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Matchbook British EBF 'National Hunt' Novices' Hurdle (Class 3) (4YO to 7YO)

TRIFECTA

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		U/52-261	ADMIRAL BARRATRY (FR) 24 b g Soldier of Fortune - Haskilclara	6 11 - 8	L P Aspell Mrs L Wadham	131
2		16-31F	MOONLIGHTER 31 C b g Midnight Legend - Countess Camilla	6 11 - 8	Lizzie Kelly (3) Mrs J Williams	137
3		3-1	RUSSIAN HAWK 66 D b g Malinas - Sparrow Hawk	5 11 - 8	R M Power C L Tizzard	-
4		371-513	CHAMPAGNE WELL (IRE) 20 b g Gold Well - Perkanod	6 11 - 2	P J Brennan F O'Brien	-
5		1-2	DOWNTOWN GETAWAY (IRE) 31 BF b g Getaway - Shang A Lang	6 11 - 2	Nico de Boinville N J Henderson	-
6		85	FIFTH SYMPHONY (IRE) 42 b g Mahler - Nicolemma	5 11 - 2	Danny McMenamin (7) Ben Pauling	-
7		29-027	NEARLY PERFECT 30 b g Malinas - The Lyme Volunteer	5 11 - 2	J E Moore N B King	-
8		4232-3	SCORPION HAZE (IRE) 57 b g Scorpion - Sea Maiden	6 11 - 2	G Sheehan Ali Stronge	-
9		231-6	ROSY WORLD 47 b m Shirocco - Material World	6 10 - 9	M G Nolan Miss S Smith	-

ATR VERDICT: DOWNTOWN GETAWAY cost 350,000 pounds after his impressive bumper victory at Fairyhouse in 2017 and he made an encouraging debut for connections at Newbury last month. He is entitled to improve for that run and will be hard to beat if doing so. Moonlighter would have been involved in the finish in that race if not falling two out and he is an obvious threat, while Admiral Barratry and Russian Hawk complete the shortlist.

Top Tip: DOWNTOWN GETAWAY (5)

Watch out for: MOONLIGHTER (2)