AQUEDUCT - April 25, 1999 - Race 8

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STAKES Excelsior Breeders' Cup H. Grade 3 - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward
One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Riva Ridge - 1:47.00 - October 15, 1973)
Purse: $200,000 Guaranteed
Includes: $50,000 BC - Breeders' Cup
Available Money: $200,000
Value of Race: $200,000 1st $120,000, 2nd $40,000, 3rd $22,000, 4th $12,000, 5th $6,000
Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast
Off at: 4:23 **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
11Apr99 ^{8}AQU^{1}	1	Smart Coupons (Douglas, Rene)	114	L b	1	7	3^{Head}	2^{Head}	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	$1^{3/4}$	15.10	came wide, driving
3Apr99 ^{11}OP^{5}	8	Archers Bay (Smith, Mike)	118	L b	8	8	$7^{2\ 1/2}$	$7^{2\ 1/2}$	4^{Head}	$2^{1/2}$	$2^{3\ 1/4}$	1.00*	game finish on rail
6Mar99 ^{6}GP^{1}	4	Pasay (Velazquez, John)	112	L a	4	1	5^{Head}	$6^{1/2}$	$5^{1/2}$	4^{2}	3^{1}	13.10	3 wide trip, gamely
3Apr99 ^{8}AQU^{3}	7	Brushing Up (Bridgmohan, Shaun)	112	c	7	9	9	9	9	5^{Head}	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	14.50	game finish outside
24Mar99 ^{6}AQU^{1}	5	Yodelman (Bravo, Joe)	112	L b	5	5	2^{5}	$1^{2\ 1/2}$	$1^{2\ 1/2}$	$3^{1\ 1/2}$	5^{1}	19.70	pace, clear, tired
10Apr99 ^{10}PIM^{3}	2	Carta de Amor (ARG) (Migliore, Richard)	114	L bf	2	6	1^{Head}	3^{Head}	$6^{1/2}$	$7^{1\ 1/2}$	$6^{1\ 3/4}$	5.30	hard-ridden, tired
11Apr99 ^{6}KEE^{5}	3	Phone the King (Espinoza, Jose)	112	L b	3	2	$4^{2\ 1/2}$	4^{3}	3^{2}	$6^{1\ 1/2}$	$7^{5\ 1/4}$	17.00	chased 3 wide, tired
3Apr99 ^{8}AQU^{1}	9	Mr. Sinatra (Lopez, Charles)	118	L	9	3	$8^{5\ 1/2}$	8^{5}	$8^{1\ 1/2}$	9	$8^{1\ 1/4}$	3.90	4 wide 1st,no response
8Apr99 ^{6}AQU^{4}	6	Skip a Dream (Diaz, Vladimir)	109	L b	6	4	6^{3}	5^{Head}	$7^{2\ 1/2}$	$8^{1\ 1/2}$	9	63.25	wide 2nd turn, tired

Fractional Times: 23.20 46.66 1:10.59 1:36.23 **Final Time:** 1:49.71
Split Times: (23:46) (23:93) (25:64) (13:48)
Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Smart Coupons, Bay Gelding, by Gate Dancer out of Proud n' Appeal, by Proud Appeal. Foaled Mar 25, 1993 in New York.
Breeder: David Popofsky. **Winning Owner:** Louis J. Porreco

Total WPS Pool: $426,783

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Smart Coupons	32.20	9.30	5.20	$2.00 Exacta	1-8	94.50	376,009
8	Archers Bay		3.00	2.80	$2.00 Trifecta	1-8-4	864.00	357,262
4	Pasay			5.90	$2.00 Pick 3	7-1-1 (3 correct)	250.00	210,706
					$2.00 Pick 6	1-5-8-7-1-1 (5 correct)	625.00	0
					$2.00 Pick 6	1-5-8-7-1-1 (6 correct)	88,571.00	520,142

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Smart Coupons	7	3^{5}	$2^{2\ 1/2}$	$2^{2\ 1/2}$	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	$1^{3/4}$
8	Archers Bay	8	$7^{10\ 3/4}$	$7^{6\ 1/4}$	4^{6}	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$2^{3/4}$
4	Pasay	1	$5^{7\ 3/4}$	$6^{5\ 3/4}$	5^{6}	$4^{3\ 1/2}$	3^{4}
7	Brushing Up	9	$9^{18\ 3/4}$	$9^{13\ 3/4}$	9^{11}	$5^{5\ 1/2}$	4^{5}
5	Yodelman	5	2^{Head}	$1^{2\ 1/2}$	$1^{2\ 1/2}$	3^{2}	$5^{6\ 1/2}$
2	Carta de Amor (ARG)	6	1^{Head}	$3^{2\ 1/2}$	$6^{6\ 1/2}$	7^{7}	$6^{7\ 1/2}$
3	Phone the King	2	$4^{5\ 1/4}$	$4^{2\ 3/4}$	3^{4}	$6^{5\ 1/2}$	$7^{9\ 1/4}$
9	Mr. Sinatra	3	$8^{13\ 1/4}$	$8^{8\ 3/4}$	$8^{9\ 1/2}$	9^{10}	$8^{14\ 1/2}$
6	Skip a Dream	4	$6^{7\ 3/4}$	$5^{5\ 3/4}$	7^{7}	$8^{8\ 1/2}$	$9^{15\ 3/4}$

Trainers: 1 - Bodner, Deborah; 8 - Pletcher, Todd; 4 - Penna, Jr., Angel; 7 - Simone, Victor; 5 - Orseno, Joseph; 2 - Serey, Juan; 3 - Carroll, II, Del; 9 - Moschera, Gasper; 6 - Bodner, Deborah

Owners: 1 -Louis J. Porreco; 8 - Melnyk, Eugene and Laura and Bristow, Iris; 4 - Lazy F Ranch (Corbett); 7 - Simone, Victor and Phyllis M.; 5 - Stronach Stables; 2 -John Rotella; 3 - Pont Street Stable; 9 -Barbara J. Davis; 6 - Lauer, Jr., Arnold and Green, Bruce J.;

Footnotes

SMART COUPONS, close up on the rail while in hand, advanced steadily on the final turn, angled out and came around YODELMAN approaching the stretch, drew clear in midstretch then dug in gamely and held off ARCHERS BAY under a steady drive. ARCHERS BAY, outrun early, enjoyed a clear trip along the inside, responded when roused and finished gamely on the rail but could not get by the winner. PASAY, close up outside, raced three wide throughout and finished gamely outside. BRUSHING UP, outrun early, came wide for the drive and finished well from the far outside. YODELMAN, hard-ridden from the gate, dueled with CARTA DE AMOR around the first turn, drew clear on the backstretch, set the pace into the stretch and tired in the final furlong. CARTA DE AMOR (ARG), put to the whip from the gate, could not keep up with YODELMAN on the backstretch and retired. PHONE THE KING chased the pace while three wide and tired after the opening three quarters. MR. SINATRA, four wide on the first turn, had no response when roused. SKIP A DREAM, hustled along early, raced wide on the second turn and tired in the stretch.

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