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Finlay Ford At Naas Novice Chase (Grade 3) (Class 1) (5YO plus)

No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		44-1133	LETSBECLEARABOUTIT 15 BF b g Flemensfirth - Clarification	9 11 - 6	K M Donoghue G P Cromwell	152
2		40F-244	COOL SURVIVOR 47 b g Westerner - Pale Face	7 11 - 0	J W Kennedy G Elliott	135
3		217118	DESERTMORE HOUSE 32 D b g Court Cave - Swinley Bottom	9 11 - 0t	R A Doyle M Brassil	145
4		241P6-1	EMBASSY GARDENS (GB) 47 b g Shantou - Adriana Des Mottes	8 11 - 0	P Townend W P Mullins	-
5		76-4311	MEETINGOFTHEWATERS 32 b g Court Cave - Maisy Daisy	7 11 - 0h1	B Hayes W P Mullins	145
6		1331-42	SANDOR CLEGANE 64 b g Fame And Glory - Betty Roe	7 11 - 0t1	S F O'Keeffe P Nolan	-

ATR VERDICT: LETSBECLEARABOUTIT concedes 6lb but has smart recent form and is dependable. Twice placed fourth at Grade 1 level over hurdler, he finished third in the Drinmore Chase last month and might improve stepping up to this distance for the first time over fences. Embassy Gardens was impressive in winning on chase debut last month and while a fancy for the Cheltenham festival, today's race is stronger than at Punchestown. He could be high-class but nonetheless his top-level hurdling form was disappointing and has, in the past, raced too keenly. Meetingofthewaters is suited by conditions and while he is progressive, steps up in grade having won the Paddy Power Chase rated 130. Desertmore House was 32 lengths behind in the Paddy Power and while 15lb better off, would prefer better ground. Sandor Clegane's chase career has yet to ignite but is fitted with a tongue-tie, stays well and likes testing ground. Cool Survivor was beaten 23 lengths by Embassy Gardens last month.

Top Tip: LETSBECLEARABOUTIT (1)

Watch out for: EMBASSY GARDENS (4)