

**BELMONT STAKES GRADED ENTRIES**

**Probable Post: 5:30 pm EDT**

1 1/2 Miles. 3-Year-Olds. Purse: \$500,000 - Added (Grade 1)					
PP	HORSE	PR. RIDER	WT.	COMMENTS	PR. ODDS
11	Timber Country	Day P	126	Distance is made to order	6-5
10	Thunder Gulch	Stevens G L	126	Gives his all every time	7-2
2	Off'N'Away	Smith M E	126	Is he the next Go And Go?	8-1
4	Star Standard	Krone J A	126	Might be the lone speed	8-1
1	Citadeed	Maple E	126	Big win over this track	10-1
9	Knockadoon	McCarron C J	126	Will be running late	20-1
7	Wild Syn	Romero R P	126	Blue Grass was a fluke	30-1
6	Composer	Bailey J D	126	Sharp, but in steep	30-1
5	Ave's Flag	Velazquez J R	126	For turf-to-dirt fans	50-1
4	Is Sveikatas	Chavez J F	126	Dead last to much softer	50-1
8	Colonial Secretary	Santos J A	126	Asked a tough question	60-1
3	Pana Brass	Ramos W S	126	Has a tarnished image	60-1

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**Belmont Park**

**1 1/2 MILES.** (2:24) 127th Running of THE BELMONT. Purse \$500,000 Added. Grade I. 3-year-olds. By subscription of \$600 each to accompany the nomination if made on or before January 21, or \$6,000 if made on or before April 1. \$5,000 to pass the entry box, \$5,000 to start with \$500,000 added. At any time prior to the closing time of entries, horses may be nominated to The Belmont Stakes upon payment of a supplementary fee of \$50,000 to The New York Racing Association Inc. All supplementary fees will be included in the purse distribution. Horses nominated by payment of a supplementary fee ( supplemental nominees ) will not be allowed to enter if the maximum number of starters has otherwise been reached prior to the time of closing. If the number of supplemental nominees exceeds the number of available starting positions at closing, the conditions of each respective race shall be applied to determine which supplemental nominees will be allowed to start in such race. All nominees, supplemental or otherwise, will be required to pay entry and starting fees. The added money and all fees to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Weights: Colts and geldings, 126 lbs. Fillies, 121 lbs. Starters to be named at the closing time of entries. The Belmont field will be limited to sixteen (16) starters. In the event more than 16 entries pass through the entry box at the closing, the starters will be determined at the closing with 50% of the field (8 starters) given preference by accumulating the highest earnings in Graded Stakes (lifetime), including all money paid for performance in such Graded Stakes. The next (5) starters (approximately 30%) will be determined by accumulating the highest earnings (lifetime) in all races except restricted races (i.e. any stake containing eligibility conditions other than sex and age). The remaining 3 starters (approximately 20%) shall be determined by accumulating the highest earnings (lifetime) in all races. Should this preference produce any ties, the additional starter(s) shall be determined by lot. If the rules described result in the exclusion of any horse, the \$5,000 entry fee will be refunded to the owner of said horse. The winning owner will be presented with the August Belmont Memorial Cup to be retained for one year, as well as a trophy for permanent possession and trophies will be presented to the winning trainer and jockey. Closed June 8, with 317 nominations and 7 late nominations.



**A CLOSER LOOK**

9th Belmont

**1 Citadeed**

Own: Allan Ivan  
MAPLE E (34 2 6 5 .06)

28May95-9Bel fst 1 1/4 :45 1:09 1:36 1:50  
6May95-8CD fst 1 1/4 :45 1:10 1:35 2:01  
19Apr95-Newmarket(GB) gd 7f @Str 1:23  
Tr: Peter Chapple-Hyam  
7Nov94-M-Laffitte(Fr) hy \*7f @Str 1:32  
20Oct34-Newbury(GB) yl \*7f @LH 1:33  
14Jun94-Ascot(GB) gd 6f @Str 1:15  
30May94-Doncaster(GB) gd 6f @Str 1:13  
14May94-Southwell(GB) fst 6f LH 1:16

WORKOUTS: Jun 5 Bel 4f fst :49 B 19/36 ● May 23 Bel 5f fst 1:00 B 1/27 May 4 CD 3f fst :36 Bg 3/23



B. c. 3 (Jan)  
Sire: Shadeed (Nijinsky II)  
Dam: Johanna Keene (Raise a Cup)  
Br: Echo Valley Horse Farm, Inc. (Ky)  
Tr: Violette Richard A Jr (9 2 2 1 .22)

112 6.70 82-22 Citadeed112 1/2 Pat N Jac113nk Treasurer115 1/2 Wide, determinedly 10  
L 126 11.60f 99 - ThunderGulch126 2/4 TejnoRun126 8th TimbrCountry126 3/4 Bid far turn, tired 19  
131 16.00 Diffident131 1/4 Harayir133 3/4 Citadeed131nk 12  
123 6.20 Bishop Of Cashel123nk Bashaayash123 1/2 Chequer123 1  
124 12.00 Painter's Row124 2/4 Bishop Of Cashel124 4th Be Mindful124 1/2 10  
125 25.00 Sri Pekan125nk Moon King125nk Missel125nk 16  
127 \*1.50 Citadeed127nk Lago Di Varano125 5 Lady Davenport120 4 5  
126 \*.40 Citadeed126 3/4 Shaa Spin121 3/4 Colombo King126 2 10  
Maiden 7800 Tracked in 5th, split horses 2f out, led final furlong, ridden out

Lifetime Record : 8 3 0 1 \$109,436

1995	3	1	0	1	\$94,708	Turf	5	1	0	1	\$14,413
1994	5	2	0	0	\$14,728	Wet	0	0	0	0	
Bel	1	1	0	0	\$90,000	Dist	0	0	0	0	

**Citadeed**

Major league kudos for Violette for a great job with this guy; you had every reason in the world to believe this guy might regress off a tough Derby and all the shipping, but lo and behold he responded big time with a nice Peter Pan win; the Beyer's a little wimpy compared to Timber and Thunder, but there may be more improvement in this guy; Danzig Connection, A.P. Indy, Colonial Affair are examples of recent Peter Pan heroes who managed to shine Belmont day; do not dismiss.

**2 Off'N'Away (Ire)**

Own: Moyglare Stud Farm  
SMITH M E (104 27 17 15 .26)

1May95-Navan(Ire) gd 1 1/4 @LH 2:12 3 Sportsmans Race  
7Apr95-Lingfield(GB) fst 1 1/4 LH 2:05 1 Kentucky Derby Trial (dirt)  
23Aug94-Tralee(Ire) yl 7f @LH 1:32 4 Paddy Norris EBF Maiden  
11Aug94-Gowran Park(Ire) gd 1 @RH 1:42 4 Goresbridge EBF Maiden

WORKOUTS: Jun 8 Bel 4f fst :49 B 18/44



Ch. c. 3 (May)  
Sire: Be My Guest (Northern Dancer)  
Dam: Irish Edition (Alleged)  
Br: Moyglare Stud Farm Ltd (Ire)  
Tr: Weld Dermot K (-)

11 Kinane M J 133 \*1.50 Off'N'Away133 1 Bluffing130 1/2 Kadamann126 1/2 7  
31 1/4 Eddery Pat 124 2.25 Maralinga122 1/4 Proposing124 4th Off'N'Away124 1 7  
13 1/2 Kinane M J 126 \*1.00 Off'N'Away126 3/4 Argideen Vale126 4th Boristova123 9 8  
34 1/2 Kinane M J 126 \*.80 Vitus126 3 Book Project126 1/2 Off'N'Away126 1 8  
Maiden 8400 Tracked in 3rd, brief effort 2f out, beaten 1f out

Lifetime Record : 4 2 0 2 \$15,441

1995	2	1	0	1	\$9,100	Turf	3	2	0	1	\$13,063
1994	2	1	0	1	\$6,341	Wet	0	0	0	0	
Bel	0	0	0	0		Dist	0	0	0	0	

**Off'N'Away**

On paper he doesn't look nearly as imposing as Go and Go did for the same connections in '90 when he shipped here to win the Belmont; encouraging Smith takes the call, and for all his success he has yet to win a Belmont; at least has experience with dirt and can surely handle the trip; still kind of shaky.

**3 Pana Brass**

Own: Perez Robert  
RAMOS W S (74 4 6 7 .05)



B. c. 3 (May)  
Sire: Dixieland Brass (Dixieland Band)  
Dam: Can't Be Kansas (Hawaii)  
Br: Lewis B. Carlisle & Rudy F. Vogt III (Ky)  
Tr: Callejas Alfredo (9 0 1 1 .00)

Date	Age	Sex	Weight	Time	Class	Trainer	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey
20May95	10Pim	fst	1 1/8	:47 1:10 1:35 1:54	Preakness-G1			69	6	9	86 1/2	913	1018
20Mar95	8	R	Pan	fst *1 1/8	LH 1:57 4 3/4	Allowance Race							
17Feb95	8	R	Pan	sly *1 1/8	LH 1:54 3/4	Allowance Race							
29Jan95	8	R	Pan	sly *7f	LH 1:28	Clasico Empleados de Establo-G3							
8Jan95	8	R	Pan	gd *7f	LH 1:30	Especial Importado							
4Dec94	8	R	Pan	gd *7f	LH 1:30	Especial Importado							

WORKOUTS: May 31 Bel 1fst 1:41 1/4 H 1/2 • May 14 Bel 7f fst 1:27 2/5 Hg 1/9 May 7 Bel 6f fst 1:15 3/4 H 2/5 Apr 29 Bel 4f fst :48 3/4 H 12/50 Apr 16 Bel 5f fst 1:02 1/4 H 20/26

Lifetime Record :		6	3	1	0	\$10,681
1995	5	3	1	0		\$10,490
1994	1	M	0	0		\$191
Bel	0	0	0	0		

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126	64.30	79-08	Timber Country 126 1/2 Oliver's Twist 126 1/2 Thunder Gulch 126 1/4	Wide 11
113	*.50		Pana Brass 113 1/4 Seven Slew 108 1/2 Tetlie 118 1/4	7
115	*.70		Pana Brass 115 1/4 Recompensalo 122 1/2 Big Prince 122 1/2	5
114	-		Malthus 114 1/2 Pana Brass 114 1/2 Big Prince 116 1/2	8
115	2.70		Pana Brass 115 1/2 Lucha Villa 108 1/2 Ascot Moon 115 1/2	10
115	-		Recompensalo 119 1/2 Royal King 112 1/4 Ivano 1.106 3/4	10

Far back in 8th, passed tired ones

**Pana Brass**

What would a Triple Crown race be without a Callejas entrant?; showed zilch in the Preakness, which wasn't really a surprise since he wasn't exactly a big fish in a small pond (Panama) before that; Temperence Hill is the only real bomb (\$100-plus) to win this race in the past 20 years, so history is against this guy; main hope is that he doesn't get in the way.

**4 Is Sveikatas**

Own: Duncan Alfred & Whitaker Clarke D  
CHAVEZ J F (150 28 17 24 .19)



B. c. 3 (Mar)  
Sire: L'Enjoleur (Buckpasser)  
Dam: Cormorant's Fable (Cormorant)  
Br: Susan B. Macys & Alfred Duncan (Va)  
Tr: Whitaker Clarke D (5 0 1 0 .00)

Date	Age	Sex	Weight	Time	Class	Trainer	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey
28May95	7	Bel	fst	1 1/8 :233 :463 1:10 1:42 2 1/4	Alw 3600N2X			74	5	6	63 1/2	76 3/4	78 1/2
13May95	6	Bel	fst	1 1/8 :24 :473 1:11 1:44 2	Alw 3600N2X			79	7	5	2 1/2	2nd	1 1/2
15Apr95	9	A	fst	1 1/8 :48 :1:23 1:37 1:49 1	Wood Mem-G2			83	6	8	86 1/2	65 3/4	61 1/2
11Mar95	9	A	fst	1 1/8 :233 :482 1:13 1:46 3	Alw 3200N1X			83	10	7	84 1/2	5 1/2	1hd
23Feb95	7	A	fst	1 1/8 :232 :48 1:13 1:45	Alw 3200N1X			64	4	5	78 1/2	79 1/2	5 1/4
29Jan95	8	A	fst	1 1/8 :234 :49 1:14 1:48 2	Alw 3200N1X			66	9	3	4 1/4	74 1/2	69
15Jan95	8	A	fst	1 1/8 :24 :474 1:13 1:46	Alw 3200N1X			70	4	7	71 1/2	71 1/2	59
2Jan95	8	A	fst	1 1/8 :231 :472 1:13 1:45 3	Count Fleet 55k			63	2	4	66	98 1/2	67 1/2
15Dec94	3	A	fst	1 1/8 :233 :483 1:14 1:47 4	Mid Sp Wt			74	7	1	1hd	11	13 1/2
30Nov94	5	A	fst	1 :232 :464 1:13 1:38 3	Mid Sp Wt			77	2	3	53	21	21
17Nov94	3	A	fst	6f :231 :47 :59 1:11	Mid Sp Wt			36	4	7	71 1/2	71 1/2	616
25Sep94	4	Del	fst	6f :224 :471 :59 1:12 2	Mid Sp Wt			30	5	5	54 1/2	35	310

WORKOUTS: Jun 8 Bel 4fst :50 4 B 38/44 • May 26 Bel 4f sly :47 4 B 1/18 May 11 Bel 4f sly :48 2 B 2/6 May 6 Bel 5f fst 1:00 1 H 3/27 • Apr 13 Bel 4f gd :47 3 B 1/4 Apr 8 Bel tr.t 6fst 1:14 1 H 1/3

Lifetime Record :		12	2	3	2	\$116,578
1995	8	1	1	2		\$90,438
1994	4	1	2	0		\$26,140
Bel	2	0	1	0		\$7,200

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110	4.80	70-22	West Buoyant 115 1/2 Silver Fox 120 1/2 Pops Is Tops 115 1/2	No threat 7
116	3.30	75-26	Screen Oscar 118 1/2 Is Sveikatas 116 1/2 Hunting Hard 118 1/2	Bid four wide 7
123	28.25	80-10	Talkin Man 123 1/2 Knockadon 123 1/2 Is Sveikatas 123 1/2	Five wide turn 8
113	12.80	72-25	Is Sveikatas 113 1/2 Screen Oscar 113 1/2 Dancing Gator 119 1/2	Circled, driving 10
117	3.25	64-29	Husky Harry 117 1/2 Vega's Secret 117 1/2 Screen Oscar 119 1/2	Eased back early 7
117	8.40	52-35	Guadalcanal 117 1/2 Elk Basin 117 1/2 Is Sveikatas 117 1/2	Came again 9
117	21.00	68-27	Paragallo's Hope 117 1/2 Guadalcanal 117 1/2 Conduit Street 112 1/2	Late gain 7
113	28.75	56-40	Michael's Star 115 1/2 Devil's Brew 115 1/2 Lemming 113 1/2	No factor 9
118	10.30	66-29	Is Sveikatas 118 1/2 Mr. Affirmed 118 1/2 Easy Does It 118 1/2	Driving 8
118	76.75	71-27	Lemming 118 1/2 Is Sveikatas 118 1/2 Strawberry Wine 113 1/2	Rallied inside 7
118	31.75	67-16	Porphyry 118 1/2 Judge Me Not 118 1/2 Hanging Road 118 1/2	Broke awkwardly 7
111	24.60	75-14	Zg Media 118 1/2 Is Sveikatas 111 1/2 Azurite Kid 118 1/2	No match 7

**Is Sveikatas**

Beyer boys are unimpressed, and it's probably good for him that Pana Brass is entered to deflect criticism for being in with the big boys; in his defense, at least he's graded stakes placed, but the water is considerably deeper, and suddenly getting beat by Talkin Man doesn't look so impressive any more.

**Ave's Flag**

If this were for state-breds only, he'd look pretty tough, but alas, we're not talking the Empire Stakes here, we're talking Belmont; finishes his routes like he'll handle this trip, at least; can't really say he can't based on his last race over a surface he's not really bred to handle; 10f turf race should have him legged up plenty at least, but the hurdles are considerably more significant today.

**5 Ave's Flag**

Own: McNulty David P & Omland Josef  
VELAZQUEZ J R (114 21 10 12 .18)



B. c. 3 (Mar)  
Sire: Personal Flag (Private Account)  
Dam: Ave Maria (Experte)  
Br: Mr. & Mrs. David P. McNulty & Sugar Maple Farm (NY)  
Tr: O'Brien Leo (48 13 10 4 .27)

Date	Age	Sex	Weight	Time	Class	Trainer	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey
2Jun95	8	Bel	fm	1 1/4 :484 1:14 1:37 2:01 3 1/4	Alw 3600N2X			73	3	6	78	74 1/2	75 1/2
23Apr95	7	A	fst	1 :231 :463 1:12 1:37 3	[N]NY Stallion 75k			89	4	6	5 1/2	4 1/2	11
25Mar95	8	A	fst	1 :232 :464 1:12 1:36 4	Gotham-G2			83	11	9	73 1/2	95	59 1/2
11Mar95	7	A	fst	1 1/8 :231 :464 1:12 1:43 2	Alw 4600N\$my			90	6	5	4 1/2	37	2 1/2
11Feb95	8	A	fst	1 1/8 :231 :474 1:14 1:49 2	Whirlaway BC81k			88	7	7	71 1/2	54 1/2	21
18Dec94	8	A	fst	1 1/8 :231 :482 1:14 1:46 4	[S]Damon Runyon 55k			80	5	7	63 1/2	52 1/2	2 1/2
26Nov94	7	A	fst	1 1/8 :481 1:14 1:40 1:53 4	Remsen-G2			77	10	9	96 1/2	73 1/2	45 1/2
13Nov94	8	A	fst	6f :224 :47 :59 1:11 4	[N]Y Stallion 75k			90	3	5	48	43	1 1/2
20Oct94	2	A	fst	6f :221 :463 1:00 1:13	[S]Mid Sp Wt			61	1	7	610	64	3 1/2

WORKOUTS: Jun 8 Bel [T] 3f fm :37 2 B (d) 2/5 Jun 1 Bel [T] 4f fm :51 3 B (d) 10/10 May 21 Bel 6f fst 1:13 3 H 2/22 May 14 Bel 6f fst 1:16 B 5/12 Apr 18 Bel 5f fst 1:00 H 2/19 Mar 21 Bel tr.t 4fst :48 1 H 9/32

Lifetime Record :		9	5	1	0	\$198,990
1995	5	2	1	0		\$103,860
1994	4	3	0	0		\$95,130
Bel	0	0	0	0		

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110	4.00	72-13	Best Of Music 120 1/2 Indian Sun 120 1/2 Mr Hydro 120 1/2	Rated, evenly 8
122	*.35	81-19	Ave's Flag 122 1/2 Endsaseket 117 1/2 Thepromonroe 115 1/2	Four wide, drew off 6
114	9.60	70-25	Talkin Man 122 1/2 Da Hoss 117 1/2 Devious Course 117 1/2	Improved position 11
119	*.55	81-25	Ave's Flag 119 1/2 Husky Harry 109 1/2 Larchmont 110 1/2	Driving 8
119	5.70	57-38	Devil's Brew 117 1/2 Ave's Flag 119 1/2 Sir Lovely 115 1/2	Wide turns, gamely 9
122 f	*.80	71-29	Ave's Flag 122 1/2 Ormsby 114 1/2 Atrebla 114 1/2	Driving 9
119	6.00	59-28	Thunder Gulch 115 1/2 Western Echo 119 1/2 Mighty Magee 114 1/2	Four wide 10
114	3.95	83-22	Ave's Flag 114 1/2 Raimondo 114 1/2 Atrebla 114 1/2	Driving 5
118	2.35e	77-18	Ave's Flag 118 1/2 Good Toes 118 1/2 Slew's Miner 118 1/2	Wide, driving 7

**Composer**

At least he looks like a 12f horse, even if he comes here short on the Beyer front and short on experience; daddy, of course, handled the 12f just fine; last should set him up well, but considerably more improvement is needed; that :24 style sure works well in this race, but he's picking up 16 pounds and Timber Country ain't Bob's Prospect; maybe can't do the job today, but a horse to keep an eye on for Mott, and Bailey knows what it takes to win a Belmont (Hansel, '91).

**6 Composer**

Own: Dekwiatkowski Henryk  
BAILEY J D (99 24 17 11 24)



B. c. 3 (Feb)  
Sire: Easy Goer (Alydar)  
Dam: Honoria (Danzig)  
Br: Kennelot Stables Ltd (Ky)  
Tr: Mott William I (37 14 5 7 .38)

Date	Age	Sex	Weight	Time	Class	Trainer	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey
27May95	3	Bel	wf	1 1/8 :243 :48 1:12 1:42 4 3/4	Alw 3400N1X			87	6	4	53	3nk	11
26Mar95	10	T	am	fst 1 1/8 :233 :471 1:12 1:45 1	Tampa Bay Dby 150k			85	5	6	55 1/2	43	11 1/2
12Mar95	8	GP	fst	1 1/8 :223 :474 1:12 1:44 2	Alw 3200N2L			82	2	1	2 1/2	2hd	23
25Feb95	8	GP	fst	7f :223 :452 1:09 1:22 4	Alw 2650N1X			53	2	9	93 1/2	118 1/2	116 1/2
24Sep94	3	Bel	my	7f :223 :461 1:10 1:23 1	Mid Sp Wt			79	5	4	54	31	1 1/2

WORKOUTS: Jun 5 Bel 6fst 1:13 H 1/3 May 21 Bel 7fst 1:33 B 2/2 May 14 Bel 4fst :51 2 B 73/85 Apr 12 OP 7f gd 1:25 3 B 1/1 Apr 6 OP 5fst 1:02 1 B 4/17 Mar 23 GP 5fst 1:01 4 H 4/15

Lifetime Record :		5	2	2	0	\$73,545
1995	4	1	2	0		\$56,745
1994	1	1	0	0		\$16,800
Bel	2	2	0	0		\$37,200

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110	*.95	85-18	Composer 110 1/2 Bob's Prospect 110 1/2 Is It Possible 112 1/2	Four wide, going away 6
116	3.50	95-07	Gadzook 116 1/2 Composer 116 1/2 Bet Your Bucks 116 1/2	Gamely 10
119	5.80	83-21	Evanston 123 1/2 Composer 119 1/2 Gold Facts 122 1/2	Gamely, inside 8
119	2.40	70-13	Sikkim 122 1/2 Fritz 119 1/2 Blissful State 119 1/2	Showed little 11
118	6.30	87-13	Composer 118 1/2 Nostra 113 1/4 Leap To Flame 118 1/2	Driving 5

**Wild Syn**

Interesting from a speed angle; every year you hear these guys praising closers in the Derby waiting for the Belmont, but that's not the profile that wins this - it's sustained speed, like this guy showed in the Blue Grass; problem is, Star Standard is as quick or quicker, and the Ky. Derby fade was so severe there's some concern; obviously very dangerous when clear, and not the worst stab in the world if you think Star Standard can't get there, Citadeed ain't that good, Thunder Gulch may be ready to regress, and Timber Country, well, gets lost on his way to the pad-dock.

**7 Wild Syn**

Own: Arneemann Jurgen K  
ROMERO R P (-)



Dk. b or br c. 3 (Jan)  
Sire: Wild Again (Icecapade)  
Dam: Synformer (Sovereign Dancer)  
Br: Jurgen Kurt Arneemann (Ky)  
Tr: Arneemann Thomas K (-)

Date	Age	Sex	Weight	Time	Class	Trainer	Jockey	Time	Class	Jockey	Time	Class
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8 Colonial Secretary

Own: Buckland Farm
SANTOS JA (127 24 11 19 .19)
28May95-6Pim fm 1 1/8 :24 :491 1:14 1:47 3+ Alw 19000N2X
13May95-6Bel fst 1 1/8 :24 :473 1:114 1:442 Alw 36000N2X
23Apr95-10Pha fst 1 1/8 :234 :482 1:132 1:46 3+ Alw 16000N2X
29Jan95-6Aqu fst 1 1/8 :232 :473 1:131 1:48 Alw 34000N2X
20Jan95-8Lrl fst 1 1/8 :24 :483 1:141 1:471 Alw 16000N1X
27Dec94-9Lrl fst 1 1/8 :233 :472 1:131 1:464 Alw 16000N1X
8Dec94-4Lrl fst 1 1/8 :233 :48 1:14 1:483 Md Sp Wt
Placed first through disqualification.
17Nov94-7Med fst 170 :232 :48 1:132 1:432 Md Sp Wt
WORKOUTS: Apr 10 Fai 4f fst :51 B 1/1 Apr 6 Fai 5f fst :05 B 2/3 Mar 28 Fai 4f fst :51 B 1/3 Mar 17 Fai 4f fst :51 B 2/5

B. c. 3 (Mar)
Sire: Pleasant Colony (His Majesty)
Dam: Secretary's Story (Secretariat)
Br: Evans T M (Ky)
Tr: Weymouth Eugene E (1 0 0 0 .00)

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Table with Lifetime Record: 8 2 2 0 \$31,950. Rows for 1995, 1994, and Bel with Turf, Wet, and Dist columns.

9 Knockadoon

Own: Warren William K Jr
MCCARRON CJ (-)
6May95-8CD fst 1 1/4 :454 1:101 1:353 2:011 Ky Derby-G1
15Apr95-9Aqu fst 1 1/4 :48 1:123 1:37 1:491 Wood Mem-G2
19Mar95-8FG fst 1 1/8 :233 :47 1:114 1:424 La Derby-G3
Wide early, passed tired rivals
28Feb95-8FG sly 1 1/8 :242 :491 1:141 1:452 Risen Star53k
In tight 1st turn, 3-wide bid drive, hand ride. Run In Divisions
11Feb95-7FG sly 140 :234 :473 1:131 1:414 Alw 18000N2L
4-wd upper stretch, bid 1/16th out, prevailed
29Dec94-3TP fst 6f :221 :46 :583 1:12 Md Sp Wt
WORKOUTS: Jun 5 CD 5f fst 1:013 B 5/28 May 27 CD 5f fst 1:022 B 14/41 May 20 CD 4f fst :49 B 19/67 May 3 CD 4f fst :481 B 6/37 Apr 26 CD 4f fst :483 B 5/51 Apr 13 CD 4f fst :483 B 1/16

B. c. 3 (Apr)
Sire: Dixieland Band (Northern Dancer)
Dam: Double Smqoth (Overskate)
Br: Lynne Hindmarsh (Ont-C)
Tr: Reinstedler Anthony (-)

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Table with Lifetime Record: 6 3 1 0 \$175,057. Rows for 1995, 1994, and Bel with Turf, Wet, and Dist columns.

10 Thunder Gulch

Own: Tabor Michael
STEVENS GL (-)
20May95-10Pim fst 1 1/8 :471 1:104 1:352 1:542 Preakness-G1
Wide bid, good try
6May95-8CD fst 1 1/4 :454 1:101 1:353 2:011 Ky Derby-G1
15Apr95-7Kee fst 1 1/8 :49 1:131 1:372 1:491 Blue Grass-G2
Leaned in, bumped 1st turn, came up empty
11Mar95-10GP fst 1 1/8 :471 1:113 1:362 1:493 Fla Derby-G1
Forced outward deep str, fully extended
18Feb95-9GP fst 1 1/8 :231 :464 1:11 1:431 FntnOfYouth-G2
Wide bkstr, seven wide top str, fully extended
18Dec94-8Hol fst 1 1/8 :224 :46 1:093 1:403 Hol Fty-G1
26Nov94-7Aqu fst 1 1/8 :481 1:14 1:402 1:534 Remsen-G2
Lugged in, bumped late, driving
11Nov94-8Aqu fst 1 :23 :461 1:111 1:372 Nashua-G3
23Oct94-8Aqu my 7f :222 :454 1:111 1:243 Cowdin-G2
14Oct94-3Bel fst 6f :224 :463 :583 1:11 Md Sp Wt
16Sep94-3Bel fst 6f :224 :463 :584 1:111 Md Sp Wt
Took up, hit rail 1/8 pl
WORKOUTS: Jun 5 CD 5f fst 1:022 B 15/28 May 29 CD 4f fst :49 B 7/31 May 15 CD 5f fst 1:003 B 2/29 May 1 CD 5f fst 1:002 H 3/27 Apr 24 CD 6f sly 1:14 H 1/7 Apr 10 SA 5f fst :59 H 2/50

Ch. c. 3 (May)
Sire: Gulch (Mr. Prospector)
Dam: Line of Thunder (Storm Bird)
Br: Brant Peter M (Ky)
Tr: Lukas D Wayne (11 5 1 0 .45)

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Table with Lifetime Record: 11 5 2 2 \$1,492,146. Rows for 1995, 1994, and Bel with Turf, Wet, and Dist columns.

11 Timber Country

Own: Overbrook Farms & Gainesway Stable
DAY P (7 1 2 0 .14)
20May95-10Pim fst 1 1/8 :471 1:104 1:352 1:542 Preakness-G1
Wide bid, driving
6May95-8CD fst 1 1/4 :454 1:101 1:353 2:011 Ky Derby-G1
Angled in between horses, gamely
8Apr95-5SA fst 1 1/8 :462 1:10 1:344 1:474 SA Derby-G1
19Mar95-5SA fst 1 1/8 :23 :463 1:101 1:42 San Felipe-G2
4Mar95-5SA gd 1 :24 :484 1:131 1:373 San Rafael-G2
5Nov94-8CD fst 1 1/8 :231 :47 1:123 1:442 B C Juv-G1
Checked 1st turn, steadied 5/16ths, ridden out
8Oct94-8Bel fst 1 1/8 :232 :461 1:111 1:44 Champagne-G1
14Sep94-8Dmr fst 7f :213 :44 1:093 1:221 Del Mar Fty-G2
24Aug94-8Dmr fst 6 1/2 :221 :45 1:10 1:163 Balboa-G3
6Aug94-6Dmr fst 6 1/2 :22 :451 1:101 1:163 Md Sp Wt
2Jly94-10CD fst 6f :211 :451 :572 1:101 Bshfd Manor-G3
2Jun94-5Hol fst 5f :22 :451 :573 Md Sp Wt
WORKOUTS: Jun 5 CD 6f fst 1:122 H 1/4 May 29 CD 5f fst :59 H 1/29 May 15 CD 5f fst 1:00 B 1/31 May 1 CD 5f fst 1:00 B 1/27 Apr 24 CD 7f sly 1:253 B 1/1 Apr 17 CD 5f sly 1:002 B 1/20

Ch. c. 3 (Apr)
Sire: Woodman (Mr. Prospector)
Dam: Fall Aspen (Pretense)
Br: Lowquest Ltd (Ky)
Tr: Lukas D Wayne (11 5 1 0 .45)

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Table with Lifetime Record: 12 5 1 4 \$1,560,400. Rows for 1995, 1994, and Bel with Turf, Wet, and Dist columns.

12 Star Standard

Own: Condren W J & Cornacchia J M
KRONE JA (119 26 20 25 .22)
20May95-10Pim fst 1 1/8 :471 1:104 1:352 1:542 Preakness-G1
Bumped start, weakened late
23Apr95-8Kee sly 1 1/8 :224 :462 1:113 1:45 Lexington-G2
Jumped path on track 1/16th, driving
11Mar95-10GP fst 1 1/8 :471 1:113 1:362 1:493 Fla Derby-G1
3Feb95-9GP fst 1 1/8 :232 :471 1:113 1:45 Alw 4000Nc
Checked to avoid clipping heels furlong grounds, gamely Placed first through disqualification.
8Jan95-1GP fst 1 1/8 :483 1:133 1:381 1:502 Alw 26000N1X
23Oct94-8Kee fst 1 1/8 :23 :46 1:114 1:443 BreedersFty-G2
29Sep94-3Bel wf 1 1/8 :24 :48 1:124 1:442 Md Sp Wt
8Sep94-9Bel fm 1 :233 :464 1:113 1:353 Md Sp Wt
27Aug94-5Sar gd 1 1/8 :231 :474 1:133 1:46 Md Sp Wt
17Aug94-3Sar fst 6f :221 :451 :58 1:112 Md Sp Wt
27Jly94-3Sar wf 5f :22 :453 :583 Md Sp Wt
8Jly94-3Bel fst 6f :221 :46 :584 1:12 Md Sp Wt
WORKOUTS: Jun 6 Bel 3f fst :35 B 4/27 May 31 Bel 5f fst :59 H 1/37 May 13 Bel 5f fst :59 H 1/33 May 3 Kee 4f fst :502 B 5/10 Apr 18 Kee 5f fst :59 H 1/17 Apr 11 Kee 5f fst 1:00 H 1/10

B. c. 3 (Apr)
Sire: Risen Star (Secretariat)
Dam: Hoist Emy's Flag (Hoist the Flag)
Br: Highclere Inc & Louie Roussel III (Ky)
Tr: Zito Nicholas P (22 0 1 3 .00)

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Table with Lifetime Record: 12 4 1 1 \$202,592. Rows for 1995, 1994, and Bel with Turf, Wet, and Dist columns.

Colonial Secretary

If daddy hadn't blown it in this race, then this guy would be able to say his sire and damsire were Triple Crown winners; at least you know he can get the trip, but when you're still eligible for non-winners of 2 other than, and haven't Beyered over 80, well, you're probably in trouble facing these guys.

Knockadoon

Lousy start in Ky. sure didn't help, but give him credit for trying; like the fact he's an improving horse, and maybe, just maybe, he can get the right kind of trip under McCarron; Derby losers who skipped the Preakness haven't fared all that well in the Belmont, however; exotics chance, but asking for more may be asking too much.

Thunder Gulch

As super as he's been, and as great a job as D. Wayne has done with him (and probably still doesn't get enough credit for him), doesn't he look primed to regress?; 2nd between calls in the Preakness, and Oliver's Twist went by him pretty easily; think about it - ran his eyeballs out last Dec. chasing 'Deelites, then had 2 gut-wrenching Fla. races then a tough Blue Grass and huge Ky. Derby (look what those last 4 races did to Suave Prospect), and maybe that not-so-powerful stretch run in Maryland was a sign he's simply wearing down; and, as nice as he was as a horse and is as a sire, a Gulch going a mile and a half?; that being said, of course, he might regress and still be 2nd since his foes aren't much, he's got a ton of heart, and D.Wayne deserves it.

Timber Country

If they made a mold of a Belmont Stakes horse, wouldn't it look like this guy?; the perfect style, rugged as all get out, has that sustained speed of :24-ish quarters, and it's obvious the distance won't bother him; handled the track great last Oct.; daddy sired Hansel who won this race; let's see, in the last 22 years it's Secretariat, Seattle Slew, Affirmed...and D. Wayne; imposing.

Star Standard

If someone can be a fly in the Lukas ointment, it could be this guy; that Preakness run was huge because Nick was committed to being on the lead; well, he couldn't get the early lead from Mystery Storm despite being sent hard, but notice how well he kept to it, only giving way late; Wild Syn is the only real competing early zip here, but this guy may be quicker; if Julie can get clear and relax early, then runner's mighty scary, with the pedigree that boasts a Belmont winner as his father, and a dam line responsible for the likes of Alleged (2-time Arc winner, at 12f); scary.

-Michael Hammersly