Saint-Galmier [R-H] - 12 February

Race 1 - Prix France Bleu - Prix des Epiceas - 2000m MOBILE Harness. Purse EUR €14,000.

- 1. **KEMILLA LEAGABIN** Made a promising debut last start at this track, finishing fourth and 7L from the winner. Has ability and strips fitter.
- 2. **KENTUCKY EXPRESS** Kicked off his career with a solid fourth, finishing 3.5L away at Lyon-la-Soie. Shows promise and strips fitter.
- 3. **KELLE ALLURE** Easily accounted for last time at the first run when 17L from the winner in seventh at Lyon-la-Soie. Facing a tough assignment this time around.
- 4. **KRISTAL DES MOYEUX** Has not raced since finishing a well-beaten fourth on debut at Strasbourg three-and-a-half months ago. Has the job ahead.
- 5. **KALINE DU CORTA** Has not raced since finishing a good third on debut at Lyon-Parilly nine weeks ago. Looks hard to beat with that run under her belt.
- 6. **KIARA TIT** Has raced twice this campaign and failed to fill a top-three spot on either occasion, the latest when fourth at Lyon-la-Soie, beaten 11L. Can improve sharply.
- 7. **KELLY DU LYONNAIS** Was disqualified last start at this track on February 5. Overlook the recent mishap. Well placed to make amends.
- 8. **KEEP TRUSTING** Three-year-old gelding from the Nadine Despres stable making his first racetrack appearance. Will derive great benefit from this run.
- 9. **KID PADDLE** Colt by Eye Of The Storm from Redowa Du Dane on debut. Profiles nicely and is expected to measure up.

Summary: With little form to go on a market check is advised. KENTUCKY EXPRESS (2) was beaten just 3.5L on debut at Lyon-la-Soie. Should progress from that and holds winning claims second up. KALINE DU CORTA (5) stayed on for debut placing at Lyon-Parilly. Easy to fancy subsequently. KID PADDLE (9) shaped well in recent trial. Potential threat to all first time under rules. KELLY DU LYONNAIS (7) led for a long way before getting DQ late on debut. Worth another chance.

Selections

KENTUCKY EXPRESS (2) - KALINE DU CORTA (5) - KID PADDLE (9) - KELLY DU LYONNAIS (7)

- 1. **FRIDA NERA** Last raced at Marseille Vivaux 12 weeks ago when she finished fourth, beaten 2.4L. Looks hard to beat while fresh.
- 2. **ECLAT DE RANCHVAL** Finished sixth last time out at Marseille Vivaux, beaten 1.6L. Has a strong affinity with this circuit where he has won three races. Rates highly.
- 3. **EXTRA BOY** Was last produced when ninth at Lyon-la-Soie four-and-a-half months ago. Might need some time.
- 4. **GASTON DE SAUZETTE** Was expected to do more last start, finishing ninth and beaten 9.5L at Lyon-la-Soie. Can make amends.
- 5. **GABIN SELLOIS** Registered a fine win at Marseille Vivaux two starts ago then couldn't follow it up at Cagnes-sur-Mer last time, finishing 5.5L away from the winner. Makes appeal.
- 6. **ECU DU CHASSIN** Finished third two starts back at Lyon-Parilly then missed the frame last start at Lyon-Parilly. Winning prospects.
- 7. GOLF Was last produced when 12th at Moulins four months ago. Will be better for the run.
- 8. **EPI DES VAUX** Finished third at Toulouse last start after he was easily accounted for two back at Toulouse. One of the better chances.
- 9. **FALCO DA VINCI** Disqualified last start at Marseille Vivaux. Forgive the recent mishap. Looks ideally placed.
- 10. **GEISHA DE MELODIE** Was disqualified last start at Marseille Vivaux on January 18. Forgive the latest run.
- 11. **GALION DES THIRONS** Was disqualified last start at this track on February 5. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
- 12. **GORAZON** Last raced at Montauban four-and-a-half months ago when he finished sixth, beaten 13L. Can play a role in the finish.
- 13. **GENERAL MARCEAUX** Was disqualified last start at this track on February 5. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
- 14. **GOOD JOB** Form only moderate and has been without a win now for 28 runs. Last start finished eighth at Lyon-la-Soie. Claims on best figures.
- 15. **FULL DE GAVEL** Was last produced when eighth at Salon-de-Provence five-and-a-half months ago. This run will do him the world of good.

Summary: GABIN SELLOIS (5) was a game winner at Marseille Vivaux two starts back. Creditable effort since and been found another suitable opportunity. Keep safe. FRIDA NERA (1) was beaten just 2.5L at Marseille Vivaux latest. That form is working out well and is easy to fancy here. FALCO DA VINCI (9) has won at this track previously. DQ latest but remains a key player in this field. ECU DU CHASSIN (6) is an honest sort. Each way chance.

Selections

GABIN SELLOIS (5) - FRIDA NERA (1) - FALCO DA VINCI (9) - ECU DU CHASSIN (6)

- 1. **HO MY GOD ONE** Disqualified last start at this track. Forgive the latest run. Well placed to make amends.
- 2. **HANDY GOLD** Was last produced when ninth at Lyon-Parilly 11 weeks ago. Wait and see how he returns.
- 3. **HERMES SCOTT** Started favourite when resuming last start but found one better at Lyon-la-Soie finishing second. Improvement to come. Big chance.
- 4. **HARRY DE LA PRADE** Turned in a strong run first-up to score by 1.2L at Lyon-la-Soie. Sure to be further improved and can make it back-to-back wins.
- 5. **HOSTO DES DURIEZ** Last raced at Divonne-les-Bains six months ago when he finished eighth, beaten 14L. Should be there at the business end.
- 6. **HOLLY SPORT** May need the outing following a spell of three-and-a-half months. Last raced when sixth at this track.
- 7. **HALMA GRIFF** Filled a minor placing two back at Lyon-la-Soie and maintained that form last start when third at this track. Solid claims.
- 8. **HUNE STAR D'EAM** Was a much better run last time finishing second at this track beaten 2L. One of the key runners.
- 9. **HALL TOP** Safely held last time when 24L from the winner in seventh at Hyeres. Won't find this easy.
- 10. **HADES DU LAS VEGAS** Last raced at Lyon-la-Soie on January 29 when he was disqualified. Overlook the most recent outing. Can turn things around.
- 11. **HERMANDA MAT** Was a much better run last time finishing second at this track, beaten 0.8L. Top chance in this line-up.
- 12. **HALDO DE LA CLOUE** Continued a long run of outs when ninth, 15L from the winner at this track two weeks ago. Must improve sharply.
- 13. **HYPOLIT DE BEL AIR** Missed the placings again last start, beaten 12L when eighth at this track. Must improve sharply.

Summary: HARRY DE LA PRADE (4) powered home for a 1.25L victory at Lyon-la-Soie first up. Should only improve. Leading contender once more. HERMES SCOTT (3) was behind the aforementioned rival last time. Clearly is little between the pair so easy to fancy here. HERMANDA MAT (11) was beaten 0.75L into second at this venue. Eased in grade and expected to finish close up. HUNE STAR D'EAM (8) is a potential threat to all after placing last time.

Selections

HARRY DE LA PRADE (4) - HERMES SCOTT (3) - HERMANDA MAT (11) - HUNE STAR D'EAM (8)

- 1. **DARWIN LOUKI** Has been knocking on the door with a string of minor prizes to his name, most recently when third, beaten 4.4L at this track. One of the primary contenders.
- 2. **FERRERO DU LOISIR** Finished off last campaign with a win at Toulouse nine weeks ago. Big chance while fresh.
- 3. **FOX TROT CERISE** Opened this preparation last start with a third at Lyon-la-Soie, beaten 4.2L. Plenty of improvement to come. Expected to run well again.
- 4. **DADDY CUT** Improved to finish third at Lyon-la-Soie most recently following a well-beaten tenth at Lyon-la-Soie the run prior. Heading the right way now.
- 5. **GLAMOUR EAGLE** Was beaten 1.7L into third last start at Vincennes. That was his sixth placing alongside three wins from the past 12 starts. Right in the calculations.
- 6. **DIDJI DU MESSI** Has been out of the winner's circle for a long while. Missed out two starts back then was a distant sixth last time out at this track. Can make amends.
- 7. **FOLLOW ME FLASH** Form only moderate and has been without a win now for seven runs. Last start finished fourth at Hyeres. One to consider as his best is good enough.
- 8. **DIXIT DANICA** Has not been racing well, including a poor effort last time when a long way back in 13th at Vincennes. Hard to have.
- 9. **FRENCH MAN** Last raced at Cagnes-sur-Mer on February 1 when he was disqualified. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
- 10. **EVITA PERON** Was last produced when fifth at Feurs four months ago. This run will do her the world of good.
- 11. **ECLAT DES NOIX** Missed the placings again last start, beaten 5L when fourth at Cagnes-sur-Mer. Certainly worth another chance.

Summary: GLAMOUR EAGLE (5) drops in grade following a good 1.75L third at Vincennes. Sets the standard on that form and could be hard to beat with a similar performance. FERRERO DU LOISIR (2) has won twice in last three starts. Clearly thriving at present and set to give another bold showing. DARWIN LOUKI (1) looks overdue a victory having placed on last three outings. Beaten 4.5L here last time and holds each way claims. FOX TROT CERISE (3) has placed in this grade on last two runs. Easy to fancy.

Selections

GLAMOUR EAGLE (5) - FERRERO DU LOISIR (2) - DARWIN LOUKI (1) - FOX TROT CERISE (3)

- 1. **INROAD OAKS** Made an encouraging return last start when he was second at this track beaten 6.5L. Will strip much fitter. Strong chance with that run under the belt.
- 2. **ITALIO DE LA ROQUE** Comes here off a last-start sixth first-up at this track, beaten 13L. Unlikely to threaten.
- 3. **INTEL** Was safely held last time out in fourth at this track, beaten 7.8L. Facing a tough assignment this time around.
- 4. **IDALIUM MAGIC** Improved sharply last start to return to winning form by 1.2L at Marseille Vivaux. Can go back-to-back.
- 5. **ICEMAN WINNER** Improved last start when third at this track, beaten 4.9L. Should be right in the finish.
- 6. **IZZIA HIGHLAND** Comes here off a last-start 13th first-up at this track, beaten 19L. Facing a tough assignment this time around.
- 7. **IBIZA MATH** Has been struggling of late, most recently finishing sixth at this track. Can do much better.
- 8. **IRON MAN LOULOU** Returned from a spell with a win at Lyon-la-Soie last time, scoring by 3.7L. Will be fitter for that outing and is still lightly-raced so he has plenty of upside. Expected to measure up.
- 9. **IDEAL D'URZY** Was disqualified last start at this track on February 5. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
- 10. **ICE SCOTT** Overdue after being in the money at each start this season, the latest when beaten 0.4L into second at this track. Expected to be in the finish again.
- 11. **ILIONDOR** Has been racing well with a couple of minor prizes to his name recently, the latest when third, beaten 6.9L at this track. Another strong performance expected.
- 12. **IRLANDE DU NORD** Continued a long run without winning when ninth at Lyon-la-Soie last time. This looks far too tough.
- 13. **ILIADE DU GOUTIER** Made an impressive return at this track last start, winning by 2L. Rates highly.

Summary: IRON MAN LOULOU (8) powered clear for a 3.5L win at Lyon-la-Soie. Impressed that day and whilst this is tougher he remains the one to beat. ILIADE DU GOUTIER (13) impressed when a 2L winner here first up. Should only improve upon that so look to keep safe once more. IDALIUM MAGIC (4) had been struggling prior to much improved 1.25L success at Marseille Vivaux. Big chance of now going back to back. ICEMAN WINNER (5) placed at this journey last time. Each way claims returned here.

Selections

IRON MAN LOULOU (8) - ILIADE DU GOUTIER (13) - IDALIUM MAGIC (4) - ICEMAN WINNER (5)

- 1. **JACKPOT DU LAC** Was disqualified last start at Lyon-la-Soie on February 7. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
- 2. **JIVALDO SOMOLLI** Last raced at Lyon-Parilly on October 2 when he was disqualified. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
- 3. **JUNIOR DU MANOIR** Was disqualified last start at Lyon-la-Soie on February 2. Forgive the latest run. Can turn things around.
- 4. **JAZZ DE MONTCIANT** Improved to third at this track last start following a mediocre sixth two runs ago at Lyon-la-Soie. Forward performance expected.
- 5. **JACKSON HIGHLAND** Was disqualified last start at Nimes on November 1. Prepared to overlook until his racing manners improve.
- 6. **JEWEL GWEN** Continued some plain form when a poor sixth at Lyon-la-Soie five days ago. Has the job ahead.
- 7. **JEMILIANO** Easily accounted for last time at the first run of the campaign when 52L from the winner in tenth at Lyon-la-Soie. This looks a far sterner task.
- 8. **JALEZIO** Last raced at Lyon-Parilly four-and-a-half months ago when he finished fourth, beaten 10L. One of the better chances.
- 9. **JANGO** Was disqualified last start at this track on February 5. Forgive the recent mishap. Looks ideally placed.
- 10. **JET PIYA** Disqualified last start at Lyon-la-Soie. Put a line through the latest run. Top pick if at his best.
- 11. **JEANNOT DU SABLIER** Scored two runs back then finished fourth beaten 10L at Lyon-la-Soie at the latest appearance a week-and-a-half ago. Worth another chance.
- 12. **JOYAU NIVERNAIS** First up since finishing seventh at Salon-de-Provence four months ago. Can open the campaign with a forward performance.
- 13. **JOJO DE BOURGOGNE** Last raced at Lyon-la-Soie on January 21 when he was disqualified. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
- 14. **J'EXISTE** Made an encouraging return when he was second at Lyon-la-Soie last start, beaten 0.4L. Fitter an sits high among the chances.
- 15. **JUNINHO OUETTE** Has been runner-up at his last three starts, most recently at this track, beaten 0.4L. Ready to win.
- 16. **JOB DE CORDAY** First up since finishing sixth at Lyon-Parilly nine weeks ago. Place claims despite the layoff.

Summary: JUNINHO OUETTE (15) looks overdue a victory having finished second on last three starts. Beaten just 0.25L at this track last time and rates the top chance now. J'EXISTE (14) is unexposed after just four career outings. Lots to like about close second at Lyon-la-Soie last time though and now gets chance to win. Keep safe. JET PIYA (10) was a late DQ on reappearance. Had been well fancied for that however and worth another chance. JEANNOT DU SABLIER (11) won two starts back at Lyon-Parilly. Threat to all on that form.

Selections

JUNINHO OUETTE (15) - J'EXISTE (14) - JET PIYA (10) - JEANNOT DU SABLIER (11)

- 1. **JELISKA DE VIETTE** Last raced at Lyon-Parilly on November 27 when she was disqualified. Prefer to see her perform well before recommending.
- 2. **JOY DES COUPERIES** Was ordinary when 20L away in fifth most recently at her first run back from a layoff at this track. Might need more time.
- 3. **JEZABELLE DES IRIS** Was among the top chances last start, finishing fifth beaten 6.4L at Lyon-la-Soie. Holds claims.
- 4. **JEALILY** Was mediocre when 19L away in ninth most recently at her first run back from a break at this track. Hard to have in this line-up.
- 5. **JEZABEL DUFOURNEAU** Finished 10.5L back in eighth at her latest run at Lyon-Parilly. Can do a lot better in this suitable contest.
- 6. **JAVA DES GENIEVRES** Has been struggling of late, most recently finishing fifth at Lyon-la-Soie. Among the chances on best form.
- 7. **JALISCA SCOTT** Was plain when 5.2L away in eighth most recently at her first run back from a spell at Lyon-la-Soie. This will fully test.
- 8. **JALISCA DE MORGE** First up since finishing eighth at Feurs five months ago. Solid top-three prospects.
- 9. **JUANITA DU BIGRE** Was disqualified last start at Lyon-la-Soie on January 21. Overlook the recent mishap. Well placed to make amends.
- 10. **JIRARDIERE MERITE** Last raced at this track 12 weeks ago when she finished 11th, beaten 5.6L. Place likely best.
- 11. **JELLY OAKS** Was a much better run last time finishing second at this track, beaten 2L. Top chance in this line-up.
- 12. **JENNY GOLD** Last raced at Lyon-la-Soie on January 15 when she was disqualified. Prefer to see her perform well before recommending.
- 13. **JACEE DE BUSSIERES** Was disqualified last start at Vichy on September 24. Forgive the latest run. Well placed to make amends.
- 14. **JESSIE DU HAUTVENT** Was plain when 40L away in 12th most recently at her first run back from a spell at this track. Expect to see the best from her now.
- 15. **JARNY DE BERTRANGE** Was ordinary when 13L away in eighth most recently at her first run back from a spell at Lyon-la-Soie. Expect a better performance this time.

Summary: JACEE DE BUSSIERES (13) has won both previous starts when finding the finish. Smart prospect that may yet prove better than this level. Keep safe. JESSIE DU HAUTVENT (14) disappointed in a higher class first up. Is a lot better than that and likely just needed the run. Key player on best form. JELLY OAKS (11) stayed on well for a strong 2L second at this track last time. Easy to fancy returned here. JUANITA DU BIGRE (9) has a bad DQ record. Threat to all if able to find the finish however.

Selections

JACEE DE BUSSIERES (13) - JESSIE DU HAUTVENT (14) - JELLY OAKS (11) - JUANITA DU BIGRE (9)

- 1. **ILLUSTRATION ECLAT** Failed to raise backers' hopes when resuming last start finishing sixth at Lyon-la-Soie beaten 24L. Unlikely to threaten.
- 2. **HEVA MINE** Again failed to figure last start when beaten 4.1L into fifth at Lyon-la-Soie. Seemingly has forgotten how to win so others preferred.
- 3. **HIDALGO STAR** Has raced twice this prep and failed to threaten on either occasion, the latest when 14th at Lyon-la-Soie three weeks ago. Has the task ahead.
- 4. **IDEAL WESTERN** Finds it hard to win but did make a good impression last time out with a close second at Lyon-la-Soie. Capable of featuring.
- 5. **HARDY DU SABLIER** Last raced at Marseille Vivaux on January 18 when he was disqualified. Prefer to see him perform well before recommending.
- 6. **HAZURENKO DE TEDD** Was a much better run last time finishing third at Hyeres, beaten 4L. Heading the right way and is a leading player.
- 7. **ILLUSION DU VAL** Was ordinary when 18L away in 12th most recently at her first run back from a break at this track. This will fully test.
- 8. **HEZIA HIGHLAND** Was among the top chances when returning from a break last start, finishing sixth and beaten 13L at Lyon-la-Soie. Contender and expected to atone.
- 9. **HARIBELO DE NUIT** Was among the top chances last start, finishing fifth and beaten 6.2L at Lyonla-Soie. Better than that. Major player.
- 10. **ILLIANA LOULOU** Is a last-start winner by 0.8L at Lyon-la-Soie. In form and sure to prove hard to beat.
- 11. **HERMINE THONIC** Finished third at Toulouse last start after she was unplaced two back at Lyonla-Soie. Winning prospects.
- 12. **IMPERIAL KEY** Has been ticking along well, last start finishing fifth at Lyon-la-Soie. Shapes as one to consider.
- 13. **IDEFIX D'OURVILLE** Finished third at Cagnes-sur-Mer two starts back then couldn't repeat the dose at Cagnes-sur-Mer last time, finishing 18L from the winner. Sure to play a major role.

Summary: ILLIANA LOULOU (10) showed a great attitude to hold rivals for a 0.75L success at Lyonla-Soie. Big chance of now going back to back. IDEAL WESTERN (4) was beaten just a nose at Lyonla-Soie last time. That form reads well and may make amends here. Include. HERMINE THONIC (11) runs third up and should now be primed. Keep safe. IDEFIX D'OURVILLE (13) is a consistent sort. Each way chance.

Selections

ILLIANA LOULOU (10) - IDEAL WESTERN (4) - HERMINE THONIC (11) - IDEFIX D'OURVILLE (13)