

July 16, 1982

CAMPBELL'S FIRST MILLION-DOLLAR WIN IS NO JOKE

John Campbell, who would go on to win an unprecedented 23 \$1 million races, posted his first with Hilarion in the 1982 Meadowlands Pace.

Campbell had not advanced a colt into the final from the three elims, but Bill O'Donnell had two options. He elected Rompin Home, opening up the way for Campbell to gain the drive with Hilarion, an elim winner in 1:54.3.

The race time favorite was No Nukes, coupled with Temujin. No Nukes, driven by Glen Garnsey, was sent

three-wide down the backstretch and took over past the half. Pressured in the stretch, he was nipped by a head at the wire.

Hilarion, trained by Jerry Silverman for the 9 Star Stable, overcame post 10 to secure the victory in 1:54.1. His entymates, 1981 Woodrow Wilson winner Mckinzie Almahurst [with Bill Haughton driving] and Rompin Home finished third and fifth, respectively. The tandem of No Nukes [second] and Temujin [fourth] picked up the other checks in the race.

John was the sport's first catch driver to ever win a \$1 million race.

1ST ELIMINATION - 7/9/82 - 1:54³

Horse	Driver	Trainer
1 Hilarion	Bill O'Donnell	Jerry Silverman
2 JJs Biltmore	Jack Bailey	Jack Bailey
3 Apollos Way	Shelly Goudreau	Goudreau/Marsh
4 Pitt Boy	Jim Doherty	Frank Lombardi

2ND ELIMINATION - 7/9/82 - 1:54⁴

Horse	Driver	Trainer
1 McKinzie Almahurst	Bill Haughton	Haughton/Gaskin
2 Elitist	Jack Parker Jr.	Jack Parker
3 Temujin	Howard Beissinger	Beissinger/Roberts
4 Solid Fuel	Shelly Goudreau	Goudreau/Marsh

3RD ELIMINATION - 7/9/82 - 1:54²

Horse	Driver	Trainer
1 No Nukes	Glen Garnsey	Steve Demas
2 Icarus Lobell	Herve Filion	Lou Meittinis
3 Rompin Home	Bill O'Donnell	Jerry Silverman
4 Tylers Brother	Jack Parker Jr.	Popfinger/Jacobs

CONSOLATION - 7/16/82 - 1:55¹

Horse	Driver	Trainer
1 Livingston County	Ted Wing	Steve Demas
2 Stabilizer	Bill O'Donnell	D. Baxter
3 Mr Dalrae	Ray Remmen	Jim Dennis

\$1,000,000 FINAL - 7/16/82 - 1:54¹

Horse	Driver	Trainer
1 Hilarion	John Campbell	Jerry Silverman
2 No Nukes	Glen Garnsey	Glen Garnsey
3 McKinzie Almahurst	Bill Haughton	Haughton/Gaskin

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RACE 5	1 MILE	MEADOWLANDS	PACE-FINAL	PURSE \$1,000,000	Quarter times	28, 57 ¹ , 1:25 ² , 1:54 ¹	TRACK: FAST	OFF: 10:20
1b Hilarion	10	1	2	3	3 ¹	1 nd	1:54 ¹	J. Campbell Mutuels (1b) 7.20 3.20 3.40 e2.60
2 No Nukes	5	10 ^o	3 ^{oo}	2 ^o	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/4}	1:54 ¹	G. Garnsey (2) 3.00 2.60 e*1.30
1a McKinzie Almahurst	9	9 ^o	11 ^o	10 ^{oo}	9 ^{1/4}	3 ^{2/4}	1:54 ³	W. Haughton (1a) 3.40 e2.60
2a Temujin	11	4	7	8 ^{oo}	8 ^{2/4}	4 ^{2/4}	1:54 ³	H. Beissinger e*1.30
1 Rompin Home	1	3	5	6	4 ^{3/4}	5 ^{2/4}	1:54 ³	W. O'Donnell e2.60
5 Elitist	3	2	1	1	2 ^{1/4}	6 ^{1/4}	1:54 ³	J. Parker, Jr. 12.60
6 Tylers Brother	4	7	9	9	7 ^{1/4}	7 ^{1/4}	1:54 ³	W. Popfinger 106.80
7 J Js Biltmore	6	8 ^o	8 ^o	5 ^{oo}	10 ³	8 ^{2/4}	1:55	J. Bailey 14.50
3a Apollos Way	12	6 ^o	6 ^o	7 ^o	6 ^{nk}	9 ^{nk}	1:55 ²	S. Goudreau e29.60
4 Pitt Boy	2	5 ^o	4 ^o	4 ^o	5 ^{1/4}	10 ^{2/4}	1:55 ²	J. Doherty 3.80
3 Solid Fuel	7	11	12	12	11 ^{dis}	11 ^{dis}	1:56	W. Gilmour e29.60
8 Icarus Lobell	8	12 ^o	10 ^{oo}	11 ^{oo}	x12 ^{dis}	12 ^{dis}		Her. Filion Exacta (1-2) 16.40 10.90

Winning Owner: 9 Star Stable
Winning Trainer: Jerry Silverman