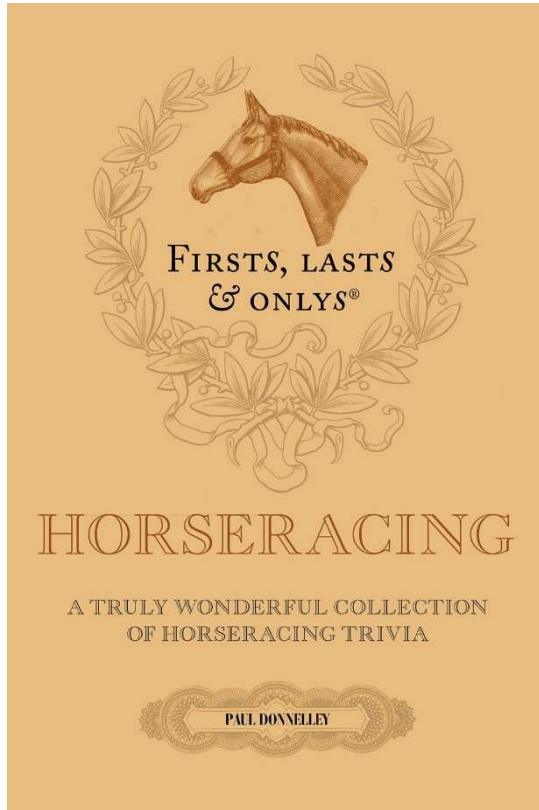




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Firsts, Lasts & Onlys

A Truly Wonderful Collection of Horseracing Trivia

By Paul Donnelley

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