

THIRD RACE Aqueduct November 17th, 2013

1 1/4 MILES. (1.47) STAKES. Purse \$100,000 *SLEW O' GOLD S. FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UP*. No nomination fee Supplemental nominations can be made by closing time of entries. \$1,000 to enter starters to receive a \$750 rebate. 60% to the owner of the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% to be divided equally among the remaining finishers. Three Year Olds 120 lbs. Older 122 lbs. Non-winners of a sweepstakes at a mile or over since July 19, allowed 2 lbs. Three races 4 lbs. (Maiden, claiming, starter, and restricted allowance races not considered in allowances). Closed Sunday, November 10, 2013 with 13 Original Nominations and 2 Supplements. (Showery 60)

Value of Race: \$100,000 Winner \$60,000; second \$20,000; third \$10,000; fourth \$5,000; fifth \$3,000; sixth \$667; seventh \$667; eighth \$666. Mutuel Pool \$199,998 Pick 3 Pool \$73,177 Daily Double Pool \$45,680 Exacta Pool \$211,622 Superfecta Pool \$52,747 Trifecta Pool \$111,631

Last Raced	#	Horse	M/Eqt.	A/S	Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
19Oct13	11Bel ²	7 Bigger Is Better	L b	5H	122	7	5	5 ²	5 ²	6 ³	6 ^{2 1/2}	1nk	Arroyo A S	8.40
14Oct13	9Bel ²	6 Don Dulce	L b	5G	120	6	3	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	4 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	2nk	Cohen D	3.85
14Oct13	9Bel ⁴	2 Percussion	L	5G	120	2	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1hd	3 ^{1/2}	Castellano J	1.80
17Oct13	8Bel ⁷	3 Atigun	L	4C	120	3	6	6 ^{1/2}	6 ²	5 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ^{2 1/2}	Ortiz J L	6.50
07Sep13	8Bel ⁴	1 Quick Casablanca (CHI)	L	5H	118	1	7	7 ⁵	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{3 1/2}	7 ¹	5nk	Rosario J	4.50
26Oct13	3Lrl ²	4 Aussi Austin	L b	5H	118	4	2	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3hd	4 ¹	6nk	Velasquez C H	7.00
14Oct13	9Bel ⁶	5 Fast Falcon	L	4C	118	5	8	8	8	8	8	7 ^{2 1/4}	Alvarado J	14.60
19Oct13	10Lrl ²	8 Romancing the Gold	L	4G	118	8	4	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	5hd	8	Lezcano J	44.00

OFF AT 1:18 Start Good For All But 1,5. Won driving. Track Fast.
TIME :242, :492, 1:134, 1:38, 1:50² (:24.44, :49.57, 1:13.87, 1:38.11, 1:50.47)

\$2 Mutuel Prices:

7- BIGGER IS BETTOR 18.80 6.50 3.30
6- DON DULCE 5.10 2.90
2- PERCUSSION 2.80

\$2 EXACTA 7-6 PAID \$67.00 \$2 SUPERFECTA 7-6-2-3 PAID \$1,630.00

\$2 TRIFECTA 7-6-2 PAID \$286.50

Gray or Roan Horse, (Apr), by Grand Reward - Regal Angela by Regal Intention. Trainer Ubillo A. Rodrigo. Bred by Chester Broman & Mary R. Broman(NY).

BIGGER IS BETTOR two to three wide in mid pack, came under encouragement at the five-sixteenths, cornered five wide into upper stretch, angled out a path nearing the final furlong for a clear lane, got on track gaining steadily with every stride and surged late outside a trio to just get up on the wire. DON DULCE tracked the pace along the inside in mid pack, got roused and cut the corner into the stretch as ROMANCING THE GOLD drifted off the rail just enough to leave the seam, rallied into contention a furlong out, battled head to head with PERCUSSION taking a narrow advantage a sixteenth out, dug in determined but was nailed on the wire. PERCUSSION attended the pace from just off the inside between foes, came under coaxing at the five-sixteenths, got roused three wide at the head of the stretch, took over nearing the eighth pole under challenge from a trio, dug in and fought on through to the wire, got displaced narrowly a sixteenth out, ran on willingly for the show. ATIGUN two to three wide towards the rear, angled five wide for home placed to a drive, rallied into prominence a furlong from home to threaten for command then was outfinished in the final sixteenth despite offering good energy to the line. QUICK CASABLANCA (CHI) bobbed at the start, settled two to three wide towards the rear, came under a ride at the five-sixteenths, angled six wide for home, offered up a mild late kick but was unable to make an impact. AUSSI AUSTIN broke out at the start bumping FAST FALCON and squeezing that one lightly against DON DULCE, raced three wide in hand in close aim of the front outside a pair, got set down swinging four wide into upper stretch, bid mildly to the eighth pole remaining in contention to that station before flattening out in the late stages. FAST FALCON bumped by AUSSI AUSTIN who broke out, was briefly in hand soon after when squeezed between foes, settled just off the inside at the rear, came under urging at the five-sixteenths, spun five wide into the stretch, made some progress late on while never able to threaten. ROMANCING THE GOLD away well, crossed to the inside into the first turn establishing the front while in hand and attended by a pair in close aim, remained patiently handled until set down nearing the quarter pole, cornered just off the inside for home, dug in and was headed just outside the eighth pole and steadily weakened to the wire.

Owners- 7, Broman, Sr., Chester and Mary; 6, Gold Square LLC and Jacobson, David; 2, Barber Gary; 3, Shortleaf Stable, Inc.; 1, Gomez Pablo; 4, Dubb, Michael, Bethlehem Stables LLC and Imperio, Michael; 5, Pell Richard C.; 8, Iglesias Jesse

Trainers- 7, Ubillo Rodrigo A.; 6, Jacobson David; 2, Pletcher Todd A.; 3, Jerkens James A.; 1, Clement Christophe; 4, Rodriguez Rudy R.; 5, Zito Nicholas P.; 8, DiPrima Gregory

Breeders- 7, Chester Broman & Mary R. Broman (NY); 6, Pin Oak Stud, LLC (KY); 2, B. P. Walden & Bluegrass Farm Partners (KY); 3, Brereton C. Jones (KY); 1, Haras Matancilla (CHI); 4, Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. (KY); 5, B. P. Walden Jr. & H. G. King III (KY); 8, Dr. & Mrs. Thomas Bowman & Rebecca Davis (PA)

\$2 Daily Double (10-7) Paid \$81.50; Daily Double Pool \$45,680.

\$2 Pick Three (1-10-7) Paid \$487.50; Pick Three Pool \$73,177.

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