# **CHANTILLY - 13 April**

- 1. KANO KEFI Faded 20L 12th over 2400m at Saint-Cloud (heavy). Others preferred.
- 2. **GRAND ART** 2.75L fourth in a very heavy ground 2900m conditions race at Amiens last month. One to note.
- 3. **GOUREL** Held 4L sixth over 2400m at Saint-Cloud (very heavy) last month. Top jockey booked.
- 4. **BREATH OF FIRE** 31L 15th over 2400m at Saint-Cloud (heavy) just under three weeks ago. Best watched.
- 5. **TENNESSEE SONG** Absent since delivering a head victory over 2500m at Deauville AW in December. Of note on turf return.
- 6. **LOR BLANC** Neck winner of a good ground 2600m handicap at Marseille-Borely on turf return end of last month. Bold show expected.
- 7. **INVESTOR** Runner-up when beaten a head over 2700m on the AW here 29 days ago. Leading player.
- 8. **LE HOYO** Racing first up when winning by 1L on the AW over 2700m at this circuit just over four weeks ago. Notable contender.
- 9. **CRESSIDA** Caught the eye when 2.25L fourth in a 2400m handicap at Saint-Cloud (very heavy) last month. Holds claims.
- 10. **MAGNENTIUS** Completed a hat-trick when winning by 1.5L in a 2100m conditions race on the AW here last month. Has placed over this course and distance in the past.
- 11. **MOONWALK STEP** Noted following a 2.5L fifth tackling 2400m at Saint-Cloud (very heavy) last month.
- 12. **GLORY DAYS** 9.25L 13th in a 2400m handicap at Saint-Cloud (very heavy) just under three weeks ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 13. **SIR GEORGE** Promising 3.5L sixth in a very heavy ground 2400m handicap at Saint-Cloud last month. Likely to have improved.
- 14. **HIGH RIVER** 3.5L fifth over 2400m at Saint-Cloud (very heavy) just under three weeks ago. Claims on nose second over the same trip at Pornichet AW prior.
- 15. **ART OF FUSION** 7.25L eighth over 2400m on good going at Saint-Cloud ten days ago. Step forward needed.
- 16. **AMAZONYA** Successful by a head over 2100m on the AW here three weeks ago. Strong claims upped in distance.

INVESTOR (7) may take this following a head second over 2700m on the AW at this circuit. Leading chance. LOR BLANC (6) enters calculations. Delivered a neck victory tackling 2600m at Marseille-Borely. AMAZONYA (16) could produce a winning effort off a low weight having won by a head in a 2100m handicap on the AW here. LE HOYO (8) came home 1L clear of his rivals in a 2700m AW handicap at this venue. Shortlisted. TENNESSEE SONG (5) is another to consider. Made all to win by a head attempting 2500m at Deauville AW.

## **Selections**

INVESTOR (7) - LOR BLANC (6) - AMAZONYA (16) - LE HOYO (8) - TENNESSEE SONG (5)

- DREAM LOVE Unraced Dream Ahead colt. Notable runner for a useful stable.
- 2. **EDAMAME** Unraced Acclamation colt. Claims on first career start.
- 3. **PRECIOUS ROCK** Unraced Rock Of Gibraltar colt. Strong claims for a yard who do well with their youngsters.
- 4. AINT MISBEHAVING Unraced Cotai Glory colt. One to note.
- 5. **MICOLEO** Unraced Shalaa colt. Of note on first career outing.
- 6. **PRINTEMPS** Shamardal filly on debut for a trainer and jockey combination worth noting. Bold show expected.
- 7. **ONE STEP AHEAD** Unraced Dream Ahead filly. Likely to find a few too good.
- 8. **HAVE A GOOD DAY** Adaay filly having a first racecourse appearance. Others make more appeal.
- 9. **LINING UP** Unraced Dawn Approach filly. Minor role likely.

# **Summary**

A field of two-year-old newcomers where the market can prove a good guide. PRECIOUS ROCK (3) is a son of Rock Of Gibraltar. Might get off the mark at the first time of asking. Shamardal filly PRINTEMPS (6) represents a leading stable. Could play a role in the finish. DREAM LOVE (1) a Dream Ahead colt hails from a yard who registered a placed effort with their first juvenile runner of the year recently. May take this. Cotai Glory colt AINT MISBEHAVING (4) is also considered.

#### **Selections**

PRECIOUS ROCK (3) - PRINTEMPS (6) - DREAM LOVE (1) - AINT MISBEHAVING
(4)

- 1. **THEORY OF TIME** Held 7.25L ninth in the 1100m Listed Prix Cor de Chasse at Fontainebleau (good-to-soft) two weeks ago. Claims down in trip and grade.
- 2. **BIG BEAT** Faded 8L sixth in a 1300m conditions race on the AW here three weeks ago. More needed.
- 3. **KILFRUSH MEMORIES** Returning from a couple of runs in Dubai when 2L fifth in the 1100m Listed Prix Cor de Chasse on good-to-soft going at Fontainebleau a fortnight ago. Top chance.
- 4. **VITARE** Gelded since finishing 7.25L sixth in a 1400m claimer on the AW here last month. More required.
- 5. **WILD MAJESTY** Absent since a 5.75L sixth in a 1200m conditions race at Deauville (good-to-soft) in August last year. Others make more appeal.
- 6. **SIMPLY STRIKING** Good 2.5L fourth over 1300m on the AW here three weeks ago. Leading contender.
- 7. **MIRAGE HERO** Last of 16 in an 1100m handicap at Fontainebleau (good-to-soft) a fortnight ago. Noted in this event.
- 8. **BERNEUIL** Returning from a break when 0.5L third in a 1300m AW conditions race here 21 days ago. Strong claims.
- 9. **ROCKET ACTION** Fair 3L fifth in the Listed Hever Sprint Stakes over 1011m at Lingfield AW (UK) end of February. All four previous victories have come on the AW.
- 10. **SAXONE** Runner-up when beaten 1.25L in a 1600m conditions race at Lignieres (soft) last month. Drop in trip not certain to suit.
- 11. **PRADARO** Fair 2.25L seventh over 1100m at Fontainebleau (good-to-soft) two weeks ago. Has won twice here in the past.
- 12. **GYPSY WHISPER** 4L second in a 1600m conditions race at Machecoul (soft) last month. Dropping markedly in distance.

# Summary

KILFRUSH MEMORIES (3) can deliver a victory following a 2L fifth in the Listed Prix Cor de Chasse over 1100m at Fontainebleau first up. SIMPLY STRIKING (6) enters calculations. Finished 2.5L fourth tackling 1300m on the AW here. BERNEUIL (8) could register a success. Managed an AW third when beaten 0.5L at this venue. PRADARO (11) was the winner of his only start at this course and distance. May improve after a 2.25L seventh in a Fontainebleau 1100m handicap.

#### **Selections**

KILFRUSH MEMORIES (3) - SIMPLY STRIKING (6) - BERNEUIL (8) - PRADARO (11)

- 1. **SOLDIER RISING** Good 2L second in a 2200m conditions race at Lyon-Parilly (soft) 25 days ago. Leading contender.
- 2. **NOWENDOC** Successful by 1L in a 2600m claimer at Fontainebleau (good-to-soft) two weeks ago. One to note.
- 3. **VILLA DARYA** Debuted with a 1L victory in a 2200m maiden at Fontainebleau (soft) just over a month ago. Strong claims.
- 4. **STEPASIDE BELL** Held 3.75L sixth over 2100m at Pornichet AW last month. Improvement required.
- 5. **DAN CHOP** 5L eighth in a 1600m handicap on the AW here eleven days ago. Others make more appeal.
- 6. **BLUE HORIZON** Held 7.75L eighth in a 2200m maiden at Amiens (very heavy) last month. Others preferred.
- 7. **SABOOR** Good 3L third over 1800m at Fontainebleau (soft) 25 days ago. Top chance.

# Summary

SOLDIER RISING (1) might play a role having been beaten 2L when runner-up over 2200m at Lyon-Parilly on seasonal debut. SABOOR (7) could deliver a victory upped in trip following a 3L third tackling 1800m at Fontainebleau. VILLA DARYA (3) may stay unbeaten. Won by 1L in a 2200m maiden at Fontainebleau on debut. NOWENDOC (2) is considered. Finished 1L clear of his rivals when taking a 2600m claimer at Fontainebleau.

#### Selections

**SOLDIER RISING** (1) - **SABOOR** (7) - **VILLA DARYA** (3) - **NOWENDOC** (2)

- 1. **GREY VENDOME** Good 2.25L fourth in a handicap over this trip here AW four weeks ago. One to note.
- 2. **JUNTO** 8L tenth over 1650m at Amiens (very heavy) last month. Best watched.
- 3. **GREEN BAY** Fair 7.75L fourth over 1800m at Compiegne (heavy) first up three weeks ago. Improvement expected.
- 4. **ECATERINA** Below par 13th over this track and trip four weeks ago. Minor role likely.
- 5. **LAVINIA ROSE** Good 1L third in a 1600m AW handicap here last month. Bold show expected.
- 6. **ASIAN QUEEN** Held 8.75L 12th over this track and trip last month. Others preferred.
- 7. **GRISDELUX** Good 1.75L sixth over 1600m at Saint-Cloud (soft) end of last month. Looking for a first AW win.
- 8. **GRAND YAKA** Last of 17 over this course and distance 26 days ago. Step forward needed second up.
- 9. **SANT ANGELO** Struggled of late including 8.5L 11th over 1300m here eleven days ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 10. **MALECON** 11th over 2600m on the AW at Pont-de-Vivaux just over four weeks ago. Best watched.
- 11. **KONIG CHOUCHEN** Good 5.5L fourth over 2100m at Saint-Cloud (heavy) 23 days ago. Holds claims.
- 12. **MIDAS GIRL** 21 race maiden finished a fair 5.5L seventh over 2100m on the AW here eleven days ago.
- 13. **JE SUIS CHARLIE** Good 2L second over 1700m on the AW at Pornichet last month. Notable contender.
- 14. **HODENG** Faded 12L ninth over 2600m at Pont-de-Vivaux five weeks ago. Dropping in trip on debut for a new trainer.
- 15. **MAKENJAR** 26 race maiden finished a good 1L third over 1600m at Cagnes-sur-Mer AW in January. Likely to improve for the run.
- 16. **PRIMUS INCITATUS** Faded 9.25L 13th in a track and trip handicap last month. Step forward likely second up.
- 17. **MONTAIGNE** 5.75L sixth over 2200m at Amiens (very heavy) two weeks ago. Improvement required.

LAVINIA ROSE (5) makes the shortlist having delivered a 1L third in a 1600m handicap here. Contender. GREY VENDOME (1) can defy top weight following a 2.25L fourth over this track and trip. JE SUIS CHARLIE (13) might have a hand in the finish on the back of a 2L second over 1700m on the AW at Pornichet. In the mix. KONIG CHOUCHEN (11) is also considered. Finished 5.5L fourth over 2100m at Saint-Cloud. May progress.

## **Selections**

LAVINIA ROSE (5) - GREY VENDOME (1) - JE SUIS CHARLIE (13) - KONIG CHOUCHEN (11)

- 1. **IDENTIFIED** Last of eleven in the Listed Prix Ronde de Nuit over 1100m on heavy going here last month. Bold show expected switched to the AW dropping in grade.
- 2. **SLEDGE HAMMER** Absent since finishing 21L last of seven over 1400m in the Listed Prix Herod on heavy ground here in November. Strong claims.
- 3. **LOU WARRIOR** 12L last of six in the 1600m Listed Prix Omnium II at Saint-Cloud last month. Of note down in grade.
- 4. **ENNAKHIL** Struggled both previous starts including 10L tenth over 1700m at Pornichet last month.
- 5. **AVENUE MOZART** Below par 8.5L ninth in a 1600m maiden at Fontainebleau (soft) last month. Best watched.
- 6. **POWHATAN** Fair 3.75L sixth in an 1100m maiden at Le Croise-Laroche (soft) just under three weeks ago. One to note.
- 7. **ANGELINKA** Good 1.25L sixth in a 1300m claimer at Deauville AW last week. Notable runner.

# Summary

IDENTIFIED (1) can win down in grade having disappointed when 46L eleventh in the Listed 1100m Prix Ronde de Nuit on heavy going. SLEDGE HAMMER (2) might play a role in the finish. Beaten 21L last of seven in the 1400m Listed Prix Herod on heavy ground here delivering his final start of last year. ANGELINKA (7) makes the shortlist after a 1.25L sixth in an 1300m AW claimer at Deauville. POWHATAN (6) is another to consider following a 3.75L sixth in an 1100m maiden at Le Croise-Laroche.

#### **Selections**

**IDENTIFIED** (1) - **SLEDGE HAMMER** (2) - **ANGELINKA** (7) - **POWHATAN** (6)

- 1. **ELEGANT ART** Successful by 2.5L in a 2100m handicap on the AW at this track eleven days ago. Bold show expected.
- 2. **ANDERSSON** Victorious by 0.75L in an 1800m AW handicap at Lyon-la-Soie end of last month. Top chance.
- 3. **BEST EVENING** Held 30L ninth over 1800m at Compiegne (heavy) first up three weeks ago. More needed.
- 4. **HISTORY CHOP** 9.25L seventh over 2200m at Amiens (very heavy) two weeks back. Others preferred.
- 5. **POTIOKA** Faded 42L last of nine over 2200m at Amiens (very heavy) first up sixteen days ago. Improvement required.
- 6. **GOLD PALACE** Makes his handicap and stable debut following a 3L sixth in a 2400m AW maiden at Pornichet in January.
- 7. **BARSHAM** Fair 4.75L fifth over this track and trip last month. Claims on success here prior.
- 8. **MY LOVELY ONE** Fair 3L eighth over 2000m at Fontainebleau (soft) in November. Likely to improve for the run.
- 9. **EL VISO** Held 4.75L ninth over 2700m on the AW here twelve days ago. Minor role likely.
- 10. **ULTIMATUM** Took a step forward when 4L fourth in a 2000m AW handicap at Pont-de-Vivaux just under three weeks back. One to note.
- 11. **SINGAPOR RIENTA** Debuting for a new trainer having finished 5L fourth in a course and distance claimer eleven days ago.
- 12. **BEAMA** Racing first up when 6.25L tenth over 1600m here just over four weeks ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 13. **QUEEN'S OF MARSHAL** Runner-up last three starts including beaten a shorthead over 2400m at Bordeaux (good-to-soft) eleven days ago. Best form has come on turf.
- 14. **CHARLY** Good 1.5L third having been ridden with restraint when contesting an 1800m handicap on the AW at Lyon-la-Soie end of last month. Notable runner.
- 15. **COIGNY** Good 2.75L fourth over 2100m on the AW here earlier this month. Shorter distance not certain to suit.
- 16. **PENNBLE** 9.75L ninth in a 2100m handicap at Saint-Cloud (heavy) just over three weeks ago. Needs to put that effort behind.
- 17. **LA FIBROSSI** 4.5L eighth in an 1800m AW handicap at Lyon-la-Soie just under three weeks back. Others preferred.

ANDERSSON (2) may take this following a 0.75L victory in an 1800m handicap on the AW at Lyon-la-Soie. ELEGANT ART (1) enters calculations having delivered a 2.5L triumph in a 2100m AW handicap at this venue. ULTIMATUM (10) can register a success. Ran 4L fourth over 2000m on the AW surface at Pont-de-Vivaux and could build on that effort. CHARLY (14) makes the shortlist. Managed a 1.5L third over 1800m at Lyon-la-Soie AW.

## **Selections**

ANDERSSON (2) - ELEGANT ART (1) - ULTIMATUM (10) - CHARLY (14)

- 1. **DANSES CAVALIERES** Good 1.5L third in a 2400m handicap at Saint-Cloud (very heavy) first up end of last month. Bold show expected.
- 2. **FOLLE PASSION** 2.75L fourth over 2400m on very heavy going at Saint-Cloud last month. Claims if replicating.
- 3. **MULTAMIS** 2L tenth in a competitive 1900m handicap at Deauville AW last week. Likely to find a few too good.
- 4. **HEXIS** Successful by 2L on heavy going over 2100m at Saint-Cloud just over three weeks ago. Strong claims.
- 5. **KING NONANTAIS** Tried to make all when 0.75L second in a 2800m claimer at Compiegne (heavy) just over three weeks ago. Notable runner.
- 6. **SHOW THE WAY** Fourth when beaten 3.5L over 2200m at Lyon-Parilly (soft) last month. Likely to be ridden from off the pace.
- 7. **KENOHOPE** Good 0.75L over 2350m in a Strasbourg (soft) conditions race last month. Of note back in a handicap.
- 8. **DANDY PLACE** Followed up a nose victory at Marseille-Borely with a 1.5L fourth on the AW over 2400m at Lyon-la-Soie six days ago.
- 9. **ROSIERES** 9.75L eighth over 2500m at Le Croise-Laroche (soft) first up three weeks ago. Improvement required.
- 10. **ELVIS** Struggled 13L 17th over 2400m at Saint-Cloud (very heavy) last month. More needed.
- 11. **MEJAEN** Good 4L fourth in a 3000m handicap at Saint-Cloud (good) a week ago. Noted dropping in trip.
- 12. **ZAWADI** Put a couple of below par efforts behind when a head second over 2100m on the AW here three weeks ago. Best form has come on the AW.
- 13. **BRIGHT CRESCENT** Absent since finishing 17L 15th over 2100m on the AW here in November. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 14. **BALGEES TIME** Runner-up when beaten 0.5L in a 1800m claimer at Langon Libourne (good) eight days ago. This looks tougher.

DANSES CAVALIERES (1) can deliver a victory having finished 3.5L third over 2400m on very heavy going at Saint-Cloud. HEXIS (4) may complete a double. Won by 2L in a 2100m handicap at the same circuit. FOLLE PASSION (2) is noted. Caught the eye when 2.75L fourth in a 2400m handicap at Saint-Cloud. KING NONANTAIS (5) enters calculations. Set the pace prior to a 0.75L second in a heavy ground 2800m handicap at Compiegne. KENOHOPE (7) is considered on the back of a 0.75L second in a 2350m conditions race at Strasbourg.

## **Selections**

DANSES CAVALIERES (1) - HEXIS (4) - FOLLE PASSION (2) - KING NONANTAIS (5) - KENOHOPE (7)

- 1. **MAGNETIQUE** Faded late on when 3L fifth over 2000m at Strasbourg (soft) two weeks ago. Notable contender.
- 2. **FIGHTING DON** Placed on each of his last three starts including 1.25L third over 1700m on the AW at Pornichet end of last month. Bold show expected.
- 3. **ARROGANTE** Held 4L eighth over 1600m on the AW here at the start of the month. Improvement required.
- 4. **RAJASTARE** Runner-up when beaten 0.75L in a 2100m AW handicap here in November. Top chance first up.
- 5. **IDEAL KING** Caught the eye when 2L sixth over 1900m on the AW here last month. Capable of better.
- 6. **SHIKAMI** Tried to make all when 0.75L third over 1600m on the AW here twelve days ago. Strong claims.
- 7. **LAQUYOOD** Neck second in a track and trip handicap last month. Leading contender.
- 8. **LE MARAIS** Good 2L third to a subsequent winner in a 2000m AW handicap at Cagnes-sur-Mer in February. Debuting for a new trainer.
- 9. **DARK DREAM** Held 7.75L tenth in a 2700m handicap here in February. Minor role likely.
- 10. A SPECIAL LINE Fair 3.75L seventh over this track and trip last month. More required.
- 11. **BERETS VERTS** Down the field of late including 30L last of 17 over 1600m at Saint-Cloud (soft) last month.
- 12. **DALSTAR** 2L seventh over 2100m here three weeks ago. Looking for a fourth course and distance success.
- 13. **MANG'SEKO** Good 1L third over this course and distance just under four weeks ago. One to note.
- 14. **SOSOFT** Held 42L tenth in a 2400m handicap at Saint-Brieuc (very heavy) last month. Needs to put that effort behind.
- 15. **MON CIEL ETOILE** Runner-up when beaten 1.5L over this track and trip just under four weeks ago. One to note.
- 16. **CHIQUITITO** Below par 11L 13th at this course and distance last month. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 17. **LADY ARKADINA** Held 6L eighth over 1600m at Marseille-Borely (good) end of last month. Improvement required.

LAQUYOOD (7) produced a neck second in a track and trip handicap last month. Leading contender. RAJASTARE (4) could play a role in the finish on the back of a 0.75L second on the AW track at this venue tackling 2100m. SHIKAMI (6) enters calculations having tried to make all when 0.75L third in a 1600m AW race at this circuit. FIGHTING DON (2) is another to consider. Ran 1.25L third in a 1700m AW handicap at Pornichet.

# **Selections**

LAQUYOOD (7) - RAJASTARE (4) - SHIKAMI (6) - FIGHTING DON (2)