NINTH RACE Belmont Park June 7th, 2019

11 MILE. (Inner Turf) (1:573) STAKES. Purse \$600,000 New York S. (Grade II) INNER TURF FOR FILLIES AND MARES, FOUR-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. (Cloudy 78)

Value of Race: \$600,000 Winner \$330,000; second \$120,000; third \$72,000; fourth \$36,000; fifth \$18,000; sixth \$12,000; seventh \$6,000; eighth \$6,000. Mutuel Pool \$627,976 Daily Double Pool \$115,035 Exacta Pool \$475,094 Superfecta Pool \$169,206 Trifecta Pool \$293,879 Pick 3 Pool \$175,389 Consolation Pick 3 Pool \$0

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| Last Raced | # Horse | M/Eqt | t. A/S Wt | PP | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 1M | Str | Fin | Jockey | Odds \$1 |
| 11May197Bel1 | 8 Homerique | L | 4F 119 | 8 | 51 | 5 <u>1</u> | 51 | 51 | 112 | 1 nk | Ortiz, Jr. I | 1.00 |
| 11May19 ⁷ Bel ² | 6 Competitionofideas | Lb | 4F 123 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 6hd | 21/2 | 231 | Castellano J | 3.00 |
| 04May194Bel2 | 7 Semper Sententiae | L | 4F 115 | 7 | 21/2 | 312 | 312 | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | $3\frac{1}{2}$ | 3hd | Velazquez J R | 7.90 |
| 02Mar197GP1 | 1 Holy Helena | L | 5M 119 | 1 | 611 | 61 | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | 71 | 71/2 | 4hd | Franco M | 4.50 |
| 04May194Bel5 | 5 Vexatious | L | 5M 119 | 5 | 71 | 72 | $72\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | Geroux F | 44.25 |
| 11May197Bel5 | 2 Matty's Magnum | Lb | 4F 119 | 2 | 41 | 411 | 41 | 4hd | 41 | 634 | Alvarado J | 74.00 |
| 04May194Bel3 | 3 Giant Zinger | Lb | 4F 115 | 3 | 3hd | 11 | 11 | 1½ | 51 | 73 | Ortiz J L | 11.30 |
| 04May194Bel4 | 4 Lady Montdore | L | 5M 119 | 4 | 11 | 21/2 | 21/2 | 21/2 | 8 | 8 | Carmouche K | 25.00 |

OFF AT 5:19 Start Good. Won driving. Track Firm. Time $:25^1, :50^2, 1:14^3, 1:37^4, 2:00^3$ (:25.24, :50.45, 1:14.69, 1:37.96, 2:00.60)

8- HOMERIQUE 4.00 2.50 2.10 \$2 Mutuel Prices: 3.10

\$1 EXACTA (8-6) PAID \$4.50 10 CENT SUPERFECTA (8-6-7-1) PAID \$4.85 50 CENT TRIFECTA (8-6-7) PAID \$8.20

Gray or Roan Filly, (Mar), by Exchange Rate - Chiquita Picosa by Congaree. Trainer Chad C. Brown. Bred by Nicky Drion & Francois Drion

HOMERIQUE three wide through the opening bend, settled just off the inside in mid pack, tucked inside half a mile from home taking up loose cover in behind the leader through the far turn, spun just off the inside for home lightly coaxed, tipped out nudging LADY MONTDORE aside to the four path forcing HOLY HELENA to be steadied in behind that foe to gain daylight roused, took over near the eighth pole, dug in under a drive under growing threat from her barnmate to the outside and gamely fended off that challenge to prevail by a neck. COMPETITIONOFIDEAS lightly coaxed from the gate, settled just off the inside at the tail of the field through the first turn before taking to the three path down the backstretch unhurried and under a light hold, remained three wide into and through the far turn coming under urging at the five-sixteenths, angled six wide into upper stretch, offered up a good finish to close outside latching on the leader a furlong from home, dug in gamely to the end but was ultimately rebuffed by the top one to the wire. SEMPER SENTENTIAE three wide through the first turn, settled three to four paths off the inside just off the pace, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, swung four wide into upper stretch and ran on to secure the show honors. HOLY HELENA tossed her head as the latch was sprung to little ill effect, saved ground in mid pack, remained patiently handled until placed to coaxing spinning three to four wide into upper stretch in behind LADY MONTDORE, was forced to check in behind that rival when HOMERIQUE nudged her way out from the two path nearing the eighth pole, altered out to the five path roused and kicked on belatedly to be along for the last major share. VEXATIOUS three then two wide in pursuit from near the rear, remained patiently handled until set down angled five wide into upper stretch, kept on through the stretch but was outfinished in the late stages, MATTY'S MAGNUM three wide in pursuit from just off the pace, came under coaxing five-sixteenths from home, angled five wide into upper stretch and weakened in the late stages. GIANT ZINGER hard held along the inside in behind LADY MONTDORE, tipped to the two path into the first turn and advanced outside to take command from that rival six and a half furlongs from home, showed the way just off the inside until tucked inside five furlongs out, came under light coaxing at the three-eighths under pressure for the initial time, spun just off the inside for home, yielded command nearing the eighth pole and weakened through to the finish. LADY MONTDORE coaxed from the gate, showed the way along the inside early on through the opening bend, had GIANT ZINGER range up outside and conceded the front six and a half furlongs from home, content to track in closest aim albeit to her outside tipping to the three path six furlongs out, steadily advanced outside tucking to the two path half a mile from home, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, swung three wide into upper stretch, got nudged and bumped aside to the four path nearing the eighth pole as HOMERIQUE came out from the two path inside, then tired through to the wire.

Owners- 8, Peter M. Brant; 6, Klaravich Stables, Inc.; 7, John M. B. O'Connor; 1, Stronach Stables; 5, Calumet Farm; 2, Lessell, Edward R. and Mary Jo; 3, Team Penney Racing; 4, Godolphin, LLC

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\$1 Daily Double (3-8) Paid \$6.10; Daily Double Pool \$115,035. \$1 Pick 3 (4-3-8) Paid \$16.40; Pick 3 Pool \$175,389. \$1 Consolation Pick 3 (4-8-8) Paid \$5.80; Consolation Pick 3 Pool N/A.

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