CABOURG [R-H] - 20 August

Race 1 - PRIX DE GRAIGNES - 2750m WALK-UP E80 HCP Harness. Purse EUR €22,000.

- 1. **GENERAL INTRIGANT** String of DQ and hard to fancy he will even find the finish.
- 2. **HOUPLALA LIRE** Game 0.5L winner at this track in similar contest last time. Progressive filly that is easy to fancy.
- 3. GUN DE CHANLECY Maiden after 9 runs and looks an unlikely winner in this field.
- 4. GISARO Struggling to find the finish recently and likely best watched.
- 5. **HOOPER DES CHASSES** Unexposed gelding who has already won at this track. This demands a career best but no surprise were that forthcoming.
- 6. **HASHTAG DUB'S** Nose winner at this track last time. Profile is seemingly all or nothing but clearly a threat to all at best.
- 7. **HAMYOT DE BOMO** 0.5L winner at this track. Return here will suit and he should finish close up once more.
- 8. **HISTORIQUE ELDE** DQ latest a concern and disappointing run before that also. May prove best watched in this field.
- 9. HELL DREAM VET Won four starts ago and has placed twice since. Each way.
- 10. **HAPPY FACE** High class gelding that has won four of last five starts. Perfect 3 from 3 for this driver and looks worth holding safe once more.
- 11. GARGANTUA 2.25L winner at Saint Malo last time. This is more competitive but hard to rule out.
- 12. **HAUTAIN** Searches for third successive victory and could hardly be in any better form at present. Drops in grade so has every chance of now securing the hat-trick.
- 13. **GEDEON DAIRPET** Placed on reappearance but has field to build upon that. Needs more running barefoot.
- 14. **HERA DU GOUTIER** Ended last campaign with game 1L victory to make it 7 wins from just 11 runs. Won only previous start here and should give another bold showing on return.
- 15. **HAPPY STORY** Resumes after two month break. Drops in grade on return and likely to show up well here. Keep safe.

Summary: HAPPY FACE (10) has won four of last five starts and is clearly thriving at present. Will take beating once more. HAUTAIN (12) looks for third successive victory. Progressive and easy to fancy. HAPPY STORY (15) was running in graded races on final starts last campaign. This is a lot easier on return. Threat to all. HERA DU GOUTIER (14) has won 7 of 11 career starts. Big chance on first start for five months. HELL DREAM VET (9) has each way claims amongst this field.

Selections

HAPPY FACE (10) - HAUTAIN (12) - HAPPY STORY (15) - HERA DU GOUTIER (14) - HELL DREAM VET (9)

Race 2 - PRIX DE SAINT-PIERRE-EN-AUGE - 2050m MOBILE F42 Harness. Purse EUR €19,000.

- 1. **GIRL DE L'ETOILE** Won four starts ago and best run since when a close second last time. In a better race here but should run well once more.
- 2. **GUINNESS ORADEL** Has run with credit thsi campaign without troubling the judge. Needs more but not entirely ruled out.
- 3. GALAXY FRANCE 1.75L second at provincial track recently. Interesting if able to build upon that.
- 4. GATAKA DU VIVIER Mid-field finishes on recent starts and will need to improve sharply if she is to factor.
- 5. GOLDIE GOLD Won four starts ago and finished mid-field all starts since. Needs more amongst this field.
- 6. **GUERRIERE DRY** Promising reappearance but took a backwards step second up. Needs to progress if she is to factor.
- 7. **GODINE DE VALFORG** Can be excused DQ latest and very interesting judged on placings on two starts previous to that. Each way chance.
- 8. **GALANTE DE TILLARD** Returned to form with nose success here last time. Seems to enjoy being partnered with this driver. Shortlist.
- 9. GRACE DE L'ECLAIR Only secured 1 win in 33 starts and looks unlikely she will boost that here.
- 10. **GAELLE DE MIELOUI** Good sequence of runs before DQ last time. Worth another chance and has each way claims if bouncing back.
- 11. GAIA DEL SOL String of modest efforts and easily opposed.
- 12. GOUMYA WIND Out of form and beat watched here.
- 13. GALLICA DU VINOIS Won five starts ago but not at same level since. Needs to re-find form.
- 14. GRACE DE MAI Limited mare that is unlikely to factor in this field.

Summary: GALANTE DE TILLARD (8) scored a game nose victory at this track last time. That form reads well and may be the one to beat again. GALAXY FRANCE (3) has a good record for this driver and placed latest. Winning claims if continuing to improve. GIRL DE L'ETOILE (1) comes into this in good form following a placing. Progressive type and easy to fancy. GODINE DE VALFORG (7) has to be excused DQ latest. Better form prior and must be an each way player.

Selections

GALANTE DE TILLARD (8) - GALAXY FRANCE (3) - GIRL DE L'ETOILE (1) - GODINE DE VALFORG (7)

- 1. **LIVI MAJESTY** Gilles Currens runs this gelding bare-foot. Market can guide to his chances.
- 2. **ELVIRA SAUTONNE** Secured confidence boosting win at provincial track last time. Good driver booked and can take another step forwards.
- 3. **FEUILLE D'ERABLE** Game 1L winner here two starts ago and placed since this track. Loves running at this course and has each way claims once more.
- 4. DAGUET D'OMBLAIS No better than mid-field so far this campaign.
- 5. **MELLBY GUARD** Well beaten at Vincennes on final start last campaign and will need to resume in better form. Remains unexposed so don't entirely rule out.
- 6. **EXPERT CASTELETS** Recent form figures make little appeal although has placed on both previous runs for this driver.
- 7. **FASLIYEN D'ORGERES** Goes well for this driver and has a good record when running fresh as he does here. Interesting.
- 8. FORREST D'EM DQ on reappearance. Is a lot better than that however so worth another chance.
- 9. **FINGER DES BORDES** Won five consecutive starts before DQ last time. Steps up in grade but hard to rule out.
- 10. **CAIUS** Resumes following seven month absence. Honest type although has generally needed first run back in the past.
- 11. **CECTAR** String of modest runs and happy to oppose.
- 12. **FRENCH WAY OF LIFE** Won three starts ago and has placed twice since. Clearly thriving at present and has admirable winning record for this driver. Big chance.
- 13. **FIESTA DU BELVER** Contested some strong races last campaign and resumes at more realistic level. Threat to all on return.
- 14. DIVA DU CAIEU Resumes after four and a half month break. Market can guide on return.

Summary: FRENCH WAY OF LIFE (12) won three starts ago and has run well to finish second on both starts since. Expected to take beating if continuing in same level of form. FASLIYEN D'ORGERES (7) will be primed for a big performance. Rates well in this field and is easy to fancy. FIESTA DU BELVER (13) resumes in easier contest. Threat to all despite a seven month break. FEUILLE D'ERABLE (3) has won and placed recently. In good form and should go close. Each way player.

Selections

FRENCH WAY OF LIFE (12) - FASLIYEN D'ORGERES (7) - FIESTA DU BELVER (13) - FEUILLE D'ERABLE (3)

Race 4 - PRIX DE VIRE - 2725m MOBILE E96 Harness. Purse EUR €22,000.

- 1. FATAL GWEN Nose winner at Pornichet two starts ago in grade F race. Each way chance at this level.
- 2. **FRISSON D'AMOUR** Won four starts ago and has placed twice since. Progressive gelding and is easy to fancy.
- 3. **FUTE BUROIS** Placed twice and won in last three starts. In career best form and has a big chance once more.
- 4. **FOREVER ISQUES** Has to be excused DQ last time but in good form before that. Won grade D race three starts ago and a threat to all on that form.
- 5. FOX PAPA TANGO No better than mid-field recently and happy to oppose.
- 6. FOLLOW ME FLASH 3.25L sixth at this journey last time. Each way claims following that.
- 7. **FALCO DES ROCHERS** 3.75L fourth at Saint Malo was a good run. Won twice in three starts at this track and has good driver booked. Big winning chance.
- 8. **FRIMEUR DU SKY** Best run for some time when placing at Brehal latest. Each way chance if building upon that.

Summary: FUTE BUROIS (3) was beaten a nose in a similar contest at this venue last time. Good record for this driver and looks to be the horse to beat. FRISSON D'AMOUR (2) won four starts ago and has placed twice since. Thriving at present and easy to fancy. FOREVER ISQUES (4) can be excused DQ last time. Racing well prior and holds each way claims. FALCO DES ROCHERS (7) has a good course record. Potential threat to all.

Selections

FUTE BUROIS (3) - FRISSON D'AMOUR (2) - FOREVER ISQUES (4) - FALCO DES ROCHERS (7)

Race 5 - PRIX DES LANTANAS - 2750m WALK-UP D17 Harness. Purse EUR €22,000.

- 1. **IMPERIAL DE SUCE** Has placed twice and won in last three starts. Thriving at present and should give another bold showing.
- 2. **INFINITIF D'ERABLE** Won first two starts but DQ both subsequent runs. Threat to all if able to find the finish but hard to entirely trust.
- 3. **INIMITABLE** 0.5L second at Maure De Bretagne on final start last campaign. Likely to be fit for return but a place may prove best once more.
- 4. **ITONO DE MILLAC** Promising 2.25L third at this track on reappearance. Should only improve upon that. Each way.
- 5. **IKILIK** Won first two starts including second up in this grade. DQ both runs since however. Big chance at best but DQ a concern.
- 6. **ICONOCLASTE ERABLE** Impressive winner of both starts so far and looks a smart prospect. Will continue progressing and may yet prove better than this grade. Keep safe.
- 7. **ITAK DU BELLAY** Powered clear for 4.25L victory at Le Mans. That was a career best and deserves try in better grade. Expect a big chance.
- 8. **IPOCALYPSE LOVE** String of modest runs and happy to just watch here.
- 9. **ISPANO BELLO** Placed on reappearance in a grade E race before DQ at this level last time. Needs more at this level.

Summary: ICONOCLASTE ERABLE (6) won both starts on first campaign and looks a nice prospect. Will be primed to strike and rates as the one to beat. ITAK DU BELLAY (7) was an impressive 4.25L winner last time. Can progress further and is worth keeping safe. IMPERIAL DE SUCE (1) won two starts ago and placed on runs either side of that. Clearly in great form and should finish close up once more. ITONO DE MILLAC (4) placed at this journey on reappearance. Should only improve and holds each way claims.

Selections

ICONOCLASTE ERABLE (6) - ITAK DU BELLAY (7) - IMPERIAL DE SUCE (1) - ITONO DE MILLAC (4)

- 1. HOPE AND GLORY Running well in this grade at present and has conditions to suit. Each way chance.
- 2. **HASCHELEY BERRY** Won five starts ago but inconsistent performances since. Threat to all on best but hard to predict.
- 3. **HEMERA TURGOT** Won three starts ago and has placed both runs since. Clearly thriving at present and should give another bold showing.
- 4. **HEVALONE DE GUEZ** Won three starts ago but disappointing twice since. Certainly has the ability to factor in this field but hard to fully trust.
- 5. **HERA D'ESPACE** 1L second at this track latest. That form reads well and can improve further. Big chance.
- 6. **HANNA DU KLAU** Just missed the placings when a 3.25L fourth here latest. Each way chance following that.
- 7. HUKITA Won three starts ago but not at same level in two subsequent runs. Interesting if bouncing back.
- 8. HYDILLE DE RETZ Placing two runs ago stands out amongst profile as rare good run.
- 9. HAVANA PARIS 3.25L fifth at this journey last time. Each way hope in similar contest.
- 10. **HACIENDA VERDERIE** Placed on five of last six starts and looks overdue a victory. Remains unexposed and can progress further. Big chance.
- 11. **HAUTENTICA** Went away for 7L victory at Royan La Palmyre. This looks better race but a genuine threat to all.
- 12. **HALF MOON** 1L third at Le Mont Saint Michel two starts ago. That form reads well and has each way claims.
- 13. **HOLLY ANGELE** Perfect one from one for this driver following victory at Avon Coutainville two starts ago. This is tougher though so needs more.
- 14. **HERMELINE** Just missed the placings at Rochefort-Sur-Loire last time. Each way claims if building upon that.

Summary: A competitive looking contest with many of these holding chances. HEMERA TURGOT (3) is thriving at present. Won three starts ago and placed on next two runs. The one to beat. HACIENDA VERDERIE (10) looks overdue a victory after five recent placed finishes. Should go close. HAUTENTICA (11) powered clear for impressive wide margin victory. Faces tougher competition but easy to fancy. HERA D'ESPACE (5) was beaten 1L at this venue last time. Holds each way claims.

Selections

HEMERA TURGOT (3) - HACIENDA VERDERIE (10) - HAUTENTICA (11) - HERA D'ESPACE (5)

Race 7 - PRIX DE CHERBOURG-EN-COTENTIN - 2750m WALK-UP F120 HCP APP Monte. Purse EUR €22.000.

- 1. **FUGITIF DE PO** DQ on last four starts and easily opposed.
- 2. **ELIE DU PRIEURE** Won five starts ago and ran creditably in defeat since. Each way chance amongst this field.
- 3. FERRY BOAT Not at best recently and would need a big step forward to factor.
- 4. **FUN DE BELLANDE** 1L second at Lisieux two runs ago. Rates well on the form although winning record a concern.
- 5. FAUST DE BEYLEV Run well in defeat the last twice but more required in this field if he is to go close.
- 6. **FREDY DE LA NOE** Last couple of runs have been disappointing but in much better form before that. Each way chance here.
- 7. **DUC PAJELO** Almost 1400 days since last victory and unlikely to change that here but placed just three starts ago and another place wouldn't be a surprise.
- 8. **FARCEUR DE MAI** Interesting on close second at Carentan two starts ago but DQ since. Worth another chance and has each way claims.
- 9. **FLYNN HEROLD** Powered clear for impressive 6.75L win here last time. If anything this looks slightly easier so expect to take the beating once more.
- 10. **EPSON DU VIVIER** 2.25L winner at this track and trip when last seen. That made it two from two at this track and should give another bold showing.
- 11. **DE HOUELLE** Has struggled on all previous course runs but this is a likeable gelding and he is hard to rule out.

Summary: FLYNN HEROLD (9) powered clear for impressive wide margin win last time. The clear one to beat if replicating similar performance. EPSON DU VIVIER (10) has won both previous course runs including gamely by 2.25L latest. Big chance. FUN DE BELLANDE (4) rates well on close second two starts ago. Shortlist. ELIE DU PRIEURE (2) is racing well. Each way chance.

Selections

FLYNN HEROLD (9) - EPSON DU VIVIER (10) - FUN DE BELLANDE (4) - ELIE DU PRIEURE (2)

Race 8 - PRIX DE JULLOUVILLE-LES-PINS - 2750m WALK-UP F17 Monte. Purse EUR €17,000.

- 1. **HAUT LEON** Looked limited in three starts so far. Happy to oppose.
- 2. **HYPERBIS** Struggled at provincial track last time and will need to take a huge step forwards if he is to factor.
- 3. **HYLTON DE RAMBURES** Progressing steadily with racing this campaign and placed for the first time at Vittel latest. Beaten 20L in that race so more required.
- 4. **HINSERT MAHCATH** Finished second on three of last four starts and looks overdue a victory. Clearly in good form and worth holding safe here.
- 5. HAYABUSA CRAZY Runs this campaign have been disappointing and may prove best watched.
- 6. **HELIOS DE REVILLE** Confidence boosting first victory at provincial track last time. This demands more but could easily build upon that.
- 7. HOLIDAY DREAM DQ the last twice and needs to re-find form.
- 8. **HARLAN** DQ on last three starts. Has the ability to feature in this field but hard to trust he will even find the finish at present.
- 9. **HARRY CARISAIE** Placed on first three career starts and looked a smart prospect but regressed on last two runs. Needs to improve again.
- 10. **HUGO OCCAGNES** Impressive 9L winner at Saint-Jean-De-Monts last time. That was a big career best and deserves a try in better race here. Keep safe.
- 11. **HELIOS DU JAL** Placed here albeit still well beaten in better grade last time. This is more suitable and can improve again. Threat to all running bare-foot.
- 12. **HONEY DE BANVILLE** Lost his way recently and needs to re-find form. Runs bare-foot and has the ability to factor.

Summary: HUGO OCCAGNES (10) impressed when going clear for wide margin success last time. Will take beating. HINSERT MAHCATH (4) looks overdue a victory after string of second placed finishes. Big winning chance. HELIOS DU JAL (11) is progressing steadily with racing this campaign. Conditions to suit and holds each way claims. HELIOS DE REVILLE (6) won a modest contest latest. Up in grade but clearly in good form and is a potential threat to all.

Selections

HUGO OCCAGNES (10) - HINSERT MAHCATH (4) - HELIOS DU JAL (11) - HELIOS DE REVILLE (6)