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| <b>1828</b> (WITH VAT)<br>RUSSIAN EMPRESS<br>(IRE)<br>(2004)<br>A Bay Filly | { Trans Island (GB)<br><br>{ Russian Countess<br>(USA)<br>(1986) | { Selkirk (USA)<br><br>{ Khubza (GB)<br><br>{ Nureyev (USA)<br><br>{ Countess Tully | { Sharpen Up<br>Annie Edge<br>{ Green Desert (USA)<br>Breadcrumb<br>{ Northern Dancer<br>{ Special (USA)<br>{ Hotfoot<br>{ Zoomie |
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**RUSSIAN EMPRESS (IRE)**: won 2 races (6f. - 7f.) at 3 and 4 years, 2008 and £36,633 viz Summer Barbeque Evenings Handicap, Naas and Derrinstown Stud Maiden, Dundalk (AW), placed 5 times viz second in Irish Stallion Farms EBF (Fillies) Handicap, Gowran Park, Positivesigns.Net (Div II) Maiden, Fairyhouse, third in Michael McNamara & Co. Builders Dublin & Galway Handicap, Galway, Ulster Bank Newry Handicap, Dundalk (AW) and Irish Stallion Farms EBF Maiden, Bellewstown.

1st Dam

**Russian Countess (USA)**, won 1 race at 2 years in France and 235,000 fr. and placed second in Prix des Lilas, Chantilly, L., Prix Amandine, Saint-Cloud, L., third in Prix de la Calonne, Deauville, L. and Prix de Liancourt, Longchamp, L.;

dam of seven winners from 12 runners and 14 foals of racing age viz-

**ALBOOSTAN (GB)** (1995 c. by Sabrehill (USA)), won 3 races at home and in U.A.E. and £81,721 including Stardom Stakes, Goodwood, L., second in Feilden Stakes, Newmarket, L. and third in Grand Criterium, Longchamp, Gr.1.

**CROWN OF LIGHT (GB)** (1994 f. by Mtoto), won 2 races at 2 and 3 years and £79,986 including Lingfield Oaks Trial Stakes, Lingfield Park, L., placed third in Vodafone Oaks Stakes, Epsom, Gr.1, Aston Upthorpe Yorkshire Oaks, York, Gr.1 and Ribblesdale Stakes, Royal Ascot, Gr.2; dam of 3 winners.

**BALKAN KNIGHT (GB)** (g. by Selkirk (USA)), 8 races and £290,715 including Weatherbys Vat Services Esher Stakes, Sandown Park, L. and Bentley Edinburgh Grand Cup, Musselburgh, L., placed second in Doncaster Cup, Doncaster, Gr.2, wbx.com Henry II Stakes, Sandown Park, Gr.2 (twice), Lonsdale Cup, York, Gr.2, Jockey Club Cup, Newmarket, Gr.3, Aston Park Stakes, Newbury, L., John Smith's Extra Smooth Silver Cup Hcp, York, L., third in Jockey Club Cup, Newmarket, Gr.3.

**ROYAL TIARA (UAE)**, 1 race at 4 years, 2008 in France and £19,957.

**ROUSAY (GB)** (1991 c. by Reference Point), placed once at 2 years; also won 10 races in Belgium and in France and £40,261 and placed 26 times.

**COSSACK COUNT (GB)** (1993 c. by Nashwan (USA)), won 3 races at 3 and 4 years and £13,473 and placed twice.

**RUSSIAN EMPRESS (IRE)** (2004 f. by Trans Island (GB)), see above.

**ROMANZOF (GB)** (1992 c. by Kris), won 2 races at 3 years and £18,155 and placed 4 times, all his starts, died at 4.

**RUSSIAN WALTZ (IRE)** (2002 f. by Spectrum (IRE)), 1 race at 2 years and £9169.

**Lafleur (IRE)** (1997 f. by Grand Lodge (USA)), ran a few times at 2 and 3 years; dam of 2 winners viz-

Charlie Farnsbarns (IRE) (c. by Cape Cross (IRE)), 3 races at 2 and 4 years, 2008 and £70,421 and placed 3 times including second in Racing Post Trophy, Newbury, Gr.1 and Heron Stakes, Sandown Park, L.

**ELIOLOTTTO (IRE)**, 4 races at 3 to 5 years, 2008 in Italy and £15,042.

**Crimea (IRE)** (2006 c. by Kheleyf (USA)), in training.

She also has a 2007 filly by Kheleyf (USA).

2nd Dam

**COUNTESS TULLY**, won 4 races at home and in U.S.A. and £53,685 including Bayou Handicap, Fair Grounds, R., placed second in Brownstown Stakes, Curragh, Gr.3, Princess Royal Stakes, Ascot, Gr.3, third in Azalea Stakes, Phoenix Park, L. and fourth in Sun Chariot Stakes, Newmarket, Gr.2;

dam of six winners from 10 runners and 11 foals of racing age including-

**Russian Countess (USA)** (f. by Nureyev (USA)), see above.

**Classical Flair (USA)**, ran in U.S.A. at 2 years; dam of winners.

**ORANGE SUNSET (IRE)**, 5 races and £113,784 including Victor McCalmont Memorial Stakes, Gowran Park, L. and Omnibus Stakes, Monmouth Park, L., third in La Prevoyante Handicap, Calder, Gr.2.

**River Sounds (IRE)**, 1 race at 2 years, third in Leopardstown 2000 Guineas Trial, Leopardstown, L.; also 3 races in U.S.A. and £51,375.