

**LOUISIANA DOWNS - August 9, 1997 - Race 7**

ALLOWANCE - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, STARTER OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Three Years Old, 116 lbs. Older, 122 lbs. Non-Winners Of \$9,000 Since June 9 3 lbs Non-Winners Of \$8,000 Since May 9 5 lbs. ( C)

One Mile And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Country Jim - 1:39.40 - July 4, 1982)



Purse: \$16,000

Available Money: \$16,000

Value of Race: \$16,000 1st \$9,600, 2nd \$3,200, 3rd \$1,760, 4th \$960, 5th \$480

Weather: Cloudy Track: Wet Fast

Off at: 4:01 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
2Aug97 <sup>8</sup> LAD <sup>3</sup>	10	Bell Creek (Smith, V.) 	113 L	10	7	9 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	5.40	up in final strides
18Jul97 <sup>9</sup> LAD <sup>3</sup>	4	All Primed (Meche, Lonnie) 	117 L f	4	2	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	7.60	just missed
28Jul97 <sup>3</sup> LAD <sup>1</sup>	1	Haute Couture (Lovelace, Austin)	117 L b	1	10	11	11	10 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	4.60	late rally
13Jul97 <sup>4</sup> LAD <sup>1</sup>	6	Wife for Life (Meche, Donnie)	116 L b	6	5	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	10.80	bid,hung
14Jun97 <sup>4</sup> LS <sup>1</sup>	5	Best of the West (Walker, Jr., Bobby)	116 L	5	8	8 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>5</sup>	8 <sup>3</sup>	7 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	22.20	mild rally
24Jul97 <sup>6</sup> LAD <sup>3</sup>	7	Arctica (Gonzalez, Carlos)	109 L f	7	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	8.30	pressed pace, faded
24Jul97 <sup>2</sup> LAD <sup>1</sup>	8	Aloha Baby (Trosclair, Angelo)	122 L b f	8	3	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>	20.30	close up, weakened
17Jul97 <sup>8</sup> LS <sup>3</sup>	3	Lady Natha Lee (Ardoin, Ronald)	113 L b	3	11	10 <sup>6</sup>	10 <sup>2</sup>	11	10 <sup>2</sup>	8 <sup>Head</sup>	8.60	failed to menace
6Jul97 <sup>6</sup> LAD <sup>5</sup>	11	Nightstargazer (Melancon, Gerard)	114 L	11	4	7 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>3</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	8 <sup>2</sup>	9 <sup>2</sup>	7.80	wide early, tired
4Jul97 <sup>8</sup> LAD <sup>4</sup>	2	La Chatte (Lanerier, Corey)	114 L b	2	9	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>2</sup>	10 <sup>4</sup>	36.40	well placed, tired
27Jul97 <sup>6</sup> LS <sup>1</sup>	9	Thebesticouldbe (St. Julien, Marlon)	119 L b f	9	6	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>Head</sup>	11	11	3.20*	stopped

Fractional Times: 24.56 47.93 1:13.41 1:41.77

Final Time: 1:46.48

Split Times: (23:37) (25:48) (28:36) (4:71)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Bell Creek, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Little Missouri out of Missy's Music, by Travelling Music. Foaled Mar 26, 1994 in Kentucky.

Breeder: James M. Herbener Jr. & Paul V. Paternostro. Winning Owner: Jack Massanelli

Total WPS Pool: \$19,364

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool	Carryover
10	Bell Creek	12.80	6.60	4.80		10-4	142.20	13,040	
4	All Primed		7.40	6.80		10-4-1	678.40	8,017	
1	Haute Couture			4.80		4-10	94.40	3,439	
						10-4-1		0	4,878


**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
10	Bell Creek	7	9 <sup>9 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>8</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>
4	All Primed	2	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>
1	Haute Couture	10	11 <sup>15 3/4</sup>	11 <sup>19 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>10 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>9</sup>	3 <sup>4</sup>
6	Wife for Life	5	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>
5	Best of the West	8	8 <sup>9</sup>	9 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>7</sup>	7 <sup>10</sup>	5 <sup>8 1/2</sup>
7	Arctica	1	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>9</sup>	6 <sup>10 1/2</sup>
8	Aloha Baby	3	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	6 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>10 3/4</sup>
3	Lady Natha Lee	11	10 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>17 1/2</sup>	11 <sup>14 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>18</sup>	8 <sup>18 3/4</sup>
11	Nightstargazer	4	7 <sup>8</sup>	8 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>5</sup>	8 <sup>14</sup>	9 <sup>18 3/4</sup>
2	La Chatte	9	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7</sup>	9 <sup>16</sup>	10 <sup>20 3/4</sup>
9	Thebesticouldbe	6	6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>10</sup>	11 <sup>20</sup>	11 <sup>24 3/4</sup>

Trainers: 10 - Gaston, Jim; 4 - Fister, John; 1 - Hinojosa, Gerardo; 6 - Norman, Cole; 5 - Johnson, Jr., Henry; 7 - Irwin, Ralph; 8 - Northrop, Jr., George; 3 - Young, Troy; 11 - Cormier, Sr., Donald; 2 - Matthieu, Ronald; 9 - David, Jr., Sam

Owners: 10 - Jack Massanelli; 4 - Thunder Chicken, Inc.; 1 - Barnett Stables LLC; 6 - Greiner, Elaine and Fox, Richard; 5 - Darlene Wahman; 7 - Royce G. Roberts; 8 - Rognon, Charles T. and Adams, Robert A.; 3 - Williams, Jo and Bush; 11 - Harvey A. Perque; 2 - J. Minos Simon; 9 - Abba Farms, Inc.;

**Footnotes**

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate