EIGHTH RACE

Evangeline

JULY 4, 2026

1 1/16 MILES. (1.43[1]) JOHN HENRY S. Purse $60,000 (includes $60,000 Other Sources) FOR THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. No nomination, with $300 to enter and $300 to start. Supplemental nominations of $1200 will be accepted at time of entry. $60,000 guaranteed to be divided per condition book stake's structure payout percentages per field size. Weights: Three Year Olds: 121 lbs. Older: 124 lbs. Non winners of a stake at a mile or over on the Turf since December 4, 2025, allowed 2 lbs., non–winners of two races other than maiden, claiming, or starter at a mile or over on the Turf in 2026, allowed 4 lbs., one such race since then 6 lbs. First Preference to horses with the highest total Turf earnings in 2025–2026 at time of entry. Second Preference to horses with highest lifetime Turf earnings. Different owners and same owner entries will have equal draw according to preference. Failure to draw into race cancels all fees. Trophy to winning owner. (ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR TURF).

Value of Race: $60,000 Winner $36,000; second $12,000; third $6,000; fourth $3,000; fifth $1,800; sixth $600; seventh $600. Mutuel Pool $97,046.00 Exacta Pool $65,456.00 Trifecta Pool $39,565.00 Superfecta Pool $29,247.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
4Apr26 [9]EvD[1]	Perry County	L b	4	118	7	2	1[1]	1[2]	1[1]	1[1]	1[2]	Barrera E J	1.10
13Jun26 [7]EvD[1]	E Lion	L bf	4	122	5	5	3[1]	3[4]	3[1½]	2½	2[nk]	Hernandez H	15.20
25Jly25 [2]Dmr[8]	Escape Artist	L	6	119	2	4	4[1]	6[2]	5[1]	5[2]	3[1]	Roman K	45.70
13Jun26 [7]EvD[4]	Sabi	L b	5	118	3	6	2[1½]	2½	2½	3[hd]	4½	Hernandez C J	5.80
22Apr26 [7]EvD[1]	Interlock Empire	L	6	118	6	7	6½	4½	4[3]	4[hd]	5[1½]	Melancon J	4.60
30May26 [4]LS[1]	Point Proven	L	6	120	4	1	5[hd]	5½	6[4]	6[4]	6[13¼]	Vargas J P	2.00
30May26 [3]EvD[4]	Sonya Knows Better	L b	6	120	1	3	7	7	7	7	7	Perez C	105.10

OFF AT 9:05 Start Good For All But INTERLOCK EMPIRE. Won driving. Track sloppy (Sealed).

TIME :23[4], :47[4], 1:12[2], 1:37[3], 1:44[1] (:23.96, :47.88, 1:12.40, 1:37.70, 1:44.38)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

8 – PERRY COUNTY	**4.20**	**2.60**	**2.60**
6 – E LION		**9.20**	**6.80**
2 – ESCAPE ARTIST			**11.60**

$1 EXACTA 8–6 PAID $32.70 50 CENT TRIFECTA 8–6–2 PAID $131.40 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 8–6–2–4 PAID $134.17

B. c, (Apr), by Collected – Tyrannical, by Street Boss. Trainer Litfin Veronica. Bred by Shortleaf Stable (Ky).

PERRY COUNTY broke inward but was hustled to the front, established a clear lead on the first turn, dictated the pace throughout, repelled a challenge near the quarter pole and finished strongly under steady handling. E LION went three wide on the first turn, tracked in the two path down the backstretch, moved up three wide nearing the quarter pole, finished with a willing effort but was outfinished late and had to settle for second. ESCAPE ARTIST settled toward the back along the inside, advanced on the second turn, came out three wide into the stretch and made some late gain. SABI pulled early while racing two wide on the first turn, settled in second under a tight hold, was sent after the leader approaching the three-eighths, made an inside bid near the quarter pole and finished with a steady effort but lacked the needed finish. INTERLOCK EMPIRE stumbled at the break and was bothered when an outside rival came over, forced three wide on the clubhouse turn, maintained that path down the backstretch, began a bid near the three-furlong marker, but failed to sustain the run in upper stretch. POINT PROVEN settled near the back for a half-mile, came out five-wide for the stretch run, but did not have the needed response. SONYA KNOWS BETTER did not appear to handle the sloppy going, trailed the field to the far turn, dropped far back, and was not involved in the late stages.

Owners– 1, Litfin Veronica; 2, Brittlyn Stable Inc; 3, Blake Les; 4, Provenza Vincent; 5, Flying P Stable; 6, Miller IV Norman C; 7, Lavergne Rene

Trainers– 1, Litfin Veronica; 2, Wilson Shane; 3, Wong Jonathan; 4, Schwandt Emile; 5, Wong Jonathan; 6, Terre David; 7, Breaux Samuel

Scratched– Allnight Moonlight (06Jun26 [5]EvD[5])

50 CENT Pick Three (3–5–8) Paid $9.75; Pick Three Pool $9,036.

$1 Daily Double (5–8) Paid $9.40; Daily Double Pool $4,430.