**Will Stand at Charles Turner Yard C68**

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| (NON VAT)<br>**SPECIAL JOHN (IRE)** (2019)<br>A Bay Gelding | Soldier of Fortune (IRE) | Galileo (IRE) | Sadler's Wells (USA)<br>Urban Sea (USA) |
| | | Affianced (IRE) | Erins Isle<br>La Meilleure |
| | Royal Choice (IRE) (2004) | King's Theatre (IRE) | Sadler's Wells (USA)<br>Regal Beauty (USA) |
| | | Mammy's Choice (IRE) | Mandalus<br>Liffey's Choice |

SPECIAL JOHN (IRE): winner of a point-to-point at 5 years, 2024 and placed once. Sold with pre-sale veterinary certificate (see Conditions of Sale).

POINT TO POINT 4 runs 1 win 1 pl G 3m

**Last 3 starts** *(prior to compilation)*

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| 23/03/24 | 1/11 | 4yo+ Mdn Ptp | Larkhill | G | 3m |
| 03/03/24 | 3/5 | 4&5yo Mdn Ptp | Charlton Horethorne | S | 2m 4f |
| 18/02/24 | FE | 4yo+ Mdn Ptp | Badbury Rings | S | 3m |

**1st Dam**

***ROYAL CHOICE (IRE)***: **3 wins**, £44,767: **2 wins** over hurdles and £13,152 and placed twice and **winner** over fences at 5 years and £31,615, Lombardstown Chase, Cork, ***Gr.3***, placed 5 times inc. 4th Gowran Park Champion Chase, Gowran Park, ***Gr.2***; also winner of a point-to-point; dam of **two winners** and two PTP winners from 4 runners and 10 foals;

***Rioga Choice (IRE)*** (2017 f. by Flemensfirth (USA)): **winner** over hurdles at 5 years, 2022 and placed twice inc. 3rd Apple's Jade Mares Novice Hurdle, Punchestown, ***L.***, also 4th Feathard Lady Mares Novice Hurdle, Down Royal, ***Gr.3***.

*ITS GONNAHAPPEN (IRE)* (2016 g. by Flemensfirth (USA)): **winner** over hurdles at 5 years.

My Uncas (IRE) (2015 g. by Flemensfirth (USA)): placed once over hurdles at 4 years; also 2 wins in point-to-points, 2022.

Special John (IRE) (2019 g. by Soldier of Fortune (IRE)): see above.

Kates Choice (IRE) (2020 f. by Soldier of Fortune (IRE)): unraced to date.

She also has a 3-y-o filly, a 2-y-o filly both by Getaway (GER) and a yearling filly by Maxios (GB).

**2nd Dam**

*MAMMY'S CHOICE (IRE)*: placed once over hurdles at 4 years and **3 wins** over fences and £16,719 and placed 10 times; also winner of a point-to-point at 6 years; dam of **two winners** and two PTP winners from 7 runners and 11 foals inc.:

***ROYAL CHOICE (IRE)*** (f. by King's Theatre (IRE)): see above.

*THE FOLKES CHOICE (GB)*: **2 wins**, £12,954: **winner** over hurdles at 6 years and placed 3 times and **winner** over fences and placed once; dam of **winners** inc.:

***FRONTAL ASSAULT (IRE)***: **3 wins**, £158,437: **2 wins** over hurdles at 5 and 6 years and £26,880 inc. Powerstown Novice Hurdle, Navan, ***Gr.3*** and **winner** over fences, 2022 and £128,993 and placed 2nd Irish Grand National H. Chase, Fairyhouse, ***Gr.1*** and 3rd Fort Leney Novice Chase, Leopardstown, ***Gr.1***.

***The Folkes Tiara (IRE)***: **2 wins**, £38,813: **winner** over hurdles, 2023 and £11,931 and **winner** over fences, 2023 and £26,882 and placed 3rd Black Hills H. Chase, Punchestown, ***Gr.2***; also winner of a point-to-point.

Special Choice (IRE): unraced; dam of **winners** inc.:

***SPECIAL TIARA (GB)***: **7 wins**, £672,027: **winner** over hurdles at 5 years and **6 wins** over fences and £664,447 inc. Queen Mother Champion Chase, Cheltenham, ***Gr.1***, Celebration Chase, Sandown, ***Gr.1***, Maghull Novices' Chase, Aintree, ***Gr.1***, Desert Orchid Chase, Kempton, ***Gr.2*** (twice), placed 2nd Tingle Creek Chase, Sandown, ***Gr.1***, Celebration Chase, Sandown, ***Gr.1*** and 3rd Queen Mother Champion Chase, Cheltenham, ***Gr.1*** (twice), Celebration Chase, Sandown, ***Gr.1***, Colliers Novice Chase, Punchestown, ***Gr.1***.

***ACCIDENTAL REBEL (GB)***: **4 wins** over hurdles, 2022 and £51,681 inc. Persian War Novices' Hurdle, Chepstow, ***Gr.2***.

**3rd Dam**

*LIFFEY'S CHOICE*: placed once in a N.H. Flat Race at 5 years; also **winner** over hurdles at 6 years and placed 11 times; dam of **seven winners** from 8 runners and 11 foals inc.:

*SPECIAL ACCOUNT*: **9 wins**: **winner** of a N.H. Flat Race at 6 years; also **5 wins** over hurdles and placed 6 times and **3 wins** over fences and placed 13 times.

Gaelic Stream (IRE): unraced; grandam of ***Deploy The Getaway (IRE)***: **winner** over hurdles, 2022, placed 2nd I.N.H. Stallion Owners EBF Novice Hurdle, Punchestown, ***L.***