

VALUE SIRES FOR 2022, PART III: FIRST YEARLINGS



Maximus Mischief | Sarah Andrew

by Chris McGrath

With the global economy tottering in the Covid headwind, last year a lot of stallion farms went out of their way to help breeders with fee cuts. As a result, as I've previously suggested, the market's remarkable rally since means that the present trading environment represents a pretty historic opportunity. And that particularly applies to the next group in our series, as the first to have absorbed those cuts. (Even last year, it felt as though the rookies had been priced with the usual and necessary opportunism.) Especially because one or two of these, from that lowered base, have now received an extra trim of the kind customarily offered, in plainer times, for stallions beginning to lose the priceless commercial advantage of novelty.

His third book is always an early crossroads in a stallion's career. While the second might at least start to reflect the physical impression made by first foals, the third will be responding to some concrete evidence of their reception in the ring. If things have not gone well, in that initial test, then some breeders will tend to back off and wait until stock has been measured more rigorously on the racetrack.

Obviously there's no guarantee that the guy who tops the weanling averages will retain his primacy when finally reaching that stage, and vice versa. **Cont. p3**

NO SLOWING DOWN FOR ANDY IN LOS AL FUTURITY

Reddam Racing homebred **Slow Down Andy** (Nyquist) upset 'TDN Rising Star' and last-out GIII Bob Hope S. winner **Messier** (Empire Maker) Saturday with a decisive score in the GII Los Alamitos Futurity S.

A debut winner against fellow Cal-breds going 5 1/2 panels at Santa Anita Oct. 9, he was a close second in Del Mar's seven-furlong Golden State Juvenile S. Nov. 5 and was dispatched at 5-1 in this first try around two turns and against open company.

Away a step slow from the outside stall in this field of five, Slow Down Andy was pulled back towards the inside by rider Mario Gutierrez, who also piloted his Eclipse-winning sire, and settled at the back of the pack alongside the Bob Baffert-trained **Barossa** (Into Mischief). **Cont. p8**

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OFFICIATING TAKES THE MR. PROSPECTOR

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Officiating (Blame) scored his first graded victory in Gulfstream's GIII Mr. Prospector S. Saturday afternoon.

TODAY'S GRADED STAKES

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1:40a	Longines Hong Kong Sprint-G1, ST	HKJC PPs	TVG
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Value Sires cont. from p1

But it's no less clear that a depressing number of people will by then have disappeared over the horizon, the job done, meanwhile engaged on the next cycle of sires that remain spared the inconvenience of exposing their ability (or otherwise) actually to come up with runners.

As things stand, then, we must pick a precarious path between trying to harness the undeniable energies of the market-commercial esteem, after all, will hold up book sizes and so fill "the pipeline"--and keeping the faith with those that you think deserve a chance to reward it, once their stock finally gets somewhere near a starting gate. As such, each having come through his first market test in decent shape, we make no apologies for sticking by three stallions we've liked from the get-go.

With this particular intake, most roads have led to Spendthrift. In the first instance, that was simply because so many of its most coveted prospects were herded up there. Even with their reliably competitive pricing strategy, the late B. Wayne Hughes and his team launched the first, second and joint-third most expensive rookies in 2020. That felt like a pretty significant moment in the evolution of the aggressive commercial model that had revolutionised competition for mares in the Bluegrass.

But then, last year, you also had to factor in the characteristic lead taken by Hughes in cutting fees so purposefully. Rival farms will duly have to pardon Spendthrift's central role in the value conversation, at least for this instalment of our series, even though our top pick a) wasn't one of their headline recruits when starting out and b) was already priced too attractively to be one of the 15 of 21 stallions on the farm roster to take a cut last year. **Cont. p4**



Audible | Coady



DAREDEVIL

More Than Ready - ChasetheWildwind, By Forty Niner

A LEADING THIRD-CROP SIRE IN 2021 BY G1 WINNERS

“ He of course had G1-winning fillies **SWISS SKYDIVER** and **SHEDARESTHEDEVIL** in his first crop but it's not just them: he's had a few other quite useful types, including seven 2yo winners this year from a small crop, including G2 Chandelier S. second **Electric Ride**. He's a 'typey' son of **More Than Ready** and looks good value to us at **\$25,000** next year; he's proven he can deliver the G1 goods, after all. ”

- Thoroughbred Market Report
Bill Openheim and Dr. Emily Plant



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Value Sires cont.

As ever, however, these choices reflect just one person's highly subjective opinions. Different stallions fit different mares; different fees fit different pockets. But what I would say is that it's a good time to stick with any of this group that you do like, as you'll be taking the foals to market after they have actually started to show their wares on the track. That introduces a degree of volatility, and tends to drive nervous breeders elsewhere. But the odds for those who do get it right will certainly be rewarding.

Bubbling under: The \$360,000 **Audible** filly that topped the fifth session at Keeneland November was the most expensive weanling sold by those taking their bow at the sales, but the WinStar stallion's \$110,000 median was also outstanding. He was a pathfinder for his sire in stretching out for a Derby podium and, as a classier type, also leads a fresh wave in Into Mischief's career as a sire of sires. He covered over 400 mares in his first two seasons and duly holds his fee at \$22,500. He has all the momentum he needs, but he's just competing with another son of Into Mischief who simply can't be dislodged from the podium at a much cheaper service.

 **VIDEO:** **Audible at WinStar Farm** 

Mitole was one of those that took a really businesslike cut at Spendthrift last year, slashed to \$15,000 from \$25,000. Having followed up his staggering debut book of 230 with one of 208, there will be a lot of people out there gratified that his pedigree has meanwhile received such a lift from the stellar sophomore endeavors of half-brother Hot Rod Charlie (Oxbow). That might feel especially useful for a son of the exported Eskendereya, but don't forget that Mitole was his second GI Met Mile winner in three crops. His first weanlings having performed in line with his opening fee, fourth in the averages, this brilliant racehorse finds himself precisely where the program would hope to have placed him at this stage.

 **VIDEO:** **Mitole at Spendthrift Farm** 

Bronze: PRESERVATIONIST (Arch-Flying Dixie by Dixieland Band) Airdrie, \$10,000

This guy was always going to require a little patience, so it's no surprise that he couldn't repeat his opening three-figure book. But we can't just allow block-booking of the podium for stallions that churn through industrial numbers, in the idle hope that they will keep jumping through the market hoops until you discover, too late, that they don't sire runners!

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REAL VALUE
Gr.1 sires in 2021 available in 2022 for €10,000, €12,500, €15,000 etc.

Rockemperor (HOLY ROMAN EMPEROR) wins the **Joe Hirsch Turf Classic Stakes-Gr.1** at Belmont Park defeating the previous two winners of the race Arklow and Channel Maker



Marianafoot (FOOTSTEPSINTHESAND) lands the **Prix Maurice de Gheest-Gr.1** at Deauville over 6½f. from Tropbeau, Starman and Brando



Loving Dream (GLENEAGLES) after winning the **Prix de Royallieu-Gr.1** at ParisLongchamp. She also won the **Ribblesdale Stakes-Gr.2** at Royal Ascot





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Value Sires cont.



Preservationist | Sarah Andrew

A runner is exactly what you are entitled to expect from **Preservationist**, and I remain adamant that those who keep the faith will ultimately get their due reward. He offers everything we should be looking for in a young sire: a superb physical (\$485,000 yearling, when Arch was a \$30,000 cover); a pedigree without a single loose rivet, with sire and dam both tracing to King Ranch matriarchs; and elite performance, for instance in

defeating **Catholic Boy (More Than Ready)** by 4 1/2 lengths in the GII Suburban.

A lack of precocity is perceived by some as the cardinal sin, but **Preservationist's** weanlings actually performed perfectly respectably (averaging just under \$40,000) and he will run down those commercial hares in the end.



VIDEO:

Preservationist at Airdrie Stud



Silver: OMAHA BEACH (War Front-Charming by Seeking The Gold) Spendthrift, \$30,000

The loss of Spendthrift's owner this summer has given the poignant look of a parting gift to the characteristically decisive lead he took on fees this time last year. Now the team continuing his work has given Omaha Beach another trim, from \$35,000 to \$30,000, even though he had appeared sportingly priced (notwithstanding his status as the most expensive of the intake) when starting out at \$45,000.

This latest gesture to breeders is one that the horse hardly appeared to need. Last spring he precisely replicated his opening book, at 215 mares, and then did the necessary in his debut at the weanling sales, topping the averages at \$142,692.

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SUSTAINED BRILLIANCE.

GRADE 1-WINNING 2YO

1st **Champagne Stakes-Gr.1**, 8f, Belmont Park, by **4 lengths**
 1st **MSW**, 6½f, Saratoga, on debut by **4¼ lengths**

CLASSIC-WINNING 3YO

1st **Belmont Stakes-Gr.1**, 9f, Belmont Park, by **3¾ lengths**
 1st **Florida Derby-Gr.1**, 9f, Gulfstream Park, by **4¼ lengths**
 1st **Travers Stakes-Gr.1**, 10f, Saratoga, by **5½ lengths**
 1st **Holy Bull Stakes-Gr.3**, 8½f, Gulfstream Park, by **3 lengths**



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Value Sires cont.

Bottom line, then, is that Omaha Beach has been given every possible chance to this point. And he really is abundantly equipped to seize it. Winning Grade Is at six and nine furlongs in the same campaign was as compelling a signpost as we could hope to find, nowadays, for the speed-carrying elixir we crave in stallions. As such, he must be counted a vital ambassador on the main track for a son of Danzig whose influence has proved so international.



Omaha Beach | *Autry Graham*

It's not hard to figure out where he has found the genes to do that. He's a half-brother to champion Take Charge Brandi (Giant's Causeway) out of a half-sister to two other Grade I winners in **Will Take Charge** (Unbridled's Song) and **Take Charge Indy** (A.P. Indy), their dam Take Charge Lady (Dehere) herself a multiple elite scorer. He also doubles up **War Front**'s damsire Rubiano behind his third dam. We know how Rubiano's half-sister gave us a monster dirt influence in **Tapit**, while the other three sires seeding the bottom half of Omaha Beach's third generation are Raise A Native, Buckpasser and Deputy Minister.

Omaha Beach looked pretty good value at his opening fee, as the market has immediately confirmed. He looked great value, last year, at \$35,000. So what can we call him at \$30,000? Even those who can afford to play at this level of the market appreciate that kind of saving. In relative terms, then, this is a very generous fee.

Gold: MAXIMUS MISCHIEF (Into Mischief-Reina Maria by Songandaprayer), Spendthrift, \$7,500

We couldn't really offer a greater contrast to **Preservationist** than this blatant commercial formula. But from the outset Maximus Mischief had the look of a horse that could bring back memories for those clients of the farm who got his sire started, and everything has so far been functioning like clockwork.

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Candy Ride (ARG) – Union City, by Dixie Union

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Nyquist's fourth juvenile Stakes winner of 2021 is Slow Down Andy in the G2 Los Alamitos Futurity. He's one of 11 Graded Stakes juveniles from his sire's first two crops – **more than any other stallion ever.**

After a sensational start... astonishing support: 14 G1 winners, 31 Graded Stakes winners and 72 Stakes performers in a remarkable 2021 book.



Just imagine

Darley

Value Sires cont.

In this day and age, in fact, I find it mildly surprising that he could muster "only" 171 mares last spring after receiving 198 in his debut book.



Maximus Mischief | Sarah Andrew

His first weanlings sold every bit as briskly as one would hope, 26 of 31 finding a new home for an average \$42,153--approaching six times his covering fee. With his record of precocity, Maximus Mischief looks tailor-made for pinhookers and his yearlings will surely be high on the list for a winter in Florida. (Remember he was himself a \$340,000 2-year-old at Timonium.)

Having disappeared after his first defeat, on his sophomore debut, Maximus Mischief went to market with a seamless juvenile record, beaten to a single call in three starts while opening up by an aggregate 17 lengths, the visuals underpinned by the fastest Beyer of the crop. We're familiar with Into Mischief upgrading his early mares, not least in producing some of his first sons to stud, so it counts for plenty that this guy's second dam also produced the tragic juvenile Grade I winner Secret Compass (Discreet Cat) from only three foals.



VIDEO

Maximus Mischief at Spendthrift Farm



It's the easiest thing in the world to picture all this translating into a run at the 2023 freshman championship. If that happens, not only will this fee soon recede in the rear-view mirror: it will be those who stay aboard now who reap the benefits at ringside.

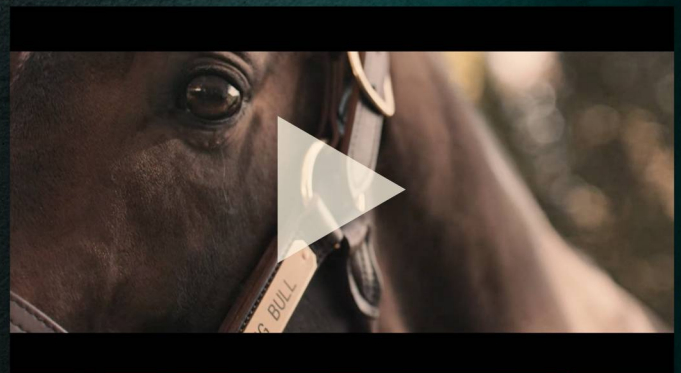
There really is a limit to how many horses like this, flaring brightly but briefly, we want to see shaping the breed. But if the purpose of this exercise is to identify value, then the modest stakes--and the potential odds of reward--are just too tempting to resist.

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LOS ALAMITOS FUTURITY-GII, \$300,000, Los Alamitos, 12-11, 2yo, 1 1/16m, 1:42.33, ft.

1--**SLOW DOWN ANDY**, 120, c, 2, by **Nyquist**

1st Dam: **Edwina E**, by **Square Eddie**

2nd Dam: **Electric Daze**, by **Gilded Time**

3rd Dam: **Electric Fable**, by **Quiet American**

1ST BLACK TYPE WIN, 1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. O/B-Reddam Racing, LLC (CA); T-Doug F. O'Neill; J-Mario Gutierrez.

\$180,000. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$249,850.

*Full to Team Merchants, SW, \$177,490. **Werk Nick Rating: A.**

Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.

2--**Messier**, 120, c, 2, Empire Maker--Checked Past, by Smart Strike. (\$470,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL). O-Golconda Stable, Madaket Stables LLC, SF Racing LLC, Siena Farm LLC, Starlight Racing, Waves Edge Capital LLC, Catherine Donovan, Robert E. Masterson & Jay A. Schoenfarber; B-Sam-Son Farm (ON); T-Bob Baffert. \$60,000. **'TDN Rising Star'**

 **Dam purchased by Warrendale for Silesia Farm** 

3--**Barossa**, 120, c, 2, Into Mischief--Bouquet Booth, by Flower Alley. **1ST BLACK TYPE, 1ST GRADED BLACK TYPE.** (\$775,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP). O-Golconda Stable, Madaket Stables LLC, SF Racing LLC, Siena Farm LLC, Starlight Racing, Stonestreet Stables, LLC, Waves Edge Capital LLC, Catherine Donovan, Robert E. Masterson & Jay A. Schoenfarber; B-Spendthrift Farm, LLC (KY); T-Bob Baffert. \$36,000.

★★ **FOUR STAR SALES GRADUATE** ★★

Margins: 1, 9, 1 3/4. Odds: 5.20, 0.50, 3.10.

Also Ran: Durante, Olympic Legend.

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Slow Down Andy | Benoit



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Slow Down Andy & Messier pull clear of their competition | Benoit

Olympic Legend (Street Boss), a 45-1 shot, dictated terms with Slow Down Andy's stablemate **Durante** (Distorted Humor) on his outside hip and heavily favored Messier just off that one's flank through a :22.79 opening quarter. Slow Down Andy continued to watch the show alongside Barossa as Messier charged up to turn up the heat on the pacesetter. Olympic Legend and Durante inched a bit ahead to maintain the initial order as the half went in :46.62.

Durante had enough waiting at that point, sweeping to the lead with Messier right beside him as Olympic Legend called it quits. Slow Down Andy and Barossa charged up in unison to confront the top two and they were four across turning for home with Slow Down Andy in the four path. Barossa and Durante both threw in the towel at the top of the lane leaving Messier and Slow Down Andy to duke it out for the top spot. A battle ensued, with the pair brushing briefly, before Slow Down Andy kicked it into high gear, rolling clear of the chalk to spring the upset by a length over Messier. It was nine lengths back to Barossa in third with Durante back in fourth. Olympic Legend was eased.

"If it was up to me we would have run in the California-bred race [King Glorious S. Sunday]. It was strictly Paul [Reddam] wanting to take a chance and having faith in Slow Down Andy and thank God he did. We figured our other horse [Durante] would show speed and being in [post five] we hoped Mario [Gutierrez] would get good position and ride his race. Down the stretch it looked like we had it and then we didn't and then we did, so it was very exciting. He doesn't really remind me of **Nyquist**. This horse has a lot of different gears and **Nyquist** was just a beast, so precocious. This horse is pretty calm and more mentally versatile at this stage than **Nyquist** ever was."

"He relaxed perfectly early," Gutierrez said. "When I saw the opening going to the turn I sent him through and he responded. I think he was just playing around in the stretch. When Messier got back in front of him, he regained his focus and showed his heart."

Pedigree Notes:

Hailing from the second crop of his connections' champion and GI Kentucky Derby hero **Nyquist**, Slow Down Andy is the third graded winner and seventh black-type scorer for his sire. His dam Edwina E (Square Eddie) is also a Reddam homebred, who was winless in two starts, but has produced three winners from three foals of racing age. Her second foal is Slow Down Andy's stakes-winning full-brother Team Merchants. The 9-year-old mare's recent produce includes a yearling colt by the Reddam and O'Neill-campaigned dual Classic winner I'll Have Another. Her 2021 colt by Pavel died.

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MR. PROSPECTOR S.-GIII, \$100,000, Gulfstream, 12-11, 3yo/up, 7f, 1:22.28, ft.

1--OFFICIATING, 122, c, 3, by **Blame**

1st Dam: **Come a Callin**, by **Dixie Union**

2nd Dam: **Twilight Service**, by **Horse Chestnut (Saf)**

3rd Dam: **Sunset Service**, by **Deputy Minister**

1ST GRADED STAKES WIN. (\$100,000 RNA Ylg '19 KESEEP).

O/B-Vegso Racing Stable (FL); T-Saffie A. Joseph, Jr.; J-Luis Saez. \$60,760. Lifetime Record: 14-3-4-2, \$206,547. *1/2 to Caledonia Road (**Quality Road**), Ch. 2-year-old Filly, GISW, \$1,307,800; and One of a Kind (Lemon Drop Kid), SW, \$250,528. [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

Werk Nick Rating: A+.

EATON SALES **SOLD**

2--**Endorsed**, 122, h, 5, **Medaglia d'Oro**--Dance Card, by **Tapit**.

O-Mark Breen; B-Godolphin (KY); T-Michael Maker. \$19,600.

3--**Dennis' Moment**, 120, c, 4, Tiznow--Transplendid, by Elusive

Quality. (\$400,000 Ylg '18 FTSAUG). O-Albaugh Family Stables LLC; B-Tolo Thoroughbreds (KY); T-Dale L. Romans. \$9,800.

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Margins: 3/4, HF, HF. Odds: 7.40, 1.90, 2.50.

Also Ran: Doc Amster, Wind of Change (Brz), Flap Jack, Poppy's Pride. [Click for the Equibase.com chart, the TJCS.com PPs or the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree.](#) **VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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Mr. Prospector S. cont.



Officiating | Lauren King

Officiating secured his first graded victory Saturday in Gulfstream's GIII Mr. Prospector S. The bay kept tabs on the leaders from fourth, running just off the fence through a :22.18 first quarter. Charging up to confront the pacesetters just after the half went up in :44.75, he was three wide entering the lane with two foes to his inside and two more ranging up on the outside to challenge. Officiating took command in the final

sixteenth and kicked clear to score over Endorsed.

“His fast dirt form hasn’t been good, but he’s been training so good, that I said to Peter [Vegso], ‘We’ve got to give him one more try. He trains too good on the fast dirt not to run good on it,’” trainer Saffie Joseph, Jr. said. “In the paddock, I said to Peter, ‘He’s going to win or get beat 20 lengths.’ Thank God, he handled it well.”

“We tried to break and be in a good spot right there, following the speed,” rider Luis Saez said. “We know there was going to be some decent speed, so we tried to just maintain him in the race. When he came to the top of the stretch, he gave me that good kick, good turn of foot, and he fought. He fought to win the race. That was an exciting race.”

Previously trained by Bill Mott, Officiating checked in fourth in a state-bred grassy allowance at Gulfstream June 3 in his first start for this barn and was third next out in a similar event here July 31. A decisive winner of the sloppy, off-the-turf Bear's Den S. in Hallandale Sept. 5, he faded to 10th last out in the Showing Up S. over the local synthetic Nov. 6.

Pedigree Notes:

Officiating is the 19th graded winner and one of 38 black-type victors by **Blame**. He is also one the 25th graded winner and one of 55 black-type winners out of a daughter of **Blame**. **Cont. p10**

Relief for Western Kentucky

Kentucky has suffered from major loss of life and property damage in Western Kentucky due to unprecedented tornadoes in the early hours of December 11th.

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1--**VILLAGE KING (ARG)**, 132, h, 7, by **Campanologist**

1st Dam: Villard, by Pleasant Tap

2nd Dam: Bugaloo, by Forty Niner

3rd Dam: Duty Dance, by Nijinsky II

O-Haras En Angel de Venecia; B-Santa Maria de Araras; T-Juan M Etchehoury; J-Martin Javier Valle; Ar\$12,000,000. Lifetime Record: SW & GSP-US, 21-9-1-5, US\$624,679. *1/2 to View On the Top (Arg) (Seattle Fitz {Arg}), GSP-Arg. **Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree. Werk Nick Rating: A+++ *Triple Plus*.**

2--**Mirinaque (Arg)**, 132, h, 5, Hurricane Cat--Langostura (Arg), by Honour and Glory. O-Parque Patricios; B-De La Pomme; T-Maria Cristina Munoz; J-Gustavo Emiliano Calvente; Ar\$4,200,000.

3--**Sandino Ruler (Arg)**, 132, h, 6, Roman Ruler--Virgin Vegas, by **Tale of the Cat**. O-Egalite de 9; B-Hugo Germano & Roberto Pellagatta; T-Juan Franco Saldivia; J-Juan Carlos Noriega; Ar\$2,400,000.

Margins: 9, NO, 3/4. Odds: 8.05, 4.15, 10.25. **Click for the Hipodromo San Isidro chart and the free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree. VIDEO.**

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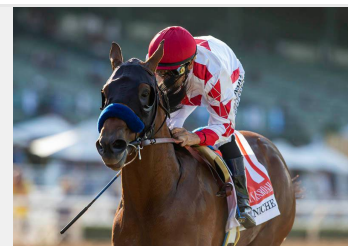


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'MAN' OH MAN: MORE THAN READY COLT GETS 'RISING STAR' NOD *by Alan Carasso*



Emmanuel | Ryan Thompson

Favored at 7-5 to give his connections a second debut winner on the Saturday program at Gulfstream, **Emmanuel** (**More Than Ready**) ran them off their feet to become the newest **'TDN Rising Star'** Saturday afternoon at Gulfstream Park. It was the second win on the day for connections, who were represented by impressive maiden winner Dean's List (**Speightstown**) a few races earlier.

Having amassed a pretty serious worktab at trainer Todd Pletcher's Palm Beach Downs hub, the \$350,000 Keeneland September yearling--the most expensive of 40 More Than Readys sold in North America in 2020--drew gate one for this debut and hit the ground running, taking the field onto the course proper through a quarter in :23.66. Going very nicely into the turn after four furlongs in a crisp :45.97, Emmanuel was just galloping as they neared the stretch, and a confident look under his right arm told Luis Saez that the rest would have to do some real running to catch him. Shoved along and asked to quicken passing the three-sixteenths peg, the burly-looking Emmanuel kicked onto his correct lead as they neared the entrance to the final furlong and ran up the score in hand to the tune of 6 3/4 lengths under the wire. The beautifully bred **Touch Code** (**Honor Code**--Caressing) tried to make a race of it turning for home, but had to settle for a distant second.

"They had been workmates the last few times and they both trained like quality horses," Pletcher said of Emmanuel and Dean's List. "We were obviously not wanting to run them against one another, so we felt like this guy [Emmanuel] was better suited for the mile first time out. I have to give [Emmanuel] a lot of credit. To win from the one hole going a mile first time out,

that's a demanding task. I'm proud of him for doing it and it looked like he did it the right way."

The 16th Rising Star for his prolific sire--now responsible for 2049 winners around the world--Emmanuel is out of an unraced daughter of the Grade III-placed turf distaffer Trensa (Giant's Causeway), whose noteworthy produce include English champion and multiple Group 1 winner Hawkbill (**Kitten's Joy**) and GISW Free Drop Billy (**Union Rags**). Trensa's dam Serape (Fappiano) carried the silks of Helen Groves to victory in the 1993 GI Ballerina S. and bred five winners from seven to the races, including treble Grade III winner Batique (Storm Cat), the dam of MGSP Tejida (Rahy) and SP Miss Lamour (Mr. Greeley).

Hard Cloth's yearling colt by **Kitten's Joy** fetched \$125,000 from Avenue Bloodstock at this year's Keeneland September sale and she foaled a full-sister to Emmanuel this season before being bred back to **Munnings**. Danzig-line mares have produced the likes of Grade I/Group 1 winners Uni (GB), Prized Icon (Aus), Sebring (Aus), Perfectly Ready (Aus), Dreamaway (Aus) and Benicio (Aus) to the cover of **More Than Ready**.

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7th-Gulfstream, \$53,000, Msw, 12-11, 2yo, 1m, 1:36.47, ft, 6 3/4 lengths.

EMMANUEL, c, 2, by More Than Ready

1st Dam: Hard Cloth, by Hard Spun

2nd Dam: Trensa, by Giant's Causeway

3rd Dam: Serape, by Fappiano

Sales history: \$350,000 Ylg '20 KESEP. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,800. **Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by TVG. Click for the [free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).**

O-WinStar Farm LLC & Siena Farm LLC; B-Helen K Groves Revocable Trust (KY); T-Todd A Pletcher.

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'DOPPEL' VISION: ANOTHER RISING STAR FOR INTO MISCHIEF *by Alan Carasso*



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Sent off the 1-2 jolly to opening his account at first asking, **Doppelganger** (Into Mischief) never felt a crack of jockey Flavien Prat's whip and cruised home a 3 1/2-length winner to become yet another 'TDN Rising Star' for his all-conquering sire.

Assigned gate one for the unveiling, the blinkered bay played pinball on three occasions with **Asphalt Andy** (Tapiture) to the outside, costing him any chance to make the lead, but he settled kindly and traveled comfortably while behind horses into the turn. Going well approaching the long stretch run at Los Al, the \$570,000 Fasig-Tipton Selected Yearling Showcase purchase was eased out for running room, and, with Prat a mere passenger, rolled home to take it by in effortless fashion.

A remarkable 29th Rising Star for Into Mischief, Doppelganger is bred on the same cross over Fappiano-line mares as champion and MGISW Covfefe as well as other GSWs Private Mission, Largent and Maximus Mischief.

The winner's stakes-winning and two-time graded stakes-placed dam, who once raced for a \$25,000 tag, was purchased by WinStar for \$350,000 at the 2013 Fasig-Tipton November Sale and is now responsible for four winners from as many to the races. The mare's yearling colt by **Speightstown** fetched \$340,000 from Suehiro racing at this year's Keeneland September sale and, after missing in 2021, was bred to **Improbable**.

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8th-Los Alamitos, \$54,312, Msw, 12-11, 2yo, 6f, 1:09.21, ft, 3 1/2 lengths.

DOPPELGANGER, c, 2, by Into Mischief



1st Dam: Twice the Lady (SW & MGSP, \$312,204), by Quiet American

2nd Dam: Catherine's Crown, by Chief's Crown

3rd Dam: Catherine's Bet, by Grey Dawn II

Sales history: \$570,000 Ylg '20 FTKSEL. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,200. Click for the [Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO](#), sponsored by TVG. Click for the [free Equineline.com catalogue-style pedigree](#).

O-Golconda Stable, Madaket Stables LLC, SF Racing LLC, Siena Farm LLC, Starlight Racing, Waves Edge Capital LLC, Catherine Donovan, Robert E Masterson & Jay A Schoenfarber; B-WinStar Farm LLC (KY); T-Bob Baffert.



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POINSETTIA S., \$150,000, Oaklawn, 12-11, 3yo, 1 1/16m, 1:43.70, ft.

1--**LAST SAMURAI, 121, c, 3, by Malibu Moon**

1st Dam: Lady Samuri (SW & GSP, \$150,553),

by **First Samurai**

2nd Dam: Redeye Rain, by Instrument Landing

3rd Dam: Palms and Rain, by Giacometti

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN. (\$37,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$175,000 2yo '20 OBSMAR). O-Willis Horton Racing LLC; B-Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (KY); T-Dallas Stewart; J-Jon Kenton Court. \$90,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 12-3-2-2, \$312,744.

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2--**Super Stock**, 124, c, 3, **Dialed In**--Super Girlie, by Closing Argument. (\$70,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP). O-Erv Woolsey & Keith Asmussen; B-Pedro Gonzalez & P J Gonzalez (KY); T-Steven M Asmussen. \$30,000.



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3--**Flash of Mischief**, 124, c, 3, Into Mischief--Flashy Campaign, by Political Force. O/B-Jerry Namy (KY); T-Karl Broberg. \$15,000.

Margins: 3/4, 1, 2 3/4. Odds: 4.10, 2.50, 3.00.

Also Ran: Defeater, Ram, Myopic, Simovitch.

Fifth to Essential Quality (**Tapit**) in the GIII Southwest S. in February before filling the same spot behind Super Stock in the GI Arkansas Derby Apr. 10, Last Samurai took a Colonial turf allowance by a nose Aug. 10, but was a well-beaten eighth in the Sept. 5 Dueling Grounds Derby. Ambitiously spotted in the GIII Greenwood Cup S. going 12 furlongs of the Parx main track Sept. 25, the chestnut was tagged on the wire and was exiting an allowance third going 10 furlongs at Churchill Nov. 6.

Away without incident from the inside gate, the Willis Horton runner settled inside and midpack for the run around the turn before being guided into the clear down the backstretch. Asked to come after front-runner Flash of Mischief with three furlongs to race, Last Samurai loomed a threat three deep into the lane and got the better of a final-furlong tussle with Super Stock. The latter tripped out beautifully and attacked one off the inside in upper stretch, but was outrun to the wire.

The 129th stakes winner for his late sire, Last Samurai is out of a half-sister to Message Red (Cryptoclearance), the stakes-winning dam of 2010 GIII Schuylerville S. winner Le Mi Geaux (**First Samurai**) and SP Yari (**First Samurai**). Lady Samuri is the dam of the 2-year-old colt Candy Raid (**Candy Ride {Arg}**) and a yearling filly by **Good Magic**. She was most recently mated with **Maclean's Music**. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

FTBOA CITY OF OCALA FLORIDA SIRE S., \$100,000, Tampa Bay Downs, 12-11, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 7f, 1:22.60, ft.

1--**R ADIOS JERSEY**, 119, f, 3, **Adios Charlie**--**Marion Theatre**, by **Montbrook**. (\$12,000 2yo '20 OBSMAR). O-Averill Racing LLC & ATM Racing; B-Ocala Stud & J Michael O'Farrell Jr (FL); T-Georgina Baxter; J-Paco Lopez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GSW, 6-6-0-0, \$427,400.

2--**Starship Nala**, 121, m, 5, Capo Bastone--Perfectly Wild, by Forest Wildcat. (\$15,000 Ylg '17 OBSWIN). O-Starship Stables & Steven Dvoskin; B-William P Sorren (FL); T-Steven Dvoskin. \$21,000.

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3--**Bramble Berry**, 121, f, 4, Brethren--Regal Rose, by Empire Maker. O-RyZan Sun Racing LLC; B-Ballybrit Stable LLC (FL); T-J

Kent Swezey. \$12,000.

Margins: 11, 1HF, 1. Odds: 0.20, 6.30, 10.00.

Also Ran: Heiressall, Island Magic. Scratched: Khozmore.

R Adios Jersey ran the table in three Gulfstream starts last winter before posting a 2 1/4-length success in the Mar. 28 Sophomore Fillies' S. at this venue Mar. 28. Given a five-month freshening thereafter, she returned to action as a 27-5 chance in the GIII Charles Town Oaks and took to that bullring with aplomb, scoring by 3 1/4 front-running lengths. An overwhelming favorite to keep her unbeaten record intact, R Adios Jersey never gave her four rivals a shot, galloping along through fast fractions before dropping the hammer while never out of second gear. Marion Theatre is the dam of a yearling colt by **Greenpointcrusader (Bernardini)** and a weanling filly by **The Big Beast (Yes It's True)**. She most recently visited Win Win Win (Hat Trick {Jpn}). **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

LOUISIANA CHAMPIONS DAY JUVENILE S., \$100,000, Fair Grounds, 12-11, (S), 2yo, 6f, 1:10.55, ft.

1--**UNIFIED REPORT**, 122, c, 2, by **Unified**

1st Dam: Closing Report (MSW, \$220,528), by Closing Argument

2nd Dam: Majestic Report, by Corporate Report

3rd Dam: Tryanothertime, by Majestic Light

(\$33,000 Ylg '20 ESLYRL). O-Valene Farms LLC; B-Stephen Brown (LA); T-Dallas Stewart; J-Brian Joseph Hernandez, Jr. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 3-3-0-0, \$154,720.

2--**Bron and Brow**, 117, c, 2, Gormley--Changing Vista, by Changeintheweather. (\$35,000 Ylg '20 ESLYRL; \$200,000 2yo '21 OBSAPR). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Gary Barber; B-J. Adcock & Hume Wornall (LA); T-Mark E. Casse. \$20,000.



3--**Charco**, 122, c, 2, El Deal--Coteau Kitten, by **Tale of the Cat**. (\$70,000 Ylg '20 OBSWIN). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Corinne & L. William Heiligbrodt & Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-J. Adcock & Montgomery Equine Center (LA); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \$11,000.

SBM Training Graduate (Susan Montanye)

Margins: HF, HF, HF. Odds: 0.70, 1.80, 18.80.

Also Ran: Vodka Gimlet, Fiesty Fist, Tambourine Star, Gotmy Mo Jo Workin, True Deal, Grunt. Scratched: My Heavy Son.

Unified Report, a winner of his first two starts, including Delta's Louisiana Legacy S. around a two-turn seven furlongs last time Oct. 23, was backed accordingly while cutting back a furlong here. Under a ride in sixth through a sharp opening quarter in :21.76, he loomed boldly while four wide as they approached the quarter pole, fought his way past a game rival in Charco in the stretch and narrowly outgamed the very unlucky



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Bron and Brow, who endured a nightmarish trip. MSW Closing Report had a Star Guitar filly in 2020 and was bred to Competitive Edge for 2022. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

GARLAND OF ROSES S., \$100,000, Aqueduct, 12-11, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:11.19, sy.

1--**GLASS CEILING, 120, f, 4, Constitution--Fighter Wing (MSP, \$153,307), by Empire Maker. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** (\$47,000 RNA Ylg '18 KEEJAN; \$17,000 RNA Ylg '18 FTKJUL; \$34,000 Ylg '18 FTKOCT). O-Charlton Baker & Michael S Foster; B-Twin Creeks Farm (KY); T-Charlton Baker; J-Dylan Davis. \$55,000. Lifetime Record: 23-5-6-4, \$332,612.

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2--**Call On Mischief, 122, f, 4, Into Mischief--Callmethesqueeze, by Awesome Again.** (\$250,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP). O-Down Neck Stables, Kelly J Breen & Jeffrey Lutsky; B-Forging Oaks LLC (KY); T-Kelly J Breen. \$20,000.

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3--**Letmetakethiscall, 120, m, 6, Take Charge Indy--Spring Elusion, by Elusive Quality.** (\$75,000 Ylg '16 SARAUG; \$65,000 2yo '17 OBSOPN). O-Mathew Levy & Kenneth Greenvald; B-Danzel Brendemuehl & Sandra Lombardo (NY); T-James W Ferraro. \$12,000.

Margins: 2 1/4, 2 1/4, 2HF. Odds: 1.65, 10.90, 21.40.
 Also Ran: Sadie Lady, Song River, Starfront, Just Read It.

Claimed for \$40,000 out of a promoted second-place effort at Belmont this past May, Glass Ceiling picked up minor awards in her next three starts to recoup the majority of that investment before dominating a Sept. 30 Belmont allowance by six lengths. The bay was a latest second in the Oct. 31 Pumpkin Pie S., an effort which was flattered when the victorious Lady Rocket (**Tale of the Cat**) returned to dismantle the field in the Gill Go For Wand H. last weekend.

Content to caboose this field of seven for the opening three-eighths of a mile, Glass Ceiling began hitting her best stride on the turn, was fanned five or six wide into the stretch, wrested command inside the eighth pole and was ridden out to score comfortably.

"She likes to break and then make that middle move," said winning trainer and part-owner Charlie Baker. "That's her style. She can relax for the first few jumps and then she makes her move. The track today was tricky, so I was a little worried."

The 29th stakes winner for **Constitution**, Glass Ceiling is out of a multiple stakes-placed daughter of MGSW Lakenheath (Colonial Affair), herself the dam of SW & GISP The Truth or Else (Yes It's True) and GSW Decorated Soldier (Proud Citizen). Fighter Wing, purchased for \$9,000 at the 2018 Fasig-Tipton Saratoga Fall Mixed Sale, produced a filly by **Mission Impazible** in 2019 and a colt by Destin last year. She was most recently covered by **Volatile**. [Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

LOUISIANA CHAMPIONS DAY LADIES SPRINT S., \$100,000, Fair Grounds, 12-11, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:09.92, ft.

1--**OVA CHARGED, 117, f, 3, Star Guitar--Charged Cotton (SW, \$162,741), by Dehere. 1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN.** O-Brittlyn Stable Inc; B-Brittlyn Inc (LA); T-Jose M Camejo; J-Reylu Gutierrez. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GSP, 5-4-1-0, \$174,600.

2--**Cilla, 121, f, 3, California Chrome--Sittin At the Bar, by Into Mischief.** (\$120,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEEJAN). O-P Dale Ladner; B-Brett A Brinkman & P Dale Ladner (LA); T-Brett A Brinkman. \$20,000.

3--**Strong Beauty, 124, f, 4, Overanalyze--Headstrong Beauty, by Latent Heat.** (\$2,700 Ylg '18 OBSWIN; \$30,000 2yo '19 OBSOPN). O-Golden Rock Thoroughbreds; B-Terry Gabriel & Dr & Mrs E C Hart (LA); T-Ron Fauchoux. \$11,000. Margins: 3/4, 5 3/4, 2. Odds: 0.40, 1.90, 15.30.

Also Ran: Sarah's Passion, Snowball, Sienna Breeze, Sumitup. Scratched: Suzie's Dream.

A pair of graded-stakes quality Louisiana-bred sophomore fillies came to settle Saturday's LA Champions Day Ladies' Sprint, with favored Ova Charged--runner-up in the Gill Victory Ride S.--getting just the better of this year's Gill Prioress S. heroine Cilla.

Last to leave the machine, Ova Charged settled in the second



Ova Charged | Hodges Photography

half of the field early on as Cilla chased pacesetting Sumitup (Sum of the Parts) from second through an opening quarter in :21.89. Niggled along from the two path on the turn, Ova Charged came out for the drive, but still had a gap to bridge as Cilla led into the final furlong. Sticking to her task, Ova Charged wore down that latter and inched clear.

Evelyn Benoit's operation purchased Ova Charged's stakes-winning dam for \$150,000 in foal to **Street Sense** at KEENOV in 2015 and that filly, named Sethamee Street, would go on to become stakes placed. Charged Cotton, also the dam of the winning Charged Temp (Star Guitar), has had a standing date with the stallion since, producing a colt in 2020 and a filly last season before being bred to him again this year. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

LOUISIANA CHAMPIONS DAY LASSIE S., \$100,000, Fair Grounds, 12-11, (S), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11.76, ft.

1--**BUCKLEY BUNNY, 122, f, 2, by Iron Fist**

1st Dam: Slamming, by Grand Slam

2nd Dam: Lunargal, by Yes It's True

3rd Dam: Quiet Eclipse, by Quiet American

(\$3,200 Wlg '19 ESLMIX). **1ST BLACK TYPE WIN.**

O-Whispering Oaks Farm LLC; B-Carrol J Castille & Steve Asmussen (LA); T-Steven B. Flint; J-Kevin J. Smith. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 6-2-1-1, \$93,660. *Second stakes winner for Freshman Sire (by **Tapit**).

2--**Free Like a Girl**, 122, f, 2, El Deal--Flashy Prize, by Flashy Bull. (\$5,500 Ylg '20 ESLYRL). O-Gerald Bruno, Jr., Carl J. Deville & Pomier, Chasey Deville; B-Kim Renee Stover & Lisa Osborne (LA); T-Chasey Deville Pomier. \$20,000.

3--**Medley**, 122, f, 2, Dominus--Beverly Belle, by Far Out Wadleigh. (\$25,000 Ylg '20 TTAYHR). **1ST BLACK TYPE.** O-Corinne & L. William Heiligbrod & Spendthrift Farm LLC; B-Robert Lestz (LA); T-Steven M. Asmussen. \$11,000.

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Margins: 3/4, NK, NK. Odds: 93.20, 2.00, 3.80.

Sent off at mammoth odds to collect her first taste of black-type, Buckley Bunny closed from off the pace to win Saturday's Louisiana Champions Day Lassie S. at the Fair Grounds. Settled well off the ace in ninth through a snappy :21.98 quarter, the gray was in an improved sixth following a half in :45.86. Five wide turning for home, she ground her way to the front late, scoring by 3/4 of a length over Free Like a Girl.

A debut winner at Evangeline Downs in June, the Louisiana bred finished runner-up in that track's Sept. 17 D.S. Shine Young Futurity against fellow LA-breds two starts later before coming home a well-beaten 10th in the seven-furlong Louisiana Jewel S. at Delta Downs Oct. 22. Cut back to six panels for her latest, she finished third facing state-bred rivals in a Fair Grounds allowance Nov. 27. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

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KING GLORIOUS S., \$100,000, 2yo, (S), 6 1/2f

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6th-Aqueduct, \$74,000, (S), Alw (NW2\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$45,000), 12-11, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f, 1:10.98, sy, 7 3/4 lengths.

BREAKFASTATBONNIES (f, 3, Laoban--Right Prevails, by Successful Appeal), a runaway debut winner in the Aqueduct mud Jan. 2, cleared her first state-bred allowance condition by a nose two starts later in the Saratoga mud July 18. She just got reeled in late in the slop here in her next start off the layoff Nov. 13. The 7-5 favorite was sent out to the front and made every pole a winning one en route to a 7 3/4-length score. The winner's 2-year-old full-brother Barese is unraced since scoring on debut for Mike Maker at Belmont in May. Right Prevails, a full-sister to GSW and GI Kentucky Derby runner-up Closing Argument, produced a filly by The Lieutenant in 2020 and a colt by **Mission Impazible** this year. She was bred back to **Catalina Cruiser**. Sales history: \$80,000 2yo '20 EASMAY. Lifetime Record: 5-3-1-1, \$152,140. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Jonathan Thorne & R. A. Hill Stable; B-Sequel Thoroughbreds LLC & Lakland Farm (NY); T-Danny Gargan.



THOROSTRIDE—featured horse

7th-Turfway, \$65,000, Alw, 12-10, (NW3L), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:43.94, ft, nose.

EMPRESS ELEANOR (f, 4, Empire Maker--Half A. P., by Pulpit), second to future SW Tuned (GB) (Tornado {Ire}) in a July 20 Colonial allowance, was runner-up to allowance repeater Curly Ruth (**Curlin**) at Kentucky Downs Sept. 4 and covered ground when fourth in Keeneland allowance company Oct. 13. Favored at 7-5 for this synthetic debut, the \$270,000 KEESEP yearling found a good spot just behind the leaders and traveled strongly awaiting racing room approaching the stretch. Shown daylight three off the fence with a furlong and a half to race, Empress Eleanor pinched a break and just managed to hold on as Fate of Ophelia (**Curlin**) took a dive at her late. The winner's dam, a half-sister to champion Halfbridled (Unbridled), had already been represented by GSP Fully Living (Unbridled's Song), \$172,417, when she was purchased by Merriebelle for \$450,000 in foal to **Candy Ride (Arg)** at KEENOV in 2015. Also from the family of MGSW/MGISP Lu Ravi (A.P. Indy), Empress Eleanor has a yearling half-brother by Arrogate and a weanling half-sister by Omaha Beach. Half A.P. is due to Bolt d'Oro. Sales history: \$270,000 Ylg '18 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 9-3-2-1, \$163,470.

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O-Merriebelle Stable LLC; B-Merriebelle Stable LLC & Empire Maker Syndicate (KY); T-Ignacio Correas IV.

7th-Los Alamitos, \$58,470, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$40,000), 12-11, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:07.86, ft, 2 lengths.

ESSENTIAL WAGER (c, 3, Honor Code--Mr Hall's Opus {GSP, \$155,300}, by Officer), a debut second at Santa Anita Oct. 15, dueled free to graduate with an 89 Beyer Speed Figure second out at Del Mar Nov. 12. Favored at even-money to put them back to back from the one hole here, he vied for early command, then was content to drop back and chase from second through a sharp opening quarter in :21.68. He revved up three furlongs from home, struck the front in the stretch and had two lengths over American Theorem (**American Pharoah**) at the wire. The winner's dam had a filly by Arrogate in 2020 and a filly by **Honor Code** this year. She was bred back to Wildcat Red. Sales history: \$200,000 RNA Ylg '19 KEESEP; \$300,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$87,200. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Michael E. Pegram, Karl Watson & Paul Weitman; B-Maccabee Farm (KY); T-Bob Baffert.

6th-Los Alamitos, \$53,900, Alw, 12-11, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:08.69, ft, 1/2 length.

LAW ABIDIN CITIZEN (g, 7, Twirling Candy--Honest Answer {GSP, \$182,020}, by Tale of the Cat), a dual Grade III winner and third in last year's GI Bing Crosby S., was fourth in his 2021 bow in Santa Anita's GIII Daytona S. sprinting on turf May 29. A narrow winner of Pleasanton's Oak Tree Sprint S. back on dirt July 3, he was fourth to Dr. Schivel (**Violence**) in this year's Crosby July 31 and faded to ninth in the GII Eddie D. S. getting back on grass at Santa Anita Oct. 1. Hammered down to 3-5 favoritism in a short, but strong field, the dark bay seized the early advantage from his rail draw and clocked a :22.47 opening quarter. The gelding was confronted by GSW Fore Left (**Twirling Candy**) rounding the bend with SW & GSP Strongconstitution (**Constitution**) ranging up to that one's outside. However, Law Abidin Citizen kept on finding to hit the wire a half-length in front. Strongconstitution filled the place spot with Fore Left in third and The Rule of King's (Rule) last of the quintet. The winner is a half to Feedback (**Violence**), GSW, \$151,480; and Sweet Swingin (**Street Sense**), GSP, \$118,370. Honest Answer is also the dam of an unraced sophomore colt named Studdly (Distorted Humor); an unraced juvenile filly named Law Abidin Annie (**Street Sense**); a yearling filly by **Gun Runner**; and a weanling colt by **Twirling Candy**. She was bred back to **Gift Box**. Honest Answer is a half-sister to Canadian champion Truth Of It All (Proud Truth) and MGSW I Ain't Bluffing (Pine Bluff). Sales

history: \$100,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: MGSW & GISP, 33-9-4-6, \$621,667. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

O-Dan J. Agnew, Gerry Schneider & John V. Xitco; B-Hill 'n' Dale Equine Holdings, Inc (KY); T-Mark Glatt.

 **HILL 'N' DALE** Bred, Raised and Sold 

6th-Golden Gate Fields, \$39,526, Alw (NW1\$X)/Opt. Clm (\$50,000), 12-11, 2yo, 5fT, :57.47, fm, nose.

LOVE'EM N LEAVE'EM (c, 2, Stanford--Sheza Firstsamurai, by First Samurai) wired his debut against fellow Cal-breds on the synthetic here Aug. 15 and was third after setting the pace next out on the local main track Sept. 24. Given a 3-1 chance in this switch to the grass, the bay broke alertly, but was overtaken by a pair of rivals and settled to track from third in the two path off a swift :21.42 first quarter. Keeping the leaders in his sights turning for home, he tugged his way past Highland Ghost (Shaman Ghost) late to win by a nose. The winner is the first foal out of Sheza Firstsamurai, who has since produced a Boisterous filly and Stanford colt, respectively. She was bred back to Stanford this term. Lifetime Record: 3-2-0-1, \$50,616. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

O/B-Tommy Town Thoroughbreds, LLC (CA); T-Jonathan Wong.



IN ORDER OF PURSE:

4th-Oaklawn, \$84,000, Msw, 12-11, 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.72, ft, neck.

EMPERADOR (g, 4, Curlin--Violent Beauty, by Gone West) was purchased for \$1 million at KEENOV and made his first three starts for Dell Ridge Farm, Doug Branham, International Equities Holdings and Hill 'n' Dale with trainer Chad Brown. A well-beaten third in his final start for Brown at Gulfstream in December of 2020, he was sent through the KEEJAN sale, bringing \$75,000 from these connections and sent to Rick Hiles. Second in a turf sprint in his debut for this barn at Ellis July 23, he was fourth in another sprint event at Kentucky Downs Sept. 6 and was fourth yet again in a main track sprint at Churchill Downs Sept. 25. Newly gelded, the 5-2 shot was away well from the outside post and contested the pace on the outside of a five-horse battle through a :22.44 opening quarter. Two rivals backed off, leaving Emperador a head in front of the two foes tussling to his inside. Go West ([Street Sense](#)) headed Emperador

in early stretch and those two pulled clear of the rest with Emperador forging clear late for a neck success. The winner is a half to Hill 'n' Dale stallion [Violence \(Medaglia d'Oro\)](#), GISW, \$623,000. Violent Beauty most recent produce is a 3-year-old filly named Sweet Carolena ([Candy Ride {Arg}](#)), who has one win from four starts this year. Sales history: \$1,000,000 Wlg '17 KEENOV; \$75,000 4yo '21 KEEJAN. Lifetime Record: 7-1-1-2, \$90,602. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

O-Sparks, R. Townsend and Atwill, Stephen; B-Dell Ridge Farm, LLC & Hill N Dale Equine Holdings, Inc (KY); T-Rick Hiles.

 Co-Bred & Sold by **HILL 'N' DALE** 

3rd-Aqueduct, \$80,000, Msw, 12-11, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:11.65, sy, 3 lengths.

MISCHIEVOUS DIANE (f, 2, Practical Joke--Lioness Lahr, by Lion Heart) reported home second best in her first two goes, including a head defeat as the chalk after leading in the stretch going seven furlongs in the mud here last time Nov. 12. Backed accordingly as the 2-5 chalk here, she set a pressured pace from her inside draw and broke free in the stretch to graduate by three lengths over Jacko's Day Out (Orb). The winner's dam had a filly by Ransom the Moon in 2020. This is the 22nd winner for her freshman sire (by Into Mischief). Sales history: \$67,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$78,000. [Click for the Equibase.com chart](#) or [VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.](#)

O-Perrine Time Thoroughbreds; B-Wynnstay LLC & Mark Toothaker (KY); T-Raymond Handal.

 **WYNNSTAY** way 

5th-Aqueduct, \$70,000, (S), Msw, 12-11, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:12.42, sy, 7 3/4 lengths.

LEELOO (f, 2, Practical Joke--Ribbon Cutter, by Elusive Quality) became the second winner on the program for her freshman sire (by Into Mischief) and 23rd overall with this romp over a rain-affected strip. Having gained valuable experience when a debut fifth over course and distance Nov. 21, the \$150,000 Keeneland January acquisition was off at 53-10 from 10-1 morning line and jumped straight into the bridle for Kendrick Carmouche. Trapped out a bit wide through the early exchanges Leeloo rolled up to pressure favored firster Celine the Queen ([Union Jackson](#)), claimed that one approaching the quarter pole and motored away to take it by a wide margin. Ribot's Valentine (Point of Entry), off at debut odds of 23-1, completed an exacta that returned 82-1. Leeloo, whose MGSW/MGISP third dam Runway Model (Petionville) is the dam of **'TDN Rising Star'** and Gainesway sire [McKinzie \(Street Sense\)](#), has yearling and weanling half-brothers by [Union Jackson](#) and his dam visited

that sire again this past breeding season. Sales history: \$150,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$38,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**
O-Kingsport Farm; B-Sequel Stallions NY & Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC (NY); T-David P Duggan.

5th-Turfway, \$62,000, Msw, 12-10, 2yo, f, 6f (AWT), 1:09.64, ft, 2 3/4 lengths.

BEAUTIFUL EMPIRE (f, 2, Classic Empire--Humor Me Colonel, by Colonel John) was well-bet, but was no factor behind next-out stakes winners Sweet Dani Girl (Jess's Dream) and Marissa Lady (Violence) in Churchill maidens Sept. 26 and Oct. 31 and was the 7-2 second choice transitioning to the Tapeta. Away in good order, the \$320,000 KEESEP acquisition was outsprinted by favored firster Storm Kiss (Quality Road) and chased that one from the outside around the turn. Gerardo Corrales looked to be trying to keep the chalk from getting out nearing the stretch and when Beautiful Empire came to her, she had no answer, as the latter scampered home a much-the-best winner. It was a further half-dozen lengths back to the debuting Q Bond (Jimmy Creed) in third. The 19th winner for her freshman sire (by Pioneer of the Nile), Beautiful Empire is out of a daughter of SP Halo Humor (Distorted Humor), whose Grade I-winning son Practical Joke (Into Mischief) is off to a fine start himself with his first crop of juveniles. Humor Me Colonel's yearling colt by American Pharoah was knocked down for \$350,000 at this year's KEESEP sale and she was most recently covered by the in-form Munnings. Sales history: \$320,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$44,338. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-John C Oxley; B-Springhouse Farm (KY); T-Mark E Casse.


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3rd-Turfway, \$59,100, Msw, 12-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 6f (AWT), 1:09.79, ft, 2 lengths.

LILAC GIRL (f, 3, Quality Road--Chat {SP}, by Dynaformer) was crushed into 1-2 favoritism at the tills on the strength of runner-up efforts in turf sprints at Belmont Park Sept. 16 and Oct. 17. Drawn one from the outside, the Strawbridge homebred tracked the pace from well off the rail in fourth and made ominous headway on the turn. Flushed four wide into the lane, but carrying all the momentum, Lilac Girl hit the lead in upper stretch and went on to prevail by a very comfortable two lengths. The stakes-placed Chat is a half-sister to Argue (Storm Cat), who produced SW Quality Response and SP Slimey to the cover of this stallion. Lilac Girl's third dam was MGSW & MGSP Words of War (Lord At War {Arg}), whose offspring included MGSW & MGISP E Dubai (Mr. Prospector) and No Matter What

(Nureyev), a \$425,000 KEESEP purchase by Strawbridge who later became the dam of Augustin's MG1SW champion Rainbow View (Dynaformer), GSW & MGISP Just As Well (A.P. Indy) and GSWs Utley (Smart Strike), Wissahickon (Tapit) and Winter View (Thunder Gulch). Chat, bought for \$200,000 off Stone Farm at KEESEP in 2011, is the dam of the dual winning 2-year-old gelding Speak Unity (Union Rags) and produced Uncle Mo fillies in 2020 and 2021. She visited Palace Malice for her most recent covering. Lifetime Record: 3-1-2-0, \$73,200. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Augustin Stable; B-George Strawbridge Jr (KY); T-Jonathan Thomas.

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5th-Los Alamitos, \$55,500, Msw, 12-11, 2yo, f, 6f, 1:09.16, ft, 3 lengths.

UNDER THE STARS (f, 2, Pioneer of the Nile--Untouched Talent {GSW & GISP, \$243,550}, by Storm Cat) just failed to overcome a tough trip when a close third on Santa Anita debut on Halloween and was dropping precipitously in class off a third to stablemate and recent GI Starlet S. victress Eda (Munnings) in the Desi Arnaz S. at Del Mar Nov. 13. Removing the blinkers she was equipped with last time, the half-sister to Bodemeister (Empire Maker), GISW, \$1,304,800; Himiko (American Pharoah), SP, \$177,277; and Fascinating (Smart Strike), MGISP, \$166,320, bounced well enough from the 12 hole and was forwardly placed as the Tabor-owned Comedic (Practical Joke) cut out the fractions. Forced to cover ground again on the turn, the 2-5 chalk rallied wide into the stretch, gathered in Comedic with a furlong to travel and pulled away to take it by three solid lengths. Miss Everything (Tiznow) was up late for second. Untouched Talent is the dam of a yearling and weanling colts by Justify and visited Uncle Mo this year. Lifetime Record: SP, 3-1-0-2, \$50,520. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Mrs John Magnier, Michael B Tabor & Derrick Smith; B-Eaton (KY); T-Bob Baffert.

4th-Gulfstream, \$53,000, Msw, 12-11, 2yo, 6f, 1:09.92, ft, 5 1/2 lengths.

DEAN'S LIST (c, 2, Speightstown--Mildly Offensive {MSW, \$285,826}, by Sharp Humor) drifted out from odds-on to be the 6-5 post-time second choice, but graduated with honors. Heavily favored before being overtaken late in the wagering by Positive Review (Unified), a big-figure second on his course-and-distance debut Oct. 16, Dean's List showed first from his outside gate and took the sit from second as fellow firster Felix (Cupid) showed the way at the inside through a swift opening quarter in :21.70.



Dean's List | Ryan Thompson

Traveling nicely in hand on the turn, Dean's List hit the front approaching the five-sixteenths pole, and although he refused to swap his leads, drew clear with every stride to take it by 5 1/2 lengths. Felix just held off a belated bid from 4-5 Positive Review to complete the exacta.

“We were hoping for a good performance,” winning trainer Todd Pletcher said. “He’d been breezing like a horse that would run well in his debut. He broke sharply and ran a professional race. They were rolling along but it looked like he was in hand, doing it comfortably, so we’re happy with everything.”

Pletcher, who also trained the winner's sire, added, “He reminds us a lot of **Speightstown**. He’s built like him and looks a lot like him. **Speightstown**’s had such a great career it’s fun to have one.”

The third winner from four to race out of his dual stakes-winning dam, Dean's List is out of a daughter of MGSW It's Personal (Personal Flag), herself the dam of MGSW It's No Joke (Distorted Humor) and SW Keep Laughing (Distorted Humor). The winner's dam is also represented by a **Carpe Diem** colt of 2020. Sales history: \$220,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKSEL. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$31,800. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-WinStar Farm LLC & Siena Farm LLC; B-WinStar Farm, LLC (KY); T-Todd A. Pletcher.

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9th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$25,000, Msw, 12-11, 2yo, f, 1mT, 1:38.57, fm, neck.

GEM MINE (f, 2, Kantharos--October Bride, by Bernardini), eighth at 29-1 in her debut sprinting over the Aqueduct lawn Nov. 11, was given a 4-1 chance with some added distance here. She sat a stalking trip on the inside in third, tipped out and into the clear three wide into the stretch and kicked home nicely to get there by a neck in a blanket photo over dead-heaters Adelle (Ire) (Ardad {Ire}) and Latin Nikkita (Itsmyluckyday). Progeny in the pipeline for the winner's dam--a half-sister to GISW Unbridled Command (Master Command)--include a **Classic Empire** colt of 2020 and a **Practical Joke** filly of this year. Sales history: \$75,000 Ylg '20 KESEEP. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$15,150. **Click for the Equibase.com chart or VIDEO, sponsored by TVG.**

O-Donald R. Todd; B-Steven & Brandi Nicholson (KY); T-Christophe Clement.

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Bal a Bali (Brz) (Put It Back), Calumet Farm, \$5,000
 98 foals of racing age/14 winners/1 black-type winner
 4-Gulfstream, 1:54 p.m. EST, Msw 5fT, Bali Baby, 6-1
 \$46,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Bird Song (Unbridled's Song), Saudi Arabia, private
 22 foals of racing age/4 winners/1 black-type winner
 9-Fair Grounds, 6:13 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Come On Birdie, 20-1
 \$2,500 ESL YRL yrl

Connect (Curlin), Lane's End Farm, \$15,000
 119 foals of racing age/24 winners/2 black-type winners
 6-Oaklawn, 3:51 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Deputy **Connect**, 8-1
 \$38,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$33,000 FTK OCT yrl
 4-Gulfstream, 1:54 p.m. EST, Msw 5fT, Perfect Provision, 7-2
 \$150,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$45,000 OBS APR 2yo

Danzing Candy (Twirling Candy), Rancho San Miguel, \$5,000
 74 foals of racing age/10 winners/0 black-type winners

11-Los Alamitos, 7:34 p.m. EST, \$100K King Glorious S., 1m, Moose Mitchell, 12-1

Gormley (Malibu Moon), Spendthrift Farm, \$5,000
119 foals of racing age/20 winners/1 black-type winner
9-Fair Grounds, 6:13 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Mardi Gras Gormley, 15-1

Hootenanny (Quality Road), Ward Ranch, private
14 foals of racing age/2 winners/1 black-type winner
9-Fair Grounds, 6:13 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, My Nanny's a Hoot, 15-1
\$5,000 ESL YRL yrl

Keen Ice (Curlin), Calumet Farm, \$12,500
137 foals of racing age/17 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Hawthorne, 3:55 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Alexis N Niko, 15-1
\$30,000 KEE NOV wnl; \$20,000 OBS APR 2yo

Mastery (Candy Ride {Arg}), Claiborne Farm, \$25,000
116 foals of racing age/11 winners/0 black-type winners
5-Hawthorne, 3:55 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Missouri Gent, 5-2
\$25,000 KEE SEP yrl

Neolithic (Harlan's Holiday), Pleasant Acres Stallions, \$5,000
31 foals of racing age/6 winners/2 black-type winners
6-Fair Grounds, 4:40 p.m. EST, Alw 5 1/2fT, Splenda Gail, 4-1
\$70,000 OBS OPN 2yo

Straight Fire (Dominus), Legacy Ranch, \$3,500
28 foals of racing age/9 winners/0 black-type winners
11-Los Alamitos, 7:34 p.m. EST, \$100K King Glorious S., 1m, Straight Up G, 2-1



SECOND-CROP STARTERS TO WATCH: SUNDAY, DEC. 12
2021 Stud Fees Listed

Frosted (Tapit), Darley, \$25,000
238 foals of racing age/68 winners/6 black-type winners
9-Fair Grounds, 6:13 p.m. EST, Msw 6f, Love Ran Red, 3-1
\$21,000 FTK OCT yrl



IN AUSTRALIA:

Lighthouse, f, 4, **Mizzen Mast**--More Hoping, by North Light (Ire). Flemington, 12-11, Hcp. (\$93k), 1400mT, 1:23.39.
B-David Chavez Jr (KY). *Three for three in Australia. **SW & GSP-US. ***\$375,000 2yo '19 OBSAPR.



STAKES RESULTS:

LOUISIANA CHAMPIONS DAY CLASSIC S., \$150,000, Fair Grounds, 12-11, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/8m, 1:51.00, ft.

1--**GRAND LUWEGEE, 120, h, 6, El Corredor--Magical Mia, by Gold Fever.** O/B/T-Gerard Perron (LA); J-Colby J. Hernandez. \$90,000. Lifetime Record: 30-8-6-4, \$491,150.

2--**Highland Creek, 118, g, 3, Broken Vow--Mizzenway, by Mizzen Mast.** (\$60,000 Ylg '19 ESLYRL). O-Allied Racing Stable, LLC; B-J. Adcock & Neal McFadden (LA); T-W. Bret Calhoun. \$30,000.

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3--**Pound for Pound, 124, h, 6, Redding Colliery--Buttercup's Song,** by Unbridled's Song. (\$5,000 Ylg '16 ESLYRL). O-Israel Flores Horses LLC; B-J. Adcock & B&B Bloodstock (LA); T-Andrea Ancil Ali. \$16,500.
Margins: 3, 1 1/4, 2 1/4. Odds: 3.00, 1.40, 1.80.

LOUISIANA CHAMPIONS DAY LADIES DISTAFF S., \$100,000, Fair Grounds, 12-11, (S), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:44.57, ft.

1--**FORT POLK, 120, m, 5, Behindatthebar--Military Miss (SP, \$162,116), by Military.** 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN. O-Save D. & Patricia L. Roe; B-Spanish Cross Stable, LLC (LA); T-Patrick Mouton; J-Jorge Guzman. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 30-7-4-8, \$226,650.

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2--**Winning Romance**, 121, f, 3, **First Samurai**--Lipstick Junky, by **Flatter**. O/B-Allied Racing Stable, LLC (LA); T-W. Bret Calhoun. \$20,000.

3--**Net a Bear**, 124, m, 5, Awesome Bet--Edacious Reality, by Eddington. O-Maximo Lamarche & Federico Deltoro; B-Lora Pitre & Elaine Carroll (LA); T-Allen Landry. \$11,000.

Margins: 2, 3, 4 3/4. Odds: 3.10, 1.30, 2.20.

FTBOA MARION COUNTY FLORIDA SIRE S., \$100,000, Tampa Bay Downs, 12-11, 3yo/up, c/g, 7f, 1:22.58, ft.

1--**SHIVAREE, 121, c, 4, Awesome of Course--Garter Belt (MSW, \$139,255), by Anasheed**. O/B-Jacks or Better Farm Inc. (FL); T-Ralph E. Nicks; J-Samy Camacho. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: GISP, 23-5-5-2, \$546,294. *Full to Twotwentyfive A, MSW, \$311,628; 1/2 to Garter and Tie (Brooks 'n Down), MSW, \$449,295.

2--**R Mercedes Boy**, 121, g, 5, Overdriven--Velvet Charm, by Montbrook. (\$45,000 2yo '18 OBSOPN). O-Averill Racing LLC, CCF Racing Stable, LLC, Jim Stackpoole & Silver Oak Stable LLC; B-Ocala Stud (FL); T-Georgina Baxter. \$20,000.



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3--**Well Defined**, 121, g, 5, With Distinction--Fru Fru, by **Medaglia d'Oro**. O-Kathleen O'Connell Racing Stable, Inc.; B-Stonehedge LLC (FL); T-Kathleen O'Connell. \$10,000.

Margins: HD, 1 1/4, HF. Odds: 1.20, 3.20, 2.60.

LOUISIANA CHAMPIONS DAY SPRINT S., \$100,000, Fair Grounds, 12-11, (S), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:09.91, ft.

1--**MONTE MAN, 118, g, 8, Custom for Carlos--Sarah's My Angel (SP), by Sutter's Prospect**. (\$55,000 Ylg '14 FTKJUL; \$125,000 2yo '15 OBSMAR). O-Ivery Sisters Racing; B-Val C. Murrell (LA); T-Ron Faucheux; J-Adam Beschizza. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 50-18-8-9, \$794,223. *1/2 to Grand Facile (Zuppardo's Prince), MSW, \$310,660.



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2--**Bertie's Galaxy**, 124, g, 5, Greeley's Galaxy--Wild Bertie, by Wild Rush. O-Allen Cassedy; B-Margie Averett (LA); T-Ron Faucheux. \$20,000.

3--**Sir Wellington**, 121, c, 3, Palace--Scarlet Hall, by Graeme Hall. (\$20,000 Ylg '19 KEEJAN; \$35,000 Ylg '19 OBSOCT; \$55,000 2yo '20 EASMA). O-Xtreme Racing Stables, LLC; B-BCS Thoroughbreds LLC (LA); T-Hugh H. Robertson. \$11,000.



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Margins: 3/4, 4HF, HD. Odds: 4.10, 3.50, 4.40.

LOUISIANA CHAMPIONS DAY TURF S., \$100,000, Fair Grounds, 12-11, (S), 3yo/up, 1 1/16mT, 1:45.93, fm.

1--**WHO TOOK THE MONEY, 116, g, 3, Street Boss--Speights' Colony, by Speightstown**. O/B-Allied Racing Stable, LLC (LA); T-W. Bret Calhoun; J-Deshawn L. Parker. \$60,000. Lifetime Record: 8-5-0-1, \$217,627.

2--**Budro Talking**, 118, g, 6, **Tale of Ekati**--American Placed, by Quiet American. (\$1,000 RNA Ylg '16 FTKOCT; \$20,000 2yo '17 TTAAPR). O-Michael McEachern; B-J. Adcock & Hume Wornall (LA); T-W. Bret Calhoun. \$20,000.

3--**Treys Midnite Moon**, 118, g, 6, Neko Bay--Peace Street, by Street Cry (Ire). O-Snake Racing LLC; B-David Thomas Rogers (LA); T-Corale A. Richards. \$11,000.

Margins: 5 3/4, 2, HF. Odds: 3.40, 13.40, 32.40.

JIM EDGAR ILLINOIS FUTURITY S., \$56,600, Hawthorne, 12-11, (S), 2yo, c/g, 6 1/2f, 1:18.21, ft.

1--**FAST JACK, 118, g, 2, Ghaaleb--Turtle Pie, by Wild Zone. 1ST BLACK TYPE WIN**. O-Charles W. Ritter; B-William Tippett (IL); T-Scott Becker; J-Victor Santiago. \$33,960. Lifetime Record: 3-2-1-0, \$58,860.

2--**Wildwood Sicilian**, 122, g, 2, Ghaaleb--Sicilian, by Storm Boot. **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Charles W. Ritter; B-William P. Stiritz (IL); T-Scott Becker. \$11,320.

3--**Dust Dancer**, 116, g, 2, **Outwork**--Le Sang Royale, by Henrythenavigator. (\$27,000 RNA Ylg '20 FTKFEB). **1ST BLACK TYPE**. O-Judy Bentler & William R. Martin; B-Dana Waier Thoroughbreds, LLC (IL); T-Don Bentler. \$6,226.

Margins: NK, 12HF, 11. Odds: 3.20, 0.20, 22.80.

ALLOWANCE RESULTS:

7th-Oaklawn, \$102,000, Opt. Clm (\$80,000), 12-11, 3yo/up, 1m, 1:37.46, ft, 3/4 length.

FACT FINDING (g, 7, The Factor--Sweet Belle {SW & GSP, \$307,649}, by Deputy Commander) Lifetime Record: SW, 24-9-3-0, \$454,783. O-Flying P Stable & James F. Schurman; B-Nursery Place & Partners (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro. *\$100,000 Ylg '15 KEESEP; 350,000gns 2yo '16 TATBRE; \$155,000 3yo '17 KEENOV.

10th-Oaklawn, \$100,000, 12-11, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 1 1/16m, 1:44.49, ft, 1/2 length.

LUCK OF THE DRAW (g, 5, Lookin At Lucky--Queen of War, by War Front) Lifetime Record: 30-7-4-7, \$267,795. O-Rick, Clayton & Lana Wiest & Gary Kropp; B-LA Bred Equine Enterprises (LA); T-Robertino Diodoro. *\$12,000 RNA Ylg '17 KEESEP; \$32,000 2yo '18 OBSAPR.

6th-Gulfstream, \$58,900, Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 12-11, 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:37.34, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

COREY (f, 3, First Samurai--Gospel Girl, by Holy Bull) Lifetime Record: 13-6-4-1, \$187,221. O-EKB Stables; B-Rustlewood Farm Inc (FL); T-Peter R Walder. *\$150,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. **1/2 to Happy Farm (**Ghostzapper**), GSW, \$577,838.

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2nd-Delta Downs, \$43,780, 12-11, (C), 3yo/up, f/m, 1m, 1:42.24, ft, 1/2 length.

JET SWEEP (f, 4, Daaher--Mist of Honour, by Honour and Glory) Lifetime Record: 23-4-1-4, \$133,400. O/T-Victor Arceneaux; B-Nathan Granger & Set-Hut LLC (LA). *\$9,000 Ylg '18 ESLYRL. **1/2 to One King's Man (K One King), SW, \$613,288; Misty Michelle (K One King), SW, \$115,889.

7th-Remington, \$41,650, (S), 12-10, (NW2L), 2yo, f, 6f, 1:14.45, ft, 3 3/4 lengths.

BECAUSE (f, 2, Den's Legacy--Because of Me, by Whywhywhy) Lifetime Record: 6-2-0-1, \$43,688. O-Bar VH Ranch; B/T-Victor L Hanson (OK).

6th-Delta Downs, \$40,000, (S), 12-11, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 5f, 1:00.48, ft, 1 length.

TRACK SMART (f, 3, Half Ours--Zippit Honey, by City Zip) Lifetime Record: 12-3-4-1, \$91,480. O-Garald W. Wollesen; B-Jack Dickerson & Buddy Formby (LA); T-Isai V. Gonzalez.

7th-Golden Gate Fields, \$39,340, 12-10, (NW1\$X), 3yo/up, 5 1/2f (AWT), 1:03.89, ft, 1 1/2 lengths.

(DH)--CLEM LABINE (g, 5, Grazen--Tribal Dress, by Tribal Rule) Lifetime Record: 28-9-9-2, \$262,623. O-John Tipton; B-Nick Alexander (CA); T-Isidro Tamayo.

(DH)--COOL MOUNTAIN LAD (g, 3, Unionize--Honeysuckle Rose, by Stormin Fever) Lifetime Record: 8-5-2-1, \$100,792. O-William Lordan, Timothy Francis O'Leary & Larry Powers; B-Francis O'Leary (CA); T-Victor M Trujillo.

8th-Golden Gate Fields, \$39,280, Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 12-10, 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m (AWT), 1:44.78, ft, neck.

SHERILINDA (f, 4, Circumference {Ire}--Rouge in Excess, by In Excess {Ire}) Lifetime Record: 22-5-3-2, \$113,478. O-Strohmaier Racing; B-Megan Stiehr (CA); T-Andy Mathis. *\$2,500 2yo '19 CTBAJA.

8th-Delta Downs, \$36,000, 12-11, (NW2L), 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:21, ft, 3/4 length.

SIMPLY WICKED (c, 2, Wicked Strong--Simply Sensational, by Colonel John) Lifetime Record: SP, 7-2-2-0, \$67,160. O-Richard L

Davis; B-Connie Brown (KY); T-Robertino Diodoro. *\$8,000 Ylg '20 KEEJAN; \$15,000 2yo '21 TTAAPR.

8th-Remington, \$34,000, 12-10, (NW1X), 3yo/up, f/m, 1 1/16m, 1:47.53, ft, 8 lengths.

LAVENDER (IRE) (m, 5, Born To Sea {Ire}--Goldthroat {Ire}, by Zafonic) Lifetime Record: 24-4-4-5, \$150,552. O-George A Sharp; B-Mrs S M Rogers & Sir Thomas Pilkington (IRE); T-Shawn H Davis. *€40,000 Ylg '17 TIRSEP; 70,000gns 2yo '18 TATMA. **1/2 to Zafisio (Ire) (Efisio {GB}), G1SW-Fr, GSW-Ger, SW-Eng, GSP-Ire, \$475,117.

6th-Penn National, \$32,368, Opt. Clm (\$25,000), 12-10, 3yo/up, 1m 70y, 1:42.33, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

COPPERHEAD CREEK (g, 4, Golddigger's Boy--Precious Lilly, by Turnofthecentury) Lifetime Record: 18-4-3-5, \$112,272. O-Baywood Farm; B-Luana J Johnson (PA); T-Flint W Stites.

7th-Charles Town, \$31,900, (S), 12-10, (NW3L), 2yo, 6 1/2f, 1:21.23, ft, 1 3/4 lengths.

AMIDSHIPS (g, 2, Midshipman--Jugni, by Colonel John) Lifetime Record: SP, 5-2-2-0, \$60,412. O/B-Coleswood Farm Inc (WV); T-Jeff C Runco.

6th-Mahoning Valley, \$31,300, (S), 12-11, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 1m, 1:43.00, sy, 7 lengths.

NAMBITI (g, 4, Kettle Corn--Colorful Image, by Ready's Image) Lifetime Record: 17-3-2-1, \$59,157. O-Maria A. Mitchell; B-Joseph Anthony Pickerrell (OH); T-Robert C. Cline.



7th-Penn National, \$29,120, 12-10, (NW1X), 3yo/up, 6f, 1:11.45, ft, neck.

FLANK SPEED (g, 4, Midshipman--Leva Mae {MSW, \$134,601}, by Emancipator) Lifetime Record: 20-2-3-3, \$95,670. O/B/T-Susan S Cooney (MD).

7th-Hawthorne, \$27,000, 12-11, 3yo/up, 5 1/2f, 1:04.71, ft, 3/4 length.

AGGRESSIVITY (g, 6, Dialed In--Delta Holiday, by Harlan's Holiday) Lifetime Record: 32-6-7-4, \$208,828. O-Jeffrey S. Sullivan; B-Spruce Lane Farm & Lynn Farm (KY); T-Dee Poulos. *\$30,000 Wlg '15 KEENOV; \$130,000 Ylg '16 KEESEP.





5th-Tampa Bay Downs, \$25,500, (NW1X)/Opt. Clm (\$16,000), 12-11, 3yo/up, 1m 40y, 1:40.96, ft, 2 1/2 lengths.

MYSTIC LINK (g, 5, Data Link--Mystic Rhyme, by Lemon Drop Kid) Lifetime Record: 35-8-6-7, \$152,733. O-Kelly's Racing LLC; B-Nicholas Drion & Francois Drion (KY); T-Jon G. Arnett. *\$23,000 Wlg '16 KEENOV.

THINK INDIAN CREEK

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Stormy Samurai, c, 2, First Samurai--Free Rein, by Street Cry (Ire). Golden Gate Fields, 12-11, 6f (AWT), 1:10.31. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$18,600. B-T/C Stable, LLC (KY). *\$11,000 Ylg '20 KEESEP.

K. C. Chief, c, 2, Noble Bird--Ashley River (SW, \$166,017), by Deputy Wild Cat. Gulfstream, 12-11, (C), 1 1/16mT, 1:44.86. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-2, \$34,250. B-J D Farms (FL). *Ninth winner for freshman sire (by Birdstone).

One Ten Stadium, g, 2, Race Day--Trip Mom, by El Corredor. Oaklawn, 12-11, (S), 6f, 1:12.81. Lifetime Record: 2-1-1-0, \$56,949. B-William S. Sparks (AR).

Avenging Warrior, c, 2, Street Sense--La Belle, by Dixie Union. Remington, 12-10, (S), 7f, 1:29.35. Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$24,130. B-Forrest Hills Farm LLC (OK). *\$70,000 RNA Ylg '20 KEESEP. **1/2 to She's Offlee Good (Offlee Wild), SW & GSP, \$128,269.

Assignment, f, 3, Bernardini--Tryst, by Candy Ride (Arg). Golden Gate Fields, 12-11, 1 1/16mT, 1:45.04. Lifetime Record: 11-1-2-1, \$49,160. B-Bass Stables, LLC (KY). *\$70,000 2yo '20 OBSAPR.

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Namesake, c, 3, Bernardini--Funny Proposition (GSW, \$230,295), by Medaglia d'Oro. Oaklawn, 12-11, (C), 1m, 1:39.22. Lifetime Record: 3-1-0-0, \$22,060. B-John C. Oxley (KY). *\$190,000 Ylg '19 KEESEP. **1/2 to Distinctlypossible (Curlin), GISP, \$100,000.

Cool Comedian, c, 3, Distorted Humor--Slews Golden Rule, by Langfuhr. Penn National, 12-10, 1 1/16m, 1:46.81. Lifetime Record: 6-1-2-0, \$41,234. B-Blackstone Farm LLC (PA). *\$110,000 RNA Ylg '19 FTKJUL. **1/2 to Ledecta (Tiznow), SW, \$121,320.

Broken and Trained by Randy Bradshaw

Long Legs Louise, f, 3, Limehouse--Blooming Senita, by Wild Desert. Charles Town, 12-10, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:22.46. Lifetime Record: 10-1-0-0, \$23,175. B-William R Lewis Jr & Louie Rogers Thoroughbreds LLC (WV).

Mobil Chic, f, 3, Mobil--Chic Cat (SP, \$166,190), by Tiger Ridge. Mahoning Valley, 12-11, (S), 1m, 1:41.89. Lifetime Record: 4-1-1-1, \$32,280. B-Mapleton Thoroughbred Farm (OH). *1/2 to Grizabella (Lunarpal), SW, \$506,727. **SP.

Miss Charlie Gras, f, 3, My Pal Charlie--Miss Dealbreaker, by Lydgate. Delta Downs, 12-11, (S), 6 1/2f, 1:22.36. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$22,800. B-Pam Stephenson (LA). *1ST-TIME STARTER.

Jura, g, 3, Twirling Candy--Hearitforthegirls, by In Excess (Ire). Tampa Bay Downs, 12-11, 5fT, :56.35. Lifetime Record: 4-1-2-1, \$40,400. B-Mooncoin LLC (KY).

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Adios Charlie, R Adios Jersey, f, 3, o/o Marion Theatre, by Montbrook. FTBOA City of Ocala Florida Sire S., 12-11, Tampa Bay

Awesome of Course, Shivaree, c, 4, o/o Garter Belt, by Anasheed. FTBOA Marion County Florida Sire S., 12-11, Tampa Bay

Behindatthebar, Fort Polk, m, 5, o/o Military Miss, by Military. Louisiana Champions Day Ladies Distaff S., 12-11, Fair Grounds
Bernardini, Assignment, f, 3, o/o Tryst, by Candy Ride (Arg). MSW, 12-11, Golden Gate

Bernardini, Namesake, c, 3, o/o Funny Proposition, by Medaglia d'Oro. MCL, 12-11, Oaklawn

Blame, Officiating, c, 3, o/o Come a Callin, by Dixie Union. Gill Mr. Prospector S., 12-11, Gulfstream

Born To Sea (Ire), Lavender (Ire), m, 5, o/o Goldthroat (Ire), by Zafonic. ALW, 12-10, Remington

Circumference (Ire), Sherilinda, f, 4, o/o Rouge in Excess, by In Excess (Ire). AOC, 12-10, Golden Gate

Classic Empire, Beautiful Empire, f, 2, o/o Humor Me Colonel, by Colonel John. MSW, 12-10, Turfway

Constitution, Glass Ceiling, f, 4, o/o Fighter Wing, by Empire Maker. Garland of Roses S., 12-11, Aqueduct

Curlin, Emperador, g, 4, o/o Violent Beauty, by Gone West. MSW, 12-11, Oaklawn

Custom for Carlos, Monte Man, g, 8, o/o Sarah's My Angel, by

Sutter's Prospect. Louisiana Champions Day Sprint S., 12-11, Fair Grounds

Daaher, Jet Sweep, f, 4, o/o Mist of Honour, by Honour and Glory. ALW, 12-11, Delta Downs

Data Link, Mystic Link, g, 5, o/o Mystic Rhyme, by Lemon Drop Kid. AOC, 12-11, Tampa Bay

Den's Legacy, Because, f, 2, o/o Because of Me, by Whywhywhy. ALW, 12-10, Remington

Dialed In, Aggressivity, g, 6, o/o Delta Holiday, by Harlan's Holiday. ALW, 12-11, Hawthorne

El Corredor, Grand Luwegee, h, 6, o/o Magical Mia, by Gold Fever. Louisiana Champions Day Classic S., 12-11, Fair Grounds

Empire Maker, Empress Eleanor, f, 4, o/o Half A. P., by Pulpit. ALW, 12-10, Turfway

First Samurai, Corey, f, 3, o/o Gospel Girl, by Holy Bull. AOC, 12-11, Gulfstream

First Samurai, Stormy Samurai, c, 2, o/o Free Rein, by Street Cry (Ire). MSW, 12-11, Golden Gate

Ghaaleb, Fast Jack, g, 2, o/o Turtle Pie, by Wild Zone. Jim Edgar Illinois Futurity S., 12-11, Hawthorne

Golddigger's Boy, Copperhead Creek, g, 4, o/o Precious Lilly, by Turnofthecentury. AOC, 12-10, Penn National

Half Ours, Track Smart, f, 3, o/o Zippit Honey, by City Zip. ALW, 12-11, Delta Downs

Honor Code, Essential Wager, c, 3, o/o Mr Hall's Opus, by Officer. AOC, 12-11, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

Into Mischief, Doppelganger, c, 2, o/o Twice the Lady, by Quiet American. MSW, 12-11, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

Iron Fist, Buckley Bunny, f, 2, o/o Slamming, by Grand Slam. Louisiana Champions Day Lassie S., 12-11, Fair Grounds

Kantharos, Gem Mine, f, 2, o/o October Bride, by **Bernardini**. MSW, 12-11, Tampa Bay

Kettle Corn, Nambiti, g, 4, o/o Colorful Image, by Ready's Image. ALW, 12-11, Mahoning Valley

Laoban, Breakfastatbonnies, f, 3, o/o Right Prevails, by Successful Appeal. AOC, 12-11, Aqueduct

Limehouse, Long Legs Louise, f, 3, o/o Blooming Senita, by Wild Desert. MSW, 12-10, Charles Town

Lookin At Lucky, Luck of the Draw, g, 5, o/o Queen of War, by **War Front**. ALW, 12-11, Oaklawn

Malibu Moon, Last Samurai, c, 3, o/o Lady Samuri, by **First Samurai**. Poinsettia S., 12-11, Oaklawn

Midshipman, Amidships, g, 2, o/o Jugni, by Colonel John. ALW, 12-10, Charles Town

Midshipman, Flank Speed, g, 4, o/o Leva Mae, by Emancipator. ALW, 12-10, Penn National

Mobil, Mobil Chic, f, 3, o/o Chic Cat, by Tiger Ridge. MSW, 12-11, Mahoning Valley

More Than Ready, Emmanuel, c, 2, o/o Hard Cloth, by **Hard Spun**. MSW, 12-11, Gulfstream

My Pal Charlie, Miss Charlie Gras, f, 3, o/o Miss Dealbreaker, by Lydgate. MSW, 12-11, Delta Downs

Noble Bird, K. C. Chief, c, 2, o/o Ashley River, by Deputy Wild Cat. MOC, 12-11, Gulfstream

Nyquist, Slow Down Andy, c, 2, o/o Edwina E, by Square Eddie. GII Los Alamitos Futurity, 12-11, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

Pioneerof the Nile, Under the Stars, f, 2, o/o Untouched Talent, by Storm Cat. MSW, 12-11, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

Practical Joke, Leeloo, f, 2, o/o Ribbon Cutter, by Elusive Quality. MSW, 12-11, Aqueduct

Practical Joke, Mischievous Diane, f, 2, o/o Lioness Lahr, by Lion Heart. MSW, 12-11, Aqueduct

Race Day, One Ten Stadium, g, 2, o/o Trip Mom, by El Corredor. MSW, 12-11, Oaklawn

Race Day, Substantial, c, 4, o/o Miss Euphoria, by Aragorn (Ire). STR, 12-11, Oaklawn

Red Rocks (Ire), Rocket Hotshot, c, 3, o/o Primp, by **Bernardini**. MSW, 12-11, Hawthorne

Shackleford, Big Chopper, c, 2, o/o Miss Well Molded, by Unusual Heat. MSW, 12-11, Fair Grounds

Speightstown, Dean's List, c, 2, o/o Mildly Offensive, by Sharp Humor. MSW, 12-11, Gulfstream

Stanford, Love'em N Leave'em, c, 2, o/o Sheza Firstsamurai, by **First Samurai**. AOC, 12-11, Golden Gate

Star Guitar, Ova Charged, f, 3, o/o Charged Cotton, by Dehere. Louisiana Champions Day Ladies Sprint S., 12-11, Fair Grounds

Street Boss, Who Took the Money, g, 3, o/o Speights' Colony, by **Speightstown**. Louisiana Champions Day Turf S., 12-11, Fair Grounds

Street Sense, Avenging Warrior, c, 2, o/o La Belle, by Dixie Union. MSW, 12-10, Remington

Super Saver, Twelfth Man, g, 4, o/o **Include Me Out**, by **Include**. STR, 12-11, Aqueduct

The Factor, Fact Finding, g, 7, o/o Sweet Belle, by Deputy Commander. AOC, 12-11, Oaklawn

Twirling Candy, Jura, g, 3, o/o Hearitforthegirls, by In Excess (Ire). MSW, 12-11, Tampa Bay

Twirling Candy, Law Abidin Citizen, g, 7, o/o Honest Answer, by **Tale of the Cat**. ALW, 12-11, Los Alamitos Thoroughbred

Unified, Unified Report, c, 2, o/o Closing Report, by Closing Argument. Louisiana Champions Day Juvenile S., 12-11, Fair Grounds

Wicked Strong, Simply Wicked, c, 2, o/o Simply Sensational, by Colonel John. ALW, 12-11, Delta Downs



DERBY WINNER AIMING FOR NEW WORLD RECORD



Ruler Of The World | Coolmore

By Emma Berry

An awful lot has changed in the world of Italian breeding since Nearco (Ity) was bred in 1935 by the legendary Federico Tesio. The Pharos (GB) colt's faultless 14-race career, which included victories in the Derby Italiano and Grand Prix de Paris, led to his sale, on the cusp of World War II, to stand in England at Beech House Stud, where a bomb shelter was constructed to ensure his safety.

It proved to be a precaution worth taking. As the sire of Nearctic and grandsire of Northern Dancer, Nearco's influence on the breed has been profound, even while the Thoroughbred heritage of his home country has sadly dwindled during that time. His breeder famously uttered the words to which fans of the world's most famous Classic cling in what sometimes feels like vain hope that its own significance will endure.

"The Thoroughbred exists because its selection has depended, not on experts, technicians or zoologists, but on a piece of wood: the winning post of the Epsom Derby," decried Tesio. He would then perhaps have appreciated the fact that Nearco's fifth-generation male-line descendant, the 2013 Derby winner **Ruler Of The World (Ire)** (Galileo {Ire}), has recently arrived in Tuscany to continue his stud career at the Cipriani family's Allevamenti della Berardenga, also known as Scuderia Andy Cap.

The beautifully bred son of the Kingmambo mare Love Me True counts Duke of Marmalade (Ire) (Danehill) among his four black-type siblings, and sired the four-time Group/Grade 1 winner Iridessa (Ire) in his first crop. His 3-year-old daughter La Petite Coco (Ire) has also been something of a revelation this season, winning four of her six starts, including the G2 Blandford S. and G3 Give Thanks S. If recent activity at the farm near Siena is anything to go by, Ruler Of The World may find himself pretty busy during the early part of 2022. He replaces his fellow Classic winner and son of Galileo, Magician (Ire), who set a new Italian record when covering 134 mares at the farm last year before returning to Ireland to stand at Meelin Stud.

Bloodstock agent Marco Bozzi will be managing the stallion along with his partners Guido Berardelli and Mattia Cadrobbi, all of whom were also involved with Magician. Cadrobbi was named president of the Association of Italian Breeders (ANAC) in March but is stepping down from that role following Saturday's election, though he remains on the board.

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Marco Bozzi | Laura Green/Tattersalls

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VALUE SIRES FOR 2022, PART 3: FIRST YEARLINGS

Chris McGrath takes a closer look at the roster of value sires with first yearlings in 2022. [Click or tap here to go straight to TDN America.](#)

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Rome-based Bozzi and Berardelli have been in partnership for 28 years and set up the Italian Thoroughbred and Trotting Sales (ITS) which has recently ended its collaboration with fellow Italian sales company SGA.

Explaining the background to Ruler Of The World's transfer to Italy, Bozzi says, "In the past we have stood College Chapel (GB), Deportivo (GB), King Charlemagne (Ire), and then we had a gap for a long time.

Coolmore wanted to relocate Requito (Ire) so we took him, and he went very well. After Requito was relocated to Saudi Arabia we had the opportunity to have Magician last year and he was very popular."

He continues, "Magician was then requested to go back to Ireland and we needed some more horses. I have a good relationship with Haras de Bouquetot, and Benoit [Jeffroy] offered me Ruler Of The World. This is very good for Italy to have a Derby winner, and the sire of a Group 1 winner. He's a magnificent-looking horse with a wonderful pedigree and we have already had a lot of interest in nominations. La Petite Coco beat Love last time out and is staying in training."

Ruler Of The World is not the only new arrival at Allevamenti della Berardenga for the 2022 season, as he will be joined later this week by Cappella Sansevero (GB) (Showcasing {GB}), who moves to Italy after six seasons in Ireland under Micheal Orlandi's Compas Stallions banner.

"Ruler Of The World is a stayer and we needed something with a bit of speed," said Bozzi. "I didn't know Micheal Orlandi but he is of Italian origin and he offered us Cappella Sansevero, who has 70 foals this year. I think we can get him at least 50 or 60 mares. He's by Showcasing and is an outcross."

Magician's book of mares in 2021 was not far off 25% of the entire broodmare population in Italy, which has dropped from around 1,700 only a decade ago. The stallion ranks have however also been boosted this year with the arrival of the Shadwell duo of Markaz (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) and Adaay (Ire) (Kodiac {GB}).

Siena is better known for another form of horse racing as the historic home of the Palio, and for those sending their mares to the farm run by Melissa Cipriani, there are some unusual incentives.



Ruler Of The World arriving at Allevamenti della Berardenga

Located less than an hour from Florence and under two hours from Pisa and Rome, that stunning area of Tuscany is home not just to a number of breeders but also some star names.

Bozzi says, "There are lovely old villas and vineyards surrounding the stud. Sting and Leonard DiCaprio have villas nearby and it's a beautiful area. Some of the Palio jockeys are clients of mine and they have mares."

He adds, "Many breeders bring their mares and then spend a long weekend locally. Siena never gets too cold--it has a micro-climate which is perfect for the mares. It's an area that includes a lot of breeders and that's why it is a great place to stand a stallion."

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FIRST-SEASON SIRES WITH RUNNERS

Sunday, December 12, 2021

FRANCE:

Almanzor (Fr) (**Wootton Bassett {GB}**), Haras d'Etreham
106 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
4-DEAUVILLE, 1500m,
£67,000 RNA Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2020

Churchill (Ire) (Galileo {Ire}), Coolmore Stud
146 foals of racing age/25 winners/3 black-type winners
2-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, Southwest Harbor (Ire)
£100,000 RNA Goffs Orby Yearling Sale 2020

De Treville (GB) (**Oasis Dream {GB}**), Haras du Mezerey
21 foals of racing age/3 winners/0 black-type winners
2-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, Gregarina (Fr)

Recorder (GB) (Galileo {Ire}), Haras de Montfort & Preaux
112 foals of racing age/8 winners/0 black-type winners
4-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, King Archie (Fr)

Ultra (Ire) (Manduro {Ger}), Haras du Logis
52 foals of racing age/4 winners/0 black-type winners
4-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, Family Smile (Ire)



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84 foals of racing age/18 winners/2 black-type winners
 4-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, Lexington Gold (Fr)

Zelzal (Fr) (Sea The Stars {Ire}), Haras de Bouquetot

57 foals of racing age/10 winners/1 black-type winner
 2-DEAUVILLE, 1500m, Zelia (Fr)

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BRITAIN

Saturday's Results:

5th-Newcastle, £7,000, Nov, 12-11, 2yo, 8f 5y (AWT), 1:41.13, st
FRANZ STRAUSS (GB) (c, 2, Golden Horn {GB}--Favulusa {GB} {SW-Ity}, by Dansili {GB}) settled off the tempo in sixth through the early fractions of this debut. Making smooth headway on the bridle when angled out for a clear passage three furlongs out, the 6-5 pick hooked up with Nolton Cross (Ire) (Dark Angel {Ire}) passing the two pole and kept on strongly late to deny that rival by a half length. Franz Strauss, full-brother to a weanling filly, is the third of four foals and second scorer produced by a stakes-winning half-sister to four black-type performers headed by G2 Oaks d'Italia heroine Folega (GB) (**Oasis Dream {GB}**) and last month's G3 Premio Carlo e Francesco Aloisi victor Agiato (GB) (**Bated Breath {GB}**). The March-foaled dark bay's G3 Premio Mario Incisa della Rocchetta-winning second dam Rosa Del Dubai (Ire) (Dubai Destination) is a daughter of G1 Oaks d'Italia runner-up Rosa di Brema (Ity) (Lomitas {GB}). Sales history: 80,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA. Lifetime Record: 1-1-0-0, \$5,015. **Video, sponsored by TVG.**

1ST-TIME STARTER. O-Godolphin; B-Razza Del Sole Societa Agricola SRL (GB); T-John & Thady Gosden.

5th-Wolverhampton, £6,500, Nov, 12-11, 2yo, 8f 142y (AWT), 1:49.26, st.

FALLING SHADOW (IRE) (c, 2, Invincible Spirit {Ire}--Belonging {GB} {SP-Fr}, by Raven's Pass), who registered a Nov. 29 eighth going seven furlongs at Kempton in his only prior start, tracked the leaders in a midfield fifth after the early skirmishes of this one. Tanking forward from halfway, the 3-1 joint chalk seized control approaching the final eighth and was pushed clear in the closing stages to assert by 2 1/4 lengths from Quick Change (GB) (New Approach {Ire}). Falling Shadow is the latest of four live foals and second scorer produced by Listed Prix Melisande second Belonging (GB) (Raven's Pass), herself kin to three black-type performers headed by GSW G1 Grand Prix de Paris runner-up Desideratum (GB) (Darshaan {GB}) and stakes-winning G2 Grand Prix de Deauville runner-up Poet Laureate (GB) (Highest Honor {Fr}). **Cont. p4**

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TWO ILLICIT GRABS GROUP 1

Two Illicit (NZ) annexes the G1 Rydges Wellington Captain Cook S. at Te Rapa Saturday. [Click or tap here to go straight to TDN Aus/NZ.](#)

Wolverhampton 5 cont.

The March-foaled bay's second dam Desired (GB) (Rainbow Quest) is an unraced half-sister to G1 Racing Post Trophy-winning sire Medaaly (GB) (Highest Honor {Fr}) and MG1SP sire Charnwood Forest (Ire) (Warning {GB}). Lifetime Record: 2-1-0-0, \$4,656. **Video, sponsored by TVG.** O/B-Godolphin (IRE); T-Charlie Appleby.

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

2nd-Newcastle, £20,000, Cond, 12-11, 3yo/up, 16f 56y (AWT), 3:31.13, st.

NICHOLAS T (GB) (g, 9, Rail Link {GB}--Thorntoun Piccolo {GB}, by Groom Dancer) Lifetime Record: 74-12-10-7, \$339,891. O-James Callow & Jim Goldie; B-W M Johnstone (GB); T-Jim Goldie. *20,000gns RNA HRA '17 TATAHI.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Sweet Glance (GB), f, 2, Ardad (Ire)--Brown Eyed Honey (GB), by Elusive City. Wolverhampton, 12-11, 5f 21y (AWT), 1:02.70. B-The Brown Eyed Honey Partnership (GB). *23rd winner for freshman sire (by Kodiak {GB}). **1,000gns Wlg '19 TATFOA.

Trois Vallees (GB), f, 2, New Bay (GB)--Bellwether (GB), by Three Valleys. Newcastle, 12-11, 6f (AWT), 1:13.07. B-Rosemont Stud (GB). *42,000gns Ylg '20 TAOCT.

Khilwafy (GB), g, 5, Mukhadram (GB)--Almass (Ire) (MSW-Ire, \$353,046), by Elnadim. Southwell, 12-10, 11f 23y (AWT), 2:27.28. B-Shadwell Estate Company Ltd (GB). *£6,000 3yo '19 GOFSP.

FRANCE

Saturday's Results:

PRIX LUTHIER-Listed, €52,000, Deauville, 12-11, 3yo/up, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:26.10, st.

1--**AMILCAR (IRE), 125, h, 5, Wootton Bassett (GB)--Drosia (Ire) (SW-Fr), by King's Best.** (€8,000 RNA Wlg '16 ARQDEC; €32,000 RNA Ylg '17 AROCT). O/B-Emadadein Alhtoushi (IRE); T-Alessandro & Giuseppe Botti; J-Andrea Atzeni. €26,000. Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 10-5-2-2, €140,140.

2--**Midlife Crisis (Fr), 125, c, 3, Wootton Bassett (GB)--The Hunt Is On (Aus), by Manhattan Rain (Aus).** (€120,000 Ylg '19 ARAUG). O-3S Race Horse Management AG; B-Haras d'Etream, Meridian International SARL, Cofinvest & Benoit Chalmel (FR); T-Hiroo Shimizu. €10,400.

3--**Rock Blanc (Fr), 125, g, 4, Youmzain (Ire)--Rock Harmonie (Fr), by Rock of Gibraltar (Ire).** O-Mme Micheline Leurson & Mme Christiane Head; B-Mme Micheline Leurson (FR);

T-Romain Le Dren Doleuze. €7,800.

Margins: 3/4, 3, SNK. Odds: 6.60, 7.70, 2.30.

Also Ran: Impulsif (GB), Manjeer (Ire), Reshabar (Fr), Hot Spot (Ire), Azano (GB), Maria Amalia (GB), Intuitive (Ire), Lottie Marie (GB). **Click for the Racing Post result. Video, sponsored by TVG.**

Amilcar, winner of the 2018 Listed Prix Herod and third in the following season's G3 Prix Djebel, lined up for this third black-type start coming back off a May 2 ParisLongchamp handicap score and a Nov. 17 conditions third over this strip last time. Picking off rivals from an early midfield berth to go third turning for home, he made eye-catching headway on the bridle in the straight and had set sail once pouncing for control approaching the eighth pole to double his stakes haul in style by comfortably holding the late rally of 'TDN Rising Star' Midlife Crisis.

Amilcar is the eighth of nine foals and lone stakes performer from five winners produced by Listed Prix de la Cochere victrix Drosia (Ire) (King's Best), herself the leading representative for Listed Prix Joubert runner-up Eriza (GB) (Distant Relative {Ire}). Descendants of his third dam Epure (GB) (Bellypha {Ire}), herself kin to G1 Prix d'Ispahan-winning sire Al Nasr (Fr) (Lyphard) and MG1SP sire Kingsalsa (Kingmambo), also include G3 Prix du Petit Couvert runner-up and G1 Prix de l'Abbaye third Mar Adentro (Fr) (Marju {Ire}) and G3 Leopardstown 2000 Guineas Trial winner Yasodd (GB) (Inchiner {GB}).

CONDITIONS RESULTS:

7th-Deauville, €22,000, Cond, 12-11, 4yo/up, 9 1/2f (AWT), 1:58.16, st.

AVIATEUR (FR) (h, 6, Intense Focus--Attachante {Ire}, by Teofilo {Ire}) Lifetime Record: GSW-Ger, 21-5-2-1, €104,200. O-German Racing Club; B-Jean-Charles Coude (FR); T-Jean-Pierre Carvalho. *€22,000 RNA Ylg '16 ARAUG.

5th-Deauville, €20,000, Cond, 12-11, 4yo/up, 6 1/2f (AWT), 1:18.47, st.

GAMGOOM (GB) (g, 10, Exceed and Excel {Aus}--Danidh Dubai {Ire} {GSP-Eng}, by Noverre) Lifetime Record: SW-Ity & SP-Eng, 79-25-8-7, €268,755. O-Guido-Werner-Hermann Schmitt; B-Rabbah Bloodstock Ltd (GB); T-Mario Hofer. *€5,000 HRA '14 BBAGM. **1/2 to Impulsion (Ire) (Footstepsinthesand {GB}), SP-Eng; and Nabhan (GB) (Youmzain {Ire}), SP-Ger.

9th-Deauville, €18,000, Cond, 12-11, 4yo/up, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:26.66, st.

ROC ANGEL (FR) (g, 7, Rock of Gibraltar {Ire}--Forewarned {Ire}, by Grand Lodge) Lifetime Record: GSP-Fr, 45-9-7-9, €274,823. O-Antoine Gilibert; B-Deln Ltd & Howard Kaskel (FR); T-Fabrice Chappet. *€45,000 Ylg '15 AROCT.

ADDITIONAL MAIDEN WINNERS:

Kanifushi (GB), c, 2, **Elvstroem (Aus)**--Tejaara, by Kingmambo. Deauville, 12-11, 7 1/2f (AWT), 1:29.37. B-Mme Yvette Pantall & Henri-Alex Pantall (GB). *1/2 to Rangali (GB) (Namid {GB}), Hwt. 3yo-Fr at 5-7f, GSW & MG1SP-Fr, \$454,823; and Dhevanafushi (GB) (Kendargent {Fr}), MSP-Fr, \$267,926.

Simply Southern (Fr), c, 2, **Shalaa (Ire)**--Reech Band (GB) (MSP-Fr), by Choisir (Aus). Pau, 12-11, 8f (AWT), 1:34.90. B-Patrick de Watrigant (FR). *1/2 to Simply Striking (Fr) (Kheylef), MSP-Fr, \$220,371; and Ghazawaat (Fr) (Siyouni {Fr}), SP-Fr.

Twilight (Fr), f, 2, **Toronado (Ire)**--Texalila (Fr), by Sunday Break (Jpn). Pau, 12-11, 8f (AWT), 1:35.50. B-SCEA des Prairies & Mme Sylviane Jeffroy (FR). *€25,000 RNA Ylg '20 AROCT.

Mysak Miky (Fr), c, 3, **Elvstroem (Aus)**--Lovemedo (Fr) (SP-Fr), by Zafeen (Fr). Deauville, 12-11, 12 1/2f (AWT), 2:39.17. B-Haras de Saint Julien & Mme Regula Vannod (FR). *€42,000 Ylg '19 OSASEP.

ITALY

Saturday, Naples, Italy

PREMIO U.N.I.R.E (Listed), €38,000, Naples, 12-11, 3yo/up, 2,250m, n/a, vs.

1--**BRIGANTE SABINO (IRE)**, 125, c, 3, **Zoffany (Ire)**--**Natural Bloom (Ire)**, by **Galileo (Ire)**. (€37,000 wnlg '18 GOFNOV; €40,000 yrl '19 GOF OCT). O-Mario Sansoni; B-Sir Robert Ogden; T-A Botti; J-Dario Vargiu; €14,875. Lifetime Record: 10-5-0-0, €71,505.

2--**Unique Diamond**, 123, h, 6, **English Channel**--Diamond Dilemma (Ire), by Sinndar (Ire). (\$1,500 yrl '16 FTKOCT). O-Soc Al M.S. Srl Di Salvioni M. Rita; B-Calumet Farm. €6,545.

 Purchased by Ital-Cal Horse Management, Inc. 

3--**Zanfogna (Ire)**, 118, f, 3, **Footstepsinthesand (GB)**--Viadeigiardini (GB), by Dubai Destination. (€30,000 yrl '19 SGASEP). O-Scuderia Del Giglio Sardo Srl; B-Soc Agr. Allevamento Di Zenzalino Srl; €3,570.

Margins: 3/4, 2 1/4, 1 1/4; Odds: 1.18, 2.00, 5.79.

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**IN AUSTRALIA:**

Seawhatyouthink (Fr), g, 5, **So You Think (NZ)**--Sea Claria (Fr), by Sinndar (Ire). Flemington, 12-11, Hcp., 2500mT, 2:36.31. B-Christopher Richard Hirst. *€27,000 RNA Ylg '17 OSASEP.

IN SAUDI ARABIA:

Derevo (GB), h, 5, **Dansili (GB)**--Pavlosk (SW-Eng), by Arch. King Abdulaziz, 12-11, Cond., 2000m. B-Juddmonte Farms Ltd. *340,000gns HRA '20 TATAUT. **VIDEO (SC 9)**

Great Scot (GB), h, 5, **Requinto (Ire)**--La Rosiere, by Mr. Greeley. King Abdulaziz, 12-11, European Union Cup (NBT), 1600m. B-Clyne, Mound, Thompson. *Third in 2021 Saudi Cup. **GSW-Eng, GSP-Ger & SP-Fr. ***€2,500 RNA Ylg '17 TATDEC. **VIDEO (SC 9)**

WORLDWIDE NEWS

UNDEFEATED 'WATER' LOOKS FOR GROUP 1

In the hunt for a first Group 1 badge, a robust field of juveniles line up for the 73rd running of the G1 Hanshin Juvenile Fillies Sunday. The field includes a quartet of group scorers, headed by **Water Navillera (Jpn)** (Silver State), undefeated in three starts at three different racecourses, including her latest win in the Nov. 6 G3 Kyoto Sho Fantasy S. It was the first graded victory by the progeny of Silver State, whose short but successful career (four wins from five starts) ended early due to tendonitis.

Trained at Ritto by former jockey Koshiro Take and pegged to be ridden by elder brother Yutaka, success Sunday would bring Koshiro his first Group 1 victory since opening his stable in 2018. Yutaka has (from 21 bids) only one win of the race, back in 1994 with Yamanin Paradise when the race was known as the Hanshin Sansai Himba S.

Looking to turn the tables on the likely favorite is **Namura Clair (Jpn)** (Mikki Isle {Jpn}), winner of the Group III Kokura Nisai S. before following up with a second behind winner Water Navillera last out in the Nov. 6 G3 Fantasy S.



Water Navillera (Jpn) | JRA

Trainer Kodai Hasegawa said, “She can react rather strongly to horses coming up from behind, so I’ve had her wear a hood to calm her. She has let off steam, is looking good, and she improves with a race. I don’t think the mile is out of reach. How well she can settle will be key.” Third in her career bow at Niigata in August, **Circle of Life (Jpn)** (Epihanea {Jpn}) broke through with a solid win at Nakayama Sept. 20 before stepping up successfully in Tokyo’s G3 Artemis S. Oct. 30. “Her workout on Dec. 2 was a hard one and since then she’s only been breezed,” said trainer Sakae Kunieda. “I’d like her to have a bit more distance but with the long stretch of the Hanshin outer course, there shouldn’t be any problems.”

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Saturday, Tokyo, Japan

CHUNICHI SHIMBUN HAI-G3, ¥78,210,000, Chukyo, 12-11, 3yo/up, 2000mT, 1:59.80, fm.

1--**SHONAN BARDI (JPN)**, 121, h, 5, by King's Best

1st Dam: Banovina (Aus), by Redoute's Choice (Aus)

2nd Dam: Macedon Lady (Aus), by Filante (NZ)

3rd Dam: Boo Ticket (Aus), by Cossack Warrior (Aus)

1ST BLACK-TYPE WIN; 1ST GROUP WIN. O-Tetsuhide Kunimoto; B-Kimura Farm; T-Takeshi Matsushita; J-Yasunari Iwata; ¥41,637,000. Lifetime Record: 25-5-4-4. **Werk Nick Rating: D.** [Click for the eNicks report & 5-cross pedigree.](#)

2--**African Gold (Jpn)**, 119, g, 6, Stay Gold (Jpn)--Blixen, by Gone West. O-Godolphin; B-Darley Japan Farm; ¥ 16,182,000.

3--**Shigeru Pink Dia (Jpn)**, 119, m, 5, Daiwa Major (Jpn)--Moonlight Bay (Jpn), by High Chaparral (Ire). O-Shigeru Morinaka; B-Amaba Farm; ¥10,091,000.

Margins: HF, NK, HF; Odds: 18.70, 153.00, 18.90.

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Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong, post time: 4.30 p.m.

LONGINES HONG KONG CUP-G1, HK\$30,000,000 (£2,913,356/€3,394,810/A\$5,268,927/US\$3,847,229), 3yo/up, 2000mT (PPs)

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	6	Ka Ying Star (GB)	Cityscape (GB)	Chadwick	Cruz	126
2	1	Panfield (Chi)	Lookin At Lucky	Teetan	Millard	126
3	8	Glorious Dragon (Ire)	Teofilo (Ire)	Purton	Lui	126
4	12	Hishi Iguazu (Jpn)	Heart's Cry (Jpn)	Moreira	Hori	126
5	10	Russian Emperor (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Shinn	Whyte	126
6	11	Tourbillon Diamond (Aus)	Olympic Glory (Ire)	Badel	Shum	126
7	5	Berlin Tango (GB)	Dansili (GB)	Ho	Cruz	126
8	7	Dubai Honour (Ire)	Pride of Dubai (Aus)	Marquand	Haggas	123
9	2	Mac Swiney (Ire)	New Approach (Ire)	Manning	Bolger	123
10	9	Bolshoi Ballet (Ire)	Galileo (Ire)	Moore	O'Brien	123
11	3	Lei Papale (Jpn) (f)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Soumillon	Takano	122
12	4	Loves Only You (Jpn) (f)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Kawada	Yahagi	122

Breeders: 1-Kingsclere Stud, 2-Agricola Taomina Ltda, 3-Team Hogdala AB, 4-Northern Racing, 5-Coolmore, Lauri Macri & Partners, 6-Arrowfield Group Pty Ltd, Jungle Pocket Pty Ltd (NSW), 7-George Strawbridge, 8-Macha Bloodstock/Meridian International, 9-J S Bolger, 10-Lynch Bages & Rhinestone Bloodstock, 11-Northern Racing, 12-Northern Farm

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong, post time: 3.50 p.m.

LONGINES HONG KONG MILE-G1, HK\$26,000,000 (£2,524,877/€2,942,208/A\$4,653,070/US\$3,334,265), 3yo/up, 1600mT (PPs)

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Golden Sixty (Aus)	Medaglia d'Oro	Ho	Lui	126
2	9	Danon Kingly (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Kawada	Hagiwara	126
3	6	Indy Champ (Jpn)	Stay Gold (Jpn)	Fukunaga	Otonashi	126
4	8	Waikuku (Ire)	Harbour Watch (Ire)	Purton	Size	126
5	5	More Than This (GB)	Dutch Art (GB)	Leung	Shum	126
6	1	Salios (Jpn)	Heart's Cry (Jpn)	Lane	Hori	126
7	3	Vin de Garde (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Teetan	Fujiwara	126
8	10	Sky Darci (NZ)	Darci Brahma (NZ)	Moreira	Fownes	126
9	7	Excellent Proposal (Aus)	Exceed and Excel (Aus)	Shinn	Size	126
10	11	Lucky Express (Aus)	Toronado (Ire)	Hamelin	Size	126
11	4	Mother Earth (Ire) (f)	Zoffany (Ire)	Moore	O'Brien	121

Breeders: 1-Asco International Pty Ltd (Qld), 2-Mishima Bokujo, 3-Northern Racing, 4-Shane Molan, 5-Cheveley Park Stud Ltd, 6-Northern Racing, 7-Shadai Farm, 8-M W Freeman & D G Price, 9-Holloway Equine Pty Ltd (Vic), 10-C Jackson (Vic), 11-Grenane House Stud

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong, post time: 2.40 p.m.

LONGINES HONG KONG SPRINT-G1, HK\$24,000,000 (£2,330,656/€2,716,884/A\$4,295,672/US\$3,077,850), 3yo/up, 1200mT (PPs)

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	2	Hot King Prawn (Aus)	Denman (Aus)	Moore	Size	126
2	8	Pixie Knight (Jpn)	Maurice (Jpn)	Fukunaga	Otonashi	126
3	10	Danon Smash (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Kawada	Yasuda	126
4	11	Wellington (Aus)	All Too Hard (Aus)	Badel	Gibson	126
5	9	Lucky Patch (NZ)	El Roca (Aus)	Purton	Lui	126
6	1	Sky Field (Aus)	Deep Field (Aus)	Shinn	Fownes	126
7	3	Computer Patch (Aus)	Exceed and Excel (Aus)	Lane	Cruz	126
8	6	Naboo Attack (Aus)	Warhead (Aus)	Teetan	Hayes	126
9	12	Amazing Star (NZ)	Darci Brahma (NZ)	Hewitson	Ting	126

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10	4	Stronger (Aus)	Not A Single Doubt (Aus)	Ho	Whyte	126
11	5	Courier Wonder (NZ)	Sacred Falls (NZ)	Moreira	Size	126
12	7	Resistencia (Jpn) (f)	Daiwa Major (Jpn)	Soumillon	Matsushita	122

Breeders: 1-Torryburn Stud (NSW), 2-Northern Racing, 3-K I Farm, 4-Kia Ora Stud Pty Ltd, David Paradise, Steve McCann (NSW), 5-G Harvey, 6-M Ryan (NSW), 7-Segenhoe Thoroughbreds Australia Pty Ltd (NSW), 8-Windemere Stud (Qld), 9-Mrs H G & W G Bax, 10-Arrowfield Pastoral Pty Ltd & Planette Thoroughbred (NSW), 11-Waikato Stud Ltd, 12-Northern Farm

Sunday, Sha Tin, Hong Kong, post time: 2.00 p.m.

LONGINES HONG KONG VASE-G1, HK\$20,000,000 (£1,942,213/€2,263,237/A\$3,579,727/US\$2,564,875), 3yo/up, 2400mT (PPs)

SC	PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	3	Pyledriver (GB)	Harbour Watch (Ire)	Dwyer	Muir	126
2	7	Glory Vase (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Moreira	Ozeki	126
3	6	Columbus County (NZ)	Redwood (GB)	Teetan	Fownes	126
4	4	Stay Foolish (Jpn)	Stay Gold (Jpn)	Ho	Yahagi	126
5	2	Mogul (GB)	Galileo (Ire)	Moore	O'Brien	126
6	1	Reliable Team (NZ)	Reliable Man (GB)	Leung	Lor	126
7	8	Butterfield (Brz)	Setembro Chove (Brz)	Lane	Shum	126
8	5	Ebaiyra (f)	Distorted Humor	Soumillon	de Royer-Dupre	122

Breeders: 1-Knox & Wells Limited & R Devlin, 2-Lake Villa Farm, 3-D W Mayers & Mrs S J Taylor, 4-Shadai Farm, 5-Newsells Park Stud, 6-Tullycrine Ltd, 7-Haras Cifra, 8-H H The Aga Khan Studs SC (KY)

Sunday, Hanshin, Japan, post time: 3.40 p.m.

HANSHIN JUVENILE FILLIES-G1, ¥125,140,000 (£831,779/€978,289/US\$1,103,684), 2yo, f, 1600mT

PP	HORSE	SIRE	JOCKEY	TRAINER	WT
1	Namura Clair (Jpn)	Mikki Isle (Jpn)	Hamanaka	Hasegawa	119
2	Namura Lycoris (Jpn)	Jo Cappuccino (Jpn)	Izumiya	Ohashi	119
3	Hinokuni (Jpn)	Curren Black Hill (Jpn)	Nagaoka	Fukayama	119
4	Toho la Vie en	Toho Jackal (Jpn)	Dazai	Kawamura	119
5	Statistics (Jpn)	Heart's Cry (Jpn)	Wada	Ishizaka	119
6	Tana the Wing (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	Kokubun	Shimizu	119
7	Kimiwa Queen (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Uchida	Okumura	119
8	Sternatia (Jpn)	Lord Kanaloa (Jpn)	Lemaire	Kimura	119
9	Sea Cruise (Jpn)	Maurice (Jpn)	Iwata	Sugiyama	119
10	Circle of Life (Jpn)	Epiphaneia (Jpn)	M Demuro	Kunieda	119
11	Lovely Your Eyes (Jpn)	Logotype (Jpn)	Danno	Kuroiwa	119
12	Anegohada (Jpn)	Kizuna (Jpn)	Miyuki	Sasaki	119
13	Water Navillera (Jpn)	Silver State (Jpn)	Take	Take	119
14	Saku (Jpn)	Leontes (Jpn)	Sakai	Kitade	119
15	Dark Page (Jpn)	Dark Angel (Ire)	Yokoyama	Yoshimura	119
16	Belle Cresta (Jpn)	Duramente (Jpn)	Matsuyama	Sugai	119
17	Namur (Jpn)	Harbinger (GB)	C Demuro	Takano	119
18	Personal High (Jpn)	Deep Impact (Jpn)	Fujioka	Yahagi	119

Breeders: 1-Mutsuhiro Namura, 2-Mutsuhiro Namura, 3-Tsuchitoshi Honda, 4-Yoshida Farm, 5-Shadai Farm, 6-Miyauchi Bokujo, 7-Oiwake Farm, 8-Northern Farm, 9-Chiyoda Farm Shizunai, 10-Chiyoda Farm Shizuna, 11-Shadai Farm, 12-Koji Oka, 13-Fushikida Bokujo, 14-Maeno Bokujo, 15-Taihei Stud Farm Co Ltd, 16-Northern Farm, 17-Northern Farm, 18-Oiwake Farm

*All post times are local time.



TWO ILLICIT GRABS GROUP 1



Two Illicit charges home | *Kenton Wright*

By *Richard Edmunds*

With five stakes races and star-studded fields, Saturday's Te Rapa card had been billed as the biggest raceday in New Zealand so far this season, but it turned into something even more special than that for respected Kiwi horseman Roger James and his young training partner Robert Wellwood.

The Cambridge partnership won three black-type races, headed by a first Group 1 triumph for their high-class mare **Two Illicit (NZ)** (Jimmy Choux {NZ}) in the Rydges Wellington Captain Cook S.

Already the winner of four stakes races and runner-up in the G1 New Zealand Derby as a 3-year-old two seasons ago, Two Illicit has often given the impression that she was a Group 1 winner in waiting. That wait ended up being slightly longer as the Captain Cook--for which she was the favourite following impressive lead-up form--was postponed by a week due to unsafe track conditions at Trentham last Saturday.

But what she did at Te Rapa seven days later was well worth the wait, producing an explosive finish down the centre of the track to score a commanding 1.25l victory over *Prise De Fer* (NZ) (Savabeel) and *Tiptronic* (NZ) (O'Reilly {NZ}).

"Honestly, I just can't believe it," said Wellwood, who joined James in a training partnership two years ago. "I certainly won't be forgetting this day any time soon.

"It was a super win by a very good mare. The outside draw was always the niggle, but Danielle Johnson gave her a wonderful ride and had her in a lovely rhythm.

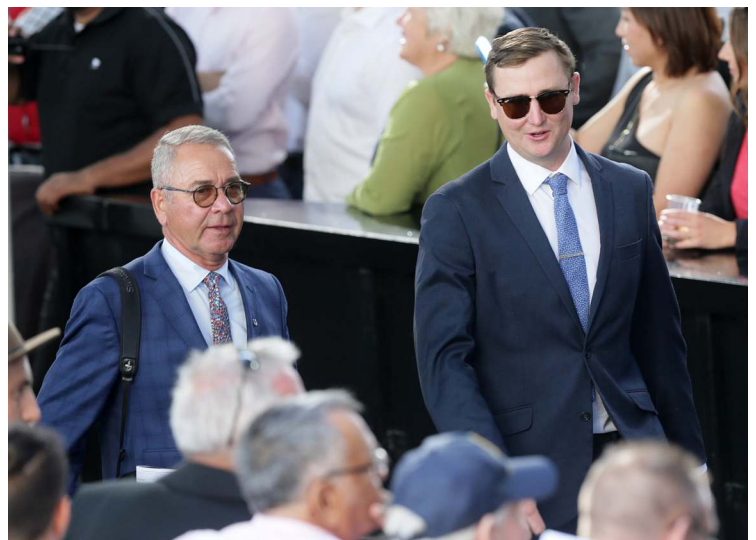
"She really deserved this Group 1, and it's a testament to our stable staff. She has always had the ability, but has had a few soundness issues that have held her back, but everyone has done a massive job and they should be very proud."

Pedigree Notes:

Already a triple Group winner, the honest and classy Two Illicit (NZ) (Jimmy Choux {NZ}) increased her value with this soft victory at the elite level. The second Group 1 winner for her five-time Group 1-winning sire (a resident of Roselee Park, WA), she was bred by her owners - the Taylor family - with Trelawney Thoroughbreds; racing in that stud's well known colours.

Two Illicit's dam Gemini (NZ) (*Tale Of The Cat* {USA}) died in 2019 with her final foal being the unraced 3-year-old All Fired Up (NZ) (Turn Me Loose {NZ}). Gemini is a half-sister to the G3 Maurice McCarten H. winner *Easy Eddie* (Super Easy {NZ}) from a high class European family, one which has produced the Group 1 gallopers *Reams Of Verse* (USA) (Nureyev {USA}), *Elmaamul* (USA) (Diesis {GB}) and *Midday* (GB) (*Oasis Dream* {GB}). Two Illicit is the 53rd Group 1 winner line-bred to *Storm Bird* (Can) (Northern Dancer {Can}).

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Trainers Roger James & Robert Wellwood enjoyed a red letter day at Te Rapa Saturday | *Trish Dunell*

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Saturday, Te Tapa, New Zealand

CAPTAIN COOK S.-G1, NZ\$220,000, Waikato RC, 12-11, Open WFA, 1600mT, 1:34.39, gd.

1--**TWO ILLICIT (NZ)**, 57.0, m, 5, by **Jimmy Choux (NZ)**

1st Dam: **Gemini (NZ)**, by **Tale of the Cat (USA)**

2nd Dam: **Twin Town (GB)**, by **Halling (USA)**

3rd Dam: **Contiguous (USA)**, by **Danzig (USA)**

1ST GROUP 1 WIN. O-Brent & Cherry Taylor, Faith Taylor, Jane Taylor & Scott Malcolm; B-Mrs F P & Ms J Taylor & Trelawney Thoroughbred Ltd, Waikato, NZ; T-R James & R Wellwood; J-D S Johnson; NZ\$126,500. Lifetime Record: 16-7-2-3, A\$545,242. **Werk Nick Rating: B.**

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2--**Pri de Fer (NZ)**, 59.0, g, 6, Savabeel (Aus)--Foiled (Aus), by Snippets (Aus). (\$100,000 '17 NZB National Yrl Sale).

O-Te Akau En Garde Syndicate (Mgr: Kw Fenton-Ellis Mnzm); B-Raffles Dancers (NZ) Pty Ltd, Waikato, NZ; T-J W Richards; J-O P Bosson; NZ\$40,700.


3--**Tiptronic (NZ)**, 59.0, g, 8, O'Reilly--Tiptoes, by Pins (Aus).

(\$100,000 '15 NZB National Yrl Sale) O-S P Donovan, Frantic Bloodstock Ltd, R Gormley, T R Hanlin, G E & Mrs J E Harris, J F Hawkings, L Irwin, G M & Mrs M M Kelly, C A Leishman, M P O'Brien, G N Richardson, K & L Robinson, A J Sherry & K B Tarrant; B-Waikato Stud Ltd, Waikato, NZ; T-G Richardson & R Norvall; J-A C Goindasamy; NZ\$19,800.

Margins: 1.3 len, 2.3 len, 2.4 len.

Also Ran: Gino Severini (Ire), Harlech, Demonetization (Aus), Travelling Light, Cheval Prometteur (GB), Royal Performer (GB), Aegon, On the Rocks, Beauden.

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