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**National Steeplechase Association**  
**Race Results Report**  
**Saratoga**  
**Saratoga Springs, NY**  
**Wednesday, 31 August 2016**

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| ORD HORSE  |                      | WGT RIDER               | OWNER                  | TRAINER            | PURSE  |
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| <b>First Race (#112) Purse \$70,000. Ratings Hurdle Handicap. 2-1/16 Miles over National Fences.</b> |                      |                         |                        |                    |        |
| 01   | SPECIAL SKILLS       | (L) 149 Paddy Young     | Sheila J. Williams     | Jack Fisher        | 42,000 |
| 02   | TOP STRIKER          | (L) 156 Bernard Dalton  | Mrs. George M. Sensor  | Arch Kingsley, Jr. | 12,600 |
| 03   | RUDYARD K            | (L) 154 Jack Doyle      | Armata Stables         | Todd Wyatt         | 7,000  |
| 04   | ORCHESTRA LEADER     | (L) 146 Darren Nagle    | S. Bruce Smart, Jr.    | Jimmy Day          | 3,500  |
| 05   | PERFECT UNION        | (L) 144 Kieran Norris   | Beverly R. Steinman    | Doug Fout          | 2,800  |
| 06   | BALANCE THE BUDGET   | (L) 150 Mark Watts      | Stonelea Stables LLC   | Julie Gomena       | 2,100  |
| 07   | LAKE CHAMPLAIN (IRE) | (L) 144 Carol-Ann Sloan | Irvin S. Naylor        | Cyril Murphy       | 0      |
| 08   | BODIE ISLAND         | (L) 148 Gustav Dahl     | The Elkstone Group LLC | Richard Valentine  | 0      |
| <b>WINNING MARGIN: 2</b>   |                      |                         | <b>TIME: 3:54</b>      | <b>TURF: firm</b>  |        |