THISTLEDOWN - July 21, 2008 - Race 3

EQUIBASE COMPANY

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 113 lbs.; Older, 115 lbs. Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since June 21 Allowed 2 lbs. One such race since then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price $4,000, For Each $500 Higher In Claiming Price An Additional 1 lb. (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). **Claiming Price:** $7,000 - $4,000

One And Three Sixteenth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Smoke Screen - 1:55.60 - July 17, 1954)

Purse: $8,200

Available Money: $8,200

Value of Race: $8,200 1st $4,920, 2nd $1,640, 3rd $820, 4th $410, 5th $246, 6th $164

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:10 **Start:** Good for all

Video Race Replay

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Jul08 ^{6}MNR^{5}	6	West Long Branch (Gonzalez, Luis)	116	L bf	6	1	2^{5}	2^{7}	2^{5}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	$1^{4\ 3/4}$	2.90	stalked, drew off
29Jun08 ^{2}PID^{1}	1	No Questions Asked (Skerrett, Jeffrey)	118	L	1	5	5^{1}	5^{1}	5^{2}	4^{Head}	2^{Head}	2.00	rallied for second
10Jul08 ^{4}TDN^{2}	4	Wolly Bully (Cloninger, Jr., Weldon)	111	L bf	4	2	$1^{1/2}$	1^{1}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	$2^{3\ 1/2}$	3^{Head}	2.00*	weakened stretch
7Jul08 ^{3}TDN^{3}	2	Tricky Wakeup (Diaz, Renzo)	114	L bf	2	3	3^{1}	3^{1}	$3^{1/2}$	3^{1}	4^{Head}	24.40	never far back, evenly
7Jul08 ^{1}TDN^{1}	5	Online (Meyers, Tommy)	118	L f	5	6	6	6	6	6	5^{3}	4.70	no threat
11Jul08 ^{1}TDN^{4}	3	Soldiersdon'tblush (Urieta-Moran, Victor)	117	L	3	4	4^{1}	4^{1}	$4^{1\ 1/2}$	5^{Head}	6	8.90	no late bid

Fractional Times: 23.08 48.28 1:14.48 1:41.12 **Final Time:** 2:00.98

Split Times: (25:20) (26:20) (26:64) (19:86)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: West Long Branch, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Bugatti Reef (IRE) out of Sweet Adell, by Broad Brush. Foaled Mar 25, 2002 in New Jersey.

Breeder: John Perrotta. **Winning Owner:** G. M. King Racing Stable, Inc.

Claiming Prices: 6 - West Long Branch: $4,000; 1 - No Questions Asked: $5,500; 4 - Wolly Bully: $4,000; 2 - Tricky Wakeup: $4,000; 5 - Online: $5,000; 3 - Soldiersdon'tblush: $4,000;

Total WPS Pool: $21,223

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	West Long Branch	7.80	3.80	2.80	$2.00 Exacta	6-1	33.00	22,774
1	No Questions Asked		3.80	3.20	$2.00 Trifecta	6-1-4	89.60	19,683
4	Wolly Bully			3.00	$1.00 Superfecta	6-1-4-2	172.40	10,729
					$2.00 Pick 3	2-6-6 (3 correct)	84.40	3,269

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
6	West Long Branch	1	$2^{1/2}$	2^{1}	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	$1^{4\ 3/4}$
1	No Questions Asked	5	$5^{7\ 1/2}$	5^{10}	$5^{8\ 1/2}$	4^{6}	$2^{4\ 3/4}$
4	Wolly Bully	2	$1^{1/2}$	1^{1}	$1^{1\ 1/2}$	$2^{1\ 1/2}$	$3^{4\ 3/4}$
2	Tricky Wakeup	3	$3^{5\ 1/2}$	3^{8}	$3^{6\ 1/2}$	3^{5}	4^{5}
5	Online	6	$6^{8\ 1/2}$	6^{11}	$6^{10\ 1/2}$	$6^{6\ 1/4}$	5^{5}
3	Soldiersdon'tblush	4	$4^{6\ 1/2}$	4^{9}	4^{7}	5^{6}	6^{8}

Trainers: 6 - King, Gary; 1 - Guciardo, Robert; 4 - Faulkner, Randy; 2 - Morgan, Kenneth; 5 - Barnes, Bart; 3 - Faulkner, Rodney

Owners: 6 - G. M. King Racing Stable, Inc.; 1 -Robert Guciardo; 4 - Outlaws and Angels, Inc.; 2 -Charles C. Cook; 5 -Bart A. Barnes; 3 -Rodney C. Faulkner;

Footnotes

WEST LONG BRANCH stalked WOOLY BULLY until the second turn, rallied and got clear at the quarter pole, drew off through the lane under strong handling. NO QUESTIONS ASKED unhurried early, rallied through the stretch split horses and was up for second. WOLLY BULLY set the pace, then weakened slightly in late stretch and just missed second. TRICKY WAKEUP never far back, lacked a late response and went evenly. ONLINE slow early, did not threaten. SOLDIERSDON'TBLUSH unhurried early, had no late bid.

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