

SARATOGA - August 27, 2011 - Race 4

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

INNER TURF FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR THREE YEAR OLDS OR WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE ON THE TURF SINCE FEBRUARY 27. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs.

Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over On The Turf Since June 27, 2011 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$20,000 (Races where entered for \$16,000 or less not considered) (Winners Preferred)(Purse reflects an increase of \$10,000 providing a minimum of eight betting interests leaves the paddock.). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Inner turf **Track Record:** (Zagora (FR) - 1:39.07 - August 25, 2012)

Purse: \$44,000

Includes: \$7,000 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$44,000

Value of Race: \$44,000 1st \$22,200, 2nd \$7,400, 3rd \$3,700, 4th \$2,220, 5th \$1,480, 6th \$1,000, 7th \$1,000, 8th \$1,000, 9th \$1,000, 10th \$1,000, 11th \$1,000, 12th \$1,000

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Firm

Off at: 1:11 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25Jun11 ⁸ BEL ⁴	4	Good Prospect (Castellano, Javier)	121	L	b	3 1	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ¹	1 ^{Nose}	2.45*	ins,ask 5/16,up 1/16pl
25Jul11 ⁷ SAR ⁶	8	Desert Wheat (Lezcano, Jose)	121	L	b	6 6	8 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	2 ^{1 1/4}	8.90	wait 5/16-3/16,gd kick
6Aug11 ¹ SAR ⁶	9	Indy Scent (Castro, Eddie)	121	L	b	7 9	9 ^{1/2}	9 ¹	9 ^{1 1/2}	7 ¹	3 ^{1 3/4}	19.10	5w ang to 3/16,surged
22Jul11 ¹⁰ SAR ³	3	Hanson Heights (Solis, Alex)	121	L		2 5	12	12	12	9 ¹	4 ^{Neck}	3.80	off inside, belatedly
16Jul11 ¹⁰ BEL ³	7	Fine Flyer (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	116 ⁵	L	b	5 3	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	13.40	prompt,bid 1/4,wknd
18Aug11 ⁴ SAR ⁷	2	French Transition (Lezcano, Abel)	121	L		1 12	10 ¹	11 ²	10 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{Neck}	61.25	rail run 2nd,flattened
18Aug11 ⁷ SAR ⁵	1	Tiger Willie (Curatolo, Ryan)	116 ⁵	f		12 2	7 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1 1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	8 ^{1/2}	7 ^{2 3/4}	40.25	taken 6w into upper
29Jun10 ⁹ PHA ¹	6	Montesquieu (Leparoux, Julien)	121	L		4 4	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	8 ^{1 1/4}	6.80	slow to rate,test 1/4
22Jul11 ¹⁰ SAR ⁵	12	Giarixa (Desormeaux, Kent)	121	L		10 8	6 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ¹	9 ^{Neck}	28.00	outside, folded
6Aug11 ¹ SAR ⁹	11	Piazza Di Spagna (Maragh, Rajiv)	121	L	b	9 11	11 ²	10 ^{1/2}	11 ^{1/2}	12	10 ^{Neck}	32.50	4w into lane, no bids
6Aug11 ¹ SAR ⁵	13	Monzante (Albarado, Robby)	121	L		11 10	5 ¹	6 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	11 ^{1/2}	11 ^{4 1/2}	3.80	3-4w journey, tired
11Aug11 ¹⁰ SAR ⁷	10	Self Made Man (Velasquez, Cornelio)	121	L	b	8 7	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	10 ^{1/2}	12	24.75	3w 2nd,thru after 6F

Fractional Times: 23.81 48.00 1:11.94 1:35.84 **Final Time:** 1:41.78

Split Times: (24:19) (23:94) (23:90) (5:94)

Run-Up: 28 feet

Winner: Good Prospect, Bay Gelding, by Good and Tough out of Herb's Prospect, by Claim. Foaled Apr 05, 2004 in New York.

Breeder: Mary Jo Herbert.

Winning Owner: Dubb, Michael, Bethlehem Stables LLC and Aisquith, Gary

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Monzante** New Trainer: Steven M. Asmussen New Owner: J. Kirk Robison

Claiming Prices: 4 - Good Prospect: \$20,000; 8 - Desert Wheat: \$20,000; 9 - Indy Scent: \$20,000; 3 - Hanson Heights: \$20,000; 7 - Fine Flyer: \$20,000; 2 - French Transition: \$20,000; 1 - Tiger Willie: \$20,000; 6 - Montesquieu: \$20,000; 12 - Giarixa: \$20,000; 11 - Piazza Di Spagna: \$20,000; 13 - Monzante: \$20,000; 10 - Self Made Man: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Majestic Hope (Main-Track-Only), Merlin Bay (Main-Track-Only), R J Hope (Trainer), Slamm'n Lou (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$541,238

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Good Prospect	6.90	4.20	3.20	\$2.00 Pick 3	3-12-4 (3 correct)	217.00	76,207
8	Desert Wheat		7.90	5.40	\$2.00 Daily Double	12-4	42.20	90,172
9	Indy Scent			9.10	\$2.00 Exacta	4-8	47.80	521,841
					\$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	3-3-4 (3 correct)	23.00	0
					\$2.00 Quinella	4-8	29.20	27,485
					\$2.00 Superfecta	4-8-9-3	2,468.00	137,525
					\$2.00 Trifecta	4-8-9	541.00	256,182

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Good Prospect	1	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ²	3 ²	1 ^{Nose}
8	Desert Wheat	6	8 ⁶	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{4 1/2}	4 ³	2 ^{Nose}
9	Indy Scent	9	9 ^{7 1/2}	9 ^{6 1/2}	9 ^{5 1/2}	7 ^{5 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/4}
3	Hanson Heights	5	12 ¹¹	12 ¹⁰	12 ⁸	9 ⁷	4 ³
7	Fine Flyer	3	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	5 ^{3 1/4}
2	French Transition	12	10 ⁸	11 ⁸	10 ⁷	5 ⁴	6 ^{3 3/4}
1	Tiger Willie	2	7 ^{5 1/2}	8 ⁵	8 ⁵	8 ^{6 1/2}	7 ⁴
6	Montesquieu	4	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ¹	8 ^{6 3/4}
12	Giarixa	8	6 ⁴	5 ³	6 ³	6 ^{4 1/2}	9 ⁸
11	Piazza Di Spagna	11	11 ⁹	10 ^{7 1/2}	11 ^{7 1/2}	12 ⁹	10 ^{8 1/4}
13	Monzante	10	5 ³	6 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{2 1/2}	11 ^{8 1/2}	11 ^{8 1/2}
10	Self Made Man	7	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{1 1/2}	10 ⁸	12 ¹³

Trainers: 4 - Brown, Chad; 8 - Mott, William; 9 - Gyarmati, Leah; 3 - Benzal, Seth; 7 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 2 - Martin, Sr., Frank; 1 - Shivmangal, Doodnauth; 6 - Clement, Christophe; 12 - Hess, Jr., Robert; 11 - Sciacca, Gary; 13 - Romans, Dale; 10 - Brown, Bruce

Owners: 4 - Dubb, Michael, Bethlehem Stables LLC and Aisquith, Gary; 8 - Wachtel Stable, Brous Stable and Lee, Jerry D.; 9 - Bona Venture Stables; 3 - Melnyk Racing Stables, Inc.; 7 - Will, Samantha and David; 2 - Team Jomar Stable; 1 - Shivmangal Racing Stable, LLC; 6 - Catherine M. Wills; 12 - Bluegrass Hall LLC; 11 - One Pond Stable; 13 - Blue Devil Racing Stable (Holliday); 10 - La Marca Stable;

Footnotes

GOOD PROSPECT placed under a firm hold soon after the start, contently tracked the front runners while taking the inside route, was put to strong

encouragement midpoint on the second turn, advanced into a good striking position, paused just off MONTESQUIEU's heels upon reaching the quarter pole, found room and was angled outward a short distance later, took off with good energy after being completing the move, grabbed the lead just prior to the sixteenth pole, with the runner up in close proximity and full of momentum, dug in with good determination to preserve an ever-dwindling margin to prove best. DESERT WHEAT saved ground in the initial stages, slipped into the two path near the end of the backstretch, sat under a snug hold during the run around the far turn, with rivals placed directly to his outside, was forced to bide time for a furlong, starting from the five-sixteenths pole, made a three wide angle at that juncture to secure the needed running room. closed strongly to loom a bold threat with about a sixteenth to go, continued to chop away at the top one's lead, but came up short, in a good try nonetheless. INDY SCENT saved ground, was let out a notch coming to the five-sixteenths pole, angled out gradually to be five wide by the three-sixteenths pole, displayed a late surge down the center of the course to grab the show. HANSON HEIGHTS lagged behind at the back of the pack for nearly three-quarters, finished well belatedly to secure the last major share. FINE FLYER patiently prompted the pacesetter from the outside, issued a challenge coming to the quarter pole, kept up the pressure for an additional furlong before backing away. FRENCH TRANSITION rode the rail, made an inside run around the far turn to improve position, angled outward after reaching the lane to continue the move, flattened out. TIGER WILLIE taken six wide into upper stretch, had no response. MONTESQUIEU away well, moved up willingly to secure the front, was slow to rate, offering some resistance to the rating tactics being applied by the rider until well into the run down the backstretch, was put to the test approaching the quarter pole, got let out in response to the increased pressure, yielded nearing the sixteenth pole and weakened steadily thereafter. GIARIXA raced along the outside and folded. PIAZZA DI SPAGNA came four wide into the stretch, had no offering to render. MONZANTE underwent a three to four wide journey, tired. SELF MADE MAN three wide departing the backstretch, was through after completing three-quarters.