

**NINTH RACE**

**Saratoga**

August 7th, 2015

1 1/16 MILE. (Turf) (1:42) STAKES. Purse \$200,000 National Museum of Racing Hall of Fame S.FOR THREE YEAR OLDS. (Clear 76)

Value of Race: \$200,000 Winner \$120,000; second \$40,000; third \$20,000; fourth \$10,000; fifth \$6,000; sixth \$667; seventh \$667; eighth \$667; ninth \$667; tenth \$667; eleventh \$665. Mutuel Pool \$745,114 Daily Double Pool \$122,944 Exacta Pool \$568,784 Superfecta Pool \$168,304 Trifecta Pool \$300,418 Pick 3 Pool \$73,857 Grand Slam Pool \$37,866

Last Raced	#	Horse	M/Eqt.	A/S	Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
04Jul15 <sup>8</sup>	Bel <sup>5</sup>	2 Takeover Target	L	3C	117	2	4	3 <sup>1</sup>	4 1/2	4hd	4 1/2	1 1/2	Ortiz, Jr. I	4.20
12Jul15 <sup>9</sup>	Bel <sup>2</sup>	9 A Lot	L	3C	119	8	7	5 <sup>1</sup>	3 1/2	3 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 1/2	Alvarado J	4.50
24Jan15 <sup>11</sup>	GP <sup>2</sup>	11 Courtier	L	3C	118	10	3	2 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2hd	1 1/2	3 1/4	Rosario J	12.50
11Jul15 <sup>5</sup>	AP <sup>1</sup>	1 World Approval	L b	3G	123	1	6	10 1/2	9 <sup>1</sup>	9 2/2	5 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	Lezcano J	9.40
04Jul15 <sup>8</sup>	Bel <sup>3</sup>	3 Startup Nation	L	3C	117	3	9	8 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	7 1/2	5 <sup>1</sup>	Velazquez J R	3.30
16Mar15 <sup>2</sup>	Cmp <sup>2</sup>	8 Winter Springs (FR)	L	3C	119	7	11	11	11	10 3/2	10 1/2	6nk	Leparoux J R	13.50
18Apr15 <sup>5</sup>	Aqu <sup>1</sup>	7 Vision Perfect	L	3C	121	6	8	7 1/2	6hd	6 1/2	8 1/2	7no	Franco M	21.80
03Jul15 <sup>4</sup>	Elp <sup>1</sup>	6 Sallthehighseas	L	3C	117	5	2	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 1/2	3hd	8 <sup>1</sup>	Bridgmohan S	14.80
30May15 <sup>4</sup>	Pen <sup>6</sup>	10 High Noon Rider	L	3C	117	9	1	6 <sup>1</sup>	7 1/2	7 1/2	6hd	9 3/4	Saez L	15.10
11Jul15 <sup>11</sup>	Mth <sup>6</sup>	12 Gorgeous Bird	L	3C	115	11	5	4 1/2	5 <sup>1</sup>	5hd	9 1/2	10 1/2	Ortiz J L	48.75
30May15 <sup>4</sup>	Pen <sup>2</sup>	4 Night Prowler	L	3G	123	4	10	9 <sup>1</sup>	10 <sup>1</sup>	11	11	11	Castellano J	5.20

OFF AT 5:29 Start Good. Won driving. Track Firm.

Time :24, :49, 1:13<sup>2</sup>, 1:36<sup>1</sup>, 1:42 (:24.12, :49.13, 1:13.53, 1:36.28, 1:42.00)

**\$2 Mutuel Prices:**

2- TAKEOVER TARGET	10.40	5.20	4.50
9- A LOT		5.80	4.50
11- COURTIER			8.30
EXACTA (2-9) PAID \$63.00	SUPERFACTA (2-9-11-1) PAID \$6,061.00		
TRIFECTA (2-9-11) PAID \$818.00			

Bay Colt, (Mar), by Harlan's Holiday - Vanquished by Empire Maker. Trainer Chad C. Brown. Bred by Dorothy A. Matz (KY).

TAKEOVER TARGET was asked to establish good position prior to the first turn in a nice maneuver by the rider, raced inside on that bend, was rated in third position, drafted behind horses on the far turn, passed the five-sixteenths pole in the two path, shifted out from behind horses in upper stretch then was put to a drive, rallied on the outside under a right-handed whip, made a bid at the sixteenth-pole, was switched to a left-handed whip late and proved best under good handling. A LOT bumped with GORGEOUS BIRD into the first turn, went three wide on that bend, was rated on the outside, ranged up in the three path on the far turn, was asked coming to the quarter-pole, made a bid while outside in upper stretch, battled under the whip into the final sixteenth, held the lead at that point but was caught while able to get the place. COURTIER went three then two wide on the first turn, tracked the pace on the outside, raced in the two path on the final turn, made a bid at the five-sixteenths, battled with the runner-up under the whip into the final furlong, was joined on the outside by the winner near the sixteenth-pole then outfinished late while able to hold the show. WORLD APPROVAL was taken back along the rail early, saved ground on the first turn, was reserved near the back, raced inside early on the far turn, was roused then angled to the four path approaching the five-sixteenths, moved to the five path outside the quarter-pole, advanced under a drive into upper stretch and finished willingly but failed to seriously impact the top three. STARTUP NATION raced in the two path on the first turn, settled in the back half while outside on the backstretch, was roused while two to three wide on the far turn, stayed in that position into the stretch, took the path vacated by his stablemate TAKEOVER TARGET near the three-sixteenths and improved position. WINTER SPRINGS (FR) raced two to three wide on the first turn, was reserved at the back under a tight hold, went around the far turn in the two path, was roused near the five-sixteenths, shifted three wide into the stretch, angled out under a drive and failed to threaten. VISION PERFECT was taken back between horses nearing the first turn, raced inside on that bend, settled near the middle of the field, was urged while in the two path early on the far turn then moved to the three path, drafted behind horses passing the five-sixteenths, had TAKEOVER TARGET shift out in front of him in upper stretch but didn't lose much momentum, was put to a drive shortly thereafter and lacked the needed kick. SAILTHEHIGHSEAS went to the front, raced in the two path early on the first turn then dropped to the rail, set the clear pace under a snug hold, vied inside on the far turn, was asked at the quarter-pole, lost the advantage while under a drive in upper stretch then gave way. HIGH NOON RIDER raced in the two path on the first turn, settled off the pace, was asked while inside on the far turn, came off the rail in upper stretch, was beaten to a clear path by STARTUP NATION near the sixteenth-pole, hesitated ever so slightly while crowded and lacked the needed response. GORGEOUS BIRD bumped with A LOT into the first turn, went four wide on that bend, was reserved on the outside, raced four wide on the far turn, was asked at the five-sixteenths, entered the stretch in hand while being out accelerated by a few rivals, dropped in near the three-sixteenths and came up empty. NIGHT PROWLER was taken back early, raced in the two path on the first turn, raced near the back while reserved, dropped back while three to four wide on the far turn, floated five wide into the stretch and faltered. (Rail at 18 Feet)

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**Scratched-** Pleasant Outlook(15Jul15<sup>7</sup>Pid<sup>1</sup>), Croninthebarbarian(12Jul15<sup>9</sup>Bel<sup>3</sup>), Juan and Bina(05Jul15<sup>9</sup>GP<sup>3</sup>), Good Luck Gus(03Jul15<sup>6</sup>FL<sup>4</sup>)

Daily Double (10-2) Paid \$471.50; Daily Double Pool \$122,944.

Pick 3 (5-10-2) Paid \$2,973.00; Pick 3 Pool \$73,857.

Grand Slam (2,4,5,7,8,12/1,3,5,8,12,14,15,) Paid \$118.00; Grand Slam Pool \$37,866.

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