

EIGHTH RACE Belmont

1 1/16 MILES. (Inner Turf) (1384) KINGSTON S. Purse \$125,000 INNER TURF FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD FOAL ED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE BRED REGISTRY. (Rail at 27 feet).

MAY 29, 2023

Value of Race: \$125,000 Winner \$68,750; second \$25,000; third \$15,000; fourth \$7,500; fifth \$5,000; sixth \$1,875; seventh \$1,875. Mutuel Pool \$464,789.00 Exacta Pool \$309,240.00 Trifecta Pool \$154,971.00 Superfecta Pool \$108,484.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1	
6May23 9Bel3	City Man	b	6	124	5	4	62	61 1/2	61	3 1/2	1no	Rosario J	0.70
19Nov22 3Aqu1	Jerry the Nipper		6	120	3	3	2 1 1/2	21	2 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	2 1/2	Ortiz J L	5.50
4Mar23 8GP4	Dakota Gold	b	4	120	4	6	7	7	7	6 1 1/2	3 3 1/4	Ortiz I Jr	3.40
6May23 8Bel9	Ocala Dream	b	5	120	1	2	3hd	5 1 1/2	5 1 1/2	4 1/2	42	Cancel E	40.50
13Apr23 5Aqu1	Citizen K	b	5	120	6	5	41	3hd	3hd	5hd	5 1/2	Franco M	15.80
30Oct22 5BAQ4	Rinaldi	b	7	120	2	1	1hd	1 1/2	1hd	2hd	6 1/2	Davis K	46.25
17Dec22 8Aqu7	Somelikithobrown		7	122	7	7	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	7	7	Castellano J J	7.00

OFF AT 4:46 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :24, :473, 1:102, 1:333, 1:392 (:24.13, :47.70, 1:10.47, 1:33.64, 1:39.46)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:
 6 - CITY MAN 3.40 2.50 2.10
 3 - JERRY THE NIPPER 3.90 2.60
 4 - DAKOTA GOLD 2.30

**\$1 EXACTA 6-3 PAID \$8.20 50 CENT TRIFECTA 6-3-4
 PAID \$9.00 10 CENT SUPERFACTA 6-3-4-1 PAID \$12.70**

Dk. b or br. h, (May), by Mucho Macho Man - City Scamper, by City Zip. Trainer Clement Christophe. Bred by Moonstar Farm (NY).

CITY MAN saved ground near the rear of the field, came under coaxing near the quarter pole and angled out five wide into upper stretch set down for the drive, closed well through the final furlong coming inwards slightly to look JERRY THE NIPPER in the eye and was up in the last jumps to the finish loosely between foes at the end. JERRY THE NIPPER attended the pace of RINALDI from the outside in the two path, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths and began to apply pressure to the front, spun three wide for home advancing to issue a challenge taking command nearing the eighth pole, then dug in under threat from a pair and was nailed in the final strides. DAKOTA GOLD saved ground at the tail of the field, came under coaxing near the quarter pole and paused before slipping three wide at the top of the stretch, had to wait on CITY MAN to clear outside before tipping out behind a trio of rivals in front, bumped SOMELIKEITHOTBROWN a furlong out to the seven path and offered up a mild kick closing in late to latch on the top pair as they hit the finish. OCALA DREAM tracked the pace along the inside coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, spun two to three wide into upper stretch and weakened in the late stages. CITIZEN K two to three wide in pursuit, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, angled three to four wide for home and weakened in the late going. RINALDI showed the way in hand along the inside under attendance from JERRY THE NIPPER to the outside but facing little pressure until coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths as his main escort did the same intensifying the prompting, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, dug in under threat from that rival and was collared near the eighth pole, then weakened to the finish. SOMELIKEITHOTBROWN four then three wide in pursuit, came under coaxing nearing the quarter pole and swung six wide into upper stretch, got bumped by DAKOTA GOLD tipping out from in behind a trio of rivals a furlong out and weakened through to the finish.

Owners- 1, Reeves Thoroughbred Racing Searles Peter and Searles Patty; 2, Repole Stable; 3, Reeves Thoroughbred Racing; 4, Albrecht Thomas C Fusaro Vincent J and Klein James; 5, Schwartz Barry K; 6, Bond Racing Stable; 7, Skychai Racing LLC and Koenig David

Trainers- 1, Clement Christophe; 2, Pletcher Todd A; 3, Gargan Danny; 4, Morley Thomas; 5, De Paz Horacio; 6, Bond Harold James; 7, Maker Michael J

Scratched- Call Me Harry (30Apr23 5Aqu1), Coinage (13Apr23 8Aqu7)

**\$1 Pick Three (5-2-6) Paid \$38.50 ; Pick Three Pool \$89,698 .
 \$1 Daily Double (2-6) Paid \$13.80 ; Daily Double Pool \$75,542 .
 \$1 Consolation Pick 3 (5-2-5) Paid \$14.60 .
 \$1 Consolation Daily Double (2-5) Paid \$5.70 .**

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