

Lot 32

(With VAT)

THISTLE DO NICELY (IRE)
May 22nd, 2014
Bay Gelding

Arcadio (GER)

April Thistle (IRE)
(2001)

Monsun

Assia

Alphabatim

Native Thistle

Konigsstuhl

Mosella

Royal Academy

Alys

Verbatim

Morning Games

Ovac

Tarthistle

E.B.F. Nominated.

THISTLE DO NICELY (IRE): The 4 length debut **winner** of the National Hunt Flat Race at Towcester on 30th November 2017, his only start to-date. Sold with pre-sale veterinary certificate (see Conditions of Sale).

N.H. FLAT 1 start 1 win £1,949

LAST THREE STARTS (prior to compilation)

30/11/17 1/12 Class 6 (WFA N.H. Flat Race) Towcester 1m 5f 146y £1,949

1st dam

APRIL THISTLE (IRE): unraced; dam of **2 winners** from 3 runners and 9 foals:

Croco Bay (IRE) (2007 g. by Croco Rouge (IRE)): **6 wins**, £114,595: **2 wins** over hurdles at 6 years and £10,161 and placed 5 times and **4 wins** over fences, 2016 and £104,434 and placed 9 times inc. 3rd McCoy/Henderson Grand Annual H. Cup Chase, Cheltenham, **Gr.3**

Thistle Do Nicely (IRE) (2014 g. by Arcadio (GER)): see above.

Catherine's Angel (IRE) (2006 f. by Presenting (GB)): placed 3 times in point-to-points; broodmare.

She also has a 5-y-o colt by Clouseau (DEN), a 2-y-o colt by Scorpion (IRE), a yearling filly and a colt foal by Leading Light (IRE).

2nd dam

NATIVE THISTLE (IRE): unraced; dam of **2 winners**:

Cottage Oak (IRE): **7 wins**, £54,088: **2 wins** in N.H. Flat Races at 4 years and £10,272; also **winner** over hurdles and £7846 and **4 wins** over fences and £35,970; also **9 wins** in point-to-points, 2017.

Flaming Thistle (IRE): **4 wins** over fences, 2016 and £15,200; also **2 wins** in point-to-points.

3rd dam

TARTHISTLE: **7 wins**, £14,471: placed once at 4 years; also **winner** over hurdles at 4 years and **6 wins** over fences and £13,989 inc. Thyestes H. Chase, Gowran Park, **L**; Own sister to **ROMANOGAN**; dam of-

Phantom Thistle: ran 3 times in point-to-points; dam of **5 winners** inc.:

Kill Bill (IRE): ran twice in N.H. Flat Races; dam of **LITE DUTIES (IRE)**: **3 wins** over hurdles at 5 years and £41,495 inc. Tara H. Hurdle, Navan, **Gr.2**.

Thistletopper: ran twice in point-to-points; dam of **5 winners** inc.:

HILLTOPPER (IRE): **4 wins**, £44,424: **winner** at 6 years in Germany; also placed once over fences at 5 years and **3 wins** over jumps in France and in Germany and £39,373 inc. Altes Badener Steeplechase, Baden-Baden, **L**.

French Thistle: unraced; grandam of **A DECENT EXCUSE (IRE)**: **6 wins**, £73,905: **2 wins** over hurdles and £23,894 and **4 wins** over fences, 2015 and £50,011 inc. MSL Cork Mercedes Lough Leane H. Chase, Killarney, **Gr.3**, 3rd MSL Cork Mercedes Lough Leane H. Chase, Killarney, **Gr.2** and Cork Racecourse Kinsale H. Chase, Cork, **Gr.2**; also **3 wins** in point-to-points, 2017.

Tartan Thistle: unraced; grandam of **RESTLESS HARRY (GB)**: **8 wins**, £169,276: **5 wins** over hurdles and £109,779 inc. Betfred Goals Galore Rendlesham Hurdle, Haydock Park, **Gr.2**, Neptune Investment Classic Nov. Hurdle, Cheltenham, **Gr.2** and John Smith's West Yorkshire Hurdle, Wetherby, **Gr.2**, 2nd Racing UK Challow Novices' Hurdle, Newbury, **Gr.1** and 3rd Long Walk Hurdle, Newbury, **Gr.1** (twice) and **3 wins** over fences and £59,497 inc. Weatherbys Hamilton Ins. H. Chase, Ascot, **L**; also **winner** of a point-to-point.