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SHOT THROUGH THE HEART

Hunt bests Heart o Heart in Shoemaker Mile | *Benoit*

Michael House's **Hunt (Ire)** (Dark Angel {Ire}), making his first start of the year, stormed to the lead in the dying strides to just nip favored **Heart to Heart** (English Channel) on the line in the GI Shoemaker Mile S. at Santa Anita Monday, earning an automatic berth in the GI Breeders' Cup Mile. A winner of four of 10 starts over the Santa Anita turf, but winless in four efforts at Monday's mile distance, Hunt was let go at 9-1. He settled in midpack as pacesetting **Om** (Munnings) opened a clear lead through a quarter in :23.22 and :46.66. Heart to Heart aggressively pulled his way to challenge the leader passing the three-eighths pole and appeared to have the measure of the pacesetter in upper stretch. But it was Hunt, tipped off the rail at the top of the lane, who was traveling best of all in the middle of the course and he outbattled a game Heart to Heart to win by a neck with **Next Shares** (Archarcharch) a late-closing neck back in third.

"This is great, it's what we're all in it for," said House. "Flavien [Prat] was inside, saving ground in a good spot, and I was smiling."

Prat added, "He has been training really well, pretty much like he was at Del Mar last summer right before he won two graded stakes. I was expecting a good race but you never really know off a layoff. He was fresh and he got the job done. I don't think it's a matter of distance at all with him. He won at six and a half, he's won at a mile and three-eighths so I think it's a matter of his mood and feeling the right way on race day." ***Cont. p3***

FIFTY YEARS ON, SIR IVOR REMAINS AN INSPIRATION FOR THE GLOBAL VILLAGE

by Chris McGrath

In the wider world, 1968 has a very different resonance: the murders of Robert Kennedy and Martin Luther King, Vietnam protests, the tumultuous Democratic convention in Chicago, Nixon picking up the pieces. On the Turf, however, we can look back 50 years in a spirit of undiluted celebration. For Sir Ivor, the first Epsom Derby winner bought at an American auction, was a horse that brought nations together.

It could be argued, in fact, that his success at Epsom launched the era of international commerce that continues to sustain the bloodstock industry to this day. Later that summer his trainer, Vincent O'Brien, gave $84,000 for a yearling by Northern Dancer. Two years later, as Nijinsky, this colt won the Triple Crown in Britain. ***(Click to cont. to p4)***

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PIVOTAL EXCELLING AS A BROODMARE SIRE

Cheveley Park Stud's Pivotal (GB) (Polar Falcon) is having a tremendous year as a broodmare sire. John Boyce has the details. Click or tap here to go straight to TDN Europe.

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Bolt d'Oro *works Monday morning at Keeneland in preparation for the GI Met Mile on Belmont Stakes Day June 9.* | *Sarah K. Andrew*

BELVOIR BAY, THE LIEUTENANT IN HOLIDAY STAKES **8**

Belvoir Bay (GB) (Equiano {Fr}) earned her third straight victory of the year in Monday's GII Monrovia S. at Santa Anita, while Justify's half-brother The Lieutenant (Street Sense) earned the first graded win of his career in the GIII All American S.

SOPHOMORES ON THE WORK TAB **9-11**

Free Drop Billy (Union Rags), who remains a possible starter in the June 9 GI Belmont S., worked at Churchill Downs Monday. While Bolt d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro) tuned up for the GI Met Mile with a speedy work at Keeneland.

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Hunt Wins Shoemaker Mile *(cont. from p1)*

Julien Leparoux, aboard runner-up Heart to Heart, had no excuses for the beaten favorite. "We had a good trip," Leparoux said. "I knew the one [Om] was going to go out real fast. I tried not to pay attention to him and to ride my race. When the winner came to us, my horse tried very hard. He fired...we can't complain."

Hunt won back-to-back graded stakes over the Del Mar turf last term, winning the July 22 GII Eddie Read S. by one length over Ashleyluvssugar (Game Plan) and besting Saturday's GII Charles Whittingham S. winner Itsinthepost (Fr) (American Post {GB}) by 3/4 lengths in the Aug. 19 GII Del Mar H. After finishing 13th in the GI Breeders' Cup Turf, the gray gelding concluded 2017 with a narrow score in the Nov. 26 GII Seabiscuit H.

"The time off did this horse a world of good," said winning trainer Phil D'Amato. "We really kind of geared his campaign to focus towards Del Mar where he won three graded stakes last year, so these races were kind of preps leading up to the Del Mar meet. We won the Eddie Read last year, so we'll try to defend our title. I think the spacing is really good, and from there, we'll see, but I've got a Win and You're In Mile berth and we'll definitely gear our campaign towards that."

Pedigree Notes:

Mansiya produced a filly by Gutaifan (Ire) in 2017. The mare is a half-sister to stakes winner Abury (Ire) (Law Society), as well as to the dam of South African champion Bad Girl Runs (SAf) (Western Winter). In foal to Showcasing (GB), she sold for €7,000 at the 2014 Goffs February sale.

Michael House welcomes Flavian Prat in winner's circle | *Benoit*

Monday, Santa Anita

SHOEMAKER MILE S.-GI, $401,035, Santa Anita, 5-28, 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:34.07, fm.

1--**HUNT (IRE), 123, g, 6, by Dark Angel (Ire)**
1st Dam: Mansiya (GB), by Vettori (Ire)
2nd Dam: Bay Shade, by Sharpen Up (GB)
3rd Dam: Bay Street (GB), by Grundy (Ire)
1ST GRADE I WIN. (â,¬24,000 RNA Wlg '12 GOFNOV; â,¬78,000 2yo '14 GBMBR). O-Michael House; B-Michael O'Callaghan (IRE); T-Philip D'Amato; J-Flavien Prat. $240,000. Lifetime Record: GISW, 27-9-5-3, $908,764. **Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*. Click for eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.**

ANOTHER GRADE 1 WINNER BRED IN IRELAND

2--**Heart to Heart**, 125, h, 7, English Channel--Ask the Question, by Silver Deputy. (C$25,000 Ylg '12 CANSEP). O-Terry Hamilton; B-Red Hawk Ranch (ON); T-Brian A. Lynch. $80,000.

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3--**Next Shares**, 121, g, 5, Archarcharch--Two Dot Slew, by Evansville Slew. ($87,000 Ylg '14 FTKOCT; $190,000 4yo '17 KEENOV). O-Michael & Jules Iavarone, Jerry McClanahan, Christopher T. Dunn, William Marasa, Ritchie Robershaw & Mark Taylor; B-Buck Pond Farm, Inc. (KY); T-Richard Baltas. $48,000.

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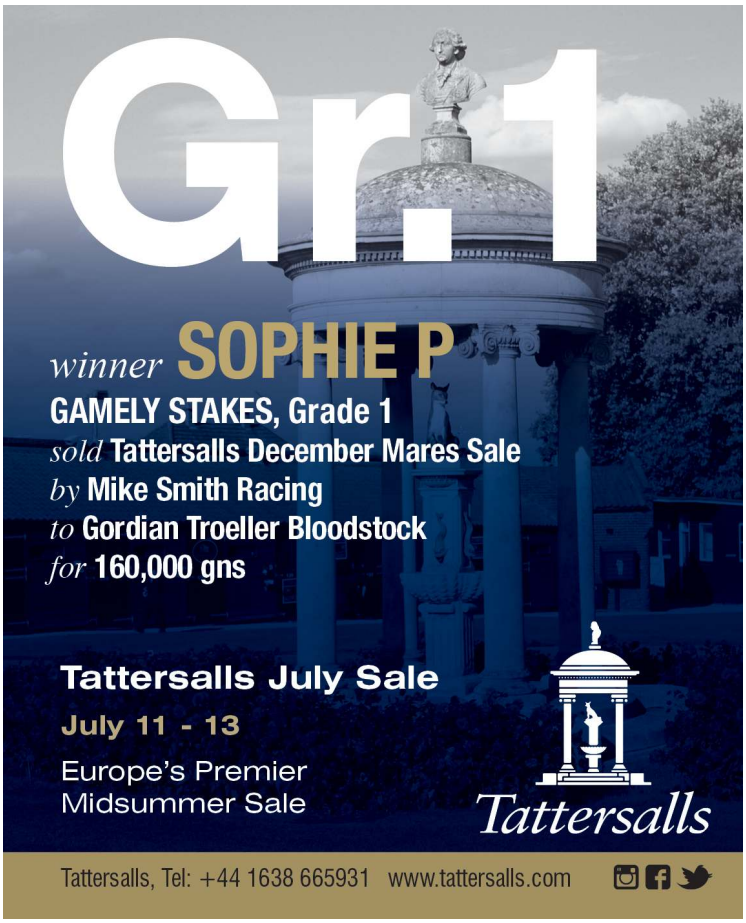

Fifty Years On, Sir Ivor Remains an Inspiration for the Global Village *(cont. from p1)*

From that point a transfusion of North American blood not only revived the European gene pool but also caused such manic inflation in the market, following the entry of the Maktoums, that the business model of O'Brien and his partners was stretched to breaking point by its own success.

It was salvaged by the homebred Sadler's Wells and his trainer's namesake and successor at Ballydoyle, Aidan O'Brien. Now John Magnier--the common link to both horses--is hoping that **Saxon Warrior (Jpn)** (Deep Impact {Jpn}), odds-on favourite for the next running of the Derby on Saturday, can become the first Triple Crown winner since Nijinsky. As the son of a Japanese sire, of course, Saxon Warrior already reflects the same questing spirit that brought Sir Ivor and Nijinsky to Europe--and would, as such, bring a pleasing element of circularity to the anniversary of Sir Ivor's Derby.

But if Sir Ivor helped to trigger seismic change in the global industry, he also represented a new beginning on a far more intimate scale. And really that industry--being so prone to rushes of blood, to fits of avarice and despair and vainglory--would do well to borrow the temperate and seasoned judgement that remains the hallmark of the farm that first announced itself with a son of Sir Gaylord, sold for $42,000 at the Keeneland July Sale of 1966.

BIG RACE DOUBLE ON SATURDAY

Accelerate goes clear of **Dr. Dorr** in the **G1 Gold Cup at Santa Anita** bringing his earnings past **$1.7m**

Money Multiplier wins the **G2 Monmouth Stakes** and takes his earnings to over **$1.2m**

Accelerate dominates Gold Cup at Santa Anita

Hronis Racing's **Accelerate (Lookin At Lucky)** scored his second top-level success of the season Saturday, powering clear in the lane to capture the **G1 Gold Cup at Santa Anita** in style… and charged home a four and a quarter-length winner. **Dr. Dorr** completed a **Lookin At Lucky** exacta… the Coolmore stallion was also represented by Saturday's **G2 Monmouth S.** winner **Money Multiplier**.

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Not that Alice Chandler was especially seasoned when she sent an 11-year-old mare named Attica to Sir Gaylord at Claiborne in 1964. Attica was one of just four mares given to Alice by her father, Hal Price Headley, who had died two years previously--along with the 286 acres just down the road from Keeneland, which he had co-founded, that became the nucleus of Mill Ridge Farm. She owed much, in those early days, to the counsel of Bull Hancock of Claiborne.

Lester Piggott on Sir Ivor | *Getty Images*

"He was ever so helpful to Mom when she went out on her own," remembers Alice's son Headley Bell, who took over the running of Mill Ridge in 2008. "He sent her overflow mares, that he didn't have room for, and was just very helpful in growing her business. Obviously Sir Gaylord was a Claiborne horse, so he'd have worked with her on that, too."

Hal Price Headley and Bull Hancock's father, Arthur B. Hancock Sr., were both among the dozen Pillars of the Turf nominated last week for induction to the Hall of Fame this summer. And both had an important role in the sowing of the American breed with European Classic blood. Hancock Sr. had been central to the syndicates that imported Blenheim in 1936 and Sir Gallahad ten years earlier. Hal Price Headley, for his part, exported Pharamond from England to Kentucky in 1929: a siphon for some of Europe's most precious Classic blood as cultivated by the 17th Earl of Derby.

Pharamond was by Phalaris, ultimately the most influential sire of the century, out of Selene. That made him a half-brother to Hyperion and full brother to Sickle, while his deeper family tree drew together several of the most iconic names of the Victorian Turf.

The year Pharamond started in Kentucky, Headley raced the champion juvenile filly in Alcibiades--herself a blend of indigenous and Classic European blood.

At three, she proceeded to win the Kentucky Oaks and, with a fortnight's interval between races in those days, also ran tenth in the Kentucky Derby.

In 1934, Headley mated Alcibiades with Pharamond. The result was Menow, the champion juvenile who became sire of Tom Fool (and grandsire of the very important Buckpasser). Two years later, the mare was sent to War Admiral and produced Salaminia, who proved a high-class stayer on the track, winning the Ladies' H. among other races of historic stature at the time. When herself mated with Pharamond, Salaminia produced another Ladies' H. winner in Athenia. And Athenia became the dam of Attica, whose Sir Gaylord colt was one of the first bred at Mill Ridge by Alice Chandler.

Hal Price Headley (left) with John Oliver Keene | *Keeneland Library*

So the idea of Sir Ivor as a pioneer needs placing in context. He was not so much the first link in a chain, as an extension of a perennial process of transatlantic regeneration. Nonetheless his acquisition at Keeneland represented a turning point for the modern breed. It served as a new post on which to hang the chain.

More cross-pollination: Sir Gaylord's sire Turn-To had himself been sent over the ocean to the U.S. as a foal. And Turn-To's sire Royal Charger was by Nearco out of Sun Princess-a half-sister to Nasrullah.

It was Bull Hancock who imported Nasrullah from Europe to become one of the all-time patriarchs of the American Thoroughbred. And it was also Hancock who purchased Alice Chandler's son of Attica and Sir Gaylord on behalf of Raymond Guest, the American ambassador to Ireland.

Vincent O'Brien had seen the potency of American blood through Larkspur, his first Derby winner and a son of the Kentucky-bred Never Say Die. But Sir Ivor's arrival from a public auction was a game-changer. It set a template for the commercial transfer of virtues associated with dirt racing in America to the ultimate European racing environment, an undulating mile and a half on turf; a template, arguably, for the whole Northern Dancer revolution in Europe.

"It's monumental, to some degree, from a few different standpoints," said Headley Bell. "It obviously got the attention of John Magnier and team, leading them to regard our American-bred horse as an opportunity. That's the bottom line. Really, it was the beginning of the commercial market."

As a youngest sibling, then only 13, Bell has limited memories of the stunning breakthrough for his mother's nascent farm on 29 May 1968.

"My oldest brother Mike attended the Derby, he would have been just out of high school," he recalled. "He went over with Mom and Mom's mother, so that was very, very special. The story goes that Mike was standing on a chair and it broke under him, so he grabbed the rafter or something of that nature, and I believe was hanging off it when the horse made that move."

The way Sir Ivor reeled in Connaught, who had gone clear while he was caught on the rail, proved a defining moment in Lester Piggott's career. Unfortunately, Guest himself was unable to be at Epsom. He watched the race on television as he planted a tree to open the Kennedy Arboretum in County Wexford, commemorating the late President's birthday. (Poignant to reflect that RFK would be killed just eight days later.)

Aptly, Sir Ivor ended his career shipping back across the ocean to win the Washington D.C. International--only the second Derby winner to run in the U.S., Papyrus having lost a $100,000 match against Kentucky Derby winner Zev at Belmont in 1923.

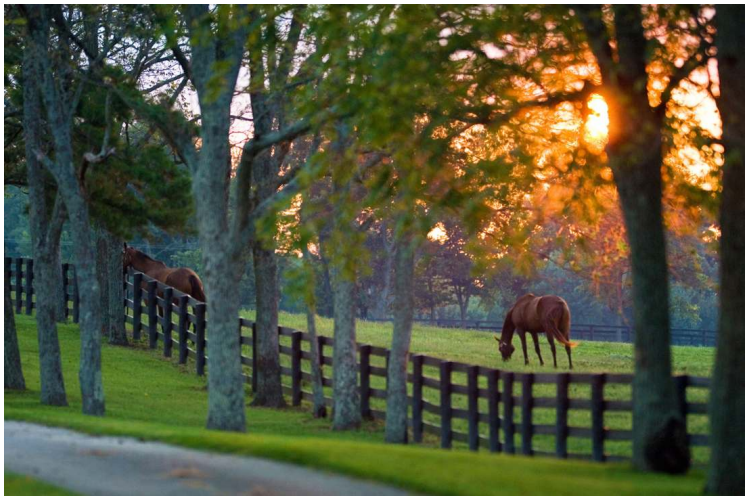
Granted all the great things that have happened at Mill Ridge since--the Diesis and Gone West years, the graduation of Giacomo and Point Given and Havre De Grace and all the rest--how do we account for an opening salvo as unerring as Sir Ivor? Luck can only take you so far, whether that of the beginner or the type earned by years of graft and experience.

"You know, I'm not going to talk about destiny," Bell said. "But there's just continuous threads here that overlap. My grandfather was a sophomore at Princeton when his father had a stroke and he had to come back and take over. He took a horse called Ornament [beaten a neck in the 1897 Kentucky Derby] to the St Louis [World's] Fair and he won all these prizes, showing this horse. That was the start of it, and then he found a money man to help him on stallions.

"This was all self-made. That's what's hard to fathom: you had land, that didn't mean you had money. Then he had his heart attack at Keeneland after training horses in the morning. And he left my mother those four mares, and Attica among them. Descended from Alcibiades, his foundation race filly who ended up trickling throughout the breed. And then the colt is sold at Keeneland, which keeps that thread running through."

Moreover Mill Ridge would consolidate its role in the commercial integration between America and Europe when Bell's mother Alice remarried.

"Here you have to throw John Chandler into the mix," Bell confirmed. "He was a conduit for this marriage between America and Europe. He had all these relationships when he came over and that's how our client base grew, mostly on the European side. At one time, we had mares for two of the Maktoums and for Prince Khalid on the farm. [Dr Chandler] ended up playing a significant role as the commercial side started to grow. And all the time that comfort level with Keeneland provided a badge of integrity. But Sir Ivor was really the start, it all grew from there.



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"It's great because in Horse Country to keep history alive is so very important. I'm thankful for our family, after five generations, because these cycles contribute to us all, make us all richer. It's fascinating to think my grandfather went over there for Pharamond and then came back on the boat. Can you imagine navigating all that kind of business back then, to seek out a stallion to make your broodmare band better? Because you weren't thinking about the commercial side, you were thinking about your mares."

In regard to that, a final point about Sir Ivor. How is it that he, his sire and his sire's great half-brother Secretariat were all such profound influences as broodmare sires? Two hugely important stallions out of Sir Ivor mares were El Prado and Green Desert, while Shareef Dancer in turn achieved fame as a broodmare sire by producing the dam of Dubai Millennium.

"With Secretariat, my personal opinion was always that it was about the quality of the mares that he got," speculated Bell. "Just the richness of those mares made him more prolific as a broodmare sire. I could be wrong. But with Sir Ivor, maybe it is that blend, the Sir Gaylord; or maybe it was the richness of his own dam side. He wasn't a sire of sires, but he was a filly sire as we know. It happens."

Pedigrees are so often lazily interpreted in just two dimensions-sire-line, and broodmare sire-line-when the genetic contribution to every horse is divided equally between sire and dam. The common link between Secretariat, Sir Gaylord and Sir Ivor, as distaff influences, is Somethingroyal.

She was a daughter of that copper-bottomed fount of toughness and class, Princequillo. Princequillo was himself famously exported from war-torn Europe. (The wisdom of which move became manifest when his Belgian-trained sire was killed by gunfire.) Sadly, Princequillo's own sire-line appears to be on the point of extinction. However, his name surfaces routinely at the core of many of the most influential families in the modern breed.

Hal Price Headley's imprint on O'Brien's revolutionary work with North American blood was not confined to Sir Ivor. For when O'Brien bought the colt who became Nijinsky, the catalogue page showed his dam to be out of a daughter of Menow, the son of Pharamond and Alcibiades.

It would be nice to think, then, that the anniversary of Sir Ivor will renew a sense of adventure in some who have become too inflexible in their view of pedigrees. Certainly there are too many Europeans, half a century on, who remain blind to the immense value, on turf, of the classic dirt hallmarks: that ability to carry speed, that toughness.

After all, both the colts on the Triple Crown trail this year--either side of the Atlantic-are by sires who have transcended narrow prescription. Someday, no doubt, European breeders will be keen to use Justify (Scat Daddy) because they have seen the versatility of his sire. Equally, perhaps, Sunday Silence's grandson Saxon Warrior should not be painted as a pure turf horse.

And just look who gave us Deep Impact's dam: Alzao, son of a Sir Ivor mare.

"We're always just a cycle away from this richness," Bell agreed. "You just hope it makes them better with each generation. It's so cool to see Deep Impact coming through over there. It's making the world closer as a result."

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1--**BELVOIR BAY (GB), 123, m, 5, by Equiano (Fr)**
1st Dam: Path of Peace (GB), by Rock of Gibraltar (Ire)
2nd Dam: Persian Song (GB), by Persian Bold (Ire)
3rd Dam: Arrangement (GB), by Floribunda (GB)
(20,000gns Ylg '14 TAOCT). O-Team Valor International & Gary Barber; B-Mrs R. D. Peacock (GB); T-Peter Miller; J-Victor Espinoza. $120,000. Lifetime Record: 20-9-3-2, $558,361. **Click for eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A++.**

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2--**Ancient Secret**, 121, m, 5, Kantharos--Privacy, by Notebook. ($225,000 2yo '15 OBSAPR; $390,000 RNA 4yo '17 FTKNOV). O-Alpha Delta Stables; B-Lambholm (NY); T-P D'Amato. $40,000.

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Belvoir Bay exploded to the lead and powered clear to win her third straight stakes race down the hill at Santa Anita in Monday's GII Monrovia S. The victory was the 300th stakes win for the Team Valor partnerships. Sent off the 9-5 favorite, Belvoir Bay chased the pacesetters down the hill before settling just in behind Algorhythmic (Vronsky) who set the tempo through splits of :21.76 and :44.15. In tight quarters crossing over the dirt track, Belvoir Bay surged through a narrow seam and grabbed the lead before scampering clear to the wire.

Belvoir Bay has now won four of five starts on the downhill turf course. Winner of the 2016 Unzip Me S., she opened 2018 with a victory in the Mar. 25 Mizdirection S. and added the Apr. 29 GIII San Simeon S. last time out.

Pedigree Notes:

Path of Peace is a half-sister to group-placed Raindancing (Ire) (Tirol {Ire}), Group 1 placed Mountain Song (GB) (Tirol {Ire}) and group winner Please Sing (GB) (Royal Applause). This is also the family of 1985 GI Kentucky Derby runner-up Bold Arrangment (GB) (Persian Bold {Ire).

Path of Peace produced a filly by Dream Ahead in 2017. Her Lethal Force (Ire) colt sold for 115,000gns at last year's Tattersalls October Yearling Sale and her Kyllachy (GB) filly sold for 230,000gns to John Ferguson at last year's Tattersalls April sale. She had been purchased for 120,000gns by Willie Browne at the 2016 Tattersalls October sale.

Monday, Golden Gate Fields

ALL AMERICAN S.-GIII, $101,125, Golden Gate Fields, 5-28, 3yo/up, 1m (AWT), 1:36.60, ft.

1--**THE LIEUTENANT, 122, h, 5, by Street Sense**
1st Dam: Stage Magic (GSP, $133,981), by Ghostzapper
2nd Dam: Magical Illusion, by Pulpit
3rd Dam: Voodoo Lily, by Baldski
1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. ($50,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; $185,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR). O-Mr. & Mrs. William K. Warren, Jr.; B-John D. Gunther (KY); T-Michael W. McCarthy; J-Tyler Conner. $60,000. Lifetime Record: 12-4-1-1, $209,537. *1/2 to Justify (Scat Daddy), MGISW, $2,998,000. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: B+.**

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2--**My Friend Emma**, 122, g, 6, Tannersmyman--Ma Ka Bet, by Artax. ($1,000 Ylg '13 NCAAUG). O-Candelario Barragan & Jocelyn Robles; B-Jim Eaton (CA); T-Rhoda March. $20,000.

3--**Grecian Fire**, 122, g, 4, Unusual Heat--Maddie's Odyssey, by Kitten's Joy. O/B-KMN Racing (CA); T-J Hollendorfer. $12,000.

Margins: 1, NO, HD. Odds: 2.90, 3.10, 10.60.
Also Ran: Perfectly Majestic, Taima the Hawk, Ritzy A. P., Force (Ire), Conquest Cobra, Castle, Many Roses. **Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCIS.com PPs or free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

The Lieutenant, living in the shadow of his GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness S.-winning younger brother Justify (Scat Daddy), earned a graded stakes victory of his own with a late-surging score in the GIII All American S. at Golden Gate Fields Monday. Sent off the tepid 5-2 favorite in his first try over the Tapeta, the 5-year-old rated in mid-pack as My Friend Emma set the early pace through fractions of :23.07 and :46.36. He began taking closer order along the rail with three furlongs to run, but was forced to wait for racing room at the top of the lane as the pacesetter turned for home with a three-length advantage. The Lieutenant darted through a seam at the rail, tipped outside of My Friend Emma and inside the rallying Grecian Fire and closed with a powerful late kick for the one-length victory.

"The pace definitely helped me," said winning rider Tyler Connor. "Once I got him clear, he rolled home. He kicked on really well."

The Lieutenant opened the year with a seventh-place effort while making his graded stakes debut in the Feb. 3 GII San Pasqual S. He was seventh again in the Feb. 19 GIII Razorback H. at Oaklawn Park before returning to the West Coast for a runner-up effort in the Mar. 31 Santana Mile. He was coming off a third-place finish in the Apr. 28 GII Californian S.

Pedigree Notes:

In addition to Triple Crown hopeful Justify, graded stakes placed Stage Magic (Ghostzapper) is also the dam of a yearling colt by Will Take Charge and she produced a colt by Pioneerof the Nile this year. Bloodstock agent Patrick Lawley-Wakelin went to $230,000 to acquire the mare's Pioneerof the Nile filly on behalf of R.S. Evans and West Point Thoroughbreds at last year's Keeneland September sale. Stage Magic is a daughter of Grade I placed Magical Illusion, a half-sister to multiple graded stakes placed Lily O' Gold (Slew o' Gold) and to the dam of graded stakes winners Kid Cruz (Lemon Drop Kid) and Spellbound (Bernardini).

The Lieutenant | *Shane Micheli/Vassar Photography*

GI Kentucky Derby and GI Preakness S. winner **Justify** (Scat Daddy) continued preparations for the June 9 GI Belmont S. and trainer Bob Baffert was on hand at Churchill Downs Monday. "Right now it seems everything is going smoothly," Baffert said. "I'm very happy with how he's training for the Belmont. I think to win the Triple Crown you have to be a big, strong horse and be able to handle a lot of different situations. This horse is just that. We could put a little breeze in him [Tuesday], I'm really not sure yet. We'll just play things day to day." | *Horsephotos*

FREE DROP BILLY WORKS FOR POSSIBLE BELMONT START

Albaugh Family Stables' **Free Drop Billy** (Union Rags) tuned up for a possible start in the June 9 GI Belmont S. with a five-furlong drill in :59.60 (2/25) Monday at Churchill Downs. Churchill Downs clocker John Nichols caught the colt working through fractions of :12.60, :23.80, :35.60 and :47 before galloping out six furlongs in 1:12, seven furlongs in 1:25.20 and one mile in 1:39.80.

"Right now we're leaning towards running [in the Belmont]," trainer Dale Romans said. "We'll see how he comes out of the work Tuesday and talk with the owners. We'll make a final call in the next couple days."

Free Drop Billy, winner of last year's GI Claiborne Breeders' Futurity, was 16th in the GI Kentucky Derby. He is a half-brother to Hawkbill (Kitten's Joy), who most recently won the 12-furlong G1 Dubai Sheema Classic in the Godolphin colors. The exploits of that multiple Group 1 winner give Romans confidence in Free Drop Billy's ability to get the distance at Belmont.

"[Hawkbill] won at 1 1/2 miles, so I think Free Drop Billy could run all day," Romans said. "Horses in the Belmont will probably only run 1 1/2 miles this one time, so it's unique for everyone involved. Free Drop Billy certainly has the pedigree to run that distance."

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Albaugh racing manager and partner Jason Loutsch said a decision on a Belmont start would likely be made by Tuesday.

"We wanted to get past this last big work and see how his energy level was," Loutsch said. "Obviously, we were really disappointed in his effort in the Kentucky Derby. We're going to try to erase that, hopefully, it was the slop and he didn't like the track. But it seems like he had a good work this morning, lots of energy, galloped out strong.

Free Drop Billy | *Coady Photography*

"Justify looks unbeatable the way he's been training this week, but I'll give Dennis [Albaugh] the pros and cons and let him say yes or no," Loutsch continued. "This is what we're in the business for, a big race like this. We know it's a tall task, but if we can get a piece of it that would be a huge deal."

Romans also sent out Robert Baron's **Promises Fulfilled** (Shackleford) to work at Churchill Downs Monday. The GII Fountain of Youth S. winner, 15th in the GI Kentucky Derby, went five furlongs in :59.60 (2/25). He could start next in either the GII Woody Stephens S. or the Easy Goer S.

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BOLT D'ORO ON TRACK FOR MET MILE

Ruis Racing's **Bolt d'Oro** (Medaglia d'Oro) turned in his first work since finishing 12th in the GI Kentucky Derby, going five furlongs in company in :57.00 (1/2) at Keeneland Monday. The colt is expected to make his next start in the GI Metropolitan H. at Belmont Park June 9.

"I thought it was a really nice work," said trainer and co-owner Mick Ruis said. "It was faster than I thought he was going to go, but he did it so easy. He's doing really well."

After Bolt d'Oro, second behind Justify (Scat Daddy) in the Apr. 7 GI Santa Anita Derby, faded in the stretch of the Derby, Ruis opted to skip the May 19 GI Preakness S. and focus on the Met Mile, a 'Win and You're In' event for the GI Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile.

"The time off between the Derby and the Preakness is really helping him out," Ruis said. "He was only supposed to work a half, but they gave him five-eighths. I was really happy the way he did it and happy with the way he cooled out, like it was no big deal. He recovered nice right away after the work."

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NEWS ROUNDUP

LYNCH TAKES PIMLICO JOCKEY TITLE

Feargal Lynch was the leading rider during the 12-day Preakness Meet at Pimlico, which concluded Monday. The 39-year-old rode nine winners at the stand to earn his second career riding title since coming to Maryland in the spring of 2016.

Kieron Magee, Jerry Robb and Mary Eppler all tied for the meet's leading trainer title with five wins apiece.

WILSON TO RECEIVE GOMEZ MEMORIAL AWARD

Jockey Emma-Jayne Wilson has been named the 2018 recipient of the Avelino Gomez Memorial Award. The award, presented annually on Woodbine Oaks day, honors the Cuban-born rider who died from complications after a three-horse spill in the 1980 Canadian Oaks and recognizes a Canadian-born or raised or regular rider in the country for more than five years, who has made significant contributions to the sport.

Wilson, an Ontario native, won the 2007 Queen's Plate and earned the Sovereign Award for top apprentice in 2005 and 2006, earning the Eclipse Award in the same category in 2005. A fixture at Woodbine since 2004, Wilson has topped the 100-win plateau on seven occasions and has amassed $70,155,656 in purse earnings.

"I've been trying to get words written down and thinking just how grateful I am," Wilson said. "I've worked hard and been dedicated to this sport, so to be recognized in this way is truly special. I want to make sure I don't forget anybody. Without the opportunities I was given, I may not have had a chance to shine. I want to make sure I cover as much as I can. When Tom Cosgrove [chair of both the Nomination and Election Committees for the Canadian Horse Racing Hall of Fame] phoned me, even now...I choke up a little bit. I can't believe it."

Of Gomez, Wilson added, "I never met him, but he's a legend. And his legacy lives on. His career, although it was cut short, was unbelievable. There's a picture of Avelino in the jocks' room. He has dirt all over his face, but there's a look of confidence and bravado. I only wish I could have a little bit of that in this game. He's left his mark on Woodbine and horse racing with his character and his success."

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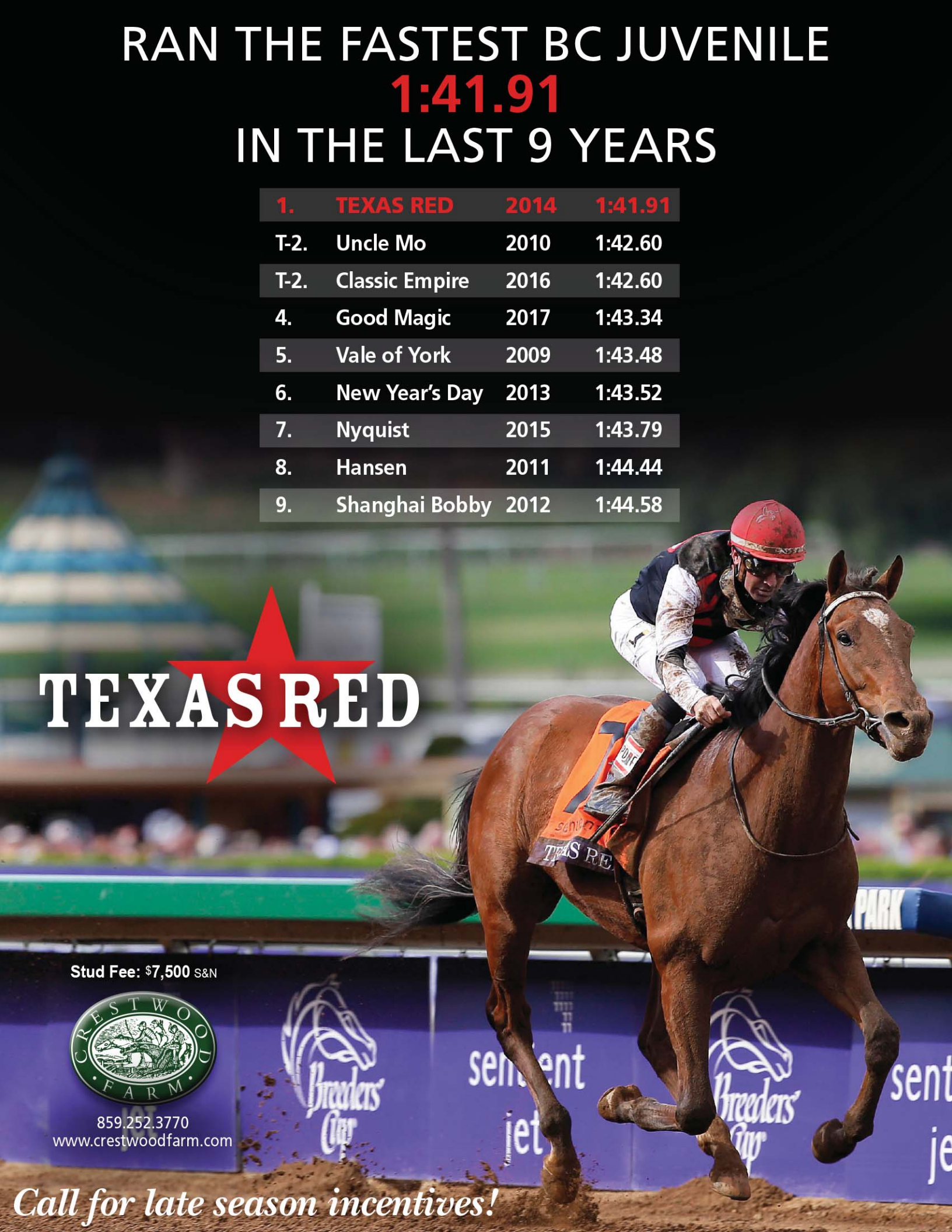

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Saturday, Belmont, post time: 5:50 p.m. EDT

PENNINE RIDGE S.-GIII, $200,000, 3yo, 1 1/8mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Up the Ante	Smart Strike	Castleton Lyons	Clement	Cohen	117
2	Hawkish	Artie Schiller	LaPenta, R, AJ Suited Racing Stable & Madaket Stables	Toner	Franco	117
3	Catholic Boy	More Than Ready	LaPenta, Robert V, Madaket Stables & Siena Farm	Thomas	Castellano	123
4	Analyze It	Point of Entry	William H. Lawrence	Brown	Ortiz	121
5	Irish Territory (Ire)	Declaration of War	Zayat Stables, LLC	Mott	Alvarado	115
6	Untamed Domain	Animal Kingdom	West Point Thoroughbreds	Motion	Bravo	121
7	Archaggelos	Temple City	Monticule LLC	Dickinson	Maragh	121
8	Channel Cat	English Channel	Calumet Farm	Pletcher	Saez	117

Breeders: 1-Castleton Lyons & Kilboy Estate, 2-AJ Suited, LLC, 3-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding, 4-P. Headley Bell, Nancy Bell & NATO, 5-Springbank Way Stud, 6-Clearsky Farms, 7-Monticule, 8-Calumet Farm

Saturday, Churchill, post time: 10:42 p.m. EDT

ARISTIDES S.-GIII, $100,000, 3yo/up, 6f

PP	HORSE	SIRE	OWNER	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WT
1	Smart Spree	Smart Strike	Trinity Racing Stables, Inc. and Racer's Edge Inc.	McKnight	Santana, Jr.	120
2	Shadow Tracer	Even the Score	Elkhorn Oaks, Inc.	Jackson	Albarado	120
3	Wilbo	Candy Ride (Arg)	Chris Wilkins	Hartman	Cabrera	122
4	Heartwood	Tapit	Chapman, James K. and Tsujimoto, Stuart	Chapman	Borel	120
5	Mr. Crow	Tapizar	KRA Stud Farm	Colebrook	Lanerie	120
6	Awesome Saturday	Any Given Saturday	Chuck Hovitz	Calhoun	Hernandez, Jr.	120
7	Chief Cicatriz	Munnings	Roy Gene Evans	Davis	Graham	120

Breeders: 1-George Strawbridge Jr., 2-Elkhorn Oaks Inc., 3-Woodford Thoroughbreds, 4-Blue Heaven Farm, LLC, 5-Avalon Farms, Inc. & Scott Swaim, 6-Craig L Minten, 7-Roy Gene Evans

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

COMMENTATOR S., $200,000, Belmont, 5-28, (S), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:34.34, ft.

1--**DIVERSIFY, 123, g, 5, Bellamy Road--Rule One, by Street Cry (Ire)**. 'TDN Rising Star'. ($150,000 Ylg '14 SARAUG; $210,000 3yo '16 KEENOV). O-Lauren & Ralph M. Evans; B-Fred W. Hertrich III & John D. Fielding (NY); T-Richard A. Violette, Jr.; J-Jose L. Ortiz. $120,000. Lifetime Record: GISW, 13-8-2-0, $934,425.

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2--**Pat On the Back**, 118, c, 4, Congrats--Accomplished, by Awesome Again. ($70,000 Ylg '15 SARAUG). O-Harold Lerner LLC, AWC Stables & Nehoc Stables; B-Sugar Maple Farm (NY); T-Jeremiah C. Englehart. $40,000.

3--**Uncle Sigh**, 115, g, 7, Indian Charlie--Cradlesong, by Pine Bluff. ($270,000 Ylg '12 SARAUG; $330,000 RNA 2yo '13 FTFMAR). O-Repole Stable; B-Milfer Farm Inc. (NY); T-Chris J. Englehart. $20,000.

Margins: NO, 4 1/4, 1HF. Odds: 2.00, 4.20, 10.70.

Also Ran: Can You Diggit, Control Group, Jewel Can Disco, Papa Shot, Mr. Buff, T Loves a Fight. Scratched: Weekend Hideaway.

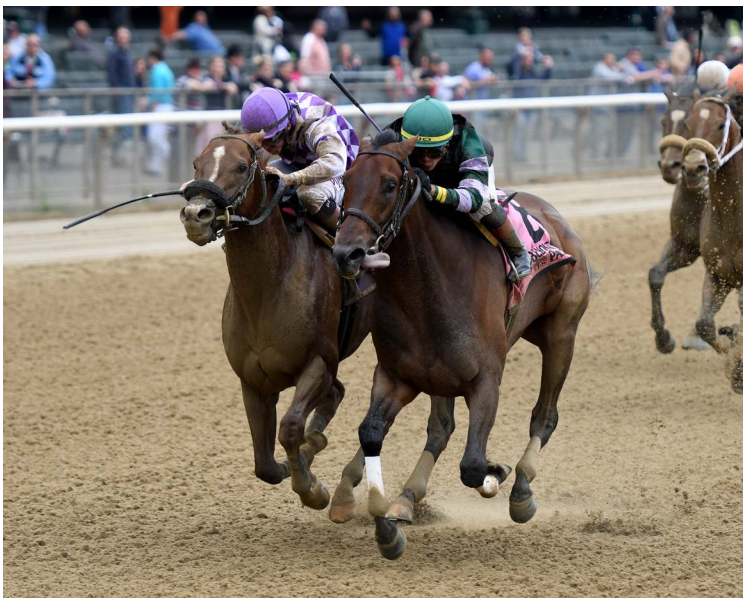
Grade I-winning 'TDN Rising Star' Diversify, coming off of two subpar efforts, rediscovered his good form and dug in gamely to hold off an ascendant Pat On the Back to take Monday's featured Commentator S. at Belmont.

Second by a nose in this event last spring, the gelding bounced back by annexing the local state-bred Saginaw S. and romping by 11 1/2 lengths in the Empire-bred Evan Shipman S. at Saratoga. That compelled his connections to take a big swing, and they were rewarded when the bay went wire-to-wire in the GI Jockey Club Gold Cup here Oct. 7. Fading to finish fourth as the favorite in the GI Clark H. next out Nov. 24 at Churchill, he then put forth the dullest effort of his career when finishing last, beaten 26 lengths, in the GII Charles Town Classic last out Apr. 21.

Made the lukewarm favorite to get back on track in this spot, Diversify bobbled a bit coming out of the blocks, relegating the usual pacesetter to sit third behind sharp splits of :22.57 and :45.22. Rolling up alongside the leaders three deep passing the three-furlong pole, he took charge at the top of the lane. Pat On the Back, however, produced a strong rally in the final furlong and appeared to have his rival measured at the sixteenth marker. Angled out just a bit by Jose Ortiz to eyeball that foe, however, Diversify dug deep and held on in the closing strides to just prevail.

"[He] stumbled out of there," said Ortiz. "I didn't want to take him out of his game. He relaxed pretty well. At the three-eighths pole, I went after them, and when he made the lead, he pricked his ears, so I knew he had something left in the tank. The other horse [Pat On the Back] ran a very good race. Any other day, we would've won by 10 ... His last race was a little bit of a concern. Charles Town is a weird track. So, when I came today, I asked Rick if the horse came out OK and he was like, 'Yes, he came back like he didn't run.' I guess he didn't want to run there, three turns. He's used to this, one turn. This is where he's run his best races. This is his game."

As for Diversify's next target, trainer Rick Violette added, "I would assume we'd take a look at the [GII] Suburban [S. July 7], that seems to be a good spot, that's the first choice. We have a nice run-up to it after today." **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**



Diversify (inside) digs deep to repel Pat On the Back | *Annette Jasko*

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CRITICAL EYE S., $200,000, Belmont, 5-28, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:36.12, ft.

1--**HOLIDAY DISGUISE, 123, f, 4, Harlan's Holiday--Thin Disguise, by Yes It's True**. ($70,000 Wlg '14 KEENOV; $220,000 Ylg '15 SARAUG). O-Lady Sheila Stable; B-Dr. William B. Wilmot & Dr. Joan M. Taylor (NY); T-Linda Rice; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. $120,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 9-6-1-1, $469,150. *1/2 to Midnight Disguise (Midnight Lute), MSW, $272,600.

★★ FOUR STAR SALES GRADUATE ★★

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GLENCREST FARM *Pinhook Grad*

2--**Highway Star**, 123, m, 5, Girolamo--Stolen Star, by Cat Thief. O/B-Chester R. & Mary Broman Sr. (NY); T-Rodrigo A. Ubillo. $40,000.

Sequel Bloodstock graduate

3--**Playinwiththeboys**, 116, f, 4, Boys At Tosconova--Double Edge, by Double Negative. O-Saul J. Kupferberg; B-Saul & Max Kupferberg (NY); T-Charlton Baker. $20,000.

Margins: NO, 1 3/4, HF. Odds: 2.25, 1.05, 8.70.

Also Ran: Might Be, Bluegrass Flag, Jcs American Dream, Verdant Pastures, No Hayne No Gayne, Frost Wise.

Breaking slightly outward, Holiday Disguise settled in fifth just behind favorite Highway Star, who stalked in fourth as Verdant Pastures (Colonel John) and Bluegrass Flag (Bluegrass Cat) led the way. Narrowly in front after a half in :44.96, Verdant Pastures retreated as Bluegrass Flag began to amp up the pressure to her outside, while Highway Star and Holiday Disguise closed in on the fading leader. After dispensing of both Verdant Pastures and Bluegrass Flag leaving the quarter pole, Highway Star held a slight advantage over Holiday Disguise, who was three wide turning for home and continued to whittle away the distance between herself and her competitor. The two favorites slugged it out all the way to the wire, with Holiday Disguise getting her nose down on the line over Highway Star.

"I wasn't sure until they made it official, but the crowd made it seem she won," said winning trainer Linda Rice. "She's such a gritty filly. Talking to Irad [Ortiz, Jr.], he said at the quarter pole he felt very confident because she's so tough and so gritty and has no quit in her. They put up pretty good fractions early and that helps. But she's been such a good racehorse. I'm thrilled."

Regarding her future, Rice added, "She's pretty versatile. I think she can win at six [furlongs] to a mile. We always thought seven-eights is her best distance. The [GI] Ballerina [at Saratoga Aug. 25] is in the back of our mind. Whether she can compete with that type of caliber, we'll find out. If she gets the right trip and they get fast fractions, I don't think you can count her out."

Thin Disguise, a half-sister to graded-stakes winner and millionaire Naughty New Yorker (Quiet American), is also responsible for 3-year-old Midnight Disguise (Midnight Lute), winner of Bouwerie S., the sixth race on Belmont's Memorial Day card. The 12-year-old mare currently has a 2-year-old colt by Verrazano, a yearling filly by Tiznow, and most recently foaled a filly by Bodemeister. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

BOUWERIE S., $125,000, Belmont, 5-28, (S), 3yo, f, 7f, 1:22.86, ft.

1--**MIDNIGHT DISGUISE, 122, f, 3, by Midnight Lute**
1st Dam: Thin Disguise, by Yes It's True
2nd Dam: Naughty Natisha, by Known Fact
3rd Dam: Noble Natisha, by Noble Commander
O-William B. & Devin T. Wilmot & Joan M. Taylor; B-Dr. William B. Wilmot & Dr. Joan M. Taylor (NY); T-Linda Rice; J-Jose L. Ortiz. $75,000. Lifetime Record: 7-5-1-0, $347,600.

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2--**English Soul**, 122, f, 3, English Channel--Soul Possession, by Belong to Me. ($40,000 Ylg '16 SARAUG; $55,000 2yo '17 EASMAY). O-Zilla Racing Stables; B-Mia Gallo, Dave Stack & Arlene Wilkins (NY); T-Raymond Handal. $25,000.

3--**Split Time**, 122, f, 3, Take Charge Indy--Speed Dating, by Not For Love. ($62,000 Ylg '16 SARAUG). O-Tic Stables; B-Sequel Stallions New York LLC (NY); T-Linda Rice. $12,500.

Sequel New York graduate

Margins: 2 3/4, 3/4, 1. Odds: 2.10, 5.50, 10.80.

Also Ran: Baby Boss, Aunt Babe, Our Super Nova, She's Quiet, Pure Silver, Letmetakethiscall. Scratched: Orchid Party, Indy's Lady.

Midnight Disguise completed a stakes double on Belmont's Memorial Day card for both her dam, Thin Disguise, and for trainer Linda Rice after annexing the Bouwerie S., an hour after her sister, Holiday Disguise, won the Critical Eye S. Unhurried in eighth in the early going, the long-striding filly eagerly awaited the cue from Jose Ortiz as the field continued down the backside. Swung out several paths turning for home, she reeled in the leaders in the stretch, hit the front a sixteenth out and drew off to score by daylight over English Soul.

"It was good Linda made a great call putting the blinkers on, she was a lot closer than we thought she was going to be," said winning rider Jose Ortiz. "She's a really big filly. It takes her a while to get her feet and get into her stride. I was in good position and the main thing was to stay clear so you don't get stopped in traffic, because it would take her a long time to get her going again because she has a big stride."

Winning in a $50,000 maiden claimer at Aqueduct Dec. 15, Midnight Disguise came back to win her next three of four starts at the Ozone oval, including the Jan. 25 Busanda S. and Busher S. Mar. 3. Favored in her latest in the Apr. 7 GII Gazelle S., she finished a well-beaten fourth.

"It's really exciting," added winning trainer Linda Rice. "We missed the [GII] Black-Eyed Susan [S.] with her. We came off a pretty lackluster performance in the [GI] Gazelle [S.], so I just wanted to use this race to get her back on track. We put blinkers on her to get her a little more focused. She'd look around quite a bit in her previous races. I think the blinkers were a good addition, and this, hopefully, will set us up for the [GII] Mother Goose [S. June 30]." **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

MIKE LEE S., $125,000, Belmont, 5-28, (S), 3yo, 7f, 1:22.58, ft.

1--**ANALYZE THE ODDS, 120, c, 3, by Overanalyze**
1st Dam: The Sense Angel, by Mineshaft
2nd Dam: Sense of Class, by Fusaichi Pegasus
3rd Dam: Golden Oriole, by Northern Dancer
($15,000 Ylg '16 FTKOCT). O-Michael Dubb; B-Lansdowne Thoroughbreds (NY); T-Jason Servis; J-Junior Alvarado. $75,000. Lifetime Record: 11-4-1-1, $328,706.

Trained at Crupi's New Castle Farm

INDIAN CREEK SALES GRADUATE

2--**Morning Breez**, 118, c, 3, Morning Line--Tico Breeze, by Carson City. ($62,000 Wlg '15 FTNMIX; $65,000 Ylg '16 SARAUG). O-John Caputo, Lady DelPo & The Boys Racing LLC; B-Hart Farm & Rhapsody Farm (NY); T-Carlos F. Martin. $25,000.

3--**Retonova**, 122, g, 3, Boys At Tosconova--Jb's Golden Regret, by Banker's Gold. ($47,000 RNA Ylg '16 SARAUG; $20,000 2yo '17 OBSOPN). O-My Purple Haze Stables; B-Barry R. Ostrager (NY); T-Chris J. Englehart. $12,500.

CRESTWOOD FARM SALES GRADUATE

Margins: 3/4, 4, HD. Odds: 20.00, 6.90, 3.40.

Also Ran: Sea Foam, Aveenu Malcainu, What a Catch, Presence of Mind, Ultimateenticement. Scratched: A True Giant, Inalienable Rights.

Analyze the Odds made his first 10 starts for Repole Stable and trainer Todd Pletcher, the same connections that raced his GI Arkansas Derby-winning sire. Successful in the New York Breeders' Futurity S. as a juvenile at Finger Lakes last September, the $15,000 Fasig-Tipton Kentucky Fall Yearling purchase won going a mile at Aqueduct two back in a state-bred optional claimer Mar. 11, and he was claimed by Michael Dubb and trainer Jason Servis for $80,000 out of another New York-bred optional claimer cut back to 6 1/2 furlongs there Apr. 20. Overlooked at the windows, Analyze the Odds raced second last behind splits of :22.79 and :45.67. Asked for his bid a quarter-mile from home, he unleashed a powerful closing kick to pip Morning Breez three strides from the warrior and add another black-type win to his ledger.

"When I claimed him, I was looking for a two-turns Saratoga type of 3-year-old horse," said winning owner Michael Dubb. "It wasn't our plan to run him today, but he was doing so well that Jason [Servis] said 'let's take a shot and see if we can get a piece.' I never dreamed that piece would be the big piece. He's really done an incredible job with the horse."

The winner is a half to a 2-year-old Noble Mission (GB) colt, a yearling colt named Six Cents (Honourable Dillon) and an Animal Kingdom filly foaled Apr. 12. Analyze the Odds's third dam, the winning Golden Oriole (Northern Dancer), is a full-sister to English and Irish champion juveniles El Gran Senor and Try My Best. **Click for the Equineline.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

Analyze the Odds | *NYRA/Joe Labozzetta*

KINGSTON S., $125,000, Belmont, 5-28, (S), 3yo/up, 1mT, 1:35.11, gd.

1--**OFFERING PLAN, 118, h, 6, Spring At Last--Rosalie Road, by Street Cry (Ire)**. ($32,000 Ylg '13 FTKOCT; $135,000 2yo '14 OBSAPR). O-M. Dubb, Nantucket Thoroughbred Partners, Bethlehem Stables LLC & G. Aisquith; B-C. W. Swann & Cygnet Farm (NY); T-Chad C. Brown; J-Javier Castellano. $75,000. Lifetime Record: 19-7-3-3, $572,923.

Hidden Brook Sales Graduate

2--**Rapt**, 116, g, 5, Hat Trick (Jpn)--Creek Girl, by Elusive Quality. ($125,000 Ylg '14 SARAUG). O-Marc Keller; B-Twin Creeks Farm (NY); T-Robert Ribaudo. $25,000.

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3--**Kharafa**, 118, g, 9, Kitalpha--Exquisite Cassie, by King of Kings (Ire). O-Paul Braverman & Timothy Pinch; B-Highmeadow Farm (NY); T-Timothy A. Hills. $12,500.

Margins: 1 3/4, 3/4, HD. Odds: 0.90, 21.20, 19.20.
Also Ran: Dot Matrix, Fox Rules, Tapitation, The Crocheron Kid, Mo Maverick, Yummy Bear. Scratched: Black Tide, Voodoo Song, Hit It Once More.

Offering Plan, who scored in a soggy renewal of the Kingston S. in 2017, successfully returned to defend his title yesterday. Runner-up in Saratoga's West Point S. in August, he was seventh in Keeneland's GI Shadwell Turf Mile Oct. 7 before rounding out the season with a second in Belmont's Mohawk S. Oct. 21. After working with the likes of Grade I-winning Beach Patrol (Lemon Drop Kid) in Florida over the winter, Offering Plan found Keeneland's yielding turf to his liking in his 2018 bow and came home a winner against allowance company Apr. 8. Favored this time, the dark bay was content to linger near the back early as Fox Rules (Roman Ruler) carved out opening fractions of :23.16 and :46.57. Still at the back and seemingly with a lot left to do after three quarters in 1:10.65, Offering Plan appeared to come to life when Javier Castellano gave the word turning for home. Several paths deep at the head of the lane, the 6-year-old closed on the front rank with every stride, gained control late and drew off to record a facile score. Rapt was second while Kharafa rounded out the trifecta.

"[Assistant Whit Beckman] told me, he's probably going to break sharp, but I don't want you to send [him early],'" explained winning rider Javier Castellano. "'If you send, he's probably going to stop. Just break and let him be comfortable. I don't want you to drag him back and I don't want you to send.' That's what I did and at the end, when I asked him to run, he was there for me. He gave me a nice run."

Part-owner Michael Dubb, who was visiting the winner's circle for the third time on Monday's holiday card following the Kingston, was confident in his charge's ability to handle the rain-softened turf. "The cut in the ground didn't bother me, but we've had him long enough that he's won on firm for us too," he said. "But I think he is better with cut in the ground." Dubb added, "This is a hard-hitting horse and we debated racing him at Pimlico two weeks ago. We made the decision to stay home where we'd be even-money. That was Chad [Brown]'s wish. Leave everything to Chad, just show up and take pictures."

Rosalie Road produced a pair of colts in the past two seasons; a 2-year-old by Bodemeister and Nineeleventurbo, a yearling by More Than Ready. She was bred back to More Than Ready this year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

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MOUNT VERNON S., $125,000, Belmont, 5-28, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:36.42, gd.

1--**FEELING BOSSY, 115, m, 5, Courageous Cat--Keep the Feeling, by Kris S.**
1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Michael Dubb; B-Emily Wygod (NY); T-Jason Servis; J-Irad Ortiz, Jr. $75,000. Lifetime Record: 16-7-0-0, $351,790.

2--**Fifty Five**, 115, f, 4, Get Stormy--Soave, by Brahms. ($24,000 RNA Ylg '15 FTKOCT). O-Peter M. Brant; B-Empire Equines, LLC (NY); T-Chad C. Brown. $25,000.

Hidden Brook Raised

3--**War Canoe**, 115, m, 5, Lemon Drop Kid--Gdansking Queen, by Langfuhr. O-Martin P. Harrigan; B-TIC Racing Stable (NY); T-Gary C. Contessa. $12,500.

Margins: NK, NK, 2 1/4. Odds: 8.60, 1.05, 38.50.
Also Ran: Jc's Shooting Star, Frosty Margarita, Table for Six, Tizzelle. Scratched: Hardly Mate, Epping Forest, Frostie Anne.

Feeling Bossy, claimed for $62,500 out of a local optional claiming win Oct. 8, finished seventh in the state-bred Ticonderoga S. 13 days later and hadn't been seen since. Put on the lead by Irad Ortiz, Jr. as the distant third choice, the bay ticked off modest fractions of :24.26 and :48.77, inched clear into the lane and dug in to hold off favored Fifty Five to her inside and longshot War Canoe to her outside on the wire. The victress is a half to Stupify (Twirling Candy), a juvenile who scored in his career debut Thursday at Churchill. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

NORTHBOUND PRIDE OAKS, $50,000, Canterbury, 5-28, 3yo, f, 1mT, 1:36.96, fm.

1--**SIRENUSA, 116, f, 3, Tiznow--Spun Silver, by Grand Slam.**
1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. ($105,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Barry & Joni Butzow; B-Richard & Connie Snyder (KY); T-Joe Sharp; J-Adam Beschizza. $30,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, $98,400.

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2--**Sippin Kitten**, 116, f, 3, Kitten's Joy--Chianti Red, by Woodman. O/B-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey (KY); T-Michael J. Maker. $10,000.

3--**Passion Plus**, 116, f, 3, Passion for Gold--Platinumplus, by Mizzen Mast. ($11,000 Ylg '16 OBSAUG). O-Calvin L. Johnston; B-Elite Equine & Carol Hershe (FL); T-Anthony J. Granitz. $5,250.

Margins: 3, HD, HF. Odds: 0.80, 3.80, 4.00.
Also Ran: Flyin Falynn, Tahoe Dream, My Holiday, Rose N Motion.

Sirenusa added a stakes win to her resume and remained undefeated with a victory in the Memorial Day co-feature at Canterbury.

A first-out maiden winner sprinting 5 1/2 furlongs over the grass at Fair Grounds Mar. 17, she added an allowance victory over that same trip at Keeneland Apr. 22. Away to an alert beginning, the filly settled into an ideal spot stalking the pace in the two path behind a half-mile in :49.56. Kept under a firm hold entering the far turn, Sirenusa shifted to the four path turning for home and uncorked a strong late rally to win going away. The winner has a yearling half-brother by Will Take Charge, and Spun Silver was bred back to Vancouver (Aus) last year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

AUBURN S., $50,000, Emerald, 5-27, 3yo, c/g, 6f, 1:09.63, ft.

1--**WHATWASITHINKING, 119, g, 3, Violence--Shot Gun Pennie (SW), by Speightstown**.

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. ($20,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Randall and Rossi LLC & Lucarelli Racing Corp; B-Machmer Hall (KY); T-Frank Lucarelli; J-Kevin E. Orozco. $25,850. Lifetime Record: 5-4-0-0, $67,408. *Sixth SW for sophomore sire (by Medaglia d'Oro).

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2--**Vicente's Shadow**, 118, g, 3, Liaison--Bronxgirl, by Corinthian. ($18,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Gordon E. & Steven M. Twilegar; B-Machmer Hall (KY); T-Blaine D. Wright. $9,400.

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3--**Boundary Bay**, 117, g, 3, Harbor the Gold--Flying Memo, by Memo (Chi). ($32,000 Ylg '16 WASSEP). O-North American Thoroughbred Horse Company, Inc.; B-Bret Christopherson (WA); T-Sandi Gann. $7,050.

Margins: NO, NK, 1 3/4. Odds: 2.20, 28.50, 6.10.

Also Ran: Freiburg, Sippin Fire, Elliott Bay, My Heart Awakens, Hey Sequoia, Oldtoytrain, Choreography, Winter Knight.

Whatwasithinking scored in his first two outings at Golden Gate Nov. 25 and Turf Paradise Jan. 29 before finishing fifth as the favorite in the Turf Paradise Derby Feb. 17. Rebounding in a Golden Gate optional claimer last out Apr. 13, the chestnut was made a narrow favorite here and took a bump after breaking a half-step slowly. Sitting eighth behind a :21.76 quarter, the gelding was patiently handled on the turn, swung four wide at the top of the lane and surged late to get up over longshot Vicente's Shadow. The winner has a yearling half-brother by Constitution. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**

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NORTH AMERICAN ALLOWANCES

IN ORDER OF PURSE:

10th-Belmont, $65,000, (S), Alw, 5-28, (NW1$X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.11, gd.

GOODBYE BROCKLEY (f, 3, Cosmonaut--Ladywell Court, by Powerscourt {GB}), who graduated in her turf bow going six furlongs at Belmont last July, was a credible fourth trying a route of ground for the first time at the Big A Apr. 21. Getting blinkers on this time, the 7-1 chance stalked the modest opening pace in a ground-saving third. Granted daylight as pacesetter Cumbria (Distorted Humor) came off the rail late, Boodbye Brockley bounded through and was 2 1/2-lengths clear of Spring Folly (Spring at Last) at the wire. Cumbria held on for third. The winner is a half to Lady Joan (Courageous Cat), SW, $257,540 Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, $101,900. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O/B-Hilly Fields Stable (NY); T-Philip M. Serpe.

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6th-Santa Anita, $62,518, Alw (NW2$X)/Opt. Clm ($62,500), 5-28, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15.84, ft.

STONE HANDS (c, 4, Tapizar--Honeycomb Gus, by Is It True), a comfortable winner last time sprinting five furlongs over this turf course May 4, went off the 2-1 choice to make it two straight here. Settled in midpack early, the dark bay swung out three wide for the stretch drive, took over midstretch and drew off to score by 2 1/4 lengths over El Huerfano (Tannersymyman). GSW St. Joe Bay (Saint Anddan) was third. The $180,000 KEESEP yearling purchase is a half to Honeycobb Allie (Afleet Alex), SW, $108,860. Lifetime Record: 17-4-4-2, $182,415. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Reddam Racing LLC; B-John & Bev Passerello (KY); T-Doug F. O'Neill.

5th-Churchill, $57,838, Alw (C)/Opt. Clm ($100,000), 5-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:43.26, fm.

FIRST PREMIO (c, 4, Pure Prize--Perils of Pauline, by Stravinsky) began his career in Ireland and posted one win from two starts at Dundalk for Eric Koh and trainer Mick Halford before being privately purchased and shipped across the Atlantic to join Team Casse. The Team Valor colorbearer won a pair of races routing over the synthetic track at Woodbine last autumn and traveled south for the winter.

Second in the grassy Woodchopper S. at the Fair Grounds Dec. 30, he shifted to the main track and ran fourth in the Feb. 17 GIII Mineshaft H and eighth cutting back to seven furlongs in the GIII Commonwealth S. at Keeneland Apr. 7. The chestnut was last seen completing the exacta in the Opening Verse S. over one mile on the local lawn May 3. Tracking the pace on the outside through a half-mile in :48.32, he made a decisive move entering the stretch and drew clear to a 3 1/4-length victory over Great Wide Open (Ire) (Starspangledbanner {Aus}). The winner is a half to dual Panamanian champion imported horse V.I.P. Zone (Macho Uno), MSW-Pan., $157,818. Perils of Pauline produced a colt by Quality Road in 2017. Sales History: $15,000 Ylg '15 KEEJAN; 36,000 Ylg '15 GOFORB. Lifetime Record: 10-4-3-1, $153,104. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Team Valor International; B-Ronald G McPeek (KY); T-Mark E. Casse.

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8th-Churchill, $53,688, Alw (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($75,000), 5-28, 3yo, 6f, 1:09.24, ft.

COVE BLUE (c, 3, Ghostzapper--Need, by Strong Hope) graduated fourth out Jan. 6 at Gulfstream and was third there Feb. 4 before finishing a well-beaten sixth in the GIII Gotham S. Mar. 10 at Aqueduct. Fourth going a furlong further at this track and level May 5, the $300,000 Keeneland September buy was given a 19-5 chance here and posted up outside in third through a :21.57 quarter. Sweeping to the lead in hand past the three-eighths pole, he skipped clear into midstretch en route to a convincing 4 3/4-length score. Nottoway (Twirling Candy) completed the exacta. The victor is a half to 'TDN Rising Star' Recruiting Ready (Algorithms), MSW & MGSP, $427,145, and also shares a second dam, MGSW Trip (Lord At War {Arg}), with MGISW sophomore Bolt d'Oro (Medaglia d'Oro). His unraced dam has a juvenile Blame filly named Require and produced a Flatter colt this term. Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-1, $74,783. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-Jim Bakke & Gerald Isbister; B-Claiborne Farm (KY); T-Dale L. Romans.

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10th-Monmouth, $39,500, Alw, 5-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (off turf), 1:45.94, ft.

NIGHT OWL (f, 3, Animal Kingdom--No Curfew, by Curlin) scored at third asking Mar. 25 at Tampa and was made a 13-10 favorite to double up in this off-the-turf test. Caboosing the field behind a :24.44 quarter, the chestnut began to advance past a :48.39 half, idled a bit midway around the far turn, but finished up strongly to reel in pacesetter Jump Ruler (Roman Ruler) in the shadow of the wire for a one-length success. The winner shares a second dam, SW Misty Hour (Miswaki), with MGISW and sire To Honor and Serve (Bernardini) and GISW Angela Renee (Bernardini). She is the first foal out of a half to MGSW India (Hennessy) who has a yearling colt by Flatter named Silvertonguedevil and a weanling Union Rags colt named Southern Flag. Sales History: $160,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 4-2-1-0, $47,520. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

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IN ORDER OF PURSE:

2nd-Belmont, $63,860, (S), Msw, 5-28, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:16.65, ft.

ELIOS MILOS (c, 3, Dublin--Roxie Dancer, by Successful Appeal), sent off at generous 10-1 odds for this unveiling, broke a step slow and was allowed to caboose the field through an opening quarter in :22.29. Starting to pick up horses as Royal Heist (Bank Heist) continued to show the way through a half in :45.50, Elios Milos swung out five wide turning for home, inched to the weakening pacesetter as favored Suas (Forty Tales) was also mounting his run to Elios Milos's inside. Those two raced in tandem from midstretch to the wire, with Elios Milos gaining a 3/4-length edge at the line. San Juan Diego (Heavy Breathing) was third. Roxie Dancer, who is a half-sister to graded winning speedster Declan's Warrior (Majestic Warrior), produced a colt by Fast Anna last season and was bred to Vancouver (Aus) this term. Sales history: $6,500 Ylg '16 FTKOCT; $40,000 2yo '17 OBSMAR. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $37,200. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**

O-T. Coleman, M. Doheny, Head of Plains Partners LLC & Long Lake Stable LLC; B-Apache Farm LLC (NY); T-Jorge R. Abreu.

6th-Gulfstream, $60,050, Msw, 5-28, 2yo, 5f, :58.48, gd.

FULLY LOADED (c, 2, Two Step Salsa--Cappachino Gal, by Bluegrass Cat) was bet strongly to 3-2 favoritism in this unveiling and sat third through a :22.29 quarter before blitzing to the lead on the latter half of the turn. Kicking away past midstretch, the bay held off the late bid of second choice Social Paranoia (Street Boss) to score by three-quarters of a length. The winner's dam, a half-sister to multiple Brazilian champion and MGISW/MG1SW

Pico Central (Brz) (Spend a Buck), has a yearling filly by Drill and foaled a full-brother to the winner this season. Sales History: $19,000 RNA Ylg '17 OBSWIN; $25,000 Ylg '17 OBSOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $43,000. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-Calypso Stable & Rousseau Racing; B-Get Away Farm (FL); T-Jose Pinchin.

2nd-Santa Anita, $55,035, (S), Msw, 5-28, 2yo, f, 4 1/2f, :52.84, ft.
TIME FOR KISSES (f, 2, Time to Get Even--River Kiss {GSP, $154,524}, by Awesome Gambler) finished well to be runnerup in her track-and-trip debut May 4 and was made the narrow 19-10 second choice as the only runner with experience in here. Traveling widest out in fourth past a :22.26 quarter, the dark bay surged to the lead at the eighth pole and edged clear from there to score by 2 1/4 lengths over favored firster Lippy (Square Eddie). The winner is a half to Spin Me a Kiss (Hard Spun), SP, $173,927. She has a yearling half-brother by Empire Way and a half-sister of this term by Will Take Charge. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, $43,200. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-Tom London, Terry C. Lovingier & Eugene Zondlo; B-Terry C. Lovingier (CA); T-Gary Sherlock.

6th-Churchill, $53,666, Msw, 5-28, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:23.75, ft.
TAKE NOTICE (c, 4, Speightstown--Platinum {SW, $116,480}, by Mineshaft) split a field of 10 in his six-furlong debut at Oaklawn Mar. 25 and made some belated progress to finish fourth in a one-mile turf test here May 10. Transferred back to the main track and let go at odds of 10-1 in this spot, the colt set the pace through a pressured quarter-mile in :22.79 and edged a length clear past a half in :46.26. Racing a bit erratically in the stretch, he had enough left to hold off a late rally by Kearny County (Stroll) by a neck. The winner has a 2-year-old full brother by Speightstown named Prime Time and a yearling half-sister by American Pharoah named Album. Platinum's latest produce is a weanling filly by Pioneerof the Nile named Sapphire. Sales History: $350,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, $36,880. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton.**
O-Zayat Stables, LLC; B-Peter E. Blum Thoroughbreds, LLC (KY); T-D. Wayne Lukas.

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7th-Arlington, $47,142, Msw, 5-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 5fT, :59.71, fm.
WAR DIAMOND (m, 5, War Front--Snow Diamond, by El Prado {Ire}), who ran sixth and fifth going this trip over the Tampa Bay sod Feb. 15 and Apr. 6, respectively, was sent off as the 5-2 second choice Monday. Hitting the gates at the bell, the Team Block homebred was caught in between horses in third through the early going. The gray dropped back several lengths through an opening quarter in :21.91, but, put under a vigorous hand ride, seized command through a half in :47.69 and held firm all the way to the line, defeating the closing Cloche (Hat Trick {Jpn}) by a neck. Snow Diamond, a full-sister to MGSW Fort Prado and a half to the dam of SW and MGISP Red Vine (Candy Ride {Arg}), has a juvenile half-sister to the winner named Sister Mary Cletus (Declaration of War), a yearling colt by Shanghai Bobby and she was covered by Malibu Moon last spring. Her dam, the dual New Jersey stakes winner Fort Pond (Fortunate Prospect), joined the Block fold when purchased for $200,000 out of the Keeneland November Sale in 1999 in foal to Forest Wildcat. Third dam Silver Pond (Raja Baba) is a half-sister to G2 Prix de Pomone victress Patricia (Assert {Ire}). Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, $29,584. **Click for the Equineline.com chart.**
O/B-Team Block (IL); T-Chris M. Block.

8th-Finger Lakes, $23,000, (S), Msw, 5-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:13.90, ft.
ALWAYS KISSABLE (f, 3, Haynesfield--Always Belong {MSP}, by Belong to Me) posted a steady series of local works in preparation for this debut and was sent postward at a touch under 6-1. Prominent from the outset, she put away her pace rivals and held off a late challenge from Alva T Soup (Alphabet Soup) to score by a head. The winner is a half to Alwaysinstilettos (Bandini), SW, $203,990. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $13,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart.**
O-Langpap Stables; B-Dennis & Deborah Petrisak (NY); T-M. Anthony Ferraro.

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Jasper Win, c, 3, Jimmy Creed--Chick Flick, by Tapit. Tokyo, 5-26, Plate Race, 7f. Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-2, $151,765. O-Kazuo Kato; B-Spendthrift Farm LLC (KY); T-Hideyuki Mori. *$70,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP. **"He jumped quickly from the gate and showed another gear in upper stretch," said winning hoop Keita Tosaki.

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Eagle Barows, c, 4, **Henny Hughes**--Minny's Niece, by Quiet American. Tokyo, 5-26, Fugaku Sho, 7f. Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, $260,642. O-Hirotsugu Inokuma; B-C. Kidder & N. Cole (KY); T-Noriyuki Hori. *$20,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP; $250,000 2yo '16 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Saengil Gippeum (Parading), SP-Kor, $263,699. ***"I kept him relaxed and smooth during the race," said winning jockey Shu Ishibashi. "He showed terrific acceleration when he switched into top gear."

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Hip Hop Swan, f, 4, **Tiz Wonderful**--Speightsy Heart, by Speightstown. Kyoto, 5-26, Plate Race, 6f. Lifetime Record: 9-3-0-0, $236,239. O-Kazuko Yoshida; B-Dr. H. Steve Conboy (KY); T-Sei Ishizaka. *$9,000 Ylg '15 FTKOCT; $200,000 2yo '16 OBSMAR. **1/2 to O'Kratos (Paddy O'Prado), GSW-Can, $121,263. ***"The position was ideal," said winning pilot Kenji Kawamata. "She is a very straightforward horse."

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Dream Kirari, h, 6, **Giant's Causeway**--Truant, by Gone West. Tokyo, 5-26, Keyaki S., 7f. Lifetime Record: GSP-Jpn, 31-7-1-5, $1,192,935. O-Lion Race Horse; B-Colts Neck Stables LLC (KY); T-Yoshito Yahagi. *$250,000 Ylg '13 KEESEP. **"He is a really gutsy horse," said winning reinsman Ryusei Sakai.

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SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: TUESDAY, MAY 29

Alternation (Distorted Humor), Pin Oak Stud, $7,500
143 foals of racing age/24 winners/0 black-type winners
7-Parx Racing, Alw 1m, COACH ADAMS, 10-1
$1,500 KEE SEP yrl; $27,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo
7-Thistledown, Alw 5 1/2f, MIDNIGHT RUN, 8-1
$19,000 RNA FTK JUL yrl; $10,000 FTK OCT yrl; $37,000 OBS APR 2yo

Corfu (Malibu Moon), Bridlewood Farm, $3,500
41 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
3-Presque Isle, Msw 6f, CORFU LADY, 7-2

Justin Phillip (First Samurai), Castleton Lyons, $12,500
124 foals of racing age/24 winners/1 black-type winner
7-Indiana Grand, Msw 5 1/2f, YANKEE ROSE, 30-1
$14,000 RNA KEE SEP yrl

Kettle Corn (Candy Ride {Arg}), Fair Winds Farm, $3,000
35 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
3-Thistledown, Alw 1m, FUNNEL CAKE, 3-1
$18,000 KEE JAN yrl; $35,000 KEE SEP yrl

Overanalyze (Dixie Union), WinStar Farm, $10,000
193 foals of racing age/42 winners/5 black-type winners
3-Presque Isle, Msw 6f, GENUWINE, 4-1
$4,500 FTK OCT yrl
8-Indiana Grand, Alw 1 1/16mT, MI LUNA, 2-1

Shanghai Bobby (Harlan's Holiday), Ashford Stud, $20,000
238 foals of racing age/33 winners/3 black-type winners
7-Indiana Grand, Msw 5 1/2f, MIMI'S RUBY BOBBY, 8-1
$20,000 KEE NOV wnl; $95,000 KEE SEP yrl; $95,000 RNA OBS APR 2yo; $7,000 OBS OPN 2yo

ADDITIONAL RACING

STAKES RESULTS:

JIM RASMUSSEN MEMORIAL S., $65,000, Prairie Meadows, 5-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:43.66, ft.

1--**PINSON, 117, g, 5, Majestic Warrior--Celtic Song, by Giant's Causeway**. ($75,000 Wlg '13 KEENOV). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN**. O-Richard Bahde; B-Bonnie Heath Farm, LLC (FL); T-Randy L. Morse; J-Ramon A. Vazquez. $39,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 30-6-5-4, $290,301.

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2--**Paganol**, 116, g, 7, Tiz Wonderful--Glittering Tax, by Artax. ($40,000 Ylg '12 FTKJUL; $250,000 2yo '13 OBSMAR). O-King Racing Stables LLC; B-Bob Feld & Mark Toothaker (KY); T-Scott E. Young. $13,000.

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3--**Chief Know It All**, 118, c, 4, Flashy Bull--Baby Mini, by Grand Slam. O-R 6 Stable, Randy Howg & Rick & Clayton Wiest; B-Lucky Seven Stable (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro. $7,800.

Margins: NO, 2HF, 5 3/4. Odds: 3.30, 1.90, 2.50.

HOME OF THE BRAVE H., (NB) $60,000, Gulfstream, 5-28, 3yo/up, 1 1/4m (off turf), 2:07.18, gd.

1--**MILLIONAIRE RUNNER, 116, c, 3, Warrior's Reward--Petite Charme, by Silver Charm**. ($1,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP). O-Thoroughbred Champions Training Center LLC; B-Brandywine Farm (Jim & Pam Robinson) (KY); T-Jaime Mejia; J-Leonel Reyes. $35,712. Lifetime Record: 16-2-1-0, $100,619.

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2--**Conquest Sandman**, 123, g, 5, Scat Daddy--Toula, by Bold Executive. ($80,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP; $62,000 3yo '16 KEENOV). O-Costa Brava; B-Josham Farms Limited (ON); T-Juan Carlos Perez Abarrio. $11,520.

LANE'S END SALES GRADUATE

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3--**Manolete**, 117, c, 4, Mineshaft--Forest Legacy, by Forest Wildcat. ($77,000 RNA Ylg '15 KEESEP; $40,000 2yo '16 OBSOPN). O-Monica Williams; B-Farm III Enterprises LLC (FL); T-Aubrey A. Maragh. $5,760.

LANE'S END SALES GRADUATE

Margins: 7, 2 3/4, 4 1/4. Odds: 28.30, 2.20, 2.80.

HASTINGS S., $50,000, Emerald, 5-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:08.69, ft.

1--**INVESTED PROSPECT, 117, m, 5, Abraaj--No Constraints (MSW), by Katowice**. ($25,000 Ylg '14 WASSEP). O-John & Janene Maryanski & Riverbend Farm; B-Dunn Bar Ranch LLC (WA); T-Blaine D. Wright; J-Kevin E. Orozco. $25,850. Lifetime Record: 13-8-0-1, $151,500. *1/2 to Citizen Kitty (Proud Citizen), MSW, $221,601.

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2--**Mother of Dragons**, 123, f, 4, First Dude--Lets Dance Charlie, by Indian Charlie. ($3,000 Ylg '15 OBSWIN). O/T-Andreas Psarras; B-Classic Oaks Farm (FL). $9,400.

3--**Citizen Kitty**, 119, m, 6, Proud Citizen--No Constraints, by Katowice. ($41,000 Ylg '13 WASSEP). O-Highlander Racing Stable LLC; B-Dunn Bar Ranch LLC (WA); T-Jeffrey Metz. $7,050.

Margins: 3/4, 1 3/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 8.60, 0.60, 3.60.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Churchill, $54,910, (NW2X)/Opt. Clm ($62,500), 5-28, 3yo/up, 6 1/2f, 1:15.61, ft.

WESTFEST (h, 5, Unbridled's Song--Dr. Zic {GISW, $365,786}, by Milwaukee Brew) Lifetime Record: 11-4-3-2, $187,975. O-Gary & Mary West; B-SF Bloodstock LLC (KY); T-Steven M. Asmussen. *$190,000 Ylg '14 KEESEP.

WOODS EDGE FARM *GRADUATE*

9th-Monmouth, $50,226, (S), 5-28, (NW2BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.36, ft.

CEE BEE GEE BEE (m, 5, Not For Love--I Ain't P T, by A.P. Indy) Lifetime Record: SP, 8-3-1-1, $102,865. O/B-Rock Talk Farm LLC (NJ); T-Jason Servis. *Full to Together Indy, GSW, $229,284; and Can't Explain, SW & GSP, $219,809.

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8th-Pimlico, $43,260, 5-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.75, my.

MUNIFICENT (f, 4, Munnings--Gayatri, by War Chant) Lifetime Record: 7-3-1-1, $70,830. O-Flying Pheasant Farm, LLC; B-Carrie Ann Walker (KY); T-Mary E. Eppler. *$35,000 Wlg '14 KEENOV; $70,000 Ylg '15 FTKJUL; $31,000 2yo '16 OBSAPR.

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5th-Gulfstream, $41,400, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($75,000), 5-28, 3yo, 1m, 1:36.98, gd.

ROYAL HOLIDAY (g, 3, Blame--Holiday for Kitten {GSW, $327,250}, by Kitten's Joy) Lifetime Record: 10-3-1-2, $95,440. O-Vicente Stella Stables LLC; B-Kenneth L. & Sarah K. Ramsey (KY); T-Oscar M. Gonzalez.

10th-Gulfstream, $41,050, (S), 5-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6 1/2f, 1:17.31, gd.

BELLA VINCENZA (f, 4, Biondetti--Cascina, by Dixie Union) Lifetime Record: 23-5-7-1, $146,203. O-Pinnacle Racing Stable, LLC & Stein Racing, LLC; B-David Berman (FL); T-Kathleen O'Connell. *$20,000 Wlg '14 OBSOCT; $66,000 2yo '16 OBSAPR.

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3rd-Monmouth, $40,400, (NW3X)/Opt. Clm ($50,000), 5-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.25, ft.

DAY BY DAY (f, 4, Awesome of Course--Dobra, by Smoke Glacken) Lifetime Record: 17-4-6-5, $185,280. O/B-Mr. Amore Stable (FL); T-Kelly J. Breen.

6th-Monmouth, $39,500, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm ($20,000), 5-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:38.02, ft.

LELA'S GIFT (f, 4, First Samurai--Love You All, by Aldebaran) Lifetime Record: 8-2-0-1, $44,150. O-Lela & James A. Brown & Timber Town Stable; B-Timber Town Stable LLC (KY); T-J. Kent Sweezey.

4th-Arlington, $38,000, (S), 5-28, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:40.57, fm.
KOOL KATE (f, 4, General Quarters--Pearl My Girl, by Distorted Humor) Lifetime Record: 4-3-0-0, $38,730. O-John Wallace & Anthony J. Granitz; B-K.C. Yanez & Charles Sigrist (IL); T-Anthony J. Granitz.

7th-Thistledown, $34,000, 5-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5 1/2f, 1:05.28, ft.
CONUMDRUM RED (f, 4, Trappe Shot--Vanished, by Smart Strike) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-5-1-1, $113,344. O-Michael A. Foster; B-Langsem Farm, Inc (OH); T-William D. Cowans. *$20,000 Ylg '15 FTKOCT.
7th-Presque Isle, $27,720, 5-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:09.34, ft.
CRAZY SWEET (f, 4, Majestic Warrior--Ride Me Crazy, by Two Punch) Lifetime Record: 8-4-2-0, $55,100. O-Novogratz Racing Stables Inc.; B-Joe Novogratz (KY); T-Glenn S. Wismer.

6th-Presque Isle, $27,300, (S), 5-28, (NW1BX), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m (AWT), 1:37.65, ft.
WAR BABY (m, 5, Lemon Drop Kid--Somme {SW, $198,069}, by Theatrical {Ire}) Lifetime Record: SP, 15-2-3-1, $83,284. O/B-William L. Pape (PA); T-Edward L. Graham.

6th-Thistledown, $24,000, 5-28, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:45.31, ft.
AMERICAN LUXURY (g, 5, United States--Tips On Tipping, by Crafty Prospector) Lifetime Record: 40-8-3-7, $103,742. O-Irish Charm Thoroughbreds LLC; B-Northwest Stud (FL); T-Gary L. Johnson. *$4,000 Ylg '14 OBSAUG.

3rd-Louisiana, $23,000, (S), (NW2X)/Opt. Clm ($17,500), 5-28, 3yo/up, f/m, 1mT, 1:38.15, fm.
ESKENFORMORE (m, 5, Eskendereya--Madel {SP, $018,980}, by More Than Ready) Lifetime Record: 8-3-1-1, $60,970. O/B-Sugarland Thoroughbred, LLC (LA); T-James E. Hodges. *1/2 to Ship Disturber (Sky Mesa), SP, $208,739.

6th-Belterra, $22,800, (S), 5-28, (NW2L), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:12.77, ft.
LAISSEZ FAIRE (f, 3, Bellamy Road--Willful Ways, by Sharp Humor) Lifetime Record: 8-2-1-1, $41,140. O-WinStar Farm LLC and Blazing Meadows Farm LLC; B-WinStar Farm, LLC & Blazing Meadows Farm LLC (OH); T-Timothy E. Hamm. *1/2 to Coincidentally (Super Saver), SW, $154,575.

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ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Mr. Granite, g, 2, **Bustin Stones**--Embraceable Miss, by Sharp Humor. Presque Isle, 5-28, 4 1/2f (AWT), :52.72. B-Windylea Farm, LLC (NY). *$2,000 Ylg '17 OBSOCT.

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Headfirst, f, 3, **Bridgetown**--Landing My Way, by Southern Image. Belmont, 5-28, (S), (C), 6fT, 1:10.65. B-Barry R. Ostrager (NY). *$40,000 Wlg '15 FTNMIX.
Dancing Bull, g, 3, **Bullsbay**--Disco Flirt, by Disco Rico. Parx Racing, 5-28, (S), 6f, 1:11.12. B-Y. Jerry Kolybabiuk (PA). *1/2 to Disco Chick (Jump Start), MSW & GSP, $735,250; and Yeah Rocky (Silver Train), SP, $237,715.
Starfest, f, 3, **Cape Blanco (Ire)**--Fanfest (GB), by Fantastic Light. Canterbury, 5-28, (S), 7 1/2fT, 1:33.75. B-Suzanne Stables (MN).
Jimmy Chila, c, 3, **Jimmy Creed**--Mesabu (SP), by Fred Astaire. Santa Anita, 5-27, 6 1/2fT, 1:13.50. B-Highclere Inc. & Springtown Show Stable (KY). *$25,000 Ylg '16 OBSAUG; $95,000 2yo '17 OBSAPR. **1/2 to Dancing Anna (Cuvee), SW & GSP, $140,740.

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Day Raider, g, 3, **New Year's Day**--Jordan's Sorority, by Pleasant Tap. Hastings Racecourse, 5-27, 6 1/2f, 1:18.44. B-Kerby G Chua (KY). *$10,000 Wlg '15 KEENOV.
Where's Wendell, g, 3, **Rushin' to Altar**--Broad Leaf, by Forestry. Prairie Meadows, 5-28, (S), 6f, 1:11.53. B-Hi Temp Horses & Cattle (IA).
Jo Jo's Candy, f, 3, **Sidney's Candy**--Irish Exchange (SW, $211,965), by Exchange Rate. Belmont, 5-28, (S), (C), 6fT, 1:10.16. B-SF Racing Group Inc (NY). *$2,000 Ylg '16 FTKFEB; $13,000 Ylg '16 OBSAUG; $42,000 2yo '17 OBSAPR. **1ST-TIME STARTER.
Draconic Treasure, f, 3, **Street Cry (Ire)**--Hazy Glow (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). Presque Isle, 5-28, 1m 70y (AWT), 1:41.79. B-Audley Farm Equine (KY). *$320,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP.
Super Patriot, f, 3, **Unusual Heat**--Patriot C H, by Redattore (Brz). Santa Anita, 5-28, (S), (C), 1mT, 1:37.19. B-Harris Farms (CA). *$195,000 2yo '17 BARMAY.
Our Juliet, f, 3, **Weigelia**--Dowhatyourbigsisdo, by Crypto Star. Parx Racing, 5-28, (S), 1m 70y, 1:46.12. B-Wynoaks Farm, LLC (PA). *$25,000 Ylg '16 EASOCT.

Purchased by Walnut Green

L M Arch, g, 4, **Archarcharch**--Flatter Me More, by Flatter. Prairie Meadows, 5-28, (S), 6f, 1:11.21. B-Gene Bogash (IA). *1ST-TIME STARTER.
Star Gaze, f, 4, **Star Guitar**--Luna Bean, by Malibu Moon. Louisiana, 5-28, (S), 6f, 1:13.04. B-Brittlyn Stables, Inc. (LA). *$19,000 RNA Ylg '15 FTKOCT.
Mesotherm, g, 5, **Trappe Shot**--Mayhavebeentheone, by Arch. Monmouth, 5-28, 6f, 1:09.29. B-Nursery Place & Robert T. Manfuso (KY). *$400,000 Ylg '14 FTSAUG. **1/2 to Pull Dancer (Pulpit), MSP, $152,937.

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ANIMAL KINGDOM, Night Owl, f, 3, o/o No Curfew, by Curlin. ALW, 5-28, Monmouth

ARCHARCHARCH, L M Arch, g, 4, o/o Flatter Me More, by Flatter. MSW, 5-28, Prairie Meadows

AWESOME OF COURSE, Day by Day, f, 4, o/o Dobra, by Smoke Glacken. AOC, 5-28, Monmouth

BELLAMY ROAD, Diversify, g, 5, o/o Rule One, by Street Cry (Ire). Commentator S., 5-28, Belmont

BELLAMY ROAD, Laissez Faire, f, 3, o/o Willful Ways, by Sharp Humor. ALW, 5-28, Belterra

BIONDETTI, Bella Vincenza, f, 4, o/o Cascina, by Dixie Union. ALW, 5-28, Gulfstream

BLAME, Royal Holiday, g, 3, o/o Holiday for Kitten, by Kitten's Joy. AOC, 5-28, Gulfstream

BRIDGETOWN, Headfirst, f, 3, o/o Landing My Way, by Southern Image. MCL, 5-28, Belmont

BULLSBAY, Dancing Bull, g, 3, o/o Disco Flirt, by Disco Rico. MSW, 5-28, Parx Racing

BUSTIN STONES, Mr. Granite, g, 2, o/o Embraceable Miss, by Sharp Humor. MSW, 5-28, Presque Isle

CAPE BLANCO (IRE), Starfest, f, 3, o/o Fanfest (GB), by Fantastic Light. MSW, 5-28, Canterbury

COSMONAUT, Goodbye Brockley, f, 3, o/o Ladywell Court, by Powerscourt (GB). ALW, 5-28, Belmont

COURAGEOUS CAT, Feeling Bossy, m, 5, o/o Keep the Feeling, by Kris S.. Mount Vernon S., 5-28, Belmont

DARK ANGEL (IRE), Hunt (Ire), g, 6, o/o Mansiya (GB), by Vettori (Ire). Shoemaker Mile S., 5-28, Santa Anita

DUBLIN, Elios Milos, c, 3, o/o Roxie Dancer, by Successful Appeal. MSW, 5-28, Belmont

EQUIANO (FR), Belvoir Bay, m, 5, o/o Path of Peace (GB), by Rock of Gibraltar (Ire). Monrovia S., 5-28, Santa Anita

ESKENDEREYA, Eskenformore, m, 5, o/o Madel, by More Than Ready. AOC, 5-28, Louisiana

FIRST SAMURAI, Lela's Gift, f, 4, o/o Love You All, by Aldebaran. AOC, 5-28, Monmouth

GENERAL QUARTERS, Kool Kate, f, 4, o/o Pearl My Girl, by Distorted Humor. ALW, 5-28, Arlington

GHOSTZAPPER, Cove Blue, c, 3, o/o Need, by Strong Hope. AOC, 5-28, Churchill

HARLAN'S HOLIDAY, Holiday Disguise, f, 4, o/o Thin Disguise, by Yes It's True. Critical Eye S., 5-28, Belmont

HAYNESFIELD, Always Kissable, f, 3, o/o Always Belong, by Belong to Me. MSW, 5-28, Finger Lakes

JIMMY CREED, Jimmy Chila, c, 3, o/o Mesabu, by Fred Astaire. MSW, 5-27, Santa Anita

LEMON DROP KID, War Baby, m, 5, o/o Somme, by Theatrical (Ire). ALW, 5-28, Presque Isle

MAJESTIC WARRIOR, Crazy Sweet, f, 4, o/o Ride Me Crazy, by Two Punch. ALW, 5-28, Presque Isle

MAJESTIC WARRIOR, Pinson, g, 5, o/o Celtic Song, by Giant's Causeway. Jim Rasmussen Memorial S., 5-28, Prairie Meadows

MIDNIGHT LUTE, Midnight Disguise, f, 3, o/o Thin Disguise, by Yes It's True. Bouwerie S., 5-28, Belmont

MUNNINGS, Munificent, f, 4, o/o Gayatri, by War Chant. ALW, 5-28, Pimlico

NEW YEAR'S DAY, Day Raider, g, 3, o/o Jordan's Sorority, by Pleasant Tap. MSW, 5-27, Hastings

NOT FOR LOVE, Cee Bee Gee Bee, m, 5, o/o I Ain't P T, by A.P. Indy. ALW, 5-28, Monmouth

OVERANALYZE, Analyze the Odds, c, 3, o/o The Sense Angel, by Mineshaft. Mike Lee S., 5-28, Belmont

PURE PRIZE, First Premio, c, 4, o/o Perils of Pauline, by Stravinsky. AOC, 5-28, Churchill

RUSHIN' TO ALTAR, Where's Wendell, g, 3, o/o Broad Leaf, by Forestry. MSW, 5-28, Prairie Meadows

SIDNEY'S CANDY, Jo Jo's Candy, f, 3, o/o Irish Exchange, by Exchange Rate. MCL, 5-28, Belmont
SPEIGHTSTOWN, Take Notice, c, 4, o/o Platinum, by Mineshaft. MSW, 5-28, Churchill
SPRING AT LAST, Offering Plan, h, 6, o/o Rosalie Road, by Street Cry (Ire). Kingston S., 5-28, Belmont
STAR GUITAR, Star Gaze, f, 4, o/o Luna Bean, by Malibu Moon. MSW, 5-28, Louisiana
STREET CRY (IRE), Draconic Treasure, f, 3, o/o Hazy Glow (Ire), by Invincible Spirit (Ire). MSW, 5-28, Presque Isle
STREET SENSE, The Lieutenant, h, 5, o/o Stage Magic, by Ghostzapper. All American S., 5-28, Golden Gate
TAPIZAR, Stone Hands, c, 4, o/o Honeycomb Gus, by Is It True. AOC, 5-28, Santa Anita
TIME TO GET EVEN, Time for Kisses, f, 2, o/o River Kiss, by Awesome Gambler. MSW, 5-28, Santa Anita
TIZNOW, Sirenusa, f, 3, o/o Spun Silver, by Grand Slam. Northbound Pride Oaks, 5-28, Canterbury
TRAPPE SHOT, Conumdrum Red, f, 4, o/o Vanished, by Smart Strike. ALW, 5-28, Thistledown
TRAPPE SHOT, Mesotherm, g, 5, o/o Mayhavebeentheone, by Arch. MSW, 5-28, Monmouth
TWO STEP SALSA, Fully Loaded, c, 2, o/o Cappachino Gal, by Bluegrass Cat. MSW, 5-28, Gulfstream
UNBRIDLED'S SONG, Westfest, h, 5, o/o Dr. Zic, by Milwaukee Brew. AOC, 5-28, Churchill
UNITED STATES, American Luxury, g, 5, o/o Tips On Tipping, by Crafty Prospector. ALW, 5-28, Thistledown
UNUSUAL HEAT, Super Patriot, f, 3, o/o Patriot C H, by Redattore (Brz). MCL, 5-28, Santa Anita
VIOLENCE, Whatwasithinking, g, 3, o/o Shot Gun Pennie, by Speightstown. Auburn S., 5-27, Emerald
WAR FRONT, War Diamond, m, 5, o/o Snow Diamond, by El Prado (Ire). MSW, 5-28, Arlington
WARRIOR'S REWARD, Millionaire Runner, c, 3, o/o Petite Charme, by Silver Charm. Home of the Brave H., 5-28, Gulfstream
WEIGELIA, Our Juliet, f, 3, o/o Dowhatyourbigsisdo, by Crypto Star. MSW, 5-28, Parx Racing

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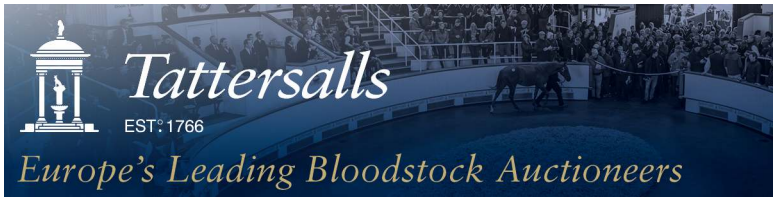

PIVOTAL TAKES CENTRE STAGE AS A BROODMARE SIRE

Pivotal | *Cheveley Park Stud*

By John Boyce

As we near the end of May, it's quite something to think that Cheveley Park's **Pivotal (GB)** (Polar Falcon) can already boast three Group 1 winners--Cracksman (GB), Rhododendron (Ire) and Olmedo (Fr), plus probable future Group 1 winner Defoe (Ire)--as a broodmare sire. Currently, he heads the great Galileo (Ire) by about £700,000 on the European broodmare sire table and will no doubt be thoroughly tested this year by the great Coolmore sire, who has Saxon Warrior (Jpn) among others running for him in 2018.

But make no mistake, it has been a fantastic career for Pivotal. It's not often that we witness an out-and-out sprinter thrive in a stallion world usually dominated by top milers and middle-distance horses. Yet, Pivotal has carved out his own niche and if the performance so far of his daughters at stud is anything to go by then we can expect much more from the Cheveley Park stalwart.

A top-class sprinter by the Nureyev stallion Polar Falcon, Pivotal was at his best when winning the G1 Nunthorpe at York and Royal Ascot's King's Stand, back in the days when it had been demoted to a Group 2 race. Nowadays, these races are the two prime targets for five-furlong specialists, but Pivotal's victories in both earned him a Timeform rating of only 124, more than 10 pounds behind the best specialist sprinters of 2017.

It was easy to understand why he started out at a fee of £6,000, but the racecourse success of his offspring eventually pushed that fee to the lofty heights of £85,000 by 2007. The best by a sire that produced an excellent ratio of 9.5% black-type winners to runners but struggled to get championship horses, Pivotal had to prove his mettle the hard way. Poorer speedy mares dominated his early books, but such were his results, that he caught the imagination of breeders with both better and stouter mares. Those early crops contained top-class speedsters like fellow Nunthorpe winner and stud companion Kyllachy (GB) (Time Form 129), but crucially his early runners also contained the likes of Golden Apples (Ire), Chorist (GB), Megahertz (GB) and Silvester Lady (GB), all Group 1 winners at 10 furlongs and above. And Pivotal took advantage of his well-earned better-bred mares going on to sire his best-ever progeny, the G1 Champion S. winner Farhh (GB) (Time Form 131), in the second half of his career. He also sired other middle-distance Group 1 winners in African Story (GB), Izzi Top (GB), Halfway To Heaven (Ire), Queen's Jewel (GB) and Buzzword (GB). **Cont. p2**

Pivotal's son Farhh | *Darley*

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Pivotal Takes Centre Stage as a Broodmare Sire Cont. from p1

The access to better and stouter mares did indeed provide Pivotal with a greater breath of opportunities, but it is debatable whether they made him a more effective sire. His first four crops of runners, whose average winning distance was 7.4 furlongs, included an outstanding 18.9% black-type winners to runners. Not even the great Galileo could manage that. What made this level of success all the more remarkable is the fact that his mares managed only 3.7% when covered by other sires. From his fifth crop onwards that siblings' benchmark has stood at 9.7%, which clearly demonstrates the hike in mare quality that Pivotal received after his early success. But here's a strange thing. Pivotal's ratio of black-type winners since then has been 9.7%, almost 10 points lower than he achieved with his first four crops. Overall, his ratio is a world-class 11.4% from mares that typically produce 8.9% with other sires--a glittering career indeed.

It's rare to find such a highly prized broodmare sire like Pivotal that is still producing young stock and racehorses as good as Addeybb (Ire) and Brando (GB) this year. Pivotal's second career is thriving. There are huge dividends to be had if your mare compliments the great sire of the day. And there is no doubt that daughters of Pivotal have stuck up a very fruitful partnership with the mighty Galileo and his sons. There are currently 23 runners by Galileo out of Pivotal mares and they feature no fewer than eight black-type winners (35%) and seven group winners (30%). Two mares, Halfway To Heaven and Beauty Is Truth (Ire), are responsible for five of these black-type winners.

Halfway To Heaven is the dam of recent G1 Lockinge S. scorer Rhododendron and Group 1 juvenile Magical (Ire), while Beauty Is Truth had Hydrangea (Ire), a Group 1 winner on British Champions day, representing her last year. Another Pivotal mare, the listed winner Rhadegunda (GB), produced the 136-rated runaway G1 Champion S. and G1 Prix Ganay hero Cracksman, by Galileo's son Frankel (GB). Results like these will no doubt offer huge encouragement to breeders to try this cross in future.

Of course, Galileo isn't the only option for a Pivotal mare. In fact, all sires that have had two or more black-type winners from Pivotal mares have posted stakes-winner ratios far higher than their own career marks. The Banstead pair of Oasis Dream (GB) and Dansili (GB) have really impressive numbers. Moreover, as they represent two significant sire lines of Green Desert and Danehill, it makes it very easy to find a mate for a daughter of Pivotal. Oasis Dream and Dansili each have five black-type winners, from 20 and 19 runners respectively, producing excellent strike rates of 25% and 26%. Stud companion Dutch Art (GB) also has five stakes winners out of Pivotal mares, while the 29% stakes winners by Tamayuz (GB) is also very striking. In all, Pivotal's daughters have produced 72 black-type winners so far, at a rate of 6.2%, which given his humble beginnings compares very favourably with the better broodmare sires of the day.

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PIVOTAL'S GROUP 1 WINNERS AS A BROODMARE SIRE

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G1w	136	CRACKSMAN	2014	C	FRANKEL	RHADEGUNDA LRw
G1w	124	MAYSON	2008	C	INVINCIBLE SPIRIT	MAYLEAF UR
G1w	124	THE UNITED STATES	2010	C	GALILEO	BEAUTY IS TRUTH G2w
G1w	124	MAIN SEQUENCE	2009	G	ALDEBARAN	IKAT WG3p
G1w	123	HYDRANGEA	2014	F	GALILEO	BEAUTY IS TRUTH G2w
G1w	123	RHODODENDRON	2014	F	GALILEO	HALFWAY TO HEAVEN G1w
G1w	119	HARBOUR LAW	2013	C	LAWMAN	ABUNAI W
G1w	118	OLMEDO	2015	C	DECLARATION OF WAR	SUPER PIE W
G1w	117	WINSILI	2010	F	DANSILI	WINTER SUNRISE W
G1w	116	PRECIEUSE	2014	F	TAMAYUZ	ZUT ALORS WG3p
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ALPHA FEMALE

We're mid-bounce between Classic meetings and there was much to lift the spirits last weekend at The Curragh with a first Guineas success apiece for trainers Ken Condon and Jessica Harrington.

For Coolmore it was a case of even when you lose you win, as each of the victors, **Romanised (Ire)** and **Alpha Centauri (Ire)**, was by a 'home' sire in Holy Roman Emperor (Ire) and Mastercraftsman (Ire). Both stallions, it has to be said, remain under-rated despite plenty of evidence gathered in recent years to testify to their respective abilities.

It's hard not to have the utmost respect for Harrington. A brilliant Olympic event rider in her younger days and of course a fully accomplished National Hunt trainer with the likes of Sizing John (GB) and Moscow Flyer (Ire) to her credit, she is simply a brilliant horsewoman who seems to have great fun in everything she does.

The statuesque Niarchos homebred Alpha Centauri now appears to be heading for a second appearance at Royal Ascot, where she could be joined by her young stablemates **Servalan (Ire)** (No Nay Never) and **Chicas Amigas (Ire)** (Dragon Pulse {Ire}) who filled the quinella in the listed sprint at Naas the previous weekend. Chicas Amigas, a first Northern Hemisphere venture for the It's All About The Girls syndicate which has enjoyed such success in Australia with dual Group 1 winner Global Glamour (Aus), looks to have been a shrewd selection by Patrick Cooper for €25,000. **Cont. p4**

Alpha Centauri & Jessica Harrington | *Racing Post*

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Despite carrying a Gr.1 penalty and being weighted as a 4yo ***MERCHANT NAVY*** *easily won the 1200m.* ***Greenlands Stakes-Gr.2*** *at the Curragh on Saturday and remains on target for the* ***Diamond Jubilee Stakes-Gr.1*** *at Royal Ascot.*

"A cracking renewal... it was a Group 1 in nature"

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The Weekly Wrap: Alpha Female Cont.

Despite an exciting Flat season in store, Harrington did let slip where her true priorities lie when saying after Alpha Centauri's victory that winning a Classic was "almost as good" as winning a Gold Cup. By that, we presume she means the Cheltenham variety, rather than Ascot, though she has a decent candidate for the latter in Torcedor (Ire) (Fastnet Rock {Aus}).

While the Harrington team was celebrating at The Curragh, it was also a notable weekend for the horse who was one of the stable's breakthrough winners on the Flat, Pathfork, winner of Group 1 and Group 2 contests as a juvenile before being sold back to America. The son of Distorted Humor now stands alongside Canford Cliffs (Ire) at Highlands Stud in South Africa, where he notched his first Group 1 winner on Saturday with 2-year-old **Mighty High (SAf)** in the Allan Robertson Fillies' Championship.

Chance Of A Unique Treble...

The victory of **Wagnerian (Jpn)** in Sunday's GI Tokyo Yushun sets up the potential for an international Derby double for his sire Deep Impact (Jpn), who has the favourite for Saturday's Investec Derby in 2000 Guineas winner Saxon Warrior (Jpn).

While unusual, it would not be unique. King's Best achieved the same rare feat in 2010 courtesy of his sons Workforce (GB) and Eishin Flash (Jpn). Victory in the Japanese Derby for the latter eventually saw his sire move to Darley Japan in 2013, having started his career in Ireland at Kildangan Stud before moving to Normandy's Haras du Logis.

And if we believe that the Prix du Jockey Club can still be regarded as the French Derby since its shortening in distance, then Deep Impact has the chance of attaining what will almost certainly be a unique treble, with the Niarchos family's **Study Of Man (Ire)** being aimed at Sunday's French Classic instead of a trip to Epsom.

Study of Man | *Scoop Dyga*

Japan Plan Paying Off...

Hush Writer | *Scoop Dyga*

There's plenty of focus on the success of Deep Impact in Europe but it would in fact be disappointing if his offspring which reach these shores did not succeed as they are out of some of the best mares in the world.

His great rival in the Japanese sires' contest, King Kamehameha (Jpn), is the broodmare sire of Wagnerian and he also featured as the grandsire of an impressive maiden winner at Longchamp on Sunday via the Francis Graffard-trained **Hush Writer (Jpn)**, the first runner and winner in France for his sire Rulership (Jpn).

The colt represents an ambitious international plan, having been selected as a foal for ¥23 million (€181,000) by Gai Waterhouse and Satomi Oka Bloodstock, one of five foals bought by the duo at the JRHA Sale of 2015.

"We set off with a group of owners to see with our own eyes what it is that Japan is doing better than the rest of the world," said Waterhouse in her TDN column at the time and her quest for 'Cups' horses from the east looks to be on the right track, with Hush Writer, who runs in the colours of Western Australia's Mount Hallowell Stud owner Craig Thompson, now being aimed at the Listed Prix Melisande at ParisLongchamp on June 10. Depending on his progress, he is likely to find himself ending up racing in Australia eventually.

"Hush Writer and another filly came to me when Criquette Head retired," said Graffard, who added with a grin, "I told Gai yesterday that I am pre-training a very nice horse for her."

The trainer added that he has pencilled in a run in the G2 Prix Hocquart at Chantilly on Prix de Diane day when Waterhouse is in France. Australia's leading lady trainer is not averse to combing the world for horses to run in her country's major races. For Mount Hallowell Stud she has already trained successful import Pornichet (Fr) (Vespone {Ire}), the subsequent G1 Doomben Cup winner bought at the inaugural Goffs London Sale for £425,000. **Cont. p5**

The Weekly Wrap Cont.

Thompson was also a shareholder in G1 Sydney Cup winner The Offer (Ire) (Montjeu {Ire}), a 200,000gns Tattersalls purchase with Johnny McKeever.

There was also an Australian connection to Thursday's Goodwood maiden winner **Heart Of Grace (Jpn)**, a daughter of Heart's Cry (Jpn) who was bought as a yearling from the following year's JRHA sale by Justin Bahen for Perth-based father and son Paul and Anthony Silvestro.

Dubawi's Expanding Legacy...

As a broodmare sire, Dubawi (Ire) has posted three group wins so far this year, in Dubai, Japan and Italy, the latest being the French-trained **Royal Julius (Ire)**, who is on course for Royal Ascot.

With his top-class daughter **Bateel (Ire)** notching another group win at the age of five for Francis Graffard last week in the G2 Prix Corrida, Dubawi has also enjoyed a good week via his stallion sons, a selection of whom also look likely to have decent representation at Ascot.

Having been responsible for the previous weekend's G2 Derby Italiano winner **Summer Festival (GB)**, Poet's Voice (GB), who died in March, was represented by **Poet's Word (GB)** on his first run of the British turf season in the G3 Brigadier Gerard S. He went one better than his runner-up finish to Hawkbill (Kitten's Joy) in the G1 Dubai Sheema Classic and has the option of the G1 Prince Of Wales's S. or G2 Hardwicke S. at Royal Ascot.

Whether the royal course is the next destination for Makfi's son **Magic Circle (Ire)** remains to be seen but he certainly has his owner Marwan Koukash dreaming ahead to Melbourne after he followed up his Chester Cup win with a six-length romp in the G3 Henry II S. at Sandown.

Magic Circle | *Racing Post*

The in-form 6-year-old, now the winner of eight of his 21 starts, would need to be supplemented for the Gold Cup but wherever he ends up he looks to have an exciting season in store. Bought by his trainer Ian Williams for 70,000gns at last year's Horses-in-Training Sale at Tattersalls, Magic Circle has already earned more than £130,000 in two starts for his new connections.

One of the youngest sons of Dubawi with runners is Oakgrove Stud's homebred Al Kazeem (GB), who has suffered from a stop-start stud career but has been back at his birthplace for the last three seasons after returning to training in 2015 following a debut season blighted by fertility issues at the Royal Studs. Appropriately, Roger Charlton--who trained Al Kazeem so deftly in parts one and two of his racing career--sent out the first stakes winner by the stallion in Friday's Cocked Hat S. winner **Aspetar (Fr)**. HH Sheikh Mohammed Bin Khalifa Al Thani's homebred is now unbeaten in two starts and is another who could be Ascot-bound with an entry in the G2 King Edward VII S.

Bansha Bandwagon Rolls On...

There's been much gnashing of teeth through this season's breeze-up sales, which conclude on Friday at Baden-Baden. Plenty of vendors have been left with horses and will doubtless be coming to arrangements with trainers to race these individuals with a view to securing private sales.

Con Marnane has a headstart in this regard as he already has a successful arrangement with French trainer Matthieu Palussiere, who has already won this season with the unsold **On A Session** (Noble Mission {GB}), **No More Regrets (Ire)** (Kodiac {GB}), **Reel Bizzy (Ire)** (Kodiac {GB}) and **Rolling King** (More Than Ready).

Lest one think that the Marnanes don't ever sell a good horse, it's worth reflecting that in the last few weeks alone, their Bansha House Stud grdautes have included the G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches heroine **Teppal (Ire)** (Camacho {GB}), **Sands Of Mali (Fr)** (Panis), who has won two group races this season, and **Itsinthepost (Fr)** (American Post {GB}), winner of Saturday's GII Charles Whittingham S. at Santa Anita. The last two named were bought collectively for just €25,000 as yearlings at the Osarus September Sale.

Pride Of Scotland...

Gordon Thom may have significantly reduced his breeding operation since the sale of his New Hall Stud, but Scotland's leading breeder still keeps a few mares on land he retained adjacent to the Ayrshire farm and on Saturday was celebrating the victory of **Sophie P (GB)** (Bushranger {Ire}), who gained the verdict in a tight finish to the GI Gamely S. at Santa Anita.

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The Weekly Wrap Cont.

The 5-year-old is the second top-level winner bred by Thom after Donna Blini (GB) (Bertolini), who would go on to achieve even greater notoriety at stud as the dam of Japanese superstar Gentildonna (Jpn) (Deep Impact {Jpn}).

Sophie P was sold privately as a youngster to Thom's local trainer Mike Smith, for whom she won four times and was listed-placed before being bought by Gordian Troeller for 160,000gns at Tattersalls last year. Her dam, the Gainsborough-bred Fountains Abbey (Giant's Causeway), failed to go back in foal the following year and is now retired.

> I'd watch her in the field and the way she moved and carried herself, she just had something about her, so Mike started training her for some local lads who had a lot of fun with her.
>
> Gordon Thom on Sophie P

"I didn't put her in a yearling sale as it was at the time when Bushranger had gone off the boil and I didn't want to just give her away," recalled Thom of Sophie P. "I'd watch her in the field and the way she moved and carried herself, she just had something about her, so Mike started training her for some local lads who had a lot of fun with her."

Donna Blini--whose half-brother Magical (GB) (Aggressor {GB}) won the GIII Will Rogers H. in America back in 1998--had cost just 20,000gns as a yearling but went on to be bought for 500,000gns by Katsumi Yoshida following her G1 Cheveley Park S. win.

Thom said, "I tried to keep her sister to breed from but the Japanese kept coming back to me to buy her and I gave in eventually."

He added, "I've kept a mare or two here on land that's been in my family for 150 years, and I have a couple of horses in training. I turn 70 in July but I hope I'll always have an interest."

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'WARRIOR' AMONG DERBY FOURTEEN

Fourteen horses have been confirmed for the G1 Investec Epsom Derby on Saturday, including the hot favourite **Saxon Warrior (Jpn)** (Deep Impact {Jpn}). The unbeaten colt is one of seven 3-year-olds left in the race from Ballydoyle as Aidan O'Brien chases a seventh win in the race. The Frankel (GB)-sired trio of **Rostropovich (Ire)**, **Zabriskie (Ire)** and **Nelson (Ire)** and three sons of Galileo (Ire) in **Kew Gardens (Ire)**, **Delano Roosevelt (Ire)** and **The Pentagon (Ire)** are all possibles. The favourite's main market rival **Roaring Lion (GB)** (Kitten's Joy), who was so impressive in the G2 Dante S., is also confirmed along with the fellow John Gosden trained **Sevenna Star (Ire)** (Redoute's Choice {Aus}) while another stylish trial winner, G3 Chester Vase victor **Young Rascal (Fr)** (Intello {Ger}) is on course to represent William Haggas and race sponsor Bernard Kantor.

Dermot Weld won the race two years ago with Harzand (Ire) (Sea The Stars {Ire}) and he will field a relation of that horse in **Hazapour (Ire)** (Shamardal), owned and bred, like the 2016 winner, by the Aga Khan. Charlie Appleby and Godolphin will rely on G1 QIPCO 2000 Guineas third **Masar (Ire)** whose sire New Approach (Ire) won the race 10 years ago while **Knight To Behold (Ire)** (Sea The Stars {Ire}) will be a first Derby runner for trainer Harry Dunlop, whose father John trained the winner on two occasions. Mark Johnston has confirmed **Dee Ex Bee (GB)** (Farhh {GB}) for owner Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum.

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Saxon Warrior and Aidan O'Brien | *Racing Post Photo*

DOYLE TO RIDE 'RASCAL' IN DERBY

James Doyle will team up with **Young Rascal (Fr)** (Intello {Ger}) in the G1 Investec Derby after being freed of his commitment with the Godolphin operation to ride **Dee Ex Bee (GB)** (Farhh {GB}) in the premier Classic. Champion jockey Silvestre de Sousa has been booked by trainer Mark Johnston for the Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum-owned Dee Ex Bee, leaving Doyle to retain his association with Young Rascal at Epsom on Saturday. Doyle was aboard the William Haggas-trained colt when he defeated Dee Ex Bee in the G3 Chester Vase by a half-length.

Johnston's son and assistant, Charlie, said, "I think it suits everyone involved. Obviously, James has ridden Dee Ex Bee but I'm quite sure he was keen to ride William's horse, having been to ride him at Breakfast with the Stars. Silvestre won on Dee Ex Bee first time out and he has a great record at Epsom. I think all parties are happy with how it's turned out and we're all set for Saturday."

Johnston is hoping the forecast of rain materialises during the week to aid Dee Ex Bee's chances and he said, "There's a chance of some rain through the week which wouldn't harm his chance at all. He won at Epsom as a 2-year-old in very heavy ground. That would inconvenience others more than it would inconvenience him. "

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JOHNSTON STILL MONITORING ELARQAM

Mark Johnston and his team are still none the wiser over the lackluster performance of **Elarqam (GB)** (Frankel {GB}), the well beaten favourite in Saturday's G1 Irish 2000 Guineas. Sheikh Hamdan Al Maktoum's colt finished sixth behind Romanised (Ire) (Holy Roman Emperor {Ire}) but it was the manner in which he was beaten rather than his ultimate finishing position that has Johnston scratching his head for an explanation.

"He was scoped post-race and scoped this morning [Monday] and there was a little bit of mucus there, but not enough for us to feel it could explain the running because he seemed all at sea during the race and quite distressed afterwards," Johnston said.

Unlike at Newmarket in the G1 QIPCO 2000 Guineas when he traveled powerfully for much of the race, Elarqam was one of the first off the bridle on Saturday and his trainer is keen to get to the root of the issue.

"I know he's a horse with not a lot of form, but if he'd finished third or fourth we could have said maybe that's his running," he said. "But in relation to the horse he beat in the Guineas [third placed Gustav Klimt] and the whole manner of his run he was clearly in trouble at halfway. We can put a line through it but we've got to try to investigate why it happened."

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AUTUMN CAMPAIGN FOR DAN'S DREAM

Trainer Mick Channon is planning an autumn campaign for **Dan's Dream (GB)** (Cityscape {GB}) after an unsatisfactory scope ruled her out of the G1 Tattersalls Irish 1000 Guineas at The Curragh on Sunday.

"She has just got a bit of mucus in her and she scoped bad, otherwise we would have gone to Ireland with her," he said.

Channon was expecting the filly to bounce back from an underwhelming effort in the G1 QIPCO 1000 Guineas at Newmarket having previously taken the G3 Dubai Duty Free S. at Newbury in April. That victory came when there was plenty of give in the ground and with the benefit of hindsight Channon reckons missing The Curragh may not have been the worst thing to have happened.

"It's probably a blessing with how the ground was," he said. "What we will probably do now is miss Ascot and the Coronation S. and prepare for the autumn when we get some soft ground again. We hope we can have a nice fresh filly for the back-end of the season. She will stay a mile. It didn't go right in the Guineas but some times things like that happen."

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Mick Channon | *Racing Post Photo*

'BRITTANY' EARNS 'RISING STARDOM' AT SAINT-CLOUD

Spirit of Brittany was entrusted with the weight of favouritism in this debutantes' heat and fully justified that faith with a dominant display to earn '**TDN Rising Star**' status at first asking. Sharply into stride to seize immediate control, the 14-5 chalk was in cruise mode throughout and required negligible urging inside the final quarter-mile to easily account for Kiwi Kiss (Fr) (Dabirsim {Fr}) by an impressive 2 1/2 lengths, becoming Jean-Claude Rouget's first juvenile winner of the year. **Cont. p8**

3rd-Saint-Cloud Cont.

She is the third foal and first scorer produced by Ysandre (GB) (Zamindar), an unraced half-sister to five black-type winners including G1 Lockinge S.-winning sire Keltos (Fr) (Kendor {Fr}), MG1SP G2 Prix du Muguet victor Krataios (Fr) (Sabrehill) and G1 Grand Prix de Saint-Cloud third and GSW sire Loxias (Fr) (Saumarez {GB}).

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3rd-Saint-Cloud, €27,000, Mdn, 5-28, unraced 2yo, f, 6fT, 1:16.79, g/s.
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1st Dam: Ysandre (GB), by Zamindar
2nd Dam: Loxandra (GB), by Last Tycoon (Ire)
3rd Dam: Northshiel (GB), by Northfields
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Tuesday May 29:

UNITED KINGDOM:
Australia (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud
125 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
14:10-LINGFIELD PARK, 6f, BRASSICA (IRE)
€50,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2017

Battle of Marengo (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Ballyhane Stud
67 foals of racing age/2 winners/0 black-type winners
15:50-LEICESTER, 6f, CRITICAL DATA (IRE)
10,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; 20,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 3

Invincible Spirit (Ire)'s Spirit Of Brittany (Fr) saluted in the third at Saint-Cloud on Monday, becoming the newest 'TDN Rising Star' for Al Shaqab Racing. | *Scoop Dyga*

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Charm Spirit (Ire) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Haras de Bonneval
105 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
18:40-WOLVERHAMPTON, 6f, GLORIOUS CHARMER (GB)
52,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 2

Gregorian (Ire) (Clodovil {Ire}), National Stud
85 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
14:10-LINGFIELD PARK, 6f, GYPSY SPIRIT (GB)
6,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 3

Kingman (GB) (Invincible Spirit {Ire}), Banstead Manor Stud
116 foals of racing age/0 winners/0 black-type winners
15:50-LEICESTER, 6f, ALNASHERAT (GB)

Olympic Glory (Ire) (Choisir {Aus}), Haras de Bouquetot
119 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
15:50-LEICESTER, 6f, GLORIOUS DANE (GB)
45,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; €85,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2017

Ruler of The World (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud
43 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
15:50-LEICESTER, 6f, TZAR NICHOLAS (GB)
€14,500 RNA Tattersalls Ireland Flat Breeding Stock Sale 2016; €7,000 Tattersalls Ireland September Yearlings 2017; 90,000gns Tattersalls Guineas Breeze-Up & HIT Sale 2018

Slade Power (Ire) (Dutch Art {GB}), Kildangan Stud
99 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
13:50-LEICESTER, 5f, JACK'S POINT (GB)
78,000gns Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; 120,000gns Tattersalls October Yearling Sale 2017 - Book 1
14:10-LINGFIELD PARK, 6f, MY BABYDOLL (IRE)
€32,500 Goffs November Foals Sale 2016; €55,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2017

Toronado (Ire) (High Chaparral {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot
121 foals of racing age/1 winner/0 black-type winners
13:50-LEICESTER, 5f, TRIPLE ONE (IRE)
58,000gns RNA Tattersalls December Foal Sale 2016; €55,000 Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2017; 82,000gns Tattersalls Craven Breeze-Up Sale 2018
18:40-WOLVERHAMPTON, 6f, WINDY GUEST (GB)
€38,000 Goffs November Foals Sale 2016; £42,000 Goffs UK Premier Yearling Sale 2017

OBSERVATIONS
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2.10 Lingfield, Cond, £5,800, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT)
ROYAL INTERVENTION (IRE) (Exceed and Excel {Aus}) is a half-sister to the 2006 GI Beverly D S. winner Gorella (Fr) (Grape Tree Road {GB}) who races for a partnership between Lord Lloyd Webber and Will Farish. Ed Walker introduces the homebred, whose opponents include the similarly unraced **Octave (Ire) (Dawn Approach {Ire})**, Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammed Al Maktoum's daughter of the G3 May Hill S. winner and G1 Poule d'Essai des Pouliches third Calando (Storm Cat) who represents the Mark Johnston stable.

7.45 Gowran Park, Mdn, €12,000, 3yo, 12fT
PARK BLOOM (IRE) (Galileo {Ire}) is set to be pure broodmare gold later on for her breeder Lodge Park Stud and owner Patricia Burns, as a full-sister to the G1 Epsom Oaks heroine Was (Ire), fellow Ballydoyle pattern-race performer Douglas Macarthur (Ire) and MGSP Al Naamah (Ire) who was a 5-million gns TATOCT purchase. Jim Bolger has charge of her racing career and introduces her in a race which contains another notable in His Highness The Aga Khan's **Romiyna (Ire)** (Nathaniel {Ire}), a Dermot Weld-trained half-sister to the MGSW sire Rajsaman (Fr) (Linamix {Fr}).

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Monday's Results:

4th-Leicester, £15,000, Cond, 5-28, 3yo, 11f 179yT, 2:33.71, g/s.
RAA ATOLL (GB) (c, 3, Sea The Stars {Ire}--Meetyouthere {Ire}, by Sadler's Wells), who built on a taking debut second at Newmarket Apr. 19 when getting off the mark over the same 10-furlong trip at Nottingham May 11, travelled easily in behind the early leader. Sent to the front with two furlongs remaining, the 7-4 favourite was pressed by his errant stablemate Photographer (GB) (New Approach {Ire}) inside the last furlong but pulled out extra to score by two lengths.
The winner is a half-brother to the GSP Moderah (GB) (Makfi {GB}) whose dam is out of Gerald Leigh's G1 Sun Chariot S.-winning European highweight Infamy (Ire) (Shirley Heights {GB}), also successful in the GI Rothmans International. Among Infamy's four black-type winners was the G3 Premio Dormello-winning Italian highweight Barafamy (Ire) (Barathea {Ire}) and G2 Prix de Royallieu scorer Moon Queen (Ire) (Sadler's Wells) and the MGSW GII Orchid H. winner Innuendo (Ire) (Caerleon), who in turn produced the GII La Prevoyante H. and GII Sheepshead Bay S. scorer Criticism (GB) (Machiavellian). Moon Queen's daughter Beauty Parlor (Elusive Quality) also captured the Orchid when it was a Grade III. The dam's 2-year-old colt Perique (GB) (Cacique {Ire}) sold for 30,000gns at Tattersalls to Charlie Gordon-Watson Bloodstock. Sales history: 200,000gns Wlg '15 TATFOA. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, $20,889. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.
O-China Horse Club International Limited; B-Mr & Mrs J. Davis & P. Mitchell Bloodstock (GB); T-John Gosden.

2nd-Royal Windsor, £5,800, Cond, 5-28, 2yo, 6f 12yT, 1:14.90, gd.
SEDUCTIVE MOMENT (GER) (c, 2, Shamardal--Sexy Lady {Ger} {GSW-Fr, SW & GSP-Ger}, by Danehill Dancer {Ire}) tracked the leaders in fifth from flagfall in this first go. Nudged along soon after halfway, the 5-4 choice kept on strongly for continued cajoling underneath the stands' side rail to score by an ultimately snug two lengths from Oloroso (Ire) (Fast Company {Ire}). Half-brother to a yearling colt by Maxios (GB), he becomes the fourth winner for G3 Prix Chloe victress Sexy Lady (Ger) (Danehill Dancer {Ire}), herself kin to a further three black-type performers headed by dual German highweight and G1 Preis von Europa-winning sire Scalo (GB) (Lando {Ger}). Sales history: 12,000gns Ylg '17 TAOCT. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $4,991. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.
1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Kingsley Park 10; B-Gestut Hof Ittlingen (GER); T-Mark Johnston.

3rd-Royal Windsor, £5,800, Cond, 5-28, 2yo, 6f 12yT, 1:14.10, gd.
URBAN ICON (GB) (c, 2, Cityscape {GB}--Fauran {Ire}, by Shamardal), sent off the 3-1 second favourite, shadowed the early leader before taking control with a quarter mile to race. Finishing off strongly, the bay from the family of sires Luso (GB), Warrsan (Ire) and Needle Gun (Ire) extended to record a 3 1/2-length verdict over Even Keel (Ire) (Born To Sea {Ire}). Sales history: £23,000 Ylg '17 TASAYG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, $4,991. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.
O-Mr Michael Pescod; B-Minster Stud (GB); T-Richard Hannon.

4th-Royal Windsor, £5,800, Cond, 5-28, 3yo/up, 5f 21yT, 1:00.78, gd.
DUBAI SILK (GB) (f, 3, Helmet {Aus}--Silken Express {Ire}, by Speightstown), fourth on debut over five furlongs on Lingfield's Polytrack in November, was quickest away to lead. Just holding on in the closing stages, the 8-1 shot prevailed by a neck from Kimifive (Ire) (Born To Sea {Ire}). The winner is the first foal out of a relative of the 2015 GII Monmouth S. scorer Triple Threat (Fr) (Monsun {Ger}) and G2 Superlative S. third Ellmau (GB) (Dr Fong). She also has a 2-year-old colt by Bated Breath (GB) named Metallic Black (GB). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, $5,276. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.
O/B-Malih L Al Basti (GB); T-Robert Cowell.

HANDICAP RESULT:

5th-Redcar, £50,000, 5-28, 3yo/up, 10f 1yT, 2:04.32, g/f.
BIG COUNTRY (IRE) (g, 5, High Chaparral {Ire}--Mount Eliza {Ire} {SW-Ity & SP-Fr}, by Danehill) Lifetime Record: 16-5-1-1, $194,643. O-The Horse Watchers; B-Mrs Jacqueline O'Brien (IRE); T-Michael Appleby. *28,000gns HRA '16 TATAHI; 130,000gns RNA HRA '17 TATAHI.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

The Last Party (GB), f, 2, **Hellvelyn (GB)**--Third Party (GB), by Terimon (GB). Chelmsford City, 5-28, 6f (AWT), 1:12.41. B-P & Mrs A G Venner (GB). *1/2 to Party Boss (GB) (Silver Patriarch {Ire}), MSW-Eng, $269,051.

The Great Heir (Fr), c, 2, **Pedro the Great**--Lady McKell (Ire), by Raven's Pass. Redcar, 5-28, 5fT, :59.80. B-SCA La Perrigne (FR). *€6,000 Wlg '16 ARQDEC; €33,000 Ylg '17 ARAU2.

Makanah (GB), g, 3, **Mayson (GB)**--Diane's Choice (GB), by Komaite. Redcar, 5-28, 5f 217yT, 1:12.86. B-Y E Mullin & Theobalds Stud (GB). *13,000gns Wlg '15 TATFOA; £58,000 Ylg '16 GOUKPR; £30,000 2yo '17 GOFAUG.

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Monday's Results:

4th-Saint-Cloud, €27,000, Mdn, 5-28, unraced 2yo, c/g, 6fT, 1:15.83, g/s.

PIZZICATO (ITY) (c, 2, Dabirsim {Fr}--Resaca {Ger}, by Touch Down {Ger}) was sharply away from the inside box and gained early control of this firsters' test. Nudged along when tackled passing the two pole, the 19-10 favourite came under increased urging thereafter and was driven out to hold the late thrust of We Go (Fr) (No Nay Never) by a short head. He is the latest foal and first scorer out of an unraced full-sister to G3 Premio Sergio Cumani-winning Italian highweight Ravenel (Ger) (Touch Down {Ger}), herself produced by a winning half-sister to MGSW sire Califet (Fr) (Freedom Cry {Ire}). Sales history: €62,000 Ylg '17 ARAUG. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, €13,500. **Video, sponsored by Fasig-Tipton**.

1st-TIME STARTER. O-Antoine Gilibert, Ecurie Vivaldi & Fabrice Chappet; B-Allevamento Si.Fra. SRL (ITY); T-Fabrice Chappet.

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CONDITIONS RESULTS:

7th-Saint-Cloud, €33,000, Cond, 5-28, 4yo/up, 14fT, 3:04.24, g/s.

ALJEZEERA (GB) (f, 4, Frankel {GB}--Dynaforce {MGISW-US, SW & GSP-Fr, $1,086,772}, by Dynaformer) Lifetime Record: SW & GSP-Eng, 7-3-1-2, €87,631. O-Al Shaqab Racing; B-Newsells Park Stud (GB); T-Henri-Francois Devin. *450,000gns Ylg '15 TATOCT.

5th-Saint-Cloud, €28,000, Cond, 5-28, 3yo, 10fT, 2:12.60, g/s.

PALMYRE (FR) (f, 3, Dansili {GB}--Purely Priceless {Ire}, by Galileo {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, €28,300. O-Haras d'Etreham & Sir Peter James Vela; B-Haras d'Etreham (FR); T-Henri-Francois Devin. *€210,000 RNA Ylg '16 ARAUG.

2nd-Toulouse, €22,000, Cond, 5-28, 3yo, 10fT, 2:14.60, sf.

AUBEVOYE (FR) (c, 3, Le Havre {Ire}--Keira {Fr}, by Turtle Bowl {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 5-2-1-1, €29,200. O-Gerard Augustin-Normand & Bernard Benaych; B-Franklin Finance SA & Mme Elisabeth Vidal (FR); T-Jean-Claude Rouget.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Aparat (Ire), c, 3, **Declaration of War**--Kortoba (SP-Fr), by Distorted Humor. Toulouse, 5-28, 10fT, 2:12.80. B-Al Shahania Stud (IRE).

Pontrivienne (Fr), f, 3, **Le Havre (Ire)**--Parallel Blossom (Fr), by Slickly (Fr). Cluny, 5-27, 12fT, 2:45.80. B-Erwan Le Pivert & Mme Annie Le Pivert (FR). *€60,000 RNA Ylg '16 AROCT.

Standing Up (Fr), f, 3, **Motivator (GB)**--Kylia, by Mr. Greeley. Toulouse, 5-28, 10fT, 2:12.90. B-Wertheimer & Frere (FR). *1/2 to Cosmique (Fr) (Pivotal {GB}), SP-Fr.

Blue Hue (Ire), f, 3, **Shamardal**--Prussian (GB) (GSP-USE, $136,020), by Dubai Destination. Cluny, 5-27, 9f 165yT, 2:01.90. B-Godolphin (IRE).

EUROPEAN-BRED WINNERS

IN JAPAN:

Tosen Rosario (Ire), f, 3, **Galileo (Ire)**--Dance For Fun (GB), by Anabaa. Tokyo, 5-26, Novice Race, 8f. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-0, $64,220. O-Takaya Shimakawa; B-Dance For Fun Syndicate (Ire); T-Yasuhito Tamu. *Full to Lush Lashes (GB), Hwt. 3yo Filly-Ire at 6 1/2-9 1/2f, 9 1/2-10 1/2f & 10 1/2-13f, G1SW-Ire, MG1SW-Eng, G1SP-Fr, $2,392,861.

WORLDWIDE NEWS

CURRIE FACING MULTIPLE CHARGES

Leading Queensland trainer Ben Currie's training business faces an uncertain future after the trainer was charged with 31 breaches of racing's rules. Currie is unable to make any entries for his string while he faces the charges which include administering raceday treatments without permission to five horses he ran at Doomben and Gatton in March while he also faces similar charges surrounding the same offence with different horses on other raceday occasions.

After the hearing on Monday which took place in Brisbane at the Queensland Racing Integrity Commission offices, Currie confirmed his plea of not guilty and that he would contest the charges, "My lawyers will apply for an urgent stay of the suspension before the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal on Tuesday," he informed *Racing And Sports*. **Cont. p12**

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Currie Facing Multiple Charges Cont.

Four people have already been disqualified or suspended as a result of an inquiry opened by QRIC stewards after allegations were made by integrity officers about activities at Currie's stables in April. Among them are Currie's father and foreman Mark Currie who has been disqualified for two years on 16 charges, while the trainer's employees Greg Britnall, Cameron Schwenke and Silde Canda have all been suspended for periods ranging from three to eighteen months as result of the inquiry.

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'VALOUR' WILL STAND AT RAHEEN STUD

Group 1 winner **Heroic Valour (Aus)** (Fastnet Rock {Aus}--Myrrh {NZ}, by Nassiapour) has been secured by Raheen Stud for stallion duty, where he will stand in 2018, the Queensland stud announced on Monday. Bred by Katom and knocked down to Te Akau Racing for NZ$400,000 at the New Zealand Premier Yearling Sale in 2015, the bay won all three of his juvenile starts for trainers Stephen Autridge and Jamie Richards, culminating with a win in the G1 Sistema Diamond S. at Ellerslie in March of 2016. Classic placed as a sophomore in the 2017 G1 New Zealand 2000 Guineas, the half-brother to Group 1 winner Triple Honour (NZ) (Honours List {Ire})'s best finish at four was a runner-up effort in the G3 Darley Stallions Plate. He retires with a record of 19-4-7-3 and earnings of $264,539. Out of a winning daughter of Group 2 winner San Pauli Girl (NZ) (Western Symphony), Heroic Valour will stand for A$7,700.

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"All of us at Raheen Stud are really excited at the prospect of standing Heroic Valour," said Raheen Stud's manager Basil Nolan, Jr. "We believe he is very competitively priced at A$7,700, particularly as he is a Group 1-winning, unbeated 2-year-old who trained on at three, along with being a well-related son of Fastnet Rock...Some lifetime breeding rights will be made available in the horse."

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Leading General Sires by YTD Black-Type Winners

for stallions standing in Europe through Sunday, May 27

Earnings represent European figures, stud fees listed are 2018 fees.

Rank	Stallion	BTW	BTH	GSW	GSH	G1SW	G1SH	Starters	Wnrs	Highest Earner	Earnings
1	**Dubawi (Ire)**	14	26	9	17	2	4	103	35	70,888	905,269
	(2002) by Dubai Millennium (GB) FYR: 2007 Stands: Dalham Hall Stud Eng Fee: £250,000									*Coronet (GB)*	
2	**Galileo (Ire)**	12	26	8	19	1	4	133	29	228,637	1,364,652
	(1998) by Sadler's Wells FYR: 2003 Stands: Coolmore Stud Ire Fee: Private									*Rhododendron (Ire)*	
3	**Frankel (GB)**	7	16	3	10	1	1	64	27	301,726	852,210
	(2008) by Galileo (Ire) FYR: 2014 Stands: Banstead Manor Stud Eng Fee: £175,000									*Cracksman (GB)*	
4	**Mastercraftsman (Ire)**	6	15	4	9	1	3	154	37	203,976	983,495
	(2006) by Danehill Dancer (Ire) FYR: 2011 Stands: Coolmore Stud Ire Fee: €25,000									*Alpha Centauri (Ire)*	
5	**Invincible Spirit (Ire)**	6	14	3	8	--	--	165	42	91,096	979,096
	(1997) by Green Desert FYR: 2004 Stands: Irish National Stud Ire Fee: €120,000									*Ancient Spirit (Ger)*	
6	**Lope de Vega (Ire)**	6	15	1	10	--	1	117	36	51,589	782,976
	(2007) by Shamardal FYR: 2012 Stands: Ballylinch Stud Ire Fee: €60,000									*Mer Et Nuages (Fr)*	
7	**Shamardal**	6	15	2	8	1	1	134	36	52,029	640,687
	(2002) by Giant's Causeway FYR: 2007 Stands: Kildangan Stud Ire Fee: Private									*Hazapour (Ire)*	
8	**Fastnet Rock (Aus)**	6	10	2	6	--	--	76	34	61,981	468,186
	(2001) by Danehill FYR: 2011 Stands: Coolmore Stud Ire Fee: €70,000									*Merchant Navy (Aus)*	
9	**Siyouni (Fr)**	5	14	3	10	1	1	114	37	242,768	1,193,643
	(2007) by Pivotal (GB) FYR: 2012 Stands: Haras de Bonneval Fr Fee: €75,000									*Laurens (Fr)*	
10	**Kodiac (GB)**	5	11	--	2	--	--	227	57	56,315	950,513
	(2001) by Danehill FYR: 2008 Stands: Tally-Ho Stud Ire Fee: €50,000									*Second Thought (Ire)*	
11	**Teofilo (Ire)**	5	7	1	2	--	--	116	30	58,159	558,181
	(2004) by Galileo (Ire) FYR: 2009 Stands: Kildangan Stud Ire Fee: €40,000									*Mildenberger (GB)*	
12	**Nathaniel (Ire)**	5	8	2	3	--	--	88	23	60,806	443,490
	(2008) by Galileo (Ire) FYR: 2014 Stands: Newsells Park Stud Eng Fee: £20,000									*Precious Ramotswe (GB)*	
13	**Holy Roman Emperor (Ire)**	4	7	3	4	1	1	147	42	204,485	781,993
	(2004) by Danehill FYR: 2008 Stands: Coolmore Stud Ire Fee: €15,000									*Romanised (Ire)*	
14	**Sea the Stars (Ire)**	4	9	2	6	--	2	85	28	96,407	708,990
	(2006) by Cape Cross (Ire) FYR: 2011 Stands: Gilltown Stud Ire Fee: €135,000									*Crystal Ocean (GB)*	
15	**Pivotal (GB)**	4	10	3	7	1	2	98	28	118,960	667,187
	(1993) by Polar Falcon FYR: 1998 Stands: Cheveley Park Stud Eng Fee: £40,000									*Addeybb (Ire)*	

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