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QUOTES OF THE DAY

Jean-Paul Musette, Belgian team coach (filling in for Eugène Mathy who is busy in Copenhagen and Lucien Sommers, on course designer duties): *"Cumano, Jos Lansink's horse who won the World Champion title, is not in La Baule because, like three other teams in the Super League (Sweden, Great Britain and France) we absolutely must qualify for the Peking Olympics in Mannheim this summer. So we're saving the horse as far as possible with this in mind. He'll be back at outdoor competitions a little later in the year."*

Georges Morris, American chef d'équipe, had the following to say about the absence of Mc Lain Ward from the team: *"Mc Lain has other activities and he couldn't fit the Officiel de France de La Baule in his busy schedule. He'll be back for the Rotterdam SSL."*

Gilles Bertran de Balanda, French national team coach: *"with our best rider in the Samsung Super League - FEI 2006, Stephan Lafouge (Gabelou des Ores), breaking his ankle just a few days before the Officiel de France, I had to quickly change my team and bring in some young talent: Julien Epaillard (Icare du Manet) and Kevin Staut (Kraque Boom) who will be joining Michel Hécart (Itot du Château), Laurent Goffinet (Flipper d'Elle HN) and Robert Breul (Iasco Mouche)".*



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