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## SARATOGA - August 21, 2011 - Race 5

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF (UP TO \$9,500 NYSBFOA) FOR MAIDENS, THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt - Originally Scheduled For the Turf **Track Record:** (Lawyer Ron - 1:46.64 - July 28, 2007)

**Purse:** \$51,000

**Includes:** \$1,000 Starters Bonus

**Available Money:** \$51,000

**Value of Race:** \$51,000 1st \$30,000, 2nd \$10,000, 3rd \$5,000, 4th \$3,000, 5th \$2,000, 6th \$1,000

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Muddy (Sealed)

**Off at:** 2:55 **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
3Jul11 <sup>8</sup> CD <sup>3</sup>	9	Cease (Mena, Miguel)	123 L	5	3	4 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup>	1 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	1.50*	3 wide trip, drew away
29Jul11 <sup>2</sup> SAR <sup>4</sup>	1	Springcourt (Velazquez, John)	119 L	1	2	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>7</sup>	1.55	acted up gate, no match
17Jul11 <sup>1</sup> SAR <sup>6</sup>	8	Easy Reach (Lezcano, Jose)	123 L	4	1	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	7.20	rated in 2p until 5/16
18Jul11 <sup>5</sup> DEL <sup>2</sup>	6	Depreciable (Velasquez, Cornelio)	119 L b	3	5	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	8.20	off ins, never involved
29Jul11 <sup>2</sup> SAR <sup>5</sup>	2	Rivendell (Cruz, Manoel)	119 L b	2	4	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>16 3/4</sup>	17.50	ins 1st turn, tired
15Jun11 <sup>4</sup> BEL <sup>3</sup>	10	Empiricist (Castellano, Javier)	119 L b	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	7.10	off beat slow, trailed

**Fractional Times:** 24.08 48.32 1:13.75 1:39.18 **Final Time:** 1:51.93

**Split Times:** (24:24) (25:43) (25:43) (12:75)

**Run-Up:** 70 feet

**Winner:** Cease, Bay Gelding, by War Chant out of Limit, by Cox's Ridge. Foaled Mar 13, 2007 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Claiborne Farm & Adele B. Dilschneider. **Winning Owner:** Claiborne Farm and Dilschneider, Adele B.

**Scratched Horse(s):** Bonded (IRE) (Also-Eligible), Colossal Gift (Off-Turf), Deposit Slip (Off-Turf), Dream Man (Also-Eligible), Magnificent Moon (Also-Eligible), Majesty's Pilgrim (Also-Eligible), Smokin Star (Off-Turf), Wanganui (Off-Turf)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$386,844

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
9	Cease	5.00	2.80	2.60	\$2.00 Exacta	9-1	13.20	315,532
1	Springcourt		3.10	2.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	9-1-8	48.00	184,478
8	Easy Reach			3.30	\$2.00 Pick 3	1-7-9 (3 correct)	148.50	71,071
					\$2.00 Pick 4	2-1-7-9 (4 correct)	503.00	213,322
					\$2.00 Daily Double	7-9	55.00	56,058

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
9	Cease	3	4 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>6</sup>	1 <sup>13 1/2</sup>
1	Springcourt	2	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>8</sup>	2 <sup>13 1/2</sup>
8	Easy Reach	1	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>6</sup>	3 <sup>20 1/2</sup>
6	Depreciable	5	5 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>11</sup>	4 <sup>24 3/4</sup>
2	Rivendell	4	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>28 3/4</sup>
10	Empiricist	6	6 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>9</sup>	6 <sup>10</sup>	6 <sup>15 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>45 1/2</sup>

**Trainers:** 9 - Stall, Jr., Albert; 1 - Pletcher, Todd; 8 - Fisher, Jack; 6 - Ritter, Shannon; 2 - LoPresti, Charles; 10 - Toner, James

**Owners:** 9 - Claiborne Farm and Dilschneider, Adele B.; 1 - Melnyk Racing Stables, Inc.; 8 - Sheila J. Williams; 6 - WinStar Farm LLC; 2 - Elisabeth H. Alexander; 10 - AJ Suited Racing Stable, LLC;

### Footnotes

CEASE away in good order, assumed a forward position soon after the start, pursued the leader three wide, moved up gradually proceeding down the backstretch, with the rider still holding something in reserve, made his challenge when ready coming to the five-sixteenths pole, gliding past the now fully extended former pacesetter to take over, was put to a brisk drive after settling into upper stretch, emerged from the furlong grounds with a commanding advantage, was granted a respite with about a sixteenth to go, before re put to a vigorous hand ride for the last seventy yards. SPRINGCOURT acted up in the starting gate after being loaded in, resulting in the rider bailing off, was backed out, given a once over by the veterinarian then reloaded, proceeded to come away in good order, attended the pacesetter from the outside during the opening stages, coaxed along to keep pace, was allowed to fall back a bit nearing the end of the backstretch, though still well within striking distance, angled outward turning for home, got called upon, but had to settle for being second best. EASY REACH broke alertly to grab the front, took up residence in the two path, showed the way, well rated and only lightly pressed, got put to the test by the winner nearing the five-sixteenths pole, was set down to strong encouragement, yet readily yielded, tired steadily thereafter. DEPRECIABLE off the inside, was never involved. RIVENDELL saved ground during the run around the opening bend, vacated the premises upon reaching the backstretch, alternated to being two to three wide, was through after completing six furlongs. EMPIRICIST off a beat slowly, trailed throughout.