

DEL MAR - August 18, 1999 - Race 7

STAKES Best Pal S. Grade 3 - Thoroughbred

FOR TWO-YEAR-OLDS. By subscription of \$150 each, which shall accompany the nomination, \$1,500 additional to start, with \$150,000 Guaranteed, of which \$90,000 to first, \$30,000 to second, \$18,000 to third, \$9,000 to fourth and \$3,000 to fifth. Weight 121 lbs.; Non-winners of \$40,000 allowed 2 lbs.; of a race of \$17,000 other than maiden or claiming, 4 lbs.; of a race other than claiming, 6 lbs.

Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Native Paster - 1:13.60 - September 4, 1988)





Purse: \$150,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$150,000

Value of Race: \$150,000 1st \$90,000, 2nd \$30,000, 3rd \$18,000, 4th \$9,000, 5th \$3,000

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 5:03 **Start:** Good for all

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---|-----|-----|----|-------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|----------------------|
| 18Jul99 ⁵ HOL ¹ | 1 | Dixie Union (Solis, Alex)  | 121 | B | 1 | 4 | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{Head} | 2 ^{2 1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 1.40* | game on rail lane |
| 18Jul99 ⁵ HOL ² | 6 | Exchange Rate (Nakatani, Corey)  | 117 | BL | b | 5 | 3 ¹ | 3 ^{4 1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{5 1/2} | 4.70 | bid 3 wide, gamely |
| 22Jul99 ³ DMR ¹ | 5 | Captain Steve (Antley, Chris)  | 117 | BL | | 4 | 3 | 5 | 4 ^{2 1/2} | 3 ^{4 1/2} | 2.50 | along for third |
| 1Aug99 ⁷ DMR ¹ | 3 | Hugh Hefner (McCarron, Chris) | 117 | BL | | 2 | 5 | 4 ⁵ | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 5 | 18.00 | close up, gave way |
| 31Jul99 ⁴ DMR ¹ | 4 | Caller One (Pedroza, Martin)  | 119 | BL | b | 3 | 1 | 1 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 5 | 2.80 | inside duel,gave way |

Fractional Times: 22.14 44.66 1:09.87

Final Time: 1:16.40

Split Times: (22:52) (25:21) (6:53)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Dixie Union, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by Dixieland Band out of She's Tops, by Capote. Foaled Mar 07, 1997 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Herman Sarkowsky. **Winning Owner:** Diamond A Racing Corporation and Sarkowsky, Herman

Scratched Horse(s): Magical Dragon (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$398,863

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|---------------|------|-------|------|-----------------|-----------------------|--------|---------|
| 1 | Dixie Union | 4.80 | 2.80 | 2.40 | \$1.00 Exacta | 1-6 | 7.70 | 243,654 |
| 6 | Exchange Rate | | 3.80 | 2.60 | \$2.00 Quinella | 1-6 | 10.60 | 40,136 |
| 5 | Captain Steve | | | 2.60 | \$1.00 Pick 3 | 4/5-7-1/2 (3 correct) | 46.90 | 84,959 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview


| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | Str | Fin |
|-----|---------------|-------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Dixie Union | 4 | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} |
| 6 | Exchange Rate | 2 | 3 ¹ | 3 ¹ | 1 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} |
| 5 | Captain Steve | 3 | 5 ⁷ | 5 ⁷ | 4 ^{4 1/2} | 3 ⁶ |
| 3 | Hugh Hefner | 5 | 4 ² | 4 ^{5 1/2} | 5 ⁷ | 4 ^{10 1/2} |
| 4 | Caller One | 1 | 1 ^{1/2} | 1 ¹ | 3 ³ | 5 ^{15 1/2} |

Trainers: 1 - Mandella, Richard; 6 - Lukas, D.; 5 - Baffert, Bob; 3 - Jones, Martin; 4 - Chapman, James

Owners: 1 - Diamond A Racing Corporation and Sarkowsky, Herman; 6 - Padua Stables; 5 -Michael E. Pegram; 3 - King Edward Racing Stable; 4 - Chapman, Carolyn and McArthur, Theresa;

Footnotes

DIXIE UNION had early speed inside, went up outside CALLER ONE to prompt the pace between horses, fought gamely along the inside through a long drive and proved best under urging. EXCHANGE RATE, forced the pace three deep, bid three across the track on the turn, took a short lead in upper stretch and battled gamely outside the winner through a stiff drive. CAPTAIN STEVE, outrun off the rail early, went outside HUGH HEFNER on the turn and picked up the show. HUGH HEFNER was close up just off the inside on the backstretch, angled in and dropped back on the turn and had nothing left. CALLER ONE sped to the early lead, dueled inside to the stretch and gave way.

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