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AQUEDUCT - February 3, 2012 - Race 6

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

INNER DIRT (UP TO \$6,840 NYSBFOA) FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR FOUR YEAR OLDS. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a race since December 3, 2011 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$30,000, if for \$25,000, allowed 2 lbs. (Races Where Entered For \$20,000 Or Less Not Considered). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$30,000 - \$25,000 Six Furlongs On The Inner track **Track Record:** (Captain Red - 1:07.93 - February 26, 2003)

Purse: \$36,000

Available Money: \$36,000

Value of Race: \$36,000 1st \$21,600, 2nd \$7,200, 3rd \$3,600, 4th \$1,800, 5th \$1,080, 6th \$240, 7th \$240, 8th \$240

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:52 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Jan12 ⁶ AQU ⁶	10	Haystack Needle (Rodriguez, Jose)	111 ⁷ L b	8	2	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/4}	10.40	drifted out stretch
16Jan12 ⁴ AQU ⁵	7	Shmooz Talker (Silvera, Ruben)	120 L b	6	1	2 ³	2 ²	2 ²	2 ^{Neck}	14.80	shadowed foe wide lane
28Jan12 ⁶ AQU ²	4	Ultimo Principe (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	120 L b	3	3	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Nose}	2.00*	ins 7/16-5/16, angle 3w
16Jan12 ⁴ AQU ³	3	Milwaukee Mixer (Luzzi, Michael)	120 L b	2	6	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	4 ^{2 1/4}	8.80	3w, prolonged drive
28Jan12 ⁶ AQU ¹	1	Biddy (Velasquez, Cornelio)	120 L	1	5	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	5 ¹	5 ^{1 1/2}	2.30	left rail 3/16, empty
29Dec11 ⁴ AQU ⁵	8	August Osage (Lopez, Charles)	120 L b	7	7	8	7 ¹	7 ¹	6 ^{1 1/2}	24.25	grab hold st,late foot
31Dec11 ¹ AQU ⁵	6	Sasueno (Dominguez, Ramon)	120 L	5	4	3 ¹	6 ⁴	6 ²	7 ^{1 1/4}	3.65	chased outside, tired
30Dec11 ⁹ AQU ¹	5	Impress the Chief (Alvarado, Junior)	120 L	4	8	7 ³	8	8	8	15.80	4w into lane, outrun

Fractional Times: 23.00 46.24 58.17

Final Time: 1:10.80

Split Times: (23:24) (11:93) (12:63)

Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Haystack Needle, Chestnut Gelding, by Flatter out of Glamorama, by Unbridled. Foaled Apr 14, 2008 in Florida.

Breeder: Mr. & Mrs. Leverett S. Miller. **Winning Owner:** West Point Thoroughbreds, Brooks, Donald and Cammarano, Jr. Nicholas

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Haystack Needle** New Trainer: Rudy R. Rodriguez New Owner: Anil Poyah

Claiming Prices: 10 - Haystack Needle: \$25,000; 7 - Shmooz Talker: \$30,000; 4 - Ultimo Principe: \$30,000; 3 - Milwaukee Mixer: \$30,000; 1 - Biddy: \$30,000; 8 - August Osage: \$30,000; 6 - Sasueno: \$30,000; 5 - Impress the Chief: \$30,000;

Scratched Horse(s): El Corriente (Trainer), Sensational Slam (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$195,895

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
10	Haystack Needle	22.80	10.20	6.10	\$2.00 Exacta	10-7	315.00	116,261
7	Shmooz Talker		13.80	7.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	10-7-4	1,995.00	44,670
4	Ultimo Principe			2.80	\$2.00 Daily Double	3-10	192.50	46,616
					\$2.00 Pick 3	4-3-10 (3 correct)	1,019.00	44,428
					\$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	4-3-9 (3 correct)	60.00	0
					\$2.00 Superfecta	10-7-4-3	10,046.00	80,065
					\$2.00 Consolation Double	3-9	12.00	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
10	Haystack Needle	2	1 ²	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/4}
7	Shmooz Talker	1	2 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/4}
4	Ultimo Principe	3	4 ⁶	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ³	3 ^{1 1/2}
3	Milwaukee Mixer	6	5 ⁷	4 ⁴	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}
1	Biddy	5	6 ^{8 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{4 1/2}	5 ^{3 3/4}
8	August Osage	7	8 ¹²	7 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{7 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/4}
6	Sasueno	4	3 ⁵	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{6 3/4}
5	Impress the Chief	8	7 ⁹	8 ^{9 1/2}	8 ^{8 1/2}	8 ⁸

Trainers: 10 - Hushion, Michael; 7 - Baker, Charlton; 4 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 3 - Englehart, Jeremiah; 1 - Brown, Bruce; 8 - Jacobson, David; 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 5 - Dutrow, Jr., Richard

Owners: 10 - West Point Thoroughbreds, Brooks, Donald and Cammarano, Jr. Nicholas; 7 - Charlton Baker; 4 - Vincent S. Scuderi; 3 - Robin Singh; 1 - La Marca Stable; 8 - Thienel, Thomas and Jacobson, David; 6 - Robison, J. Kirk and Judy; 5 - O'Reilly, Peter A., Noonan, Thomas J. and Rapp Glad Stable;

Footnotes

HAYSTACK NEEDLE quickly established control, showed the way on an open lead from near the rail, was let out entering the stretch, drifted out steadily making his way to the finish line, held safe under a strong hand ride. SHMOOZ TALKER stalked the pacesetter from the outside, responded positively when given his cue for the stretch run, was alongside by the eighth pole, made up no additional ground, shadowing the winner towards the grandstand apron. ULTIMO PRINCIPE rode the rail from the seven-sixteenths pole until the three-sixteenths pole, angled three wide into the stretch and displayed a mild kick en route for the show. MILWAUKEE MIXER raced three wide, was put to a prolonged drive but made little headway on the front runners. BIDDY took the inside route until upper stretch, came up empty. AUGUST OSAGE was grabbed hold a few jumps out of the starting gate, saved ground, and flashed, good, but belatedly energy. SASUENO chased outside and tired. IMPRESS THE CHIEF came four wide into the stretch and was outrun.