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Marguerite (8539)—S. Benson	275
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Carmen Sylva—T. D. Watson	350
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Gracia (9269)—J. G. weightman, Westhall	275
Gretha (9284)—J. D. McGregor, Brandon	297
Lady Dee (9272)—T. D. Watson	295
Ella (7651)—Lon Thompson, Deloraine	210
Lady Jeffrey (9280)—Cameron, Oak Lake	200
Lady Lipton (9283)—Andrew Elder, Routhwaite	287
Carrie (7469)—L. Thompson	205
Princess Mackay (9286)—Jno. McQueen	185
Canna (9278)—D. Black, Carroll	180
Catrine—D. Black	350

Stallions.

Baron of Avenel (9796)—T. Perdue, Souris	375
Peter the Great (6799)—T. D. Watson	260

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