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AQUEDUCT - February 26, 2026 - Race 6

STARTER ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$10,440 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$50,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STATE BRED ALLOWANCE. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Since August 26, 2025 Allowed 2 lbs. State Bred Starters Not Considered for Eligibility Purposes. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000 - \$0

Distance: Five And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Raise a Native - 1:02.60 - July 17, 1963)

Purse: \$60,000

Available Money: \$60,000

Value of Race: \$60,000 1st \$33,000, 2nd \$12,000, 3rd \$7,200, 4th \$3,600, 5th \$2,400, 6th \$1,800

Weather: Cloudy, 44° **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)

Off at: 3:48 **Start:** Good for all **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
19Feb26 ⁷ AQU ²	3	Shoot the Nickel (Kocakaya, Gokhan)	123	L	3	1	5 ³	5 ⁵	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ Nose	5.51	ins-3p trn,4p1/4,rally
12Feb26 ² AQU ²	4	Social Hour (Franco, Manuel)	123	L	bf	4	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ⁴	2 ⁵ 1/2	1.03*	ins trn,drift out late
5Feb26 ⁸ AQU ¹	2	Spirit Dragon (Rodriguez, Jaime)	123	L	f	2	5	3 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	4 ⁴ 1/2	3.01	ins-2path turn,up3rd
14Feb26 ³ AQU ²	5	Seeker's Hope (Silvera, Ruben)	123	L	b	5	3	2 ⁴ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	4 ⁶ 1/4	15.86	outside,3p turn,tired
12Feb26 ² AQU ⁶	1	Thirteen G's (Carmouche, Kendrick)	123	L		1	6	6	6	5 ^{Neck}	3.80	3path turn,no threat
23Jan26 ⁶ AQU ⁵	6	Skytown (Gutierrez, Reylu)	121	L	b	6	2	4 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{1/2}	5 ³	34.24	3-4p turn,5p1/4,empty

Fractional Times: 22.26 45.85 58.58

Final Time: 1:05.54

Split Times: (23:59) (12:73) (6:96)

Run-Up: 50 feet

Winner: Shoot the Nickel, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Violence out of C. S. Incharge, by Take Charge Indy. Foaled May 04, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Martha Mooney

Owner: Kantarmaci, Ilkay, Mandal, Abdool J. and Five Horsemen Stables

Trainer: Kantarmaci, Ilkay

Total WPS Pool: \$143,426

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Shoot the Nickel	13.02	3.78	2.62	\$1.00 Pick 3	2-6-3 (3 correct)	61.02	14,385
4	Social Hour		2.58	2.10	\$1.00 Daily Double	6-3	18.59	17,660
2	Spirit Dragon			2.86	\$1.00 Exacta	3-4	11.14	83,237
					\$0.10 Superfecta	3-4-2-5	12.37	30,047
					\$0.50 Trifecta	3-4-2	14.56	45,353
					\$1.00 Grand Slam	3/4/5/6-1/2/3/6-4/6/7-3 (4 correct)	8.73	17,397

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
3	Shoot the Nickel	1	5 ⁷	5 ⁶ 1/2	2 ⁴	1 ¹ Nose
4	Social Hour	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ⁴	2 ¹ Nose
2	Spirit Dragon	5	3 ⁵	3 ⁵	4 ⁵ 1/2	3 ⁵ 1/2
5	Seeker's Hope	3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	3 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁶ 1/2
1	Thirteen G's	6	6 ¹⁰	6 ¹¹ 1/2	6 ¹³	5 ¹² 3/4
6	Skytown	2	4 ⁵ 1/2	4 ⁶	5 ¹⁰	6 ¹³

Trainers: 3 - Kantarmaci, Ilkay; 4 - Kantarmaci, Ilkay; 2 - Arriaga, Antonio; 5 - Samsundar, Roshan; 1 - Rice, Linda; 6 - Breed, Jr., Ronald

Owners: 3 - Kantarmaci, Ilkay, Mandal, Abdool J. and Five Horsemen Stables; 4 - Kantarmaci, Ilkay and Five Horsemen Stables; 2 - Adamo Bros. Thoroughbred Racing LLC; 5 - Emily Racing Stable, Inc.; 1 -Robert Pezzuti; 6 - Travis and Eddie Racing Stable;

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SHOOT THE NICKEL was hustled from the gate, dropped back in crowded quarters near the five-eighths pole then was ridden along off the pace, raced inside for most of the turn then shifted to the three path, was driven into the stretch in the four path, rallied outside into the final furlong and closed strongly to get up in the final stride and prevail. SOCIAL HOUR was sent to the front, showed the way under pressure to his outside, vied inside on the turn, shook clear near the five-sixteenths pole, came under a right-handed crop outside the furlong marker, switched to a left-handed crop while still clear outside the sixteenth-pole, shortened stride while drifting out late and was denied while clear for the place. SPIRIT DRAGON was hustled from the gate then hard ridden in third position, moved from the rail to the two path on the turn, turned into upper stretch under a drive and proved no match for the top two while able to get the show. SEEKER'S HOPE brushed with a rival at the start, pressed the pace on the outside then in the three path on the turn, lost touch with the leader late on that bend and tired. THIRTEEN G'S was last to commence, angled out under urging early then was ridden along at the rear, raced in the three path on the turn and failed to threaten. SKYTOWN brushed with an opponent at the start, chased the pace on the outside, went around the turn in the three then four path, spun into the stretch in the five path and came up empty.