

117th RUNNING—1985—CREME FRAICHE

EIGHTH RACE

Belmont

JUNE 8, 1985

1 1/2 MILES. (224) 117th Running THE BELMONT (Grade I). Purse \$350,000 Added. 3-year-olds. By subscription of \$200 each which should accompany the nomination; \$2,500 to pass the entry box; \$5,000 to start. A supplementary nomination of \$7,500 may be made on Wednesday, June 5 with an additional \$25,000 to start, with \$350,000 added, of which 60% to the winner, 22% to second, 12% to third and 6% to fourth. Colts and Geldings, 126

lbs. Fillies, 121 lbs. Starters to be named at the closing time of entries. 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 Friday, February 15, 1985 with 277 nominations. Supplementary nominee: Important Business.

Value of race \$512,900; value to winner \$307,740; second \$112,838; third \$61,548; fourth \$30,774. Mutuel pool \$832,540, OTB pool \$1,508,908. Exacta Pool \$682,802. OTB Exacta Pool \$1,172,728.

Last Raced	Horse	EqL.A.	Wt	PP	1/4	1/2	1	1 1/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1		
27May85	*GS2	Creme Fraiche	b	3	126	8	10 3/4	9 1/2	6 1/2	3 1/2	1 st	1 1/2	Maple E	b-2.50
26May85	*Bel4	Stephan's Odyssey		3	126	7	11	11	9 nd	4	22	2 1/4	Pincay L Jr	b-2.50
18May85	*Pim2	Chief's Crown		3	126	1	4 1/2	4 th	4 1/2	1 st	3 1/2	3 1/4	Cordero A Jr	2.00
25May85	7Ho15	Fast Account	b	3	126	4	6 3/4	5 1/2	5 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2	McCarron C J	10.20
18May85	*Spt1	(S) Important Business		3	126	9	9 1/2	8 th	8 1/2	6 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	Cruguet J	15.60
26May85	*Bel2	Cutlass Reality	b	3	126	10	3 1/2	3 1/2	1 1/2	2 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	MacBeth D	45.60
27May85	*GS4	Purple Mountain	b	3	126	5	12	1 st	2 nd	7 th	7 1/2	7 1/2	Graell A	a-5.50
29May85	7Del1	Southern Sultan	b	3	126	3	8 1/2	10 1/2	11	11	4	8 1/2	Terry J	38.20
27May85	*GS3	El Basco	b	3	126	6	7 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	Vasquez J	a-5.50
18May85	*Pim3	Eternal Prince	b	3	126	11	2 1/2	2 1/2	3 1/2	9 1/2	10	10	Migliore R	11.50
18May85	*Pim1	Tank's Prospect	b	3	126	2	5 th	6 1/2	7 1/2	8 1/2	—	—	Day P	4.90

Tank's Prospect, Lame.

a—Coupled: Purple Mountain and El Basco; b—Creme Fraiche and Stephan's Odyssey.

(S) Supplementary nomination.

OFF AT 5:40 Start good, Won driving. Time, :23 1/2, :47, 1:10 1/4, 1:35 1/4, 2:01 1/4, 2:27, Track muddy.

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

2-(H)—CREME FRAICHE (b-entry)	7.00	6.40	3.40
2-(G)—STEPHAN'S ODYSSEY (b-entry)	7.00	6.40	3.40
3-(A)—CHIEF'S CROWN			2.80

\$2 EXACTA 2-3 PAID \$24.80.

B. g. by Rich Cream—Likely Exchange, by Terrible Tiger. Trainer Stephens Woodford C. Bred by Firman Pamela H & Humphrey (Ky).

CREME FRAICHE, reserved for six furlongs, advanced nearing the second turn, angled to the outside approaching the stretch while continuing his run, caught STEPHAN'S ODYSSEY with a furlong to go and outfinished that opponent under pressure. STEPHAN'S ODYSSEY, devoid of early foot, improved his position between horses soon after entering the second turn, moved boldly into contention along the inside approaching the stretch, brushed the rail entering the stretch, gained a narrow advantage in upper stretch, responded readily when challenged by CREME FRAICHE but wasn't quite good enough. CHIEF'S CROWN raced along the inside in the run to the first turn, was angled to the outside entering the first turn, raced prominently outside, approaching the stretch to gain a narrow advantage but weakened nearing the furlong grounds. FAST ACCOUNT, never too far back and between horses, improved his position from between horses nearing the stretch but lacked a further response. IMPORTANT BUSINESS failed to threaten while racing wide. CUTLASS REALITY prompted the early pace, took over nearing the second turn, held on well to the stretch and tired. PURPLE MOUNTAIN, kept off the rail while making the early pace, was finished before a mile. SOUTHERN SULTAN never threatened. EL BASCO, unhurried early, lacked a response and tired. ETERNAL PRINCE pressed the pace from the outside for a mile and gave way. TANK'S PROSPECT, racing slightly off the rail early, fell back midway through the second turn, lost his best action in upper stretch, was pulled up at the furlong marker and went lame.

Owners— 1, Brushwood Stable; 2, deKwiatkowski H; 3, Star Crown Stable; 4, Hawm W R; 5, Custom T Stable; 6, Kruckel T V Jr; 7, Wimpfheimer J D; 8, Buckland Farm; 9, Wimpfheimer J D; 10, Hurst B J; 11, Klein E V.

Trainers— 1, Stephens Woodford C; 2, Stephens Woodford C; 3, Laurin Roger; 4, Johnson Patricia L; 5, Jolley Leroy; 6, Marks Mervin; 7, Sedlacek Woodrow; 8, Pearce Ross R; 9, Sedlacek Woodrow; 10, Lenzi John J Jr; 11, Lukas D Wayne.