

SARATOGA - September 2, 2004 - Race 5

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Since June 30 Allowed 2 lbs. A Race Since Then Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000, if for \$22,500, allowed 2 lbs. (Races where entered for \$20,000 or less not considered). **Claiming Price:** \$25,000 - \$22,500

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Speightstown - 1:08.00 - August 14, 2004)

Purse: \$27,000

Available Money: \$27,000

Value of Race: \$27,000 1st \$16,200, 2nd \$5,400, 3rd \$2,700, 4th \$1,350, 5th \$810, 6th \$135, 7th \$135, 8th \$135, 9th \$135

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:16 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
8Aug04 ² PIM ¹	5	Swinging Gate (Prado, Edgar)	120 L b	5	6	5 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Nose}	7.90	got nod, stiff drive
20Aug04 ³ SAR ³	2B	Drama Queen (Santos, Jose)	120 L cf	4	2	6 ^{Head}	6 ^{Head}	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{3/4}	2.60	game outside, missed
2Aug04 ¹ SAR ¹	3	Sparkling Blue (Lezcano, Jose)	118 ⁵ L cf	3	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	1.30*	pace, clear, faltered
30Jul04 ¹ SAR ¹	2	Credit Gal (Velasquez, Cornelio)	120 L bc	1	9	8 ³	8 ²	4 ³ 1/2	4 ^{3/4}	2.60	good finish on rail
14Aug04 ¹ SAR ⁵	4	Halfway to Heaven (Ore, Zarella)	113 ⁵ L bf	2	8	9	9	6 ^{1/2}	5 ³	45.00	stumbled start
14Aug04 ¹ SAR ⁴	8	Tempting Choice (Castellano, Javier)	118 L b	9	7	7 ⁶	7 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹	6 ⁶ 3/4	5.00	ducked out start
14Aug04 ¹ SAR ³	7	Hummel (Albarado, Robby)	120 L bc	8	5	3 ²	2 ²	7 ² 1/2	7 ³ 1/4	16.40	chased 3 wide, tired
2Aug04 ¹ SAR ²	3X	Gamble's Answer (Migliore, Richard)	120 L cf	6	3	4 ¹ 1/2	5 ^{Head}	8 ²	8 ⁴ 1/2	1.30*	chased inside, tired
15Aug04 ⁸ SAR ⁶	6	Western Rush (Gryder, Aaron)	120 L	7	4	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	9	9	9.50	tired after a half

Fractional Times: 22.17 45.56 58.20

Final Time: 1:11.41

Split Times: (23:39) (12:64) (13:21)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Swinging Gate, Bay Mare, by Native Regent out of Tella Gate, by Gate Dancer. Foaled Apr 16, 1999 in Florida.

Breeder: Kim Roberts & Marty Hershe.

Winning Owner: Michael J. Gill

3 Claimed Horse(s):	Drama Queen	New Trainer: Bruce N. Levine	New Owner: Roddy J. Valente
	Hummel	New Trainer: Richard E. Dutrow, Jr.	New Owner: Vincent S. Scuderi
	Tempting Choice	New Trainer: Dale L. Romans	New Owner: Kenneth L. Ramsey

Claiming Prices: 5 - Swinging Gate: \$25,000; 2B - Drama Queen: \$25,000; 3 - Sparkling Blue: \$25,000; 2 - Credit Gal: \$25,000; 4 - Halfway to Heaven: \$22,500; 8 - Tempting Choice: \$22,500; 7 - Hummel: \$25,000; 3X - Gamble's Answer: \$25,000; 6 - Western Rush: \$25,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Burst of Dawn (Veterinarian), Cove Hill Missile (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$414,734

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Swinging Gate	17.80	8.10	3.70	\$2.00 Exacta	5-2	68.50	365,509
2B	Drama Queen		4.30	2.50	\$2.00 Trifecta	5-2-3	140.50	225,652
3	Sparkling Blue			2.20	\$2.00 Pick 3	3-9-5 (3 correct)	725.00	76,821
					\$2.00 Consolation Pick 3	3-9-1 (3 correct)	48.60	0

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
5	Swinging Gate	6	5 ⁴ 1/2	3 ³ 1/2	2 ² 1/2	1 ^{Nose}
2B	Drama Queen	2	6 ⁶	6 ⁴ 1/4	3 ³	2 ^{Nose}
3	Sparkling Blue	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2	3 ^{3/4}
2	Credit Gal	9	8 ¹²	8 ⁵ 3/4	4 ⁴ 1/2	4 ² 1/4
4	Halfway to Heaven	8	9 ¹⁵	9 ⁷ 3/4	6 ⁹	5 ³
8	Tempting Choice	7	7 ⁶	7 ⁴ 1/4	5 ⁸	6 ⁶
7	Hummel	5	3 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	7 ⁹ 1/2	7 ¹² 3/4
3X	Gamble's Answer	3	4 ³	5 ⁴	8 ¹²	8 ¹⁶
6	Western Rush	4	2 ^{1/2}	4 ³ 1/2	9 ¹⁴	9 ²⁰ 1/2

Trainers: 5 - Shuman, Mark; 2B - Galluscio, Dominic; 3 - Hushion, Michael; 2 - Galluscio, Dominic; 4 - Ferraro, James; 8 - Matties, Gregg; 7 - Contessa, Gary; 3X - Hushion, Michael; 6 - Terranova, Il, John

Owners: 5 -Michael J. Gill; 2b- Canzone, Sr., Peter J. and Eloise; 3 - Triumph Stables; 2 - Canzone, Sr., Peter J. and Eloise; 4 - RCircle of Friends Stable; 8 -Paul J. Matties, Jr.; 7 -Maggi Moss; 3x-Marty Cunningham; 6 -Albert Frassetto;

Footnotes

SWINGING GATE was urged along outside, rallied wide into the stretch, dug in gamely when roused and got the nod after a stiff drive. DRAMA QUEEN was outrun early, rallied wide approaching the stretch, finished gamely outside and just missed. SPARKLING BLUE quickly showed in front, set the pace, drew clear in the stretch and faltered late. CREDIT GAL was outrun early, rallied inside and finished well on the rail. HALFWAY TO HEAVEN stumbled at the start, was outrun early, came wide into the stretch and offered a mild rally outside. TEMPTING CHOICE ducked out at the start, was outrun early, raced five wide and tired in the stretch. HUMMEL chased the pace while three wide and tired in the stretch. GAMBLE'S ANSWER chased the pace along the inside and tired. WESTERN RUSH tired after a half mile.