

AQUEDUCT - December 28, 2013 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
 INNER DIRT FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD FOALED IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED REGISTRY WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$14,000. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Non-winners Of \$37,000 Since October 28, 2013 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$14,000 (Races where entered for \$10,000 or less not considered in allowances). (SNW1 L X) **Claiming Price: \$14,000**
 Six Furlongs On The Inner track **Track Record:** (Captain Red - 1:07.93 - February 26, 2003)

Purse: \$62,000

Available Money: \$62,000

Value of Race: \$62,000 1st \$37,200, 2nd \$12,400, 3rd \$6,200, 4th \$3,100, 5th \$1,860, 6th \$620, 7th \$620

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:20 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|--|-----|------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|----------|
| 6Jun13 ⁷ BEL ² | 3 | Won Great Classic (Franco, Manuel) | 115 ⁵ L bf | 2 3 | 4 ¹ | 4 ² 1/2 | 2 ¹ | 1 ^{Head} | 2.50 | 5w angle 3/16, gamely | |
| 20Nov13 ⁵ AQU ¹ | 6 | Ed's Magic (Ortiz, Jose) | 119 -- | 4 6 | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ¹ | 2 ⁶ 3/4 | 4.00 | 3w,vie w/ duo 5/16-1/8 | |
| 18Nov13 ⁶ FL ² | 1 | William Thomas (Lopez, Charles) | 120 L | 1 5 | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 3 ¹ 1/2 | 4 ⁴ 1/2 | 3 ^{Neck} | 2.95 | ins,argue w/ pair uppr | |
| 14Dec13 ⁷ AQU ² | 5 | Half Nelson (Ortiz, Jr., Irad) | 120 L | 3 1 | 3 ¹ | 1 ^{Head} | 3 ¹ | 4 ⁴ | 1.65* | btwn foes 5/16-1/8 | |
| 6Dec13 ⁴ FL ⁶ | 8 | Adjournment (Rodriguez, Guillermo) | 120 L b | 6 7 | 5 ¹ | 7 | 6 ^{Head} | 5 ^{Nose} | 39.75 | 2-3w & driving 3/8pl | |
| 6Dec13 ² FL ¹ | 7 | Sunrise Lover (Zayas, Jonathan) | 113 ⁷ L f | 5 2 | 7 | 5 ¹ | 5 ^{Head} | 6 ^{Nose} | 51.75 | to rail 1/2, empty | |
| 14Dec13 ⁷ AQU ¹¹ | 9 | Greeley Pack (Garcia, Wilmer) | 115 ⁵ L | 7 4 | 6 ¹ 1/2 | 6 ¹ | 7 | 7 | 24.00 | 3-4w turn, outrun | |

Fractional Times: 22.65 46.05 58.37

Final Time: 1:11.49

Split Times: (23:40) (12:32) (13:12)

Run-Up: 18 feet

Winner: Won Great Classic, Chestnut Gelding, by Regal Classic out of Won Moro, by Air Forbes Won. Foaled Mar 26, 2006 in New York.

Breeder: Bada Bing Stable.

Winning Owner: Mulberry Stable

1 Claimed Horse(s): William Thomas New Trainer: Gary C. Contessa New Owner: Mark Valentine

Claiming Prices: 3 - Won Great Classic: \$14,000; 1 - William Thomas: \$14,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Be Bullish (Trainer), Exley (Trainer), Ground Force (Veterinarian), Sonnyandpally (Veterinarian), Southbeachsandy (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$143,568

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-------------------|------|-------|------|-------------------|-----------------|--------|---------|
| 3 | Won Great Classic | 7.00 | 4.20 | 3.40 | \$2.00 Exacta | 3-6 | 33.40 | 128,418 |
| 6 | Ed's Magic | | 5.10 | 3.70 | \$2.00 Trifecta | 3-6-1 | 90.00 | 71,955 |
| 1 | William Thomas | | | 3.20 | \$2.00 Superfecta | 3-6-1-5 | 124.40 | 31,820 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin |
|-----|-------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 3 | Won Great Classic | 3 | 4 ³ 1/2 | 4 ¹ 3/4 | 2 ¹ | 1 ^{Head} |
| 6 | Ed's Magic | 6 | 2 ¹ 1/2 | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ¹ | 2 ^{Head} |
| 1 | William Thomas | 5 | 1 ¹ 1/2 | 3 ^{Head} | 4 ³ | 3 ⁶ 3/4 |
| 5 | Half Nelson | 1 | 3 ² 1/2 | 1 ^{Head} | 3 ² | 4 ⁷ |
| 8 | Adjournment | 7 | 5 ⁴ 1/2 | 7 ⁶ 1/4 | 6 ⁷ 1/2 | 5 ¹¹ |
| 7 | Sunrise Lover | 2 | 7 ⁷ | 5 ⁴ 1/4 | 5 ⁷ 1/2 | 6 ¹¹ 1/4 |
| 9 | Greeley Pack | 4 | 6 ⁵ 1/2 | 6 ⁵ 1/4 | 7 ⁷ 3/4 | 7 ¹¹ 1/4 |

Trainers: 3 - Rice, Linda; 6 - Englehart, Jeremiah; 1 - D'Alessandro, Ralph; 5 - Albertrani, Thomas; 8 - Acquilano, James; 7 - Jones, Eduardo; 9 - Feron, Kathleen

Owners: 3 - Mulberry Stable; 6 - Dunn, Christopher T. and Looch Racing Stables, Inc.; 1 - Gumpster Stable LLC; 5 - West Point Thoroughbreds; 8 - Acquilano, James and River Card Stable; 7 - Asuncion Rivera; 9 - Akindale Farm;

Footnotes

WON GREAT CLASSIC patiently handled while stalking the front runners, remained on hold, lacking suitable options during the later stages of the run around bend, began to tip outward turning for home, got angled sharply into the five path coming to the three-sixteenths pole to get placed outside all opponents laying directly ahead, kicked into his best stride, gained a slim advantage with about a sixteenth to go, then needed to dig in with good determination to prevent an equally-determined ED'S MAGIC from reclaiming it. ED'S MAGIC got leaned upon for a couple of jumps by HALF NELSON at the start, moved up anyway to assume a forward position, departed the backstretch from the three path, increased his presence approaching the five-sixteenths pole and vied as the widest of three from that point to midstretch, surrendered the lead to the top one in the vicinity of the sixteenth marker, battled back gamely but got denied. WILLIAM THOMAS cut the pace along the inside, argued with another pair parked to the outside from the five-sixteenths pole to deep into the furlong grounds before backing away.. HALF NELSON out a couple of steps at the break, initiated light contact with the runner up, pressed the issue from the two path, undertook the task from between foes from late on the turn to midlane, then tired. ADJOURNMENT two to three wide and driving by midpoint on the the turn, made no impact. SUNRISE LOVER sent over the rail, went on to save ground thereafter, was under a drive cutting the corner into the lane to no avail. GREELEY PACK three to four wide on the turn, the widest of all, was outrun.

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