

SARATOGA - August 16, 2018 - Race 7

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$9,222 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES. Three Year Olds, 120 lbs.; Older, 125 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over In 2018 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000 (Maiden and Claiming races for \$35,000 or less not considered in weight allowances). (NW3 L) **Claiming Price:** \$50,000

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

Purse: \$53,000

Plus: \$106 Starters Bonus

Available Money: \$53,106

Value of Race: \$53,106 1st \$29,150, 2nd \$10,600, 3rd \$6,360, 4th \$3,180, 5th \$2,226, 6th \$795, 7th \$795

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:42 **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
1Jun18 ⁷ BEL ⁷	2	Adulator (Velazquez, John)	123	L	2	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	2.00*	in hand 2p, held safe
27Jul18 ⁸ SAR ⁶	6	Casses Story (Ortiz, Jose)	123	L	5	2	6 ²	6 ²	5 ¹	2 ²	2 ^{1 3/4}	7.10	4-3w1st, drift out str
19Jul18 ⁶ PEN ⁵	1	General Downs (Cohen, David)	123	L	1	1	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{Nose}	14.20	3w upper, ran on
23Jul18 ⁵ SAR ⁴	4	Tapsolute (Santana, Jr., Ricardo)	125	L	3	7	7	7	7	4 ^{1/2}	4 ³	8.00	5w upper, belatedly
23Jul18 ⁵ SAR ²	8	Admiral Blue (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	125	L	7	5	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ¹	5 ^{3 1/2}	5 ⁸	4.30	4-3w 1st turn, wknd
27Jul18 ⁸ SAR ⁵	7	Virtual Machine (Franco, Manuel)	123	L b	6	3	4 ¹	4 ¹	4 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	6 ^{1 1/4}	5.30	3w 1st turn, tired
30Jun18 ⁹ CD ⁵	5	Hollywood Handsome (Saez, Luis)	123	L	4	6	5 ²	5 ²	6 ^{3 1/2}	7	7	3.60	3w to 1/2p, tired

Fractional Times: 24.04 48.09 1:11.87 1:36.56


Final Time: 1:49.64

Split Times: (24:05) (23:78) (24:69) (13:08)

Run-Up: 80 feet

Winner: Adulator, Bay Horse, by Flatter out of Need, by Strong Hope. Foaled Apr 22, 2013 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Claiborne Farm.

Winning Owner: Centennial Farms 

3 Claimed Horse(s):	Adulator	New Trainer: Robertino Diodoro	New Owner: M and M Racing
	Casses Story	New Trainer: Joe Sharp	New Owner: Wayne R. Sanders
	Hollywood Handsome	New Trainer: Michael Tannuzzo	New Owner: Paul Braverman

Claiming Prices: 2 - Adulator: \$50,000; 6 - Casses Story: \$50,000; 1 - General Downs: \$50,000; 4 - Tapsolute: \$50,000; 8 - Admiral Blue: \$50,000; 7 - Virtual Machine: \$50,000; 5 - Hollywood Handsome: \$50,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Bon Raison (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$376,657

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Adulator	6.00	3.40	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	2-6	17.90	292,163
6	Casses Story		6.20	4.40	\$0.50 Trifecta	2-6-1	75.50	140,513
1	General Downs			4.90	\$1.00 Daily Double	7-2	20.30	73,268
					\$1.00 Pick 3	8-7-2 (3 correct)	103.50	82,628
					\$0.10 Superfecta	2-6-1-4	61.05	55,697

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Adulator	4	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹
6	Casses Story	2	6 ^{4 1/2}	6 ⁵	5 ⁴	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ¹
1	General Downs	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{2 3/4}
4	Tapsolute	7	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ⁷	7 ^{8 1/2}	4 ⁵	4 ^{2 3/4}
8	Admiral Blue	5	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ^{5 3/4}
7	Virtual Machine	3	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	4 ^{3 1/2}	6 ⁹	6 ^{13 3/4}
5	Hollywood Handsome	6	5 ^{2 1/2}	5 ³	6 ⁵	7 ¹⁰	7 ¹⁵

Trainers: 2 - Jerkens, James; 6 - Casse, Mark; 1 - Rubley, Kelly; 4 - Asmussen, Steven; 8 - Rodriguez, Rudy; 7 - Cannizzo, David; 5 - Stewart, Dallas

Owners: 2 - Centennial Farms; 6 - Live Oak Plantation; 1 - West Point Thoroughbreds; 4 - Winchell Thoroughbreds LLC; 8 - Leon J. Blusiewicz; 7 - Serjeant Equine; 5 - Stanley, Nancy and Mark;

Footnotes

ADULATOR made light contact with TAPSOLUTE under coaxing from the gate, settled showing the way in hand just off the inside through the opening bend through sensible splits under little pressure save for the presence of ADMIRAL BLUE to the outside, remained in a comfortable rhythm on hold awaiting a challenge down the backstretch and into the far turn, came under light coaxing at the five-sixteenths shaking off his closest rival, got set down spinning just off the inside for home, edged away under a drive, came under growing threat to the outside and held safe kept to task to prevail. CASSES STORY four then three wide through the first turn, settled three wide near the rear of the field, came under a ride tipped out four wide nearing the three-eighths, angled five wide into upper stretch, drifted out three paths under an off sided stick straightened away through to the eighth pole, came under a near sided stick inside the final furlong and drifted out five to six paths through to the finish while offering up a mild kick to close in and threaten late but was ultimately staved off being corrected only in the last jumps. GENERAL DOWNS two to three wide in pursuit from just off the pace, tucked inside half a mile from home, came under coaxing three furlongs from home, swung three wide into upper stretch and ran on to secure the show honors. TAPSOLUTE crossed directly to the inside after the start, saved ground at the tail of the field, came under a ride at the three-eighths, angled five wide into upper stretch and kicked on belatedly to secure the last major share. ADMIRAL BLUE coaxed from the gate, raced four then three wide through the first turn advancing to attend the leader to the outside and then three wide down the backstretch, remained on hold through the far turn until put to light coaxing as ADULATOR shook away nearing the quarter pole, went four wide for home, got roused straightened away and weakened through the final eighth. VIRTUAL MACHINE coaxed from the gate briefly, raced three wide through the opening bend being put briefly off heels at the seven-eighths as ADMIRAL BLUE crossed in front, settled four wide chasing from mid pack, came under coaxing half a mile from home, continued four wide at the top of the stretch and tired. HOLLYWOOD HANDSOME three wide through the first turn, chased three wide until tucked inside half a mile from home, came under coaxing at the seven-sixteenths, spun just off the inside at the head of the stretch and tired.

