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R4 VINCENNES [L-H]

**C1 - PRIX RIOM - 2100m (a1m1/4) - Class R Claiming - Harness - EUR €
18,000**

1. KERNEZIA DU CORTA - Quickly sanctioned when well-supported in a 2750m Cabourg Class E early this month. Is better than recent numbers would suggest and despite the inside draw, can play a small role

2. KINNAIRD - 9th of 12 in a 2700m Class C here on 31 December. Takes to the claiming category with Alexandre Abrivard reining and a realistic chance of challenging for the win

3. KEN DU POMMEREUX - 8th of 11, on comeback, in a 2700m Class E here on 18 December. Disappointing on the whole and even though reconfigured, is unlikely to make much of an impact

4. KALIKA DU RIS - Ran 3rd under these conditions before coming 5th of 12 finishers to KELLE EAU (12) in a 2700m claimer here on 13 December. Has good speed, enjoys a fine place on front line, and should be able to make the frame this time

5. KADOR DE SEVRE - Makes first appearance since finishing 8th of 10 in a 2700m Class E here on 25 November. Barefoot for the occasion, is nicely-drawn, and deserves to be taken seriously

6. KAMOVA DU RILER - 9th of 10 finishers in a 2100m Class E over main track 2.5 weeks ago. Has made no impact for some time and is not about to break the mould

7. KALINE DES RIOULTS - Quickly sanctioned on re-entry in a 2925m Cagnes Class D on 3 January. Will have come on for the run though and, if focused, can impose

8. KERGOMAR SIBEY - Failed to fire when 6th of 12 finishers to KELLE EAU (12) in a 2700m claimer here on 13 December. Is considerably better than the result would imply, and even though starting wide in front, can still play a prominent role

9. KAJAGOOGOO - Disappointing over the main track before being sanctioned early in a 2550m Bordeaux Class D late last month. Is confirmed in this category and will not be far off the mark if Anthony Barrier positions him early

10. KIWI DE LARRE - Ran 4th in race of reference before finishing 7th of 9 in a 2100m Class E over main track a fortnight ago. Handed a tough draw and can expect to find this a stiff test

11. KOOPER DU CHOQUEL - 8th of 11, on return to competition, over 2300m at Kuurne on 6 December. Takes on some tough elements this time and will have little to contribute

12. KELLE EAU - Opened her claiming account at first time of asking, comfortably dominating a number of these over 2700m here on 13 December. On 2nd line and unlikely to repeat but can still finish in the mix

13. KIBORA BUISSONAY - Failed to confirm late-December performance when sanctioned in a 2700m Class E here on 3 January. Has merit, sports revised shoeing, but the draw will do her no favours

14. KATKO DES CHAMPS - 8th of 12 finishers to KELLE EAU (12) in a 2700m claimer here on 13 December. Shoes on again and poses no danger

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15. KLIF DU DEZERT - Sanctioned in last 2, latterly a 2100m Class E over main track a fortnight ago. Reconfigured but has been handed a tough draw and can be passed over

Summary: It's anyone's race this but KALINE DES RIOULTS (7) has nothing to prove at a level like this and despite being drawn wide, she can wrap this up if her handler keeps her trotting. Better-placed in the 2-spot, KINNAIRD (2) has yet to make her mark here but in this category must be considered a leading contender. KALIKA DU RIS (4) has been lurking of late and the excellent draw will only work to her advantage. KERGOMAR SIBEY (8) failed to live up to expectations last month but still has the capacity to play a more competitive role this time.

SELECTIONS

KALINE DES RIOULTS (7) - KINNAIRD (2) - KALIKA DU RIS (4) - KERGOMAR SIBEY (8)

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C2 - PRIX DE LA BAULE - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 35,000

1. KIDAM DU METZ - Made the frame in 2 before being sanctioned in a 2175m Class E here last Friday and may again be taking on too much

2. KELMONDO BOY - Has had time to freshen up after running 6th of 10 finishers in a Class E over track and trip on 25 November. Shoes on however and best to wait

3. KEEP TRUST - Runner-up in 3 before faulting in a Class E over course and distance on 4 January. Has never shown much liking for Vincennes though and others easier to support

4. KARAT DEFF - Courageous 2nd of 9 in a Class E over course and distance 11 days ago. Shod this time but won at Cherbourg with shoes on and is eminently capable of opening his 2025 account

5. KARAMBA KARACHO - Flew up at Amiens prior to coming 4th of 9 behind KARAT DEFF (4) in a Class E over course and distance 11 days ago. Has found his mark in the day's configuration and is not about to disappoint

6. KID DE LA BANIO - Returns to racing left-handed after finishing last of 13 behind KER DE TOUES (10) in a 2750m Cabourg Class E a fortnight ago. Not as sharp as he was in the autumn but will be no easy touch if focused

7. KAMIKAZE - Imposed at Graignes before finishing 6th of 13 behind KER DE TOUES (10) in a 2750m Cabourg Class E a fortnight ago. Is not without merit but appears to be out of his league

8. KEN DE CORDAY - Has not raced since finishing 6th of 10 in a 3000m Borely Class D on 18 October. Seldom disappoints when barefoot though and makes Vincennes debut with reasonable chance of making first 5

9. KER POULGWEN - 5th of 9, on first start for 8 months, in a 2725m Graignes Class E on 23 November. Will have progressed and if fully-fit will be in a position to give KARAT DEFF (4) a run for his money

10. KER DE TOUES - 3rd of 13, at 75/1, in a 2750m Cabourg Class E a fortnight ago. Not the most reliable horse here but will generate some interest

11. KRACK CLEA - Back under harness after running 2nd of 13 in a monté Class E over course and distance a fortnight ago. Pleased under harness here early last month and has every chance of trotting his way onto the podium

Summary: KARAT DEFF (4) may not be the easiest of horses to handle but he left a very good impression here recently and even with shoes on can bring home the bacon. David Thomain will nevertheless be wary of KER POULGWEN (9) who races barefoot following a most promising re-entry in late-November. Hard to fault in this configuration, and good finisher here earlier in the month, KARAMBA KARACHO (5) is unlikely to be far off the mark. As good in one code as the other, KRACK CLEA (11) enjoys a superb engagement and represents a decent place prospect.

SELECTIONS

KARAT DEFF (4) - KER POULGWEN (9) - KARAMBA KARACHO (5) - KRACK CLEA (11)

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C3 - PRIX DE PORNICHET - 2850m (a2m) - Class B Race - Mounted - EUR € 75,000

1. **HAWAI RIVER** - Steps up in category after being sanctioned in a Class D under these conditions a month back and appears to be biting off more than she can chew
2. **HAIDA SAUTONNE** - Makes just 2nd start in the discipline after dead-heating in a harness Class C over course and distance on New Year's Day. Takes on a better lot this time but reverts to a previous formula and can still hold her own
3. **GAVROCHE BEST** - Unraced since faulting in a 2700m Class C here on 1 December and even though reconfigured has no possible chance
4. **HEURISTIQUE** - Won 2 in a row before finishing last of 12 behind FLUO MESLOIS (9) in a 2700m Gr.3 here on 28 December. Reunited with Paul Ploquin, with whom she excels, and must be afforded respect
5. **GUAPO MARBOULA** - Encouraged here on 28 December before being sanctioned in a harness Class D over course and distance last week and returns to the ridden code with modest ambition
6. **GADGET DU GADE** - Faces first objective of the winter after running 9th of 11 behind HERE WE GO (14) in a 2700m harness conditioner here a fortnight ago, and is unlikely to trouble the judge
7. **GREZ** - Honourable 3rd of 11 in a harness Class D under these conditions last week. Pleased on lone monte appearance and with Guillaume Martin aboard will be afforded every chance
8. **FASCINOSO DE LOU** - Ran 3rd over 2175m prior to finishing last of 6 behind HANNAH (11) in a 2700m Class B here 9 days ago. Not a priority but has merit and should not be overlooked
9. **FLUO MESLOIS** - Drops back in category after coming 6th of 12 in a 2700m Gr.3 here 2.5 weeks ago and if still on the boil can figure more prominently
10. **FALCON D'ESPACE** - 3rd of 6 finishers, a place behind HANNAH (11), in a 2700m Class B here 9 days ago. Unlikely to spring a surprise but still has the wherewithal to pick up a cheque
11. **HANNAH** - In the frame in 3 of last 4, most recently 2nd of 6 finishers in a 2700m Class B here on 6 January. Deserves to be rewarded with success one of these days and represents principal danger to HERE WE GO (14)
12. **HARRY CARISAIE** - Decent 4th over track and trip before faulting in a 2700m harness Class B here on 31 December. Clémence Thuet in the saddle and will have claims on a place in the frame
13. **FLEURON D'ACADIE** - Disappointing in last 2, most recently 12th of 14 in a 2925m Cagnes harness Class B late-December. Eric Raffin onboard for monte debut but others still preferred
14. **HERE WE GO** - Takes first competitive ridden steps after finishing 6th of 11 in a 2700m harness Class B here late last month. Has a lot going for him here and will be expected to dominate
15. **GIROLAMO** - Enjoys a decent entry but has been off the boil lately, latterly 10th of 11 in a 2925m Cagnes harness Gr.3 on 21 December, and can be passed over

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Summary: A quality element under harness, HERE WE GO (14) takes to the monte code for the first time, sports a new configuration for the occasion, and with Mathieu Mottier in the irons can get straight down to business. Opposition will take the form of HANNAH (11) who is plainly close to her race, and the reconfigured HARRY CARISAIE (12) who has shown significant monte potential. GREZ (7) may not have been seen under the saddle since last May but his form is sure and has a realistic chance of making the frame.

SELECTIONS

HERE WE GO (14) - HANNAH (11) - HARRY CARISAIE (12) - GREZ (7)

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C4 - PRIX DE MAUQUENCHY - 2850m (a2m) - Class R Claiming - Harness - EUR € 18,000

- 1. HOMMAGE DE LARRE** - A complete write-off for some time, latterly 11th of 14 in a 2700m Le Croise-Laroche Class E mid-December, and can be passed over
- 2. GARRY THORIS** - Not disgraced when 7th of 11 in a 2700m Class D here 2.5 weeks ago. Has references at this level and is unlikely to go home empty-handed
- 3. GALION VOLSIN** - Came 10th of 15 in a 2800m Pontchateau Class E a fortnight ago. Put in a good finish that day though and in this company can make a bigger impact
- 4. GOLZAC DE REM** - 8th in a Vincennes claimer before coming 7th of 15 in a similar division over 2650m at Bordeaux on 9 December, and will need to find considerably more
- 5. HOLLY SHINE** - Yet to deliver at Vincennes but suffered interference in a 2850m Class D here 9 days ago, finishing last of 10. On front line again and with more luck in running can play a prominent role
- 6. FELDSPATH THEPOL** - Sanctioned in a 2625m Cherbourg Class F late-November. Never far from faulting, and would be preferred racing clockwise, but in this field can get in on the action
- 7. GOSSIP BOY** - Trounced in 3 before being sanctioned when beaten in a 2825m Class E at Le Croise-Laroche a month back, and can be ruled out
- 8. FOR EVER THE BEST** - Last of 8 in a monté Class D over course and distance a fortnight ago, on first start since October 2023, and will need another outing
- 9. GOUNIT DE L'AIROU** - 10th of 13 in a 2825m Cordemais Class E on 24 November. Has never disappointed in the claiming division and from the front row can give this a good go
- 10. FAIRPLAY FOREVER** - 9th of 11 behind FAKIR DE GESVRES (11) in a 2100m claimer here late-November. Is significantly better than that though and, considering the entry and the new formula, is not to be underestimated
- 11. FAKIR DE GESVRES** - 4th in a 2100m claimer prior to finishing 9th of 13 in a 2100m Class D here early last month. Incurs the penalty and will struggle to leave his mark
- 12. FESTIVAL D'ORIENT** - Sanctioned with 200m to run in a 2100m Class D here on 6 January. Cannot be considered a priority but with application can get a look-in
- 13. ENDIAN DE BANVILLE** - Returns to racing barefoot after finishing 9th of 12 in a monté Class D over course and distance 2.5 weeks ago and will have few friends
- 14. EXTRA DU CHATELET** - Starts for first time since running 7th of 10 in a 2725m Graignes Class C mid-October. Shoes on and no threat
- 15. FRANKLIN PARK** - 5th of 11 in a 2850m Class D here last week. Races in claiming division for first time and even though forced to start on back row, still has the wherewithal to win a race of this nature
- 16. EDEN JULRY** - Looked very ordinary when 6th of 12 in a 2850m Parilly Class D 2 months ago. Sports 4 pads for first time but still not an obvious choice

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17. FEE LUCERNAISE - Has not been seen out since finishing last of 12 in a 2950m Toulouse Gr.3 on 20 November. Is clearly more talented than most here and looks main threat to FRANKLIN PARK (15)

18. EMENCOURT D'AZIF - Switches back to harness code after being sanctioned in a 2700m monte Class B here on 6 January. Returns to racing barefoot and has form in this category. First 5

Summary: On paper, it looks like there are just two in it, FRANKLIN PARK (15) taking a big dip in category after having pleasantly surprised in a Class D here last week, and FEE LUCERNAISE (17) who seldom disappoints when partnered by Eric Raffin. Unlucky here recently HOLLY SHINE (5) enjoys a 25m head-start and will be competitive for a spot on the podium, as will the reconfigured GALION VOLSIN (3) who raced better at Pontchateau than the result would suggest.

SELECTIONS

FRANKLIN PARK (15) - FEE LUCERNAISE (17) - HOLLY SHINE (5) - GALION VOLSIN (3)

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C5 - PRIX DE PONT-A-MOUSSON - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class D Amateur Riders Race - Mounted - EUR € 36,000

1. **KUEEN DES CHARMES** - 7th of 10 in a Class E over course and distance 2.5 weeks ago and will need to find significantly more
2. **KABRELLA** - Good 2nd of 11 in a 2825m Cordemais Class F 10 days ago. Has yet to deliver here but is a tough nut to crack when barefoot and must be considered a decent place chance
3. **KASANE DU BISET** - First time under the saddle after having been sanctioned in a 2175m harness Class E here last week. May find the task a bit too tough this time however
4. **KAVIVE** - Excellent servant making first start since coming 2nd of 15 in a Class E over course and distance 2 months ago. Has freshness on her side and is thoroughly capable of winning this
5. **KALIE D'URSIN** - Quickly sanctioned in a Class D over track and trip on 22 December. Has been a write-off this term and must get her house in order
6. **KATE BRIONNAISE** - Takes to the monte code for first time after running 7th of 10 in a 2850m harness Class E here on 10 December. Is no slouch on a good day and should be able to hold her own. First 5
7. **KERIDA DE VIVOIN** - Respectable 6th of 10 in a harness Class E under these conditions on 18 December. Has raced and placed at a superior level and is unlikely to be far from the action
8. **KOMEDIE SOMOLLI** - Takes first competitive ridden steps after finishing 10th of 12 behind KERIDA DE VIVOIN (7) in a harness Class E over track and trip on 18 December. Is not devoid of ability but races shod and represents a minor place chance at best
9. **KITENA** - 3rd of 11 in a 2800m Pontchateau Class F 3.5 weeks ago. Has demonstrated good aptitude for the discipline, has previously won over course and distance, and will be competitive at the business end of affairs
10. **KISS ME JO DARLING** - 5th of 9, a place behind KALIE D'URSIN (5), in a Class D over course and distance on 22 December. Has a lot going for her here and can give Arnaud Ledoyen's mare something to think about. Chance

Summary: Winner of 2 in a row before being sent for a long layoff, KAVIVE (4) has been excellent since returning to competition, and considering how she performed here last time out, the race looks hers for the taking. Mathis Champenois will still be keeping a watchful eye on the well-engaged KISS ME JO DARLING (10) who drops marginally in category, and KITENA (9) who imposed under these conditions last winter when sporting similar shoeing.

SELECTIONS

KAVIVE (4) - KISS ME JO DARLING (10) - KITENA (9) - KABRELLA (2)

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C6 - PRIX DE GAVRAY - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Harness - EUR € 35,000

1. **LAY UP** - Returns to racing shod after finishing last of 9 behind LASCAR PILE (13) in a 2850m Class E here last week and will have few friends in the markets
2. **LUGANO DE HOUELLE** - 3rd of 12 in a 2200m Class E here on 10 December. Has been afforded ample time to recover and the engagement of Eric Raffin speaks volumes. Chance
3. **LEXCELLENT DU METZ** - Quality individual that was sanctioned in a Class E over course and distance on 5 December. Has nothing to prove in this company and with application should be able to make this his own
4. **LAIOS DU GOUTIER** - Makes first appearance since being sanctioned in a Class E over course and distance on 5 December. Is confirmed under these conditions, and races barefoot for first time, but others still easier to trust
5. **LASCAUX DEL PHEDO** - Back under harness after finishing 4th of 8 in a monte Class E under these conditions 2.5 weeks ago. Front pads fitted this time but is unlikely to have much to contribute
6. **LIVE MY DREAM** - Goes barefoot for the first time after running 5th of 8, a place behind LASCAUX DEL PHEDO (5), in a monte Class E under these conditions 2.5 weeks ago, but will still need to find more
7. **LABRAX DU SKY** - Tricky sort that imposed at Angers prior to being sanctioned early in a 2725m Cabourg Class E 2 weeks ago. Form is not in question though and will be no pushover if Theo Duvaldestin keeps him focused
8. **LUCIFER DU PONT** - Has 2 runs under his belt, latterly 8th of 12 behind LUNDU DE LOU (14) in a 2725m Cabourg Class E 2 weeks ago, but is more competitively shod this time and is not to be underestimated
9. **LUC PAASLOO** - Useful sort but sanctioned in last 2, most recently a 2175m Class E here on 21 December. Was not out of the running that day though and on better behaviour can start to get back in the game
10. **LEADER MESLOIS** - Rather unlucky 8th of 12, a place behind LEONARD DE VINCI (15), in a 2175m Class E here on 21 December. Races first-time barefoot and although not a contender, can still get a look-in
11. **L'ECLAIR DE PLAY** - Reassuring 3rd of 11 in a 2950m Toulouse Class E on 20 November. Has not been seen since and would be preferred a level down
12. **LANCIER DE REANA** - 3rd of 10 in a 2800m Pontchateau Class E on 2 January. Being aimed higher here but sports front pads for first time and should not be too far from the action
13. **LASCAR PILE** - Decent 4th of 9 in a 2850m Class E over inner course last week. Well-regarded at home and has every chance to prove the point. Place prospect
14. **LUNDU DE LOU** - Nicely-entered here but will need to show marked improvement on recent 6th of 12 in a 2725m Cabourg Class E 2 weeks ago
15. **LEONARD DE VINCI** - 4 times 2nd before finishing 7th of 12 in a 2175m Class E here 3.5 weeks ago. Is significantly better than that and will be expected to contest the finish this time.

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Summary: A good future prospect, LEXCELLENT DU METZ (3) would have imposed here last month had he not faulted 100m out, but is plainly the best horse here and racing unshod-behind may be just the ticket to his redemption. Wonderfully-entered, LEONARD DE VINCI (15) races first time barefoot and could well get that maiden monkey off his back. Clearly on the right road, and first-time barefoot, LUGANO DE HOUELLE (2) will be driven by Eric Raffin for the occasion and looks a player. LASCAR PILE (13) has been climbing the category-ladder in good order and will have a lot to offer if he takes to the main-track profile.

SELECTIONS

**LEXCELLENT DU METZ (3) - LEONARD DE VINCI (15) - LUGANO DE HOUELLE (2) -
LASCAR PILE (13)**

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C7 - PRIX DE CHAMBLY - 2700m (a1m1/2) - Class E Race - Mounted - EUR € 35,000

- 1. LOOPING PEJI** - Flattering 5th of 6 behind LITYGE DE CYM (10) in a 2750m Cabourg Class E on 19 December. Front pads fitted but others still preferred
- 2. LILIUS DE GUEZ** - 6th of 9, despite missing the start, in a 2200m Class E here on 13 December. Is plainly a capable type and can play a leading role if he gets off on the right foot
- 3. LUGOS DE MONTAURAN** - Sanctioned in a 2700m Graignes Class F on 13 December. Shoes off for first time but in this category is not about to cause an upset
- 4. LUCAS DU CLOS** - Takes to ridden code for first time after coming 4th of 5 finishers in a 3000m Nantes harness Class G early last month. In considerably more exalted company this time and chances slim
- 5. LOVE DE BEAULIEU** - Made amends for 2 sanctions when 3rd of 6 in a 2200m Class E here on 3 January. Has yet to deliver over main track but sports modified shoeing and will be worth monitoring
- 6. LOUPIOT DE CHENU** - Opened his account in a 2825m Cordemais Class F 10 days ago. Has taken well to his new vocation and although unlikely to repeat can still finish in the mix
- 7. LOTUS DES CHAMPS** - Unraced since being sanctioned in a 2750m Cabourg Class E late-October. Has ample ability though, is clearly in competition-mode, and must be afforded respect
- 8. LOUSTIC DU VIVIER** - Runner-up on monté debut at Cordemais prior to losing his action in a 2350m Angers Class E a week ago. Top jockey aboard this time and can trot off with the spoils if he keeps his charge focused
- 9. LIKE POWER** - Quickly sanctioned in a 2750m Cabourg Class E on 19 December. Is better than his formcard would suggest and racing first-time barefoot may make all the difference. First 5
- 10. LITYGE DE CYM** - A different horse since switching codes, most recently dominating a 2875m Argentan Class F 11 days ago. Races left-handed for just the 2nd time but will have a lot to contribute if he turns
- 11. LEOPOLD DU CLOS** - 4th of 6, a place behind LOVE DE BEAULIEU (5), in a 2200m Class E here on 3 January. Barefoot for the occasion but will still need to find more

Summary: Although still rather spirited, LOUSTIC DU VIVIER (8) showed a different side to himself on his maiden start under the saddle and racing barefoot for the first time, with Mathieu Mottier riding, can open his monte account. LILIUS DE GUEZ (2) can also prove a handful but his potential is not in question and, reconfigured for the occasion, will be dangerous if Jean-Yann Ricart keeps him trotting. LITYGE DE CYM (10) has turned a corner since moving disciplines and can go close if he takes to the new conditions. LOUPIOT DE CHENU (6) has something of a similar profile and makes his Vincennes debut with morale intact.

SELECTIONS

LOUSTIC DU VIVIER (8) - LILIUS DE GUEZ (2) - LITYGE DE CYM (10) - LOUPIOT DE CHENU (6)

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C8 - PRIX DE SAINT-POL - 2850m (a2m) - Class F Amateur Drivers Race - Harness - EUR € 12,000

1. **HESTIA DES PLAINES** - Encouraged early last month before running 9th of 13 in a 2725m Grenade amateurs Class G on 22 December and will have few takers
2. **GRACIOSA TEJY** - Unremarkable mare that ran 6th of 8 in a 2800m Pontchateau Class F earlier this month and is out of her depth
3. **HELLO VRAC** - 6th of 11 in a 2700m amateurs Class G at Le Croise-Laroche a month back and will need to find considerably more
4. **IF DE LA COUDRE** - Never far from faulting but reassuring 3rd of 15 in a 2800m Pontchateau Class E 2 weeks ago. Is proven over the inner course and makes her main-track debut with legitimate ambition. First 5
5. **FREGATE HAUFOR** - Last of 12 in a 2850m Laval amateurs Class F on 8 December and given current form, has no possible chance
6. **ICARE DE HOUELLE** - Sanctioned in 3 of last 4, latterly a 2800m Pontchateau Class F on 2 January. Just front pads fitted for first time but others still easier to trust
7. **ISLA JUELA** - 8th of 9, on first start for 9 months, in a 2100m Class E here 9 days ago. Will have come on for the run and, from the front row, can contest the finish this time
8. **IDOLE DELICE** - 5th of 18 in a 2800m Pontchateau Class E 3.5 weeks ago. Enjoys an excellent entry and will be expected to finish close
9. **HORSE DE GRAMMONT** - 6th of 12 behind HASCHELEY BERRY (11) in a 2100m amateurs Class F here 2.5 weeks ago. Cannot be considered a priority but will be expected to hold his own once more
10. **ESPOIR DES MAZURES** - Last of 12 in a 2100m amateurs Class F here on 28 December and can be confidently passed over
11. **HASCHELEY BERRY** - 4th of 12 in a 2100m amateurs Class F here 2.5 weeks ago. Races barefoot this time though and, although 25m worse off, will be no pushover
12. **FARCEUSE DU PRE** - Never-threatening when sanctioned in an amateurs Class F under these conditions late last month and can be ruled out
13. **HEMILIO PIERJI** - 3rd of 12 finishers in an amateurs Class F under these conditions late last month. Has solid references in this category and must be taken seriously. Chance
14. **IOUPY TOLLEVILLE** - 8th of 11 when preparing for this in a 2725m Graignes Class E late last month. Ran 2nd on only start over course and distance and despite the penalty, still looks a serious proposition
15. **EUDES DE L'AUNAY** - 7th of 12 finishers behind HEMILIO PIERJI (13) in an amateurs Class D under these conditions late last month, but can go closer if he gets off on the right foot
16. **IDOLE D'OURVILLE** - Out of sorts over recent weeks, latterly 9th of 10 in a Class D over course and distance on 6 January, and is unlikely to stir things up

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Summary: Barefoot following a Graignes conditioner, IOUPY TOLLEVILLE (14) takes to the amateur division for the first time and can win this if he replicates his Meslay performance. 25m better off and already a winner under these conditions, ISLA JUELA (7) makes just her second start back, and stays shod, but still has the quality to win at this level. HEMILIO PIERJI (13) has been knocking at the door this winter and sporting hind pads for the first time could make all the difference. IDOLE DELICE (8) opened her amateur account mid-December before pleasing in better company at Pontchateau and is unlikely to let the side down.

SELECTIONS

IOUPY TOLLEVILLE (14) - ISLA JUELA (7) - HEMILIO PIERJI (13) - IDOLE DELICE (8)