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WORLD'S OLDEST HORSE RACE.

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The only horse-race in England, in which ladies may compete. It was inaugurated by Charles II to celebrate his accession to the throne.

He did quite a lot for the ladies at one time and another. They're off ! Five women against three men. With those odds, the men are bound to lose. They wouldn't dare to win

even if they could. After four miles, Miss Audrey Bell leads the field. She won this race in 1932,

and '34, and she has

won it again in 1935, with Miss Bobbie Nicholson and Miss Bertha Verrall

second and third. I think the men have gone home a different way to avoid

meeting the bookie's eye. The owner of 'Ladygold', Miss Bell's

mount, her father, gets a cup

for his daughter's won. Miss Bell rode an

excellent race, and her male opponents rode like perfect gentlemen !