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DELTA DOWNS - March 4, 2009 - Race 7

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000.

(NW2 L) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Heitai - 1:18.04 - November 1, 2013)

Purse: \$13,500

Includes: \$8,000 Other Sources

Plus: \$8,000 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$21,500

Value of Race: \$14,220 1st \$8,100, 2nd \$2,700, 3rd \$1,485, 4th \$1,290, 5th \$645

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:47 **Start:** Good for all

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|--|-----|----------------------------------|-----|------|----|-------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|
| 16Jan09 ⁴ DED ³ | 4 | Mailman Max (Simington, Donald) | 123 | L b | 4 | 1 | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ² | 1 ^{1 3/4} | 12.20 | pressed, best late |
| 5Feb09 ⁵ DED ² | 1 | Ocean Tide (LeBlanc, Kirk) | 123 | L | 1 | 2 | 1 ² | 1 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ¹ | 2 ^{1/2} | 0.60* | speed, no match late |
| 5Feb09 ⁵ DED ⁵ | 2 | Bad John (Diego, Iram) | 123 | L b | 2 | 7 | 3 ^{Head} | 3 ¹ | 3 ² | 3 ^{5 3/4} | 10.10 | outfinished for second |
| 29Jan09 ⁴ DED ⁶ | 5 | Mert's Finest (Dussette, Albert) | 120 | L bf | 5 | 8 | 7 ² | 4 ^{1/2} | 4 ³ | 4 ^{1 1/4} | 27.60 | finished evenly |
| 31Jan09 ¹¹ DED ⁵ | 3 | Beau the Line (Watson, Patrick) | 120 | L b | 3 | 9 | 9 ² | 7 ¹ | 5 ² | 5 ^{2 1/2} | 50.00 | improved position |
| 3Dec08 ¹⁰ DED ¹ | 6 | Delta Chief (Lozada, Carlos) | 120 | L b | 6 | 4 | 8 ³ | 8 ⁴ | 8 ² | 6 ^{2 3/4} | 5.20 | moved up, no factor |
| 5Feb09 ⁵ DED ⁹ | 9 | Swenson (Fusilier, Casey) | 123 | L b | 9 | 5 | 6 ^{Head} | 6 ² | 6 ^{1/2} | 7 ^{Neck} | 40.90 | in middle, weakened |
| 30Jan09 ² DED ⁸ | 7 | Hot Hit (Eads, Jason) | 120 | L b | 7 | 10 | 10 | 9 ¹⁰ | 9 | 8 ^{2 3/4} | 21.70 | never close |
| 24Jan09 ⁴ DED ⁹ | 10 | Champ's Target (Hirdes, John) | 123 | L b | 10 | 6 | 5 ^{Head} | 5 ³ | 7 ^{Head} | 9 | 43.40 | contention, retreated |
| 29Jan09 ⁶ DED ² | 8 | Knock First (Smith, Kevin) | 123 | L b | 8 | 3 | 4 ¹ | 10 | --- | --- | 6.70 | pulled up, vanned off |

Fractional Times: 24.17 49.29 1:15.62

Final Time: 1:22.51

Split Times: (25:12) (26:33) (6:89)

Run-Up: 20 feet

Winner: Mailman Max, Chestnut Gelding, by Cape Canaveral out of Presumptuous, by Hennessy. Foaled Mar 14, 2005 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Becky Winemiller.

Winning Owner: Karl F. Calhoun

Claiming Prices: 4 - Mailman Max: \$5,000; 1 - Ocean Tide: \$5,000; 2 - Bad John: \$5,000; 5 - Mert's Finest: \$5,000; 3 - Beau the Line: \$5,000; 6 - Delta Chief: \$5,000; 9 - Swenson: \$5,000; 7 - Hot Hit: \$5,000; 10 - Champ's Target: \$5,000; 8 - Knock First: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$48,040

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-------------|-------|-------|------|-------------------|-------------------|----------|--------|
| 4 | Mailman Max | 26.40 | 7.40 | 4.40 | \$2.00 Exacta | 4-1 | 77.60 | 46,624 |
| 1 | Ocean Tide | | 2.40 | 2.10 | \$2.00 Trifecta | 4-1-2 | 382.40 | 39,040 |
| 2 | Bad John | | | 4.60 | \$2.00 Superfecta | 4-1-2-5 | 2,900.00 | 22,198 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Pick 3 | 1-5-4 (3 correct) | 135.20 | 7,860 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Quinella | 1-4 | 22.60 | 4,005 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin |
|-----|----------------|-------|----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 4 | Mailman Max | 1 | 2 ² | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ¹ | 1 ^{1 3/4} |
| 1 | Ocean Tide | 2 | 1 ² | 1 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ¹ | 2 ^{1 3/4} |
| 2 | Bad John | 7 | 3 ³ | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ³ | 3 ^{2 1/4} |
| 5 | Mert's Finest | 8 | 7 ^{4 1/4} | 4 ^{2 1/2} | 4 ⁵ | 4 ⁸ |
| 3 | Beau the Line | 9 | 9 ^{9 1/4} | 7 ⁸ | 5 ⁸ | 5 ^{9 1/4} |
| 6 | Delta Chief | 4 | 8 ^{6 1/4} | 8 ⁹ | 8 ^{10 1/2} | 6 ^{11 3/4} |
| 9 | Swenson | 5 | 6 ^{4 1/4} | 6 ⁶ | 6 ¹⁰ | 7 ^{14 1/2} |
| 7 | Hot Hit | 10 | 10 ^{11 1/4} | 9 ¹³ | 9 ^{12 1/2} | 8 ^{14 3/4} |
| 10 | Champ's Target | 6 | 5 ⁴ | 5 ³ | 7 ^{10 1/2} | 9 ^{17 1/2} |
| 8 | Knock First | 3 | 4 ³ | 10 ²³ | --- | --- |

Trainers: 4 - Calhoun, Karl; 1 - Laborde, Amos; 2 - Pitzer, Floyd; 5 - Brown, Dwight; 3 - Hunt, Karina; 6 - Vance, Terry; 9 - Gelner, John; 7 - Ward, Ronnie; 10 - Zenon, Sr., Shelton; 8 - Jeansonne, Albin

Owners: 4 -Karl F. Calhoun; 1 - Laborde, Carol and Parma, Chad; 2 -Floyd D. Pitzer; 5 -Linda L. LeBlanc; 3 -Frank Hunt; 6 - Sheetz, Bob and Pat; 9 -Olon E. Floyd; 7 -Ronnie P. Ward; 10 -Judy Poirier; 8 -Albin Jeansonne;

Footnotes

MAILMAN MAX pressed the pace, forwardly placed throughout, made a late bid and drove clear before the wire. OCEAN TIDE went to the front, drove clear, was no match late for the winner, but held on for second. BAD JOHN pressed the early pace, raced close throughout and was outfinished for second. MERT'S FINEST raced near the back in the early part, made a bid and finished evenly. BEAU THE LINE void of early speed, saved ground around the final turn, improved position, but was no factor. DELTA CHIEF lacked early speed, moved up, but was no factor. SWENSON bumped at the start, raced in the middle of the field and weakened. HOT HIT void of early speed and was never close. CHAMP'S TARGET broke in, raced within contention and dropped back. KNOCK FIRST raced within contention, dropped back, pulled up around the final turn and was vanned off.