ANGERS - 28 May

Race 1

- 1. **HAVE A GOOD DAY** Unbeaten in two starts including a 2L success over 1000m at Lyon-Parilly (good-to-soft) just over four weeks ago. Top chance.
- 2. **SPEED CHOP** Improving type who won by 2.5L in a 1000m maiden at Bordeaux (good-to-soft) a month ago. Strong claims.
- 3. **ILLUMINATING** Fair 9L third in an 1100m newcomers race at Le Mans (soft) on debut eighteen days ago. Step forward required.
- 4. BLUSHING Victorious by 4L in an 1100m newcomers race at Le Mans (soft) earlier this month. Leading contender.
- 5. **DETESNOUVELLES** Followed up a Tarbes maiden success with a 1.5L second over 1000m at Bordeaux (good) nineteen days ago. Notable runner.
- 6. **ANA MARTINA** Held 12L fifth over 1100m at Le Mans (soft) when debuting eighteen days ago. Others hold more obvious claims.

Summary

HAVE A GOOD DAY (1) can retain her unbeaten record having followed up a debut victory with a 2L success attempting 1000m at Lyon-Parilly. BLUSHING (4) impressed when winning by 4L over 1100m at Le Mans on debut. Good show again is likely. SPEED CHOP (2) is shortlisted having broken his maiden by 2.5L tackling 1000m at Bordeaux. DETESNOUVELLES (5) could bounce back having finished 1.5L second in a 1000m conditions race at Bordeaux. Has more experience. Include.

Selections

HAVE A GOOD DAY (1) - BLUSHING (4) - SPEED CHOP (2) - DETESNOUVELLES (5)

- 1. **MOUILLAGE** Nose second in the Listed Prix Aymeri de Mauleon over 1600m at Toulouse (good) last month. Top chance.
- 2. **SAN ISIDRO** Held 6L seventh over 1300m at Longchamp (good-to-soft) on seasonal return five weeks ago. More needed.
- 3. **SEVENTH KINGDOM** Head third in the Listed Prix Aymeri de Mauleon over 1600m at Toulouse (good) a month ago. Leading contender.
- 4. **GO FAST TRAOU LAND** Completed a double when winning by 2L over 1600m at Saint-Cloud (heavy) last November. Strong claims on seasonal reappearance.
- 5. LAYLANA Successful by a nose over 1800m at La Teste (good-to-soft) six weeks ago. Notable contender.
- 6. ROMANTIC SONG Runner-up beaten 1.5L over 1600m at Lyon-Parilly (soft) 20 days ago. One to note.
- 7. **BAKER CHOPE** Runner-up beaten 3.5L in a 1600m conditions race at Nantes (soft) last October. Claims on seasonal reappearance.

Summary

MOUILLAGE (1) was beaten a nose in the Listed Prix Aymeri de Mauleon over 1600m at Toulouse. Drops one level and can score. SEVENTH KINGDOM (3) is ready to win following a head third in the aforementioned Listed Prix Aymeri de Mauleon. On the shortlist. GO FAST TRAOU LAND (4) holds claims on seasonal return having completed a double when winning by 2L tackling 1600m at Saint-Cloud. LAYLANA (5) won by a nose attempting 1800m at La Teste and could back that up.

Selections

MOUILLAGE (1) - SEVENTH KINGDOM (3) - GO FAST TRAOU LAND (4) - LAYLANA (5)

- 1. **ULTRA VIOLET** Successful by 3.5L over 1600m in a Nantes (very heavy) maiden earlier this month. Bold show expected on handicap debut.
- 2. **SINGAPOR STESA** Faded 3.25L fifth in a 1600m contest at Saint-Cloud (good) at the start of the month. Step forward required.
- 3. **SMART EAGLE** Making his handicap debut following a 19L last of seven over 1950m at Le Mans (soft) eighteen days ago.
- 4. TERRITORIO Faded 4.5L fifth over 1900m at Cholet (soft) last month. Handicap debut.
- 5. **STREET MUSIC** Runner-up in an AW maiden on penultimate start but 15L ninth over 1600m at Nantes (good-to-soft) subsequently. Likely capable of better on handicap debut.
- 6. **LOVE AFFAIR** Good 3.5L second in a 1600m maiden on very heavy going at Nantes just under two weeks ago. Of note on first handicap start.
- 7. **DARINKA** Put a below par effort behind her when 3.75L fourth over 1600m at Saint-Cloud (good) earlier this month. Looking for a first victory.
- 8. **MARASTAR** Third beaten 0.5L in a 2000m maiden at Le Lion-d'Angers (good-to-soft) just over two weeks ago. Disappointed on handicap debut prior.
- 9. IMPOSSIBLE Held 21L seventh in a 2400m maiden at Chantilly (soft) eleven days ago. Making his handicap debut.
- 10. **CITY ROCK** 2L victory in a 1650m maiden at Sable-sur-Sarthe (good-to-soft) start of the month. Top chance on handicap debut.
- 11. **FIRST DREM** Held 9L ninth in a 1600m maiden at Nantes (very heavy) two weeks ago. Claims on earlier efforts now switched to a handicap.
- 12. **GOLDEN GOLD** Third beaten 4L in an 1800m maiden at Nort-sur-Erdre (good) just under three weeks ago. Handicap debut.
- 13. **BABY BOOMER** 6L seventh in a 1600m handicap at Saint-Cloud (good) earlier this month. Claims on her 0.5L second over 1400m at Le Lion-d'Angers (good-to-soft) prior.
- 14. POMELA LAUJAC Below par 6.5L 12th over 1600m at Saint-Cloud (good) at the start of the month. Best watched.

Summary

CITY ROCK (10) can complete a double on handicap debut having taken a maiden by 2L over 1650m at Sable-sur-Sarthe. ULTRA VIOLET (1) enters calculations having won by 3.5L in a 1600m maiden at Nantes. LOVE AFFAIR (6) may go one place better than when 3.5L second in the aforementioned Nantes maiden. Handicap should suit. BABY BOOMER (13) is another to consider having been beaten 0.5L when runner-up over 1400m at Le Lion-d'Angers on her penultimate outing.

Selections

CITY ROCK (10) - ULTRA VIOLET (1) - LOVE AFFAIR (6) - BABY BOOMER (13)

- 1. **SPRING HEAD** Third beaten 5L in a 2500m conditions race at Nort-sur-Erdre (good) just under three weeks ago. Has won off a higher mark in the past.
- 2. **PARK OF DIAMOND** Given a break since finishing 10L eighth over 1900m at Chantilly AW in February. Likely to improve for the race.
- 3. SAAM Struggled 13L 13th over 2400m at Saint-Cloud (good) eighteen days ago. Step forward needed second up.
- 4. ENGELBURG Good 2L third over 2000m in a soft ground claimer at Saint-Cloud last month. Strong claims.
- 5. **DALIGAR** Held 17L eighth over 1900m in a Longchamp (good-to-soft) claimer just over three weeks ago. Improvement required.
- 6. MABAWI Failed to shine when 7.5L 13th over 1900m at Chantilly AW in November. Likely to improve for the run.
- 7. **ALWAYS WELCOME** Midfield finish when 9.5L ninth over 2250m at Longchamp (good-to-soft) three weeks ago. Both previous victories have come left-handed.
- 8. **MEANDRO** Bidding to complete an AW hat-trick when 3L fifth over 1600m at Chantilly seventeen days ago. Claims on earlier efforts.
- 9. **AMARHALEN** Faded 7.5L third in a 2400m handicap at Saint-Cloud (soft) two weeks ago. Notable contender down in trip.
- 10. CORDEY ROSE Held 12L 12th over this trip at Saint-Cloud (good) at the start of the month. More required.
- 11. **NOORMANDY** Winner of three of his last four starts including by 3.5L in a 2500m claimer at Langon-Libourne (good) start of the month. Debuting for a new trainer.
- 12. **KING OF MY HEART** Seventeen race maiden finished last of sixteen over 2000m on the AW at Cagnes-sur-Mer in February. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 13. **SANTA ZOO** Neck second in a 2400m handicap at Le Lion-d'Angers (good-to-soft) in July last year. Of note on seasonal reappearance.
- 14. **PARAFECTION** Good 4L second in a 1700m conditions race at Saint-Brieuc (soft) on seasonal debut two weeks ago. Strong claims.
- 15. **LILI SPIRIT** Faded 10L 12th in a 2200m conditions race at Fontainebleau (soft) just over three weeks ago. Minor role likely.
- 16. **MONTFIQUET** Fourth beaten 10L in an 1800m claimer at Nort-sur-Erdre (good) just under three weeks ago. Others hold more obvious claims.

Summary

PARAFECTION (14) finished 4L second in a 1700m conditions race at Saint-Brieuc first up. Can go one place better. AMARHALEN (9) enters calculations having finished 7.5L third over 2400m at Saint-Cloud. In the mix. ENGELBURG (4) may register a victory following a 2L third in a 2000m claimer at Saint-Cloud. Holds claims. Making her seasonal debut SANTA ZOO (13) is another to consider having finished a neck second in a 2400m handicap at Le Lion-d'Angers last July.

Selections

PARAFECTION (14) - AMARHALEN (9) - ENGELBURG (4) - SANTA ZOO (13)

- 1. **FULL FLOW** Runner-up on all four starts to date including when beaten a nose over 2500m at Saint-Malo (good-to-soft) last month. Top chance.
- 2. **FIRST CREATION** Runner-up beaten 1.75L over 1950m at Le Mans (soft) in a handicap earlier this month. Notable contender.
- 3. YORKSEA 13L 11th over 2000m at Saint-Cloud (good) early last month. Others preferred.
- 4. RED GRACE Victorious by 0.75L in a 1900m maiden at Limoges (good) at the start of this month. One to note.
- 5. AIR BEAUTY Held 11L eighth in an 1800m maiden at Nort-sur-Erdre (good) earlier this month. Handicap debut.
- 6. OD KAKO Good 2L third tackling 1950m at Le Mans (soft) on handicap debut eighteen days back. Claims.
- 7. **MARTINE BOW** Held 6.75L fifth in a 2000m maiden at Le Pin-au-Haras (good) at the start of the month. Step forward needed on handicap debut.
- 8. **NOBLE ANGEL** Returning from a break when 5L fifth in a 2000m claimer at Saint-Cloud (good) eighteen days ago. Struggled off a 2kg higher mark on only previous handicap start.
- 9. **LOVER MIMI** Improved effort 4L sixth in an 1800m claimer at Evreux (soft) start of the month. Making her first handicap start.
- 10. BRONISLAS Below par 5.5L tenth over 1800m at Le Croise-Laroche (soft) last week. Others make more appeal.
- 11. **GRAZIANA** Midfield finish when 4L seventh over 2200m at Longchamp (soft) twelve days ago. Improvement required.

Summary

FULL FLOW (1) looks up to defying top weight to deliver a victory following a nose second over 2500m at Saint-Malo. Suited to this race. FIRST CREATION (2) is shortlisted having finished 1.75L second in first time blinkers (retained) when tackling 1950m at Le Mans. RED GRACE (4) may prove capable of completing a double having won by 0.75L in a 1900m maiden at Limoges. OD KAKO (6) holds claims having finished 2L third on handicap debut over 1950m at Le Mans.

Selections

FULL FLOW (1) - FIRST CREATION (2) - RED GRACE (4) - OD KAKO (6)

- 1. **HELLOMYFRIEND** Fair 7L sixth in a 2200m maiden at Vannes (good-to-soft) earlier this month. Step forward required.
- 2. **DEAL IS DONE** Successful by 2L in a 2200m maiden at Vannes (good-to-soft) 20 days ago. Bold show expected.
- 3. **ALBERT BRIDGE** Completed a double prior to finishing 1L fifth in an 1800m AW claimer at Lyon-la-Soie in December. Looking for a first victory on turf.
- 4. SPRINGBOKS Held 6.25L ninth over 2200m at Lyon-Parilly (soft) in March. Strong claims switched to a claimer.
- 5. **MUNAADRAM** Below par 15L seventh in a 2500m handicap at Saint-Malo (good-to-soft) last month. Capable of better.
- 6. **BISANNE** Below par 13L ninth over 1800m at Compiegne (good-to-soft) earlier this month. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 7. ILLUSTRE BERE Good 2L third in a 2100m claimer on soft going here twelve days ago. Top chance.
- 8. **SALADIN** Fair 5L seventh in a 2100m claimer on rain-softened going at this track earlier this month. Others make more appeal.
- 9. **GOLD EDGE** Held 16L fifth in a seven runner 2000m maiden at Le Pin-au-Haras (good) when debuting four weeks ago. Likely to struggle.

Summary

ILLUSTRE BERE (7) looks up to delivering a big effort following a 2L third in a 2100m claimer here. Shortlisted. DEAL IS DONE (2) enters calculations following a 2L success in a 2200m maiden at Vannes. SPRINGBOKS (4) can put a below par effort when 6.25L ninth over 2200m at Lyon-Parilly behind him switched to a claimer by his top trainer. MUNAADRAM (5) is noted on the back of a 15L seventh in a 2500m handicap at Saint-Malo.

Selections

ILLUSTRE BERE (7) - DEAL IS DONE (2) - SPRINGBOKS (4) - MUNAADRAM (5)

- 1. **VINGTAINE** 22L last of sixteen having raced from the front over 2400m at Le Lion-d'Angers (good-to-soft) early last month. Others preferred.
- 2. PIVOINE ROSE Held 12L sixth over 2500m at Nort-sur-Erdre (good) earlier this month. Handicap debut.
- 3. GLEAM DQ at Cholet over 2100m last month. Claims on best form.
- 4. ANTHEYA Sixth beaten 2L at Saint-Cloud (good) tackling 2000m eighteen days ago. Capable of better.
- 5. **DREAM WORD** Held 7.5L sixth over 2500m at Langon-Libourne (very heavy) twelve days ago. Step forward needed.
- 6. **BOIS CHEVALIER** Absent since finishing 1.75L third in a 3000m claimer at Saint-Cloud (good) in September 2018. Debuting for a new trainer.
- 7. **STROMBOLI** Midfield finish when 7L sixth over 3000m at Bordeaux (good-to-soft) just under six weeks ago. Others hold more obvious claims.
- 8. **PORTA SARAGOZZA** Ended last year with a 3L eighth over 2500m at Deauville AW in November. Likely to improve for the run.
- 9. **SPIRIT OF DANCE** Victorious by 2L over 2300m on soft ground in a conditions race here just under two weeks ago. Top chance.
- 10. OLGA Struggled 8.75L tenth over 2000m at Saint-Cloud (soft) two weeks ago. Others preferred.
- 11. JEU CELEBRE Good 3L third over 1950m at Le Mans (soft) eighteen days ago. Notable contender.
- 12. **HYGROVE DAN** Good form prior to a 5.75L eighth over 2100m at Saint-Cloud (good) last month. Bold show expected.
- 13. **GREAT TONIO** Returning from a break when 27L 11th over 2400m at Nantes (very heavy) just under two weeks ago. More required.
- 14. **GOLD PENNY** Good 2L second in a 2300m conditions race on soft ground here twelve days ago. Leading contender.
- 15. **WYOMIA JASMIN** Held 6.75L eighth over 1950m at Le Mans (soft) eighteen days ago. Improvement needed second up.
- 16. **MYBOYGILLES** Making his seasonal return when 5.5L sixth over 1950m at Le Mans (soft) eighteen days ago. Better expected second up.

Summary

SPIRIT OF DANCE (9) can take this following a 2L victory in a 2300m conditions race here. Horse to beat. GOLD PENNY (14) may go one place better than when 2L second in the aforementioned course event. The danger. HYGROVE DAN (12) is shortlisted having demonstrated good form prior to a 5.75L eighth over 2100m at Saint-Cloud. JEU CELEBRE (11) enters calculations having finished 3L third in a 1950m handicap at Le Mans.

Selections

SPIRIT OF DANCE (9) - GOLD PENNY (14) - HYGROVE DAN (12) - JEU CELEBRE (11)