

From **Avontuur Thoroughbred Farm**

**STABLE C84**

**LOT 445**

**CARUSO**

Bay Filly  
(4th produce)  
20/08/2017

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| Oratorio (IRE) ..... | [ | Danehill (USA) ..... | [               | Danzig (USA)         |
|                      |   | Mahrah (USA) .....   |                 | Razyana (USA)        |
|                      |   |                      |                 | Vaguely Noble (IRE)  |
|                      |   |                      |                 | Montage (USA)        |
| Menorah .....        | [ | Var (USA) .....      | [               | Forest Wildcat (USA) |
|                      |   |                      |                 | Loma Preata (USA)    |
| 2007                 |   |                      | Hot Grass ..... |                      |
|                      |   |                      |                 | Green Pastures       |

By **ORATORIO (IRE)** (2002- Stud Ireland & Australia 2006, South Africa 2013), Champion 2YO Colt in France in 2004, Champion 3YO in Ireland in 2005, 6 wins, £1,057,520, at 1200-2000m, inc. Grand Criterium Gr.1, Irish Champion S, Gr.1, Coral Eclipse S, Gr.1, 2nd Irish Two Thousand Guineas Gr.1. TFR 128. Son of Champion Sire and leading Sire-of-sires **DANEHILL**. Sire of 50 SW's, inc. **RAVE - MILITARY ATTACK(HK)** (Gr.1), **MANAWANUI** (Gr.1), **TEMIDA** (Gr.1), **BIZ THE NURSE** (Gr.1), **BANCHEE** (Gr.1), **BEETHOVEN** (Gr.1), **MOURINHO** (Gr.1), **KING TORUS**, **CHERRY COLLECT**, **VIZTORIA**, **LOLLY FOR DOLLY**. Sire in SA of winners inc. **VAN HALEN** (Gr.1), **CARLITA**, **CUE THE MUSIC**, **OTTIMO**, Ancestry (s/p), Mrs O (s/p), etc.

**1st dam**

**MENORAH**, **winner**, R78,200, at 3, 1200m, placed 7 times, Half sister to **CARTEL**, **VIVA**.

**Pampas King**, **Escobar**: dam of 3 previous foals; 2 runners; **1 winner** inc.:

**Keep The Faith** (13 f. by Bold Silvano): **2 wins**, R224,375, at 3, 1800m, placed 14 times, inc. 3rd Winter Oaks, **L**.

Seven Cape Winters (16 f. by Soft Falling Rain): 2-y-o unraced.

**2nd dam**

**HOT GRASS**, **6 wins**, R79,265, 1000 - 1200m, 3 places, Half sister to **COWDRAY PARK**.

Matchless Maiden (dam of **HAIL CAESOUR**); dam of 12 foals; 11 runners; **9 winners**:

**CARTEL** (g. by Northern Guest (USA)): **11 wins**, R714,250, 1100 - 1400m, inc. Hawaii S, **Gr.2**, Spring Sprint, **Gr.2**, placed 6 times, inc. 4th Natal Post Merchants Hcp **Gr.2**.

**VIVA** (f. by National Assembly (CAN)): **7 wins**, R470,160, 1000 - 1200m, inc. Champagne S, **Gr.3**, 2nd Betting World Laisserfaire S, **L**, 3rd Lady's Pendant, **L**; dam of **5 winners**:

**COLD AS ICE**: **6 wins**, in SA and Britain, R889,875 and £37,235, at 3 to 4, 1100 - 1400m, inc. Sceptre S, **Gr.2**, Choice Carriers Ch'ship, **Gr.2**, Laisserfaire S, **L**, placed 4 times, inc. 2nd Majorca S, **Gr.1**, 3rd Unibet Cleves Stakes, **L**, from all her starts.

**LIVE LIFE**: **5 wins**, R4,572,500, at 2 to 3, 1000 - 1200m, inc. Sceptre S, **Gr.2**, The CTS 1200, 2nd Perfect Promise Sprint, **L**, 3rd Southern Cross S, **Gr.2**, Poinsettia S, **Gr.3**.

**Viva La Var**: **4 wins**, R323,375, at 2 to 4, 1000m, placed 4 times, inc. 2nd Umngeni H, **L**.

**Escobar** (c. by Dominion Royale (GB)): **12 wins**, R789,565, 2nd Post Merchants, **Gr.2**.

**Pampas King** (c. by Divine King (IRE)): **6 wins**, R301,267, 3rd Spring H, **Gr.2**.

Scorching (f. by Dominion Royale (GB)): **2 wins**, R152,220, placed 9 times; dam of **2 winners**: What A Scorcher: **5 wins**, R302,200, at 3 to 6, 1600 - 2000m, placed 7 times.

**3rd dam**

**GREEN PASTURES** (by New South Wales (GB)), **8 wins**, R25,455, at 2 to 4, 2000m, inc.

O & T Nursery S, **L**, Rhodesian Guineas, **L**, Rhodesian Oaks, **L**, The Fillies Classic, **L**.

2nd Fillies Summer Champion S, **L**, Half sister to Her Highness (dam of **RIPCURL**, **HIS**

**LORDSHIP**); dam of 8 foals; 7 runners; **6 winners** inc.:

**COWDRAY PARK**: **6 wins**, R112,320, inc. JG Hollis Futurity Plate, **Gr.3**, 3rd SA Guineas **Gr.1**.

**Green Ginger**: **5 wins**, R52,190, 7 placers, inc. 3rd Southern Cross S **Gr.2**.

Matchless Moment: **winner**, R4,120, 1600m, placed, from only 4 starts; dam of **8 winners** inc.:

**HAIL CAESOUR**: **7 wins**, R416,575, Jubilee Hcp, **Gr.2**, 3rd November Hcp **Gr.1**.

**Margentum**: **2 wins**, R35,250, 3rd Joseph Dorfman Memorial H, **L**, from all his starts.

**Matchless Maiden**: **5 wins**, R174,487, 10 places, 3rd Victress S, **L**, dam of **3 winners**.

**Emerald Goddess**: **4 wins**, R8,223, at 2 to 3, 1200m, placed 6 times; dam of **8 winners**:

**Emerald Scarab**: **5 wins**, R149,350, 2nd KZN Stakes, **L** (twice); dam of **2 winners**:

Night Beauty: **winner**, R37,800, at 3, 1600m, placed 3 times; dam of **4 winners** inc.:

**Midnight Run**: **4 wins**, R537,015, 17 places, 2nd Joburg Spring Challenge, **Gr.2**.