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Boylesports.com Michael Purcell Memorial Novice Hurdle (grade 2) (Class 1) (5YO plus)

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No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1	**	23-2111	FOLSOM BLUE 28 C b g Old Vic - Spirit Leader	5 11 - 5	D N Russell C O'Dwyer	142
2		21-0213	CAOLANEOIN 25 b g King's Theatre - Queen Plaisir	6 11 - 3t1	A E Lynch S Fahey	126
3		2113P1	BRIDGETS PET 19 ch g Arakan - Classy Act	5 11 - 2	D E Mullins A Mullins	123
4		913122	LYREEN LEGEND 32 b g Saint Des Saints - Bint Bladi	5 11 - 2	B J Cooper D T Hughes	138
5	*	41-1	TOOSTRONG (FR) 89 ch g Network - Fleurissa	5 11 - 2t	P Townend W P Mullins	-
6	*	131	HATS AND HEELS 53 b m Flemensfirth - Great Cullen	5 10 - 9	R Walsh W P Mullins	-

ATR VERDICT: LYREEN LEGEND is taken to land what looks a fairly hot Grade 2 contest. Dessie Hughes' charge has been slightly unlucky to bump into a couple of strong Cheltenham Festival fancies in Monksland and Boston Bob the last twice and seems sure to play a leading role here. Folsom Blue has done nothing but improve in four hurdles starts so far and makes plenty of appeal with Davy Russell choosing him over Fairyhouse scorer Toostrong, while the other Willie Mullins representative, Hats And Heels, is interesting at the foot of these weights.

Top Tip: LYREEN LEGEND Watch out for: FOLSOM BLUE

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