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A BAY GELDING	Elusive Pimpernel (USA)	Elusive Quality (USA)	Gone West (USA) Touch of Greatness (USA) Sadler's Wells (USA)
(IRE) May 7th, 2021 (fourth foal)	{	Cara Fantasy (IRE)	Gay Fantasy ∫ Critique (USA)
	Nhakira (IRE) (2005)		Academic World (USA)
		CK-LOG (IKL)	^L Merry Proverb

E.B.F. Nominated. **IRE Qualified**

1st Dam

NHAKIRA (IRE): 2 wins in point-to-points and placed 6 times; dam of 3 previous foals. She also has a 5-y-o mare by Mahler (GB), a 3-y-o colt by Rajj (IRE) and a 2-y-o colt by Alhebayeb (IRE).

2nd Dam

K-LOG (IRE): unraced; dam of 1 runner from 3 foals; Nhakira (IRE): see above.

3rd Dam

MERRY PROVERB: placed once in a N.H. Flat Race at 4 years; dam of four winners from 5 runners and 9 foals inc.:

Sexton Grey (IRE): winner of a N.H. Flat Race at 5 years and placed twice; also placed once over hurdles, 3rd Flowers Fine Ales Novices' Hurdle, Cheltenham, L. MERRY STAR (IRE): winner over hurdles at 6 years and placed 5 times; also winner of a point-to-point at 5 years; broodmare.

Merric (IRE): unraced: dam of winners inc.:

ARTEEA (IRE): 6 wins, £112,709: winner of a N.H. Flat Race at 5 years; also 2 wins over hurdles and placed 6 times inc. 3rd Golden Cygnet Novice Hurdle, Leopardstown, Gr.3 and 3 wins over fences inc. Ballybrit Novices' Chase, Galway, Gr.3, placed 5 times inc. 2nd Arkle Challenge Cup Novice Chase,

Leopardstown, *Gr.1* and 3rd Sherry Fitzgerald O'Malley Chase, Limerick, *L.* Miss Arteea (IRE): unraced; dam of *IDENTITY THIEF (IRE)*: 7 wins, £326,750: winner of a N.H. Flat Race; also 4 wins over hurdles and £296,248 inc. Liverpool Stayers' Hurdle, Aintree, *Gr.1*, Fighting Fifth Hurdle, Newcastle, *Gr.1*, WKD Hurdle, Down Royal, *Gr.2*, placed 7 times inc. 2nd Punchestown Champion Hurdle, Punchestown, Gr.1, December Hurdle, Leopardstown. Gr.1 and 2 wins over fences inc. Craddockstown Novice Chase, Punchestown, Gr.2, placed once, Oscarteea (IRE): 3 wins: winner of a N.H. Flat Race at 4 years and placed twice; also **2 wins** over hurdles and placed 5 times inc. 2nd Newton Novice Hurdle, Haydock, **L.** and placed once over fences.

4th Dam

MERRY MEMORIES: unraced; dam of three winners from 8 runners and 11 foals;

Merry Madness: winner of a point-to-point at 6 years; dam of winners inc.:

MERRY MASQUERADE (IRE): 9 wins: winner of a N.H. Flat Race; also 8 wins over hurdles inc. Rendlesham Hurdle, Kempton, Gr.2, placed 2nd Premier Long Distance Hurdle, Haydock, Gr.2, Rendlesham Hurdle, Kempton, Gr.2 and 3rd Long Distance Hurdle, Ascot, Gr.2.

OVER THE BAR (IRE): 3 wins: winner of a N.H. Flat Race; also 2 wins over hurdles, Navan Novice Hurdle, Navan, Gr.3, Monksfield Novice Hurdle, Navan, Gr.3, placed 2nd Sun Alliance Novices' Hurdle, Cheltenham, Gr.1, Boyne Hurdle, Navan, Gr.2 and 3rd Slaney Novice Hurdle, Naas, Gr.3.

MERRY PEOPLE (IRE): 15 wins: 5 wins over hurdles and 10 wins over fences inc. Denny Gold Medal Extended H. Chase, Tralee, Gr.3 (twice), placed 2nd Morris Oil Chase, Clonmel, Gr.2 and 3rd Morris Oil Chase, Clonmel, Gr.2.

Nun Merrier: unraced; grandam of TOPOFTHEGAME (IRE): 3 wins, £240,043: 2

wins over hurdles inc. Betfred Heroes H. Hurdle, Sandown, Gr.3 and winner over fences and £145,987, RSA Novices' Chase, Cheltenham, *Gr.1*, placed 2nd Mildmay Novices' Chase, Aintree, *Gr.1* and Kauto Star Novices' Chase, Kempton, *Gr.1*.