CHATEAUBRIANT - 11th July

Trainer of the day: Pascal Adda (211, 806)

Jockey of the day: **Fabrice Veron** (504, 708, 804)

Horse of the day: Eau Furtive (103)

Dark Horse: Kaber (708)

Race 4

- 1. DANZIG ISSUE Won a maiden at Salon Provence in May and third in two Class 2 races since then. Respected
- 2. DRAGON HAS LANDED Improved from his debut to win a maiden at Saint-Cloud eleven days ago. Not ruled out
- 3. DELTA SPIRIT Runner up in all three starts to date including a Class 2 race at Lion-D'Angers last month. Every chance
- 4. BAILEYS COURAGE Improved from her debut to win a maiden at Maisons-Laffitte last time out in April. Tougher test here
- 5. ELEGUA Runner up on first two starts before winning at Dax in May. Fifth in a Class 2 last time out. Work to do
- 6. HAPPY PEPITE Unplaced in all six career attempts and will do well to better those statistics

Summary

Runner up in his first two starts which came at Angers and Maisons-Laffitte (3) DELTA SPIRIT was second again in a Class 2 race at Lion-D'Angers last month. He can break his maiden tag today. (2) DRAGON HAS LANDED improved from his debut to win a maiden at Saint-Cloud eleven days ago and is not ruled out. (1) DANZIG ISSUE and (4) BAILEYS COURAGE are next best.

Selections

(3) DELTA SPIRIT - (2) DRAGON HAS LANDED - (1) DANZIG ISSUE - (4) BAILEYS COURAGE

- 1. PAINT ISLAND Won a Listed race at Craon last year and two good efforts in Class 1 races in May. Leading contender
- 2. LARANZA Looked a promising sort as a two year old but has generally been disappointing this term
- 3. SALMANA Easy winner of a maiden maiden at Marseille-Vivaux in March. Sixth in a Class 2 at Marseille Borely in April. Respected
- 4. MARRAKECH EXPRESS Both wins from thirteen came late last season and has been running adequately since then
- 5. SUQUITHO Remains a maiden after five career starts. Showed early promise. Can be in the mix here
- 6. LUNE D'ECAJEUL Well beaten in both of her starts at Nantes and Morlaix last month. Others preferred here
- 7. SO TO SPEAK Won a claimer at Royan in April. Well beaten twice since then. Not recommended

Summary

(1) PAINT ISLAND won a Listed race at Craon last year and had two good efforts in Class 1 races in May including one of them here. He is well clear in the ratings and can record his third career success today. (3) SALMANA was an easy winner of a maiden maiden at Marseille-Vivaux in March and has potential. (5) SUQUITHO has more to offer.

Selections

(1) PAINT ISLAND - (3) SALMANA - (5) SUQUITHO - (4) MARRAKECH EXPRESS

- 1. GALIKOR One win from twelve runs which was a Class 2 handicap at Maisons-Laffitte in May. Not ruled out
- 2. LINNGARIO Has not run since last November when unplaced in a Class E handicap at Deauville. Hard to recommend
- 3. COZ HENT Won a Class 4 race at Saint-Brieuc in May and second in one at Morlaix last month. Respected
- 4. SCHOOL TEACHER Demonstrated some ability last year in the provinces but in poor form so far this term
- 5. VERSAILLES DU LYS A previous winner at this track but was disappointing in a handicap at Lion-D'Angers last month
- 6. PAYBACK Runner-up in a Class 3 handicap at Maisons-Laffitte in April but three poor efforts since
- 7. OPALLIA A close second behind Droit Au Reve in a claimer at Saint-Brieuc last time out. Place claims
- 8. ROUXEVILLE Has won three times from thirty one runs but has struggled in all four starts so far this year

Summary

A winner of a a Class 2 handicap at Maisons-Laffitte in May (1) GALIKOR was a very creditable sixth in a Class 2 handicap at Chantilly after that before a poor run at Compiegne last time out. He gets the vote ahead of (3) COZ HENT and (7) OPALLIA who are both running well at the moment. (5) VERSAILLES DU LYS is next best

Selections

(1) GALIKOR - (3) COZ HENT - (7) OPALLIA - (5) VERSAILLES DU LYS

- 1. REALISATOR A four time winner from fifty four starts including a Class 3 handicap at Nancy in April. Respected
- 2. IRISH STORM Raised 4.5 Kg for an easy win in a Class 3 handicap at Les Sables last time out but not out of it
- 3. FEMINA BELLA Registered a second career win on the fibresand at Chantilly in March. Well beaten at Saint-Cloud in April
- 4. POLE CELESTE Four wins from twenty nine including a Class E handicap at Lyon La Soie in February. Unplaced there last time out
- 5. CALAMARI Six lengths second to (2) IRISH STORM in a Class 3 handicap at Les Sables last month. Better off at the weights
- 6. IRISH KALDOUN Eight career successes but going through a rough patch at present. Well handicapped here
- 7. SUPERHERO Has not run since December 29th ehen unplaced in a Class G handicap on the PSF at Pornichet
- 8. KABER Fourth to (2) IRISH STORM in a Class 3 handicap at Les Sables last month. Can be in the mix
- 9. GORMLAITH Won a handicap over course and distance here in May and a fair effort at Les Sables last month

<u>Summary</u>

Runner up to Secret Pearl in a Class 3 handicap over course and distance here in May (8) KABER is on a competitive mark at present and he gets a tentative vote to reverse placings with the penalized (2) IRISH STORM and (5) CALAMARI from their run at Les Sables last time out. The top weight (1) REALISATOR can also be in the mix.

Selections

(8) KABER - (2) IRISH STORM - (5) CALAMARI - (1) REALISATOR

- 1. MULTIPLE CHANCES A nine time scorer from fifty eight starts. Unplaced in a Class 4 claimer at Dax last time out
- 2. PETRUS Twenty five start maiden who was been in poor form this year and is hard to recommend
- 3. DESCOUVRIR BAILEYS Yet to win a race after twenty two career starts but is not without a chance in this company
- 4. PEINTRE FRANCAIS Veteran of fourteen career wins. Ran well in a handicap at Deauville a few days ago. Consider
- 5. LILI SPIRIT Has not run since April 7th when a well beaten tenth in a Class 4 handicap at Senonnes
- 6. DOM TOMMY Five wins from sixty eight starts. Not in great form lately but can have a say here
- 7. CHAMBOIS A four time winner from thirty seven runs. Recent numbers are most off putting however
- 8. SULAL NAIR Fifth of nine in a Class 4 race at Nort-Sur-Erdre four days ago. Others preferred here

Summary

Nothing stands out here so a hopeful vote goes to (6) DOM TOMMY who although disappointing lately he has run well at this track in the past including third in a handicap this time last year. (4) PEINTRE FRANCAIS ran well enough in a handicap at Deauville a few days ago and cannot be ruled out. (3) DESCOUVRIR BAILEYS and (1) MULTIPLE CHANCES can fill the minor placings.

Selections

(6) DOM TOMMY - (4) PEINTRE FRANCAIS - (3) DESCOUVRIR BAILEYS - (1) MULTIPLE CHANCES