

**BROWN
GELDING (IRE)**
April 24th, 2011

{	Trans Island (GB)	{	Selkirk	{	Sharpen Up
			Khubza		Annie Edge
{	La Speziana (IRE) (1997)	{	Perugino	{	Green Desert
			Election Special		Breadcrumb
					Danzig
					Fairy Bridge
					Chief Singer
					Electo

E.B.F. Nominated.

1st dam

LA SPEZIANA (IRE): **2 wins** at 3 years and £18,491, placed 4 times; Own sister to **First Ballot (IRE)**; dam of **a winner** from 3 runners and 6 previous foals;
Bobby John (IRE) (2006 g. by Bob Back (USA)): **2 wins** over hurdles at 5 years, 2011 and £13,824 and placed 3 times; died at 6 years.
Best Back Him (IRE) (2005 g. by Bob Back (USA)): winner of a point-to-point at 6 years, 2011.
Downtown Manhattan (IRE) (2007 g. by Presenting (GB)): placed once in a N.H. Flat Race at 5 years, 2012; also placed once over hurdles at 4 years, 2011.
She also has a 4-y-o filly by Gamut (IRE), a 3-y-o gelding, a 2-y-o colt by Flemensfirth (USA) and a colt foal by Mahler (GB).

2nd dam

ELECTION SPECIAL (GB): **winner** at 2 years; dam of **7 winners** from 9 runners and 10 foals inc.:
First Ballot (IRE) (g. by Perugino (USA)): **10 wins**, £164,730; **5 wins** at 3, 5 and 6 years and £118,929; also **winner** over hurdles at 5 years and £18,460 3rd William Hill H. Hurdle, Sandown Park, **L.** and **4 wins** over fences and £27,341.
Devolution (IRE): **4 wins** at 3 to 5 years and £24,270.
Shewalksinbeauty (IRE): **winner** at 2 years, 2010.

3rd dam

ELECTO: ran at 2 and 3 years; dam of **3 winners** from 3 runners and 4 foals inc.:
Optaria: winner at 2 years 3rd Precocious National S., Sandown Park, **L.**; dam of **9 winners** inc.:
GREY SHOT (GB): 13 wins, £273,023; **6 wins** at 2 to 5 years at home and in France and £175,000 inc. Goodwood Cup, Goodwood, **Gr.2**; also **5 wins** over hurdles and £84,644 inc. Kingwell Hurdle, Wincanton, **Gr.2**, Elite Limited H. Hurdle, Wincanton, **Gr.2** and Murphy's Draughtflow H. Hurdle, Cheltenham, **L.**, 2nd Tolworth Hurdle, Sandown, **Gr.1** and **2 wins** over fences and £13,379.
OPERA CAPE (GB): 3 wins at 2 and 4 years and £134,532 inc. Iveco Daily Solario S., Sandown Park, **Gr.3**, 2nd Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere-Grand Criterium, Longchamp, **Gr.1** and 3rd Darley Dewhurst S., Newmarket, **Gr.1**.
Highland Shot (GB): **6 wins** at 4 and 5 years and £55,444; dam of **HIGHLAND KNIGHT (IRE): 5 wins** at 3 to 5 years, 2012 at home and in Germany and £138,076 inc. Darley Oettingen, Baden-Baden, **Gr.2**.
Opera Music (GB): **2 wins** at 2 and 5 years and £19,815; also **winner** over hurdles, 2012.
Opera Glass (GB): **winner** at 3 years and £13,653; dam of **OPERA GAL (IRE): 5 wins** at 3 to 5 years, 2012 and £133,975 inc. Doonside Cup S., Ayr, **L.**, EBF Upavon S., Salisbury, **L.**, 2nd Baden Racing Stuten Preis, Baden-Baden, **Gr.3**.

4th dam

As Blessed: 2 wins at 2 years 4th Queen Mary S., Royal Ascot, **Gr.2**; dam of **5 winners** from 12 runners and 15 foals inc.:
GLORY OF HERA: 2 wins inc. St Hugh's S., Newbury, **L.**; dam of **4 winners** inc.:
GLORY OF DANCER (GB): Champion 2yr old colt in Italy in 1995, **3 wins** at home and in Italy, £295,256 inc. Gran Criterium, Milan, **Gr.1**, 2nd Grand Prix de Paris, Longchamp, **Gr.1** and 3rd Champion S., Leopardstown, **Gr.1**; sire.

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