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Hip No. 13

John's Decision

John's Decision Dark bay/br. mare; foaled 1988		Speak John	Prince John
			*Nuit de Folies
		Nicoma	Nashua
			Hasty Flirt
	Hour of Decision (1980)	Мо Вау	Cyane
			Rum Bottle Bay
		Northern Alibi	Northern Dancer
			*Alibi IV

By JOHN ALDEN (1974), black type winner. Sire of 20 crops, 18 black type winners, 220 winners, \$11,776,185 in NA, including Little Bold John (\$1,956,406, Donn H. [G2], etc.), Run Alden (\$395,075), My Treasure [G3]. Sire of dams of black type winners Classic Endeavor, New York Hero, Funontherun, Aileen's Countess, Citiambit, etc.

1st dam

HOUR OF DECISION, by Mo Bay. Winner at 3, \$15,921. Dam of 6 foals of racing age, 5 to race, 4 winners, including--

JOHN'S DECISION (f. by John Alden). Black type winner, see below.

On a Natural (f. by Salutely). 13 wins, 3 to 7, \$62,123. Dam of-- **Gurkha** (c. by Nepal). 3 wins at 3, \$69,504, 3rd Peppy Addy S.-R (PHA, \$5,830), Danzig S.-R (PEN, \$2,814).

Thirty Eight Plus (g. by thirty Eight Paces). 3 wins, 2 to 5, \$40,449.

2nd dam

NORTHERN ALIBI, by Northern Dancer. Winner at 3, \$8,980. Dam of 6 winners, including--

Happiano (c. by Fappiano). 4 wins at 2 and 3, \$129,566, 2nd Dixieland S. (OP, \$7,700). Sire.

Northern Excuse. 9 wins, 2 to 7, \$64,219.

- 3rd dam
- *ALIBI IV, by Birkhahn. 3 wins in Germany, Preis von Ravensburg, etc. Half-sister to ALLIIERTER, Aar. Dam of 12 winners, including VON CLAUSEWITZ (10 wins, \$124,539, sire), REGAL ALIBI (dam of LADY'S EXCUSE, \$130,579), French Regency, Clausewitz. Granddam of VALUABLE WITNESS [G2]; LEADING WITNESS.
- Race Record: At 2, three wins (Mistletoe S. [L], LRL, \$32,745), once 2nd; at 3, two wins (Pearl Necklace S. [LR], LRL, \$45,000, Alma North H. [R], TIM, \$26,325), twice 2nd (Black-Eyed Susan S. [G2], Carousel H. [G3]), 3 times 3rd (Twixt S. [R], LRL, \$11,000, Jameela S. [R], LRL, \$8,250, Caesar's Wish S. [R], PIM, \$8,250); at 4, unplaced. Totals: 5 wins, 3 times 2nd, 3 times 3rd, earned \$269,004.

Produce Record: 1995 aborted; 1998, 2001 not pregnant.

1994 Cottage Pink, f. by Thirty Eight Paces. 6 wins at 4 and 6, \$81,889.

1996 Colorless, c. by Eastover Court. 9 wins, 3 to 5, \$65,267.

1997 unnamed f. by Two Punch (died 1997).

1999 Belie, f. by Eastover Court. 3 wins at 3 and 4, 2003, \$50,890.

2000 Absolute Proof, f. by Eastover Court. Unraced.

2002 f. by Larrupin'; 2003 no report.

Last mated April 19, 2003 and BELIEVED TO BE PREGNANT to --

AWAD (1990) (Caveat--Dancer's Candy), \$2,949,179, Arlington Million [G1]-ntr, Secretariat S. [G1], Sword Dancer Inv. H. [G1]-ncr, etc. His first foals are 3-year-olds of 2003. Sire of winners Arab Miss (to 3, 2003, \$44,820, 3rd Pearl Necklace S.), Lucy Angelicus, etc. 10-03