

**SARATOGA - September 2, 2001 - Race 9**

STAKES Saranac H. Grade 3 - Thoroughbred

MELLON TURF. (Up to \$19,400 NYSBFOA) A HANDICAP FOR THREE YEAR OLDS. By subscription of \$100 each, which should accompany the nomination; \$500 to pass the entry box; \$500 to start, with \$100,000 added. 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. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the Main Track. In the event that this race is taken off the turf, it may be subject to downgrading upon review by the Graded Stakes Committee. Closed Saturday, August 18, 2001 with 35 Nominations.

One And Three Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Track Record:** (Phi Beta Doc - 1:51.61 - September 1, 1999)



**Purse:** \$100,000 Added

**Available Money:** \$112,500

**Value of Race:** \$112,500 1st \$67,500, 2nd \$22,500, 3rd \$12,375, 4th \$6,750, 5th \$3,375

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Good

**Off at:** 5:20 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
3Aug01 <sup>7</sup> SAR <sup>2</sup>	4	Blazing Fury (Castellano, Javier)	113	L b	4	8	8 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	8 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup> 3/4	6.70	drew off when roused
11Aug01 <sup>10</sup> SAR <sup>3</sup>	3	Fast City (Prado, Edgar)	114	L	3	2	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	12.30	stayed on well inside
19Aug01 <sup>9</sup> RKM <sup>1</sup>	8	Rapid Ryan (Davis, Robbie)	114	L	8	6	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	44.25	3 wide move, weakened
16Jun01 <sup>7</sup> BEL <sup>1</sup>	5	Proud Man (Bailey, Jerry)	122	L b	5	3	6 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	1.90*	rated outside, no bid
6Aug01 <sup>8</sup> SAR <sup>2</sup>	2	Strategic Partner (Velazquez, John) 	118	L b	2	1	4 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>Neck</sup>	2.15	inside, no response
21Aug01 <sup>7</sup> DEL <sup>2</sup>	1	Please Me Doc (Bridgmohan, Shaun)	115	--	1	4	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	41.25	set pace, tired
6Aug01 <sup>7</sup> SAR <sup>2</sup>	6	Berchtesgaden (Samyn, Jean-Luc)	115	L b	6	9	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	9	9	7 <sup>Neck</sup>	26.75	taken back, no factor
10Aug01 <sup>8</sup> AP <sup>1</sup>	7	Monsieur Cat (Perret, Craig)	117	L	7	5	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>Nose</sup>	15.00	speed outside, tired
14Jul01 <sup>10</sup> CNL <sup>2</sup>	9	Bay Eagle (Dominguez, Ramon) 	116	L	9	7	9	9	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	8 <sup>Head</sup>	9	5.30	had no rally

**Fractional Times:** 23.97 48.14 1:11.57 1:36.90

**Final Time:** 1:54.88

**Split Times:** (24:17) (23:43) (25:33) (17:98)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet **Temporary Rail:** 12 feet

**Winner:** Blazing Fury, Bay Gelding, by Dynaformer out of Blazing Kadie, by Our Native. Foaled May 07, 1998 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Kimran Stable.

**Winning Owner:** Kimmel, Caesar P. and Nicholson, Ronald A.

**Total WPS Pool:** \$822,792

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Blazing Fury	15.40	9.00	7.10	\$2.00 Exacta	4-3	191.00	713,971
3	Fast City		14.40	8.60	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-3-8	3,937.00	587,939
8	Rapid Ryan			14.80				

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Blazing Fury	8	8 <sup>4</sup> 1/4	8 <sup>4</sup>	7 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	4 <sup>Neck</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup> 3/4
3	Fast City	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup> 3/4
8	Rapid Ryan	6	5 <sup>1</sup> 3/4	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup> 3/4
5	Proud Man	3	6 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	6 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup> 3/4	6 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup> 3/4
2	Strategic Partner	1	4 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>6</sup> 1/4
1	Please Me Doc	4	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>6</sup> 1/2
6	Berchtesgaden	9	7 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	7 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	9 <sup>2</sup> 3/4	9 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	7 <sup>8</sup> 3/4
7	Monsieur Cat	5	3 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3/4</sup>	8 <sup>9</sup>
9	Bay Eagle	7	9 <sup>6</sup> 3/4	9 <sup>5</sup> 1/2	8 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	8 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	9 <sup>9</sup> 1/4

**Trainers:** 4 - Toner, James; 3 - Simon, Charles; 8 - Carroll, II, Del; 5 - Benson, Harry; 2 - Hennig, Mark; 1 - Leonard, Robert; 6 - Nevin, Michael; 7 - Romans, Dale; 9 - Motion, H.

**Owners:** 4 - Kimmel, Caesar P. and Nicholson, Ronald A.; 3 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 8 - Very Un Stable; 5 - Double R Stable, Kaufman, Robert and Weiss, Stephen; 2 - Lee Lewis; 1 - Foster, Dennis and Robert Leonard LLC; 6 - Toc Stable; 7 - Fred J. Brei; 9 - Lazy Lane Farm, Inc.;

**Footnotes**

BLAZING FURY was rated along early, came wide into the stretch and drew off when roused, driving. FAST CITY raced close up while in hand and stayed on well inside. RAPID RYAN was rated along outside, put in a three wide run on the second turn and weakened in the final furlong. PROUD MAN was rated along outside, raced wide and lacked a rally. STRATEGIC PARTNER was rated along inside and had no response when roused. PLEASE ME DOC quickly showed in front, set the pace and tired in the stretch. BERCHTESGADEN was taken back and was not a factor. MONSIEUR CAT raced close up outside and tired. BAY EAGLE had no rally.

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