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Betway Top Novices' Hurdle (Grade 1) (Class 1) (4YO plus)

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No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		213126	ARAMON (GER) 24 D b g Monsun - Aramina	6 11 - 4	R Walsh W P Mullins	152
2		175215	FELIX DESJY (FR) 24 D ch g Maresca Sorrento - Lamadoun	6 11 - 4h	J W Kennedy G Elliott	146
3		2-11123	ITCHY FEET (FR) 24 D b g Cima De Triomphe - Maeva Candas	5 11 - 4	G Sheehan Olly Murphy	150
4		120-11	PRECIOUS CARGO (IRE) 28 D b g Yeats - Kilbarry Classic	6 11 - 4	Nico de Boinville N J Henderson	144
5		521211	ROUGE VIF (FR) 34 D b g Sageburg - Rouge Amour	5 11 - 4h	D A Jacob H Whittington	142
6		131	SOFIA'S ROCK (FR) 15 D b g Rock Of Gibraltar - Princess Sofia	5 11 - 4t	Non Runner D Skelton	140
7		111321	SOUTHFIELD STONE 41 D gr g Fair Mix - Laureldean Belle	6 11 - 4	H Cobden P F Nicholls	148
8		3111	WINSTON C (IRE) 13 D b g Rip Van Winkle - Pitrezza	5 11 - 4	Sean Bowen Harry Fry	142

ATR VERDICT: Itchy Feet will no doubt prove popular following his career-best third in the Supreme Novices' Hurdle, in which he accounted for the reopposing Felix Desjy (fifth) and ARAMON (sixth). This better ground and flatter track should suit the latter much more than the conditions he encountered at Cheltenham, though, and the gut feeling is that Willie Mullins' charge will reverse the form. He got a lot closer to the Supreme winner Klassical Dream in Grade 1 company at Leopardstown on good ground in February and on that form he boasts claims as good as any. Precious Cargo has looked a smart hurdler in two starts for Nicky Henderson and cannot go unconsidered.

Top Tip: ARAMON (1)

Watch out for: ITCHY FEET (3)