

SARATOGA - August 10, 2011 - Race 1

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD FOALING IN NEW YORK STATE AND APPROVED BY THE NEW YORK STATE-BRED

REGISTRY WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR STARTER OR WHICH HAVE

NEVER WON THREE RACES OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$50,000. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

Non-winners of \$24,000 on the turf since June 7 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Races where entered for \$35,000 or less not considered in allowances) (Preference by condition eligibility). (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at Five and One Half Furlongs on the main track.). (SNW2 X) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000

Five And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Track Record:** (Lady Shipman - 1:00.46 - August 30, 2015)

Purse: \$48,000

Includes: \$4,000 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$48,000

Value of Race: \$48,000 1st \$26,400, 2nd \$8,800, 3rd \$4,400, 4th \$2,640, 5th \$1,760, 6th \$1,000, 7th \$1,000, 8th \$1,000, 9th \$1,000

Weather: Clear **Track:** Good

Off at: 1:01 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
26Jun11 ⁵ WO ^B	5	Silver Timber (Dominguez, Ramon)	121	L b	4	2	4 ¹	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3/4}	1.90*	duck in, squeezed by
25Jul11 ⁴ SAR ^B	8	Hot Money (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	116 ⁵	L	7	8	9	8 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹	15.40	5w top lane, good kick
3Jul11 ¹⁰ BEL ¹	4	Holy Ego (Leparoux, Julien)	123	L b	3	4	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	7.50	beh wall 1/8, alt crse
9Jul11 ⁶ BEL ³	6	Strong Impact (Velazquez, John)	121	L b	5	7	8 ^{1/2}	9	7 ¹	4 ^{Neck}	2.95	ins 1/2-3/16, spl't 1/16
15Jul11 ⁷ BEL ⁴	7	Can't Refuse (Lezcano, Abel)	121	L b	6	3	6 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1 1/2}	36.25	hustle early, 4w top
7Jul11 ⁷ BEL ²	10	Pegasus Tommy D. (Velasquez, Cornelio)	121	L b	9	5	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 3/4}	5.00	3 wide pursuit
7Jul11 ⁷ BEL ⁴	3	Chernobyl's Hero (Prado, Edgar)	121	L b	2	6	5 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	7 ¹	23.10	saved ground, faltered
17Jun11 ⁶ BEL ⁶	2	Glory Game (Castro, Eddie)	117	L	1	9	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	8 ¹	11.00	rushed up rail, tired
7Nov10 ⁸ AQU ⁷	9	Ezzy (Maragh, Rajiv)	121	L b	8	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	9	9	8.50	disputed in 2p, folded

Fractional Times: 22.73 46.15 57.96

Final Time: 1:03.98

Split Times: (23:42) (11:81) (6:02)

Run-Up: 24 feet **Temporary Rail:** 18 feet

Winner: Silver Timber, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Prime Timber out of River Princess, by Alwuhush. Foaled Apr 09, 2003 in New York.

Breeder: Sez Who Thoroughbreds. **Winning Owner:** Dubb, Michael and High Grade Racing Stable

Claiming Prices: 5 - Silver Timber: \$50,000; 8 - Hot Money: \$50,000; 7 - Can't Refuse: \$50,000; 10 - Pegasus Tommy D.: \$50,000; 3 - Chernobyl's Hero: \$50,000; 9 - Ezzy: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Coljak (Main-Track-Only), Compliance Officer (Trainer), Head Heart Hoof (Main-Track-Only), Quick Money (Main-Track-Only), Won Great Classic (Main-Track-Only)

Total WPS Pool: \$247,244

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Silver Timber	5.80	3.50	2.80	\$2.00 Exacta	5-8	115.00	252,617
8	Hot Money		11.20	7.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	5-8-4	760.00	128,532
4	Holy Ego			5.00	\$2.00 Superfecta	5-8-4-6	2,597.00	65,575

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	3/8	Str	Fin
5	Silver Timber	2	4 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{3/4}
8	Hot Money	8	9 ^{6 1/2}	8 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{3/4}
4	Holy Ego	4	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ⁴	8 ^{3 3/4}	3 ^{1 3/4}
6	Strong Impact	7	8 ⁶	9 ⁵	7 ^{2 3/4}	4 ^{2 1/4}
7	Can't Refuse	3	6 ⁴	6 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{3/4}	5 ^{2 1/2}
10	Pegasus Tommy D.	5	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	6 ⁴
3	Chernobyl's Hero	6	5 ³	5 ³	6 ^{1 3/4}	7 ^{5 3/4}
2	Glory Game	9	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	5 ^{1 1/4}	8 ^{6 3/4}
9	Ezzy	1	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	9 ^{5 1/4}	9 ^{7 3/4}

Trainers: 5 - Brown, Chad; 8 - O'Brien, Leo; 4 - Contessa, Gary; 6 - Schosberg, Richard; 7 - Persaud, Randi; 10 - Rice, Linda; 3 - Odintz, Jeff; 2 - Rice, Linda; 9 - Duggan, David

Owners: 5 - Dubb, Michael and High Grade Racing Stable; 8 - Christopher F.X. Riegler; 4 - Winter Park Partners; 6 - Schosberg, Dawn and Greenhut, Robert; 7 - Randi Persaud; 10 - Racepoint Stables; 3 - Karakorum Farm; 2 - Bear Stables, Ltd.; 9 - Lynda S. Hayes;

Footnotes

SILVER TIMBER settled nicely into midpack after a good start and patiently stalked the front runners with the rider atop with a firm hold, availed of the opportunity to duck over to the pocket, with a wall of rivals spread out five deep in the process of being formed at that juncture, waited briefly before availing of a second opportunity, squeezing by rivals along the rail, after a hard used GLORY GAME inadvertently drifted outward just enough to allow passage to his left side, emerged from the furlong holding a clear advantage, but with a host of rivals still in hot pursuit, dug in with good determination and under good handling to successfully fend them off to earn the decision. HOT MONEY unhurried early, commenced to rally from the five path at the head of the stretch and came home with good energy to procure the place. HOLY EGO swung four wide into the stretch, appeared to be moving willingly only to have that progress temporarily halted, stuck behind a tightly-packed wall, coming to the eighth pole, altered course outward for freedom, losing some momentum in the process, then continued on with good courage once straightened away to secure the show. STRONG IMPACT was taken to the rail nearing the end of the backstretch, took the inside route until the three-sixteenths pole, angled outward at that station, split rivals a furlong down the road and came home willingly to garner the last major slice of the pot. CAN'T REFUSE was hustled along leaving the starting gate, but could advance no further than into midpack, raced along the outside, was already under encouragement swinging from the four path into the lane, got out finished. PEGASUS TOMMY D. underwent a three wide pursuit, remained a prominent factor before backing away during the last eighth. CHERNOBYL'S HERO saved ground, was starting to fall back by midpoint on the turn. GLORY GAME the last to leave the starting gate, rushed up to the front from the inside, argued for the lead while racing along the inside, came under heavy pressure by upper stretch and succumbed. EZZY disputed the pace from the two path, folded.

