THIRD RACE Aqueduct

DECEMBER 30, 2023

6 FURLONGS. (1.072) GRAVESEND S. Purse \$150,000 FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Non-Lasix Race pursuant to 4043.2 (7)(e)(5) Lasix not permitted within 48 hours of post time. By subscription of \$150 each which should accompany the nomination; \$750 to pass the entry box and an additional \$750 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental nomination payment of \$750 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. The purse to be divided 55% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 12% to third, 6% to fourth, 4% to fifth and 3% divided equally amongst the remaining finishers. Three year olds, 124 lbs. Old er, 126 lbs. Non-winners of a Graded sweepstake in 2023 allowed 2 lbs.; of a sweepstake in 2023 allowed 4 lbs.; of two races other than maiden, claiming, starter or state bred allowance since June 1, 2023 allowed 6 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. Closed Saturday, December 16, 2023 with 15 Nominations.

Value of Race: \$145,500 Winner \$82,500; second \$30,000; third \$18,000; fourth \$9,000; fifth \$6,000. Mutuel Pool \$257,123.00 Exacta Pool \$156,468.00 Trifecta Pool \$67,167.00 Superfecta Pool \$31,604.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt. A. V	Vt PP	St	1/4 1/2	Str	Fin	J ock ey	0 dds \$1
24Nov23 3Aqu1	Bold Journey	4 1	26 4	2	421 461	2112	141/2	Cancel E	3.05
24Nov23 3Aqu3	R otk nee	b 4 1	24 2	3	11½ 13	1½	<u>2</u> no	Lezcano J	2.80
24Nov23 3Aqu2	Durante	4 1	26 5	1	$21\frac{1}{2}$ $21\frac{1}{2}$	31/2	3hd	Franco M	0.90
23Dec23 6Lr16	Stag e L eft	b 7 1	24 1	4	$35\frac{1}{2}$ $31\frac{1}{2}$	47	$44\frac{1}{2}$	Silvera R	15.60
23Dec23 6Lrl1	Greeley and Ben	bf 9 1	24 3	5	5 5	5	5	Davis D	7.90

OFF AT 1:21 Start Good. Won driving. Track muddy.

TIME :214, :444, :57, 1:092 (:21.94, :44.95, :57.14, 1:09.46)

 4 - BOLD JOURNEY
 8.10
 4.50
 2.30

 2 - ROTKNEE
 3.80
 2.20

\$2 Mutuel Prices: 2-ROTKNEE...... 5-DURANTE......

2.10

\$1 EXACTA 4-2 PAID \$18.20 50 CENT TRIFECTA 4-2-5 PAID \$14.75 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 4-2-5-1 PAID \$7.02

Ch. c, (Apr), by Hard Spun - Polly Freeze, by Super Saver. Trainer Mott William I. Bred by Fred W Hertrich III & John D Fielding (NY).

BOLD JOURNEY chased three then two wide coming under coaxing near the quarter pole, spun just off the inside into upper stretch, rallied to take command just inside the eighth pole, edged clear to the finish. ROTKNEE broke out at the start under hustling and bumped GREELEY AND BEN, raced forwardly placed along the inside and established the front near the nine-sixteenths, showed the way through swift splits coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, shook away and took the inside route into upper stretch, dug in under threat and was collared just inside the eighth pole, kept on to repel a pair and preserve the place honors by a nostril. DURANTE coaxed from the gate, led early on before settling just off the inside in closest aim of ROTK NEE, went three wide through the turn coming under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, continued three wide into upper stretch, dug in under a drive and was outfinished in the late stages while staying one paced to the end. STAGE LEFT chased inside briefly before tipping three wide five furlongs from home, tucked to the two path through the turn and was placed to coaxing at the three-eighths, swung four wide into upper stretch and weakened in the late stages. GREELEY AND BEN got bumped at the start by ROTKNEE, who broke outwards, chased just off the inside until tucked inside through the turn, came under coaxing three furlongs from home, spun just off the inside into upper stretch and trailed throughout.

Owners— 1, Pantofel Stable LLC Wachtel Stable and Barber Gary; 2, Butler William J; 3, JKX Racing and Jacobson David; 4, Jacobson David: 5. A bramowitz Darryl E

Trainers–1, Mott William I; 2, Maker Michael J; 3, Jacobson David; 4, Jacobson David; 5, De Paz Horacio

\$1 Pick Three (1-4-4) Paid \$32.75; Pick Three Pool \$75,884. \$1 Daily Double (4-4) Paid \$11.20; Daily Double Pool \$40,133.