

FAIR GROUNDS - March 9, 2003 - Race 9

STAKES Louisiana Derby Grade 2 - Thoroughbred

For Three Year Olds. (Foals of 2000)(A \$1 Million Dollar Bonus to the Winner of the Louisiana Derby that goes on to win the 2003 Kentucky Derby). The guaranteed purse will be divided as follows: \$450,000 to first; \$150,000 to second;\$82,500 to third; \$45,000 to fourth; \$22,500 to fifth. Weight: Colts and Geldings, 122 lbs.; Fillies, 117 lbs. THE OWNER OF THE WINNER TO RECEIVE A TROPHY. Closed Friday, February 28, 2003, with 132 nominations.

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Pie in Your Eye - 1:42.02 - March 19, 1994)


Purse: \$750,000 Guaranteed

Available Money: \$750,000

Value of Race: \$750,000 1st \$450,000, 2nd \$150,000, 3rd \$82,500, 4th \$45,000, 5th \$22,500

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:29 **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 |
|---------------------------------------|-----|---|-----|------|----|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------|------------------------|
| 28Dec02 ³ SA ¹ | 9 | Peace Rules (Prado, Edgar) | 122 | L | 9 | 4 | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 1 ¹ | 1 ^{2 1/4} | 9.40 | bid, clear, driving |
| 1Feb03 ⁴ SA ¹ | 5 | DQ-Kafwain (Espinoza, Victor)  | 122 | L b | 5 | 3 | 5 ^{1/2} | 5 ¹ | 4 ^{Head} | 3 ¹ | 2 ¹ | 1.40 | not enough late |
| 18Jan03 ¹⁰ GP ⁵ | 2 | Funny Cide (Santos, Jose) | 122 | L | 2 | 6 | 1 ¹ | 1 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 4 ² | 3 ^{1/2} | 6.10 | came again rail |
| 16Feb03 ⁹ FG ² | 3 | Lone Star Sky (Borel, Calvin) | 122 | L | 3 | 1 | 6 ¹ | 6 ^{1/2} | 7 ^{1 1/2} | 6 ² | 4 ^{1 1/4} | 14.30 | little impact |
| 16Feb03 ⁹ FG ³ | 4 | Defrere's Vixen (Meche, Donnie) | 122 | L | 4 | 2 | 3 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ³ | 5 ² | 5 ^{3/4} | 58.10 | lacked finish |
| 16Feb03 ⁹ FG ¹ | 10 | Badge of Silver (Albarado, Robby)  | 122 | L | 10 | 5 | 4 ¹ | 3 ¹ | 3 ² | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 6 ^{4 1/2} | 1.20* | 3w, edge, flattened ot |
| 25Jan03 ⁹ FG ³ | 7 | Winning Fans (Jacinto, John)  | 122 | L | 7 | 10 | 10 | 7 ^{Head} | 6 ² | 7 ⁵ | 7 ¹¹ | 127.80 | brushed, little impact |
| 16Feb03 ⁹ FG ⁴ | 6 | Prince Alphonse (Melancon, Larry)  | 122 | L fb | 6 | 9 | 7 ^{1 1/2} | 8 ³ | 8 ³ | 8 ¹⁰ | 8 ^{20 1/4} | 99.30 | drifted, brushed foe |
| 23Feb03 ⁸ FG ² | 1 | Gohalo (Meche, Lonnie) | 122 | L | 1 | 7 | 9 ¹ | 9 ^{Head} | 10 | 9 ⁸ | 9 | 187.80 | rail, dropped back |
| 13Feb03 ⁹ FG ¹ | 8 | Commander's Affair (Melancon, Gerard)  | 122 | L b | 8 | 8 | 8 ^{Head} | 10 | 9 ⁵ | 10 | --- | 87.00 | distanced |

Fractional Times: 23.51 46.74 1:10.60 1:35.86 **Final Time:** 1:42.67

Split Times: (23:23) (23:86) (25:26) (6:81)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Peace Rules, Chestnut Colt, by Jules out of Hold to Fashion, by Hold Your Peace. Foaled Apr 26, 2000 in Florida.

Breeder: Newchance Farm.

Winning Owner: Edmund A. Gann

Disqualification(s): # 5 Kafwain from 2 to 10

Total WPS Pool: \$938,511

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|---------------|-------|-------|------|-------------------|-------------------|----------|---------|
| 9 | Peace Rules | 20.80 | 6.20 | 4.60 | \$2.00 Exacta | 9-5 | 58.80 | 547,749 |
| 5 | Kafwain | | 3.20 | 2.60 | \$2.00 Trifecta | 9-5-2 | 276.00 | 524,764 |
| 2 | Funny Cide | | | 4.00 | \$2.00 Pick 3 | 4-5-9 (3 correct) | 2,343.40 | 28,121 |
| 3 | Lone Star Sky | | | | \$2.00 Superfecta | 9-5-2-3 | 1,455.80 | 202,854 |
| | | | | | \$2.00 Quinella | 5-9 | 27.40 | 43,757 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview


| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|--------------------|-------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 9 | Peace Rules | 4 | 2 ¹ | 2 ^{1 1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 1 ¹ | 1 ^{2 1/4} |
| 5 | Kafwain | 3 | 5 ^{3 1/2} | 5 ^{4 1/2} | 4 ³ | 3 ^{2 1/2} | 2 ^{2 1/4} |
| 2 | Funny Cide | 6 | 1 ¹ | 1 ^{1 1/2} | 1 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{3 1/2} | 3 ^{3 1/4} |
| 3 | Lone Star Sky | 1 | 6 ⁴ | 6 ^{5 1/2} | 7 ⁸ | 6 ^{7 1/2} | 4 ^{3 3/4} |
| 4 | Defrere's Vixen | 2 | 3 ² | 4 ³ | 5 ³ | 5 ^{5 1/2} | 5 ⁵ |
| 10 | Badge of Silver | 5 | 4 ^{2 1/2} | 3 ² | 3 ¹ | 2 ¹ | 6 ^{5 3/4} |
| 7 | Winning Fans | 10 | 10 ^{7 1/2} | 7 ⁶ | 6 ⁶ | 7 ^{9 1/2} | 7 ^{10 1/4} |
| 6 | Prince Alphonse | 9 | 7 ⁵ | 8 ⁶ | 8 ^{9 1/2} | 8 ^{14 1/2} | 8 ^{21 1/4} |
| 1 | Gohalo | 7 | 9 ^{6 1/2} | 9 ⁹ | 10 ^{17 1/2} | 9 ^{24 1/2} | 9 ^{41 1/2} |
| 8 | Commander's Affair | 8 | 8 ^{6 1/2} | 10 ^{9 1/4} | 9 ^{12 1/2} | 10 ^{32 1/2} | --- |

Trainers: 9 - Frankel, Robert; 5 - Baffert, Bob; 2 - Tagg, Barclay; 3 - Amoss, Thomas; 4 - Asmussen, Steven; 10 - Werner, Ronny; 7 - Martinez, Jr., Eleuterio; 6 - Carroll, Josie; 1 - Bailey, Isaac; 8 - Calhoun, W.

Owners: 9 -Edmund A. Gann; 5 - The Thoroughbred Corporation; 2 - Sackatoga Stable; 3 -Walter L. New; 4 - Heiligbrodt Racing Stable; 10 - Ramsey, Kenneth L. and Sarah K.; 7 - Cuadra Valedor, Inc.; 6 -William C. Schettine; 1 -Robert H. Shepard; 8 - Martin Racing Stable LLC and Massey, Betty;

Footnotes

PEACE RULES close up, was restrained off FUNNY CIDE, eased up outside that one nearing the second turn, took over inside BADGE OF SILVER nearing the furlong marker and increased his margin while kept to the task. KAFWAIN between foes early, settled off the rail down the backstretch, moved up four wide around the second turn, finished gamely but did not have enough late. FUNNY CIDE sprinted clear early, set the pace until the second turn, was collared midway around the turn, dropped back a bit then came again for the show from the inside. LONE STAR SKY saved ground until the drive, was steered out after turning for home and could make little impact. DEFREERE'S VIXEN raced inside until the drive, swung out for the drive and then lacked a finish. BADGE OF SILVER settled off the leaders while three wide, moved up around the second turn, gained the edge turning for home, got headed and flattened out inside the final sixteenth. WINNING FANS brushed with PRINCE ALPHIE, was devoid speed, advanced between foes down the backstretch and then could make little impact. PRINCE ALPHIE drifted out at the break to brush with WINNING FANS, settled while in reserve, raced wide down the backstretch and then stopped. GOHALO raced along the rail early and then dropped back. COMMANDER'S AFFAIR never dangerous, was distanced.

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate

