St Leger Day on Town Moor, Doncester. It's 177 years since Colonel St. Leger instituted the race which bears his name. The race gained in popularity to become a Classic; but it has yet to be won by a Reigning Monarch.

And now - in Coronation Year - loyal cheers are mingled with hopes for a victory for the Queen - who is accompanied by her guests, Sir Winston and Lady Churchill

And as a proud owner, the Queen makes her way to the Paddock Her MAJESTY'S

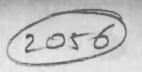
mong the eleven fancied runners is the - Aureole - marrying soon to carry nin

stone and the responsibility of making new racing history.

The strong international challenge for the £14,000 prize is led by two

French hopes and the Irish Derby winner - as ther field arabes up to the

start.



All eyes on the tapes - and they're away first time - with just over 12 miles to go. And No. 4 Terek the Second (the pacemaker for the fancied French hope, No. 3 Northern Light II) sets about his task - a gruelling stamina-searching gallop.

As we follow them round the wide left-hand bend - it's Terek from Northern Light. Novarullah and Premonition - with the Royal Colt, Aureole beginning to make up ground, AND TAKE THIRD PLACE.

Terek. Aureole's there. Chamier is challenging for Ireland. But No.

11 Premonition is coming out to win for Britain as he passes Northern

Light

And at the post - it 's Premonition by three lengths from Northern Light - with Aureole carrying the Royal Colours into third place.

So Brigadier Wyatt leads in his champion - sharing with his wife and jockey E. Smith - their first classic success.