AUTEUIL [L-H] - 22 June

Race 1 - PRIX COLOMBELLES - 3700m CLM STPLE. Purse EUR €24,000.

- 1. CUZCO DU MATHAN Solid Class Three chase third at Craon last outing. Top chance in this grade.
- 2. RHONE Runner-up in a 3450m claiming chase at Compiegne latest. Key player.
- 3. **VICOMTE DU BERLAIS** Finished behind Rhone when third over 3450m at Compiegne. Thereabouts.
- 4. **IGUANE DES ONGRAIS** Could find the frame on his Nancy fourth two back but was pulled-up last outing. Supplemented runner.
- 5. **IMPETRANT LORD** Drop back to claiming level helps but a place looks best on the balance of his chasing form.
- 6. **QUICK DADDY** Sent off big prices in a trio of outings over fences thus far and struggled to make an impact.
- 7. ICI AVRILLY Could show up well on her Lyon-Parilly Class Three chase fourth two starts ago.
- 8. MISS PERFECT Impossible to recommend on what she has shown so far.
- 9. **MADEMOISELLE FLAG** Easy to oppose having finished miles behind Rhone and Vicomte du Berlais at Compiegne.

Summary: CUZCO DU MATHAN (1) arrives on the back of a solid Class Three chase third at Craon last outing. Top claims in this grade. RHONE (2) and VICOMTE DU BERLAIS (3) finished second and third in a 3450m claiming chase at Compiegne latest. Both are expected to be firmly involved with the former likely to uphold the form. ICI AVRILLY (7) would be of interest on her Lyon-Parilly Class Three chase fourth two starts ago.

Selections

CUZCO DU MATHAN (1) - RHONE (2) - VICOMTE DU BERLAIS (3) - ICI AVRILLY (7)

Race 2 - PRIX CHRISTIAN DE TREDERN - 3600m HDLE. Purse EUR €120,000.

- 1. **ROBERTA HAS** Created a taking impression when winning the Listed Prix du Cher hurdle at Compiegne by 6L last month. Obvious claims.
- 2. **ASTADAME** Runner-up to Roberta Has in the Listed Prix du Cher at Compiegne. Frame contender.
- 3. **GLORETTA** Fair third in the Listed Prix de La Muette handicap hurdle over course and distance but has a bit to find with the principles.
- 4. **AMAZING FILLY** Smooth return to hurdling when winning a Class Three by 8L but this represents a very different task.
- 5. **HOTESSE DU CHENET** Classy hurdler proven at this level. Excellent 1.25L second in the Listed Prix d'Arles hurdle over course and distance last outing. Sets the standard.
- 6. **ROYALE MARGAUX** Holds strong claims following an all the way 1L success in the Listed Prix Virgin Radio Prix James Hennessy over 3500m here.
- 7. **ITIALENE** Mountains to find on the figures and impossible to recommend.

Summary: Some smart types on show here for this fillies and mares G3 hurdle. HOTESSE DU CHENET (5) is proven at this level and looks the one to side with following an excellent 1.25L second in the Listed Prix d'Arles over course and distance last outing. Sets the standard as a multiple Group winner. ROBERTA HAS (1) created a taking impression when winning the Listed Prix du Cher at Compiegne by 6L last month. Obvious chance with a progressive profile. ROYALE MARGAUX (6) holds strong claims following an all the way 1L win in the Listed Prix Virgin Radio - Prix James Hennessy over 3500m here. ASTADAME (2) is next best.

Selections

HOTESSE DU CHENET (5) - ROBERTA HAS (1) - ROYALE MARGAUX (6) - ASTADAME (2)

Race 3 - PRIX GILBERT GALLOT - 3700m STPLE CL2. Purse EUR €50,000.

- 1. FLEUR DE BRUEYRE Needs a bit more in first-time cheekpieces following a 14L fourth at Dieppe.
- 2. HAPPYDENUO 17L fourth in this class of steeplechase over 4400m here last outing. Place best.
- 3. **CAMERISE** Often struggles in this class and has a bit to find on ratings.
- 4. **GASTIBELZA** Fair hurdling second at Les Sables-d'Olonne recently and could find the frame back chasing.
- 5. **PRINCESSE D'ANGERS** Goes back up in grade following a 1.5L second over fences at Landivisiau on reappearance.
- 6. **GAYA DE ROUHET** Made it two from three over fences with a low grade success at Pontivy 38 days ago. Could take this class rise in her stride.
- 7. **GREAT ESCAPE** Finished runner-up on four of her six chase outings. Each-way player.
- 8. **HAHNVILLE** Fell when not unfancied in this grade on chase debut here recently. Worth another chance.
- 9. **MUSICA DE BAUNE** Won sole chase start and made a winning reappearance in a Class Three hurdle at Toulouse nineteen days ago. Player.

Summary: GAYA DE ROUHET (6) made it two from three over fences with a low grade success at Pontivy last outing. Could take this class rise in her stride and complete the hat-trick. HAHNVILLE (8) fell when not unfancied in this grade on chase debut here recently. Worth another chance under a top jockey. MUSICA DE BAUNE (9) won her sole chase start and made a winning reappearance in a Class Three hurdle at Toulouse last-time out. Notable claims. One for the placings is GREAT ESCAPE (7).

Selections

GAYA DE ROUHET (6) - HAHNVILLE (8) - MUSICA DE BAUNE (9) - GREAT ESCAPE (7)

- 1. **MY KALORES** Pulled-up at Compiegne after a lengthy absence. Best watched despite some solid back class.
- 2. GRAZANO Held behind Hextravertix in a similar course and distance hurdle. Place best.
- 3. **MYBOY** In good form at present and finished a fair fourth behind Hextravertix over track and trip. Firmly involved.
- 4. ZARISK Top-rated but hasn't been seen in a mammoth 830 days. Market check needed.
- 5. **GREAT PARADE** 17L eighth in the G3 Grand Prix de La Ville de Nice Bernard Secly chase at Cagnes-sur-Mer in January. Interesting on reappearance at this level.
- 6. KATPOLI Running fairly in the UK of late and interesting on stable debut in first-time headgear.
- 7. **HEXTRAVERTIX** Good course and distance claiming second last outing. Not dismissed if replicating.
- 8. **RASANGO** Won a Compiegne claimer by 4L before falling six-out over track and trip last start. Player.
- 9. **HOURRA HOURRA** Jumping often lets him down and needs more than when fifth over 3800m at Dieppe.
- 10. RIVALCO Pulled-up at Dieppe after a 715-day absence. Looks best watched.
- 11. **AMIRAL DONNA** Third at Cagnes-sur-Mer behind a pair of subsequent winners 555 days ago. Market can guide on stable debut.
- 12. **FINISTERE MADRIK** Disappointed greatly here 25 days ago. Worth another chance on his 4L second to Rasango at Compiegne prior.
- 13. PANDORO Arrives out of form and needs more in the first-time blinkers.
- 14. **FURIMIX** Capable of finding the frame on best figures but was behind some of these here two starts ago.

Summary: RASANGO (8) won a Compiegne claimer by 4L before falling six-out over track and trip last start. Leading claims if none the worse for that. FINISTERE MADRIK (12) was extremely disappointing at this venue last-time out. Worth another chance on his second to Rasango at Compiegne prior. KATPOLI (6) has been running fairly in the UK of late and looks an interesting runner on stable debut in first-time headgear. MYBOY (3) arrives in good form at present and finished a fair fourth over course and distance recently. Hard to dismiss.

Selections

RASANGO (8) - FINISTERE MADRIK (12) - KATPOLI (6) - MYBOY (3)

Race 5 - PRIX LA PERICHOLE - 4400m STPLE. Purse EUR €135,000.

- 1. **VICTTORINO** Comfortable handicap chase success here latest but this represents a huge step up in grade.
- 2. **TONGUETTED** Plenty to find with Impressive on recent outing in the G1 Prix Ferdinand Dufaure here.
- 3. **SAINT PARIS** Could find the frame on best figures but fell early on in the course and distance G1 Prix Ferdinand Dufaure last outing.
- 4. **MISTER CHAMPDOUX** Progressive type who steps up in grade and trip following a good second in the Listed Prix Virgin Radio Prix James Hennessy chase here.
- 5. **IMPRESSIVE** Brilliant 4L runner-up in the course and distance G1 Prix Ferdinand Dufaure chase. Top chance.
- 6. **DIAMOND CARL** Created a huge impression in both chase outings the latest when winning by 7.5L in a Class One over 3500m here. Leading claims.
- 7. SANS BRUIT Good second in the solid G2 Prix Jean Stern over track and trip last start. Thereabouts.
- 8. **MA BEAUTE** Dual chase winner including in the G3 Prix Hopper at Compiegne two starts ago. Noted.

Summary: IMPRESSIVE (5) arrives on the back of a brilliant 4L second in the course and distance G1 Prix Ferdinand Dufaure chase. Top claims in this grade. DIAMOND CARL (6) created a huge impression in both chase outings the latest when winning by 7.5L in a Class One over 3500m here. Notable contender with a fascinating profile. Dual steeplechase scorer MA BEAUTE (8) won the G3 Prix Hopper at Compiegne two starts ago. Hard to rule out. MISTER CHAMPDOUX (4) is another to note.

Selections

IMPRESSIVE (5) - DIAMOND CARL (6) - MA BEAUTE (8) - MISTER CHAMPDOUX (4)

Race 6 - PRIX PHARAON - 3600m HDLE CL2. Purse EUR €47,000.

- 1. LE PATRON Won a Class Three hurdle over 3800m at Nancy by 5L last outing. Not dismissed.
- 2. IGOR Made a smooth winning debut before showing up well when third at Compiegne. Key chance.
- 3. **COUP DE COEUR** Sent off favourite but disappointed when sixth in this class at Nantes. Better than that and could bounce back in cheekpieces.
- 4. SOMBREUIL Decent 9.5L third in a Class Two hurdle over 3500m at Nantes last outing. Claims.
- 5. **INSTANT PRECIEUX** Moderate hurdling form thus far and others hold stronger claims in this grade.
- 6. JARRY MIST Made a winning hurdling debut at Saint-Brieuc but this is tougher up in standard.
- 7. INTERVAL Runner-up to Jarry Mist at Saint-Brieuc and a place is probably best in this grade.
- 8. **AVENUE DU MESNIL** Made a winning debut by 2.5L when having a subsequent winner behind at Le Lion-d'Angers. Player.
- 9. ILESTBO DE HOUELLE Failed to complete on both outings over hurdles. Opposed.
- 10. FREE LANO Cannot recommend on what he has shown thus far.
- 11. A L'ABORD'AZ Gelding by Kamsin making his debut. Market check needed.
- 12. CYR REBEL Gelding by Cockney Rebel who is worth a glance in the betting on debut.
- 13. ISARAK Others seemingly hold stronger claims on what he has shown thus far.
- 14. INCONNITO 3L second to Sombreuil on debut at Dax recently. Could improve.
- 15. ISCHIA Ran well when fourth here at a big price second-time out. Interesting if building on that.

Summary: IGOR (2) made a smooth winning debut before showing up well when third at Compiegne. Leading claims with further progress expected. COUP DE COEUR (3) was sent off favourite but disappointed when sixth in this class at Nantes. Better than that and could bounce back in cheekpieces for a top stable. SOMBREUIL (4) finished a decent 9.5L third in a Class Two hurdle over 3500m at Nantes last outing. Firmly involved. LE PATRON (1) must be respected having won a 3800m Class Three hurdle at Nancy by 5L last-time out.

Selections

IGOR (2) - COUP DE COEUR (3) - SOMBREUIL (4) - LE PATRON (1)

- 1. **FURIE D'AINAY** 21L fifth in the Listed Prix Saint Sauveur course and distance handicap chase latest. Claims down in standard.
- 2. **TWO TAFFS** Best form reads well but he was tailed off in a qualifying handicap here last start. Market will guide.
- 3. **EXPRESSO COLLONGES** Upped 3kg for an all the way handicap success over 4200m at Toulouse. Huge claims.
- 4. **ESPOIR ROYAL** Would be firmly involved on his 6L course and distance second off this mark two back.
- 5. **ON YOUR MARK** 2.5kg lower than when sixth in the Listed Prix Lutteur lii here three back. Interesting.
- 6. **GRANDIOSO** Fair sixth off this mark on the penultimate outings and could have more to give in first-time cheekpieces.
- 7. **HARPON D'OUDAIRIES** 0.75L runner-up over 3800m at Compiegne on handicap chase debut. Key runner.
- 8. **ECOUTE EN TETE** Ten placings from fourteen chase outings and cannot be ruled out from an eachway angle.
- 9. GNAFRON 15L fourth in a course and distance qualifying handicap a month ago. Place best.
- 10. HALLELUIA Looks best watched on handicap chase debut following three moderate runs of late.
- 11. HENRY BRULARD Held off this mark in a handicap hurdle here recently. Others preferred.
- 12. DAYS DREAM Moderate claiming fourth at Compiegne 22 days ago. Hard to recommend.

Summary: EXPRESSO COLLONGES (3) has been upped 3kg for an all the way handicap success over 4200m at Toulouse. Huge claims with a progressive profile. FURIE D'AINAY (1) finished a 21L fifth in the Listed Prix Saint Sauveur course and distance handicap chase latest. Chance down in standard. HARPON D'OUDAIRIES (7) produced a solid 0.75L runner-up over 3800m at Compiegne on handicap chase debut. Key contender. ESPOIR ROYAL (4) completes the shortlist.

Selections

EXPRESSO COLLONGES (3) - FURIE D'AINAY (1) - HARPON D'OUDAIRIES (7) - ESPOIR ROYAL (4)