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Trisoft 'national Hunt' Novices' Hurdle (Class 2) (4YO plus)						
PLACEPOT		QUADPOT				
No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		11-1113	HAZY TOM (IRE) 64 D BF b g Heron Island - The Wounded Cook	6 11 - 10	R Johnson C E Longsdon	142
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, dark green sleeves and cap Timeform says: Met with defeat for the first time upped to Graded company over C&D in December, but probably went for home too soon. Clearly much better than that, and taken to get back on track.★★★★★ (Forecast 3.00)					Notes:	
2		3-2F	CAPTAIN SUNSHINE 35 BF b g Oscar - Gaye Fame	6 11 - 2	N Fehily Miss E C Lavelle	-
Jockey Colours: Royal blue, yellow sleeves, yellow cap, royal blue star Timeform says: Good third in valuable bumper on debut. More of the same when chasing home a useful prospect on hurdling bow at Taunton and probably would have won at Kempton next time but for falling last.★★★★☆ (Forecast 8.00)					Notes:	
3		933	FAIRY RATH (IRE) 18 ch g Accordion - Killoughey Fairy	6 11 - 2	L Treadwell N J Gifford	-
Jockey Colours: Dark blue, orange stars, dark blue sleeves and cap Timeform says: Showed ability on second bumper start in Ireland and didn't shape too badly when third on hurdling debut at Folkestone last month. Still hard to see him troubling the principals here.★★★☆☆ (Forecast 29.00)					Notes:	
4		4P56-04	ICE 'N' EASY (IRE) 30 b g Dushyantor - Glacial Valley	6 11 - 2tp	A Thornton P R Hedger	105
Jockey Colours: Purple, light green seams, quartered cap Timeform says: No better than fourth in 6 starts so far, and firmly up against it in this company back in trip.★★★☆☆ (Forecast 67.00)					Notes:	
5		370/89	INSPECTOR QICS 31 b g Alflora - Tamercale	8 11 - 2	Hadden Frost M Hill	-
Jockey Colours: Beige and maroon (quartered), beige sleeves, maroon stars, beige cap, maroon star Timeform says: Clearly difficult to train and has done nothing to think he'll be troubling the principals here.★★★☆☆ (Forecast 201.00)					Notes:	
6		111	BALDER SUCCES (FR) 28 CD b g Goldneyev - Frija Eria	4 11 - 1	R Thornton A King	135
Jockey Colours: Red, emerald green disc, emerald green sleeves, red stars Timeform says: Landed big-field newcomers race on hurdling debut in France, and yet to be tested in 2 British starts (odds-on both occasions). Capable of leaving that level of form well behind.★★★★☆ (Forecast 4.00)					Notes:	
7		93111	UNE ARTISTE (FR) 44 b f Alberto Giacometti - Castagnette Iii	4 10 - 8	2nd Preference N J Henderson	-
Jockey Colours: Emerald green, dark green sleeves, dark green and emerald green quartered cap Timeform says: Dual-bumper winner who readily made a successful hurdling debut in newcomers race at Pau last month for Emmanuel Clayeux. Since joined the powerful Henderson team. 1st preference Haydock 1.35.★★★★☆ (Forecast 3.75)					Notes:	

TIMEFORM VIEW: Une Artiste and to a lesser extent Balder Succes remain unknown quantities, but Hazy Tom remains a very smart prospect, and he's taken to give weight all round.

Timeform 1-2-3:
1: HAZY TOM
2: UNE ARTISTE
3: BALDER SUCCES

