Hip No. 357 Consigned by Stephens Thoroughbreds, Agent Maydelle

Maydelle	Mayakovsky	Matty G	Capote Star Gem
		Joy to Raise	Raise a Man Joy to Tell
	Sultry Hill	Cahill Road	Fappiano Gana Facil
		Close to Me	What a Pleasure Near and Dear

By MAYAKOVSKY (1999), black type winner of 3 races, 2 to 4, \$275,200, Gotham S. [G3], 2nd Hopeful S. [G1]. Set ntr at Saratoga. Son of Matty G. [G1], \$443,275, sire of black type winners My Cousin Matt [G2] (10 wins to 8, 2007, \$834,494 & \$80,937-Can), Sinister G. [G2] (\$591,381), Mayakovsky (\$275,200), etc. His first foals are 2-year-olds of 2007.

1st dam

SULTRY HILL, by Cahill Road. Unplaced in 1 start. Sister to **MI VEREDA**. Dam of 2 other foals of racing age--

Court and Spark (f. by Doneraile Court). Winner at 2, placed at 3, 2007, \$39,058.

Black Betty (f. by Roanoke). Winner at 3, \$11,332.

2nd dam

CLOSE TO ME, by What a Pleasure. 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$105,203, Mongo Queen S. Dam of 5 winners, including--

MI VEREDA (f. by Cahill Road). 16 wins in 20 starts, 2 to 4, \$322,340 in Puerto Rico, horse of the year, champion filly at 2 and 3, Clasico Camarero, Clasico Antonio R. Matos, Clasico Constitucion, etc. Producer.

Close Enough. Winner at 4, \$5,477. Dam of 6 foals, 5 winners, including-I'M IN HEAVEN (f. by Saint Ballado). 2 wins in 4 starts at 2, \$44,169,
Toddler S. [L] (LRL, \$34,035). Producer.

Cometuseibella (f. by Pentelicus). Winner at 2, \$35,410, 2nd Astoria S. [L] (BEL, \$10,910).

3rd dam

NEAR AND DEAR, by Needles. 4 wins, \$23,805. Half-sister to IN REALITY (14 wins, \$795,824, sire), SUPERBITY (8 wins, \$297,992, sire), RETURN TO REALITY, REALLY AND TRULY (sire), MY DEAR LADY (dam of ALBARAHIN [G2]; NISSWA, sire; MY DEAR FRANCES; g'dam of ALPHA SAPHIRE, \$314,032; FRANCES IN THE SKY), WATCHFULNESS, GENTLE TOUCH (dam of DR. CARTER [G1], \$890,562, sire), Star of the North. Dam of 5 winners, including--

CLOSE TO ME. Black type winner, see above.

Nice and Warm. Winner at 2 and 3. Dam of **OCALARADO**, **Hot Operator** (10 wins, \$387,413, 2nd Bel Air H. [**G2**], 3rd San Diego H. [**G3**], Triple Bend H. [**G3**] twice, etc.), **Stars n' Stripes** (10 wins, \$219,330, sire).

Lady Gueniviere. 2 wins at 3, \$19,920. Dam of **BIG PARTNER** (sire). Granddam of **RED ZIPPER** (4 wins at 3, 2006, \$143,420).

Cherished Fantasy. Placed at 3, \$3,830. Dam of **Pappy's Halo** (\$75,421). Barbie Dear. Unraced. Dam of **Jakes Jan, Fussing Barbie**. Granddam of **RITMO CRIOLLO** [**G2**] (champion grass horse & imported horse in Peru), Criolla Bonita (champion older mare in Ecuador).

Engagements: Lady Fingers S.; New York Breeders' Futurity. Delaware Certified.
Nominated to New York Stallion Stakes Series.
Breeders' Cup nominated.

Registered New York-bred.