcp, 3yo/up, 7fT. B-Morven Stud Ltd. *\$14,000 wnlg '00 KEENOV; FF350,000 yrl '01 DEAAUG; 2,500gns HIT '03 TATJUL; 10,000gns HIT '05 TATAUT. **1/2 to Coqueteria (Cozzene), MSP-Eng & GSP-Ger.

IN SOUTH AFRICA:

Melrose Point, f, 4, Point Given—-Halo River (MSW, \$107,475), by Irish River (Fr). Vaal, 11-30, Hcp., 2000mT. B-Robert B Berger & The Thoroughbred Corporation. *1/2 to Old Forester (Forestry), GSW, \$462,362. **\$190,000 yrl '04 KEESEP.

★ ON THE WORKTAB ★

BELMONT PARK

Strong Contender (Maria's Mon), 5f (tr), 1:02.33, 7/24

GOLDEN GATE

Victorina (Delaware Township), 4f, :47.60, 2/20

HOLLYWOOD PARK

Fantastic Spain (Fantastic Fellow), 7f (T), 1:28.80, 2/4 **Sarafan** (Lear Fan), 7f (T), 1:29.20, 3/4

SANTA ANITA

Arson Squad (Brahms), 7f, •1:24.60, 1/3

IN DUBAI:

Almaram, h, 6, A.P. Indy-Beraysim (Ire) (SW & GSP-Eng), by Lion Cavern. Nad Al Sheba, 11-30, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1500m. B-Darley Stud Management LLC.

Tri Another Cat, g, 6, Forest Wildcat—Tri Skipping, by Skip Trial. Nad Al Sheba, 11-30, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1600m. B-Brereton C Jones. *1/2 to Patton's Victory (Patton), GSW, \$324,790.

Mutasallil, h, 6, Gone West--Min Alhawa (MSP-Eng), by Riverman. Nad Al Sheba, 11-30, Hcp, 3yo/up, 2000m. B-Shadwell Farm LLC.



Second-crop starters to Watch: Friday, Dec. 1 (1st-time starters and stakes runners)

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

CITY ZIP (Carson City), Lane's End, \$15K, 122/46/6 6-AQU, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Cizi EL CORREDOR (Mr. Greeley), Hill N Dale, \$30K, 190/51/5 2-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Hefightsforus, \$20K KEE SEP yrl EXCHANGE RATE (Danzig), Padua, \$10K, 86/38/4 8-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Xchanger, \$40K EAS MAY 2yo, 6-1 MINARDI (Boundary), Walmac, \$5K, 71/18/1 8-HOL, Msw, 6fT, +Fashionably Ellie PRIME TIMBER (Sultry Song), Sez Who, \$4K, 94/38/1 1-AQU, Msw, 1mT, +Mighty Gigantor ROCK AND ROLL (Cure the Blues), Carapan, \$3K, 56/10/0 4-AQU, Msw, 5 1/2f, +Jaimies Gem, \$3K NEW MIX wnl TRIPPI (End Sweep), Ocala Stud, \$8K, 143/60/4 8-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Ice Man Cometh, \$200K FTF FEB 2yo, 15-1 VALID BELFAST (Valid Appeal), Judice, \$1000, 84/8/0 3-DED, Msw, 7f, +Tabitha's Boy, 12-1 VISION AND VERSE (Storm Cat), Hill N Dale, \$8K, 110/35/1 1-DED, Msw, 7f, +Timeless Value, 8-1 Rookies cont. p6

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Rookies cont.

First-crop progeny to watch: Friday, Dec. 1

Sire (Sire's Sire), 2003 Farm, 2003 Fee, #foals of racing age/Winners/SW Race #-track, race type, distance, runner, odds (if available)\

BUDDHA (Unbridled's Song), Hill 'N' Dale, \$18K, 133/4/0 2-TP, Msw, 5 1/2f, Just Bud

CAME HOME (Gone West), Lane's End, \$40K, 77/6/0

2-TP, Msw, 5~1/2f, Huffman, \$70K KEE SEP yrl

EXCITING STORY (Diablo), Lane's End Texas, \$5K, 27/6/1

8-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Go Poppa Fooze, 9-2

FESTIVAL OF LIGHT (A.P. Indy), Valor, \$4K, 57/10/0

8-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Mistycal Light, 30-1

INCLUDE (Broad Brush), Airdrie, \$13K, 108/14/3

2-HAW, Msw, 1 1/16m, Mis Vietoria, \$18K EAS JUL 2yo, 10-1

JOHANNESBURG (Hennessy), Ashford, \$25K, 150/23/6

10-FG, Msw, 6f, Red Falcon, 12-1

JUMP START (A.P. Indy), Overbrook, \$10K, 81/18/0

4-AQU, Msw, 5 1/2f, Positive Charge, \$25K EAS MAY 2yo

1-DED, Msw, 7f, Stranger Home, 20-1

LEELALAU (Carson City), Walmac, \$3K, 22/2/0 7-CT, Msw, 7f, Mozart, \$5K KEE SEP yrl, 2-1

LORD ALY (Alyfoe), Four Seasons Farm, \$1000, 3/0/0

6-AQU, Msw, 5 1/2f, Bechel

MALABAR GOLD (Unbridled), Highclere, \$8K, 62/4/0 3-AQU, Aoc, 6f, Golden Dreamer, \$25K FTK NOV wnl

OFFICER (Bertrando), Taylor Made Farm, \$15K, 85/20/5

3-AQU, Aoc, 6f, Special Dream

8-DED, Stk, 8.5f, Officer Rocket (GB), \$190K OBS MAR 2yo, 7-2 ORIENTATE (Mt. Livermore), Gainesway, \$20K, 117/20/2

8-HOL, Msw, 6fT, +Montara, \$170K KEE APR 2yo

OUTOFTHEBOX (Montbrook), Ocala Stud Farm, \$8K, 72/6/0 2-HAW, Msw, 1 1/16m, Out With the Tide, \$20K OBS MAR 2yo,

6-1

PURE PRIZE (Storm Cat), Vinery, \$8K, 74/12/5
8-DED, Stk, 1 1/16m, Birdbirdistheword, \$32K OBS AUG yrl, 3-1
THREE WONDERS (Storm Cat), Hidden Point, \$5K, 74/14/1
6-DED, Stk, 1m, Gal Wonder, \$27K OBS AUG yrl, 10-1
THUNDERELLO (Montbrook), Walmac, \$5K, 55/12/0
9-CT, Alw, 4 1/2f, Bird of War, \$13K OBS APR 2yo, 7-2
WELL NOTED (Notebook), Monhill, \$3K, 16/0/0
1-AQU, Msw, 1mT, Noted Newyorker, \$33K SAR AUG yrl
7-CT, Msw, 7f, Mamas Inegream Man, \$4K FAS MAY, 2yo, 15-1

7-CT, Msw, 7f, Mamas Icecream Man, \$4K EAS MAY 2yo, 15-1 YONAGUSKA (Cherokee Run), Vinery, \$10K, 106/20/1 9-TP, Alw, 5 1/2f, Indian Fire, \$85K FTK JUL yrl









IN DUBAI:

Lover Boy (Ire), g, 3, Alhaarth (Ire)--L'Amour, by Gone West. Nad Al Sheba, 11-30, Mdn, 3yo/up, 1800m. B-Lady Bamford. *80,000gns yrl '04 TATOCT.

Doctor Hilary (GB), g, 4, Mujahid--Agony Aunt (GB), by Formidable. Nad Al Sheba, 11-30, Hcp, 3yo/up, 1200m. B-The Lavington Stud. *21,000gns yrl '03 DONSEP; 88,000gns 2yo '04 DONAPR.







BECRUX OUT, LINNGARI ADDED TO HK MILE

Team Valor has announced that **Becrux (Ity)** (Glen Jordan {GB}), winner of this year's GI Woodbine Mile, has undergone surgery to remove a chip from a knee and will be forced to miss his next scheduled engagement in



Linngari (center) A Watkins

the G1 Hong Kong Mile at Sha Tin Dec. 10. The four-year-old apparently suffered the injury during his seventh-place effort in the GI Citation H. at Hollywood Park Nov. 24 and will be out of training for about 60 days, according to Team Valor President Barry Irwin.

The gelding was also suffering from a quarter crack going into the race. Surgery was performed yesterday by Dr. Doug Herthel at the Alamo Pintado Equine Medical Center, in Santa Ynez, California. Irwin said he expects Becrux to be ready to race before the end of the winter/spring meeting at Santa Anita and could come to Hong Kong for the G1 Champions Mile Apr. 29. Becrux will be replaced in the field for the \$2-million event by Linngari (Ire) (Indian Ridge {Ire}). Trained by South African Herman Brown, the four-year-old has celebrated a terrific season, taking the G2 AI Fahidi Fort in Dubai and the G2 Goldene Peitsche S., the premier sprint event in Germany. A dead-heat second in the G1 Prix de la Foret Sept. 30, the chestnut was most recently a close fourth in the G3 Prix de Seine-Oise Oct. 28. Former Hong Kong-based jockey Glyn Schofield is expected to have the ride on International Races day. The lone American representative in the Mile is Rebel Rebel (Ire) (Revoque {Ire}), the runner-up in the GI Woodbine Mile.

BREEDERS' EDITION AMERICA

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

2nd-WOX, **\$56,254**, 11-29, NW2L, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:25 2/5, ft.

MOLINARO GLORY (f, 3, Bold Executive--Home Forever, by Home At Last) Lifetime Record: 7-2-0-0, \$68,280. O/B-Molinaro Stable (ON). T-Vito Armata. *C\$35,000 yrl '04 ONTSEP.

5th-FGX, **\$43**,000, NW1X, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:47 1/5, ft.

LITTLE DIRTY HERTY (f, 4, Leestown--Russian Majorette, by Caucasus) Lifetime Record: 19-3-2-6, \$72,306. O-Saleh Atalleh. B-Paul Pruett (LA). T-Theo Journet.



Breeders' Edition cont.

7th-AQU, \$43,000, NW1X, (S), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12, ft. MEGAN'S WORLD (f, 2, Include--Ms Jaguar Type, by Gilded Time) Lifetime Record: 7-2-3-0, \$84,030. O-Paul M Keating Sr. B-Joan T Simpson (NY). T-Timothy Ritvo. *\$100,000 yrl '05 FTNAUG; \$85,000 2yo 2006 OBSMAR.

9th-FGX, **\$41,500**, Opt. Clm. (\$35,000), NW2X, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:10 1/5, ft.

ISLAND WARRIOR (c, 3, Cherokee Run--Sanibel Island, by Capote) Lifetime Record: GSP, 7-3-3-1, \$135,410. O/B-Overbrook Farm (KY). T-Dallas Stewart.

8th-LRL, \$38,000, Opt. Clm. (\$40,000-\$35,000), C, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:38 2/5, ft.

BE COOL FOOL (g, 5, Runaway Groom--Sixmore {SP}, by Saratoga Six) Lifetime Record: 43-8-12-8, \$176,155. O-Paula Martinez-Diaz. B-Doris & J Steven Moses (KY). T-Aurelio P Valdez. *\$27,000 wlng '01 KEENOV.

8th-DED, **\$34,000**, 11-29, NW3L, (S), 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:21 1/5, ft.

LITTLE CAPT. (c, 4, Capt. Tiff's Beau--Very Appealing, by Valid Appeal) Lifetime Record: 14-3-2-2, \$74,463. O/B/T-Henry B Johnson Jr (LA).

9th-CTX, **\$28,000**, 11-29, NW1X, 2yo, f, 6 1/2f, 1:19 2/5, ft.

SNOW WAY (f, 2, Snow Ridge--Miss Idaho, by Baldski) Lifetime Record: 6-2-2-1, \$61,940. O-Daniel J Feiss. B-Norman Casse (FL). T-J Michael Rogers. *\$11,000 2yo '06 OBSAPR.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- + Fast N Fabulous, f, 2, El Corredor--Sarcastic Humor, by Devil's Bag. CRC, 11-30, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-Padua Stables (FL).
- Parlour Time, f, 2, Gilded Time--Parlour Maid, by Dignitas. WOX, 11-30, 6f, 1:12 4/5. B-Kingview Farms (ON). *C\$22,000 yrl '05 ONTSEP.
- + Shirley's Brittney, f, 2, Sea of Secrets--Brittany Princess, by Our Native. DED, 11-29, 5f, 1:01 1/5. B-Dan White (KY). *\$3,500 yrl '05 TEXAUG. **1/2 to Corey's Minstrel (Minstrel Dancer), SP, \$327,191. ***Won by 6 lengths.
- + Timetobeproper, f, 2, Time Bandit--Proper Mist, by Proper Reality. DED, 11-29, (S), 7f, 1:29 4/5. B-Ryder River Ridge Farms Inc. (LA).
- + **Gregorian Bay**, c, 2, <u>War Chant</u>--Lochlin Slew, by Seattle Slew. HOL, 11-30, (C), 6f, 1:08 4/5. B-B Wayne Hughes (KY).

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- Busy Business, c, 2, Wised Up--Sociable Mama, by Ends Well. CRC, 11-30, (C), 5 1/2f, 1:07. B-J D Farms (FL).
- Halrose, c, 3, Halo's Image--Mia's Fortunate, by Fortunate Prospect. CRC, 11-30, 1m70y, 1:46 1/5. B-Harold Rose (FL).
- Miss Morgana, f, 3, Housebuster--Morgana's Run, by Compadre. CTX, 11-29, 4 1/2f, :53 3/5. B-Donna M Hayes (VA). *SP.
- Blue Ash, c, 3, Mountain Bike (Chi)--Finally (Aus) (MSW-NZ & SP-US), by Snaadee. CTX, 11-29, 1 1/8m, 1:54 3/5. B-I P Knelman (CA).
- Val Gardena, f, 3, Peaks and Valleys--Terrigal, by Seattle Slew. WOX, 11-30, 1 1/16m, 1:49 2/5. B-Hope Stock Farm, Karen & Mickey Taylor (ON). *Full to Wedding Valley, SP-Jpn, \$750,912.
- Diamonds N Dreams, g, 3, With Approval—Cajoleuse's Speed (Ch. Older Mare-PR, SW-PR, \$214,292), by Golden Derby. BMX, 11-30, 6f, 1:10 4/5. B-G C & Mrs M H Bewall (CA).
- Bowen's Dream, h, 5, French Deputy--Alarming Prospect (MGSP, \$102,895), by Darn That Alarm. TPX, 11-29, 6f, 1:10. B-Marvin Delfiner (KY). *\$150,000 wnlg '01 KEENOV; \$60,000 2yo '03 KEEAPR. **1/2 to French Park (Ecton Park), MGSW, \$297,601.

BREEDERS' EDITION EUROPE

CONDITIONS RESULT:

FRANCE, **Deauville**, **2.40**, 11-30, €20,000, 3yo, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:28.50, stn.

SPIRITO DEL VENTO (FR) (g, 3, Indian Lodge {Ire}--Heavenly Song {Fr}, by Machiavellian) Lifetime Record: SW-Fr, 8 starts, 3 wins, 4 places, €68,310. O-Luigi Ciampi; B-Haras des Sablonnets; T-Jean-Marie Beguigne. *€28,000 yrl '04 DEAAUG.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

- + Flash Ram, g, 2, Langfuhr--Circuit City (Ire), by Exit To Nowhere. Deauville, France, 11-30, Mdn, unraced 2yo, c/g, 7 1/2f (AWT). B-Winchester Farm.
- + Mathuna (Ire), f, 2, Tagula (Ire)--Sigonella (Ire), by Priolo. Deauville, France, 11-30, Mdn, unraced 2yo, f, 7 1/2f (AWT). B-Kildaragh Stud. *€42,000 yrl '05 GOFORB.
- Slowburn (Ire), f, 2, Tobougg (Ire)--Snowy Owl, by Storm Bird. Grosseto, Italy, 11-29, Mdn, 2yo, 1750mT. B-Wardstown Stud Ltd. *22nd winner for freshman sire (by Barathea {Ire}).

Stars of tomorrow grabbing the spotlight today...