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ST. LEGER:

Overnight rain on Doncaster's Town Moor unsettles the betting for the 1957 St. Leger Stakes, for the going may be soft, and both punters and bookies keep changing their minds. There's Arctic Explorer, followed by Ballymoss - once favourite, now third favourite. As the 16 runners make their way on to the course, the effect of the going is anybody's guess. Arctic Explorer is quoted at 100-8, Bricobe is favourite at sixes, and Ballymoss has slipped from fives to eights. Prices may be wobbling - but the money's still rolling in!

Coming up to the gate - and they're off!

First into the lead is 50-1 outsider Barred Rock. Lester Piggott keeps Arctic Explorer close beside him and Tenterhooks is lying third. Brave Buck and Bricobe are there, too.

Into the straight, with Arctic Explorer on the rails, battling it out with Tenterhooks, and watch Tommy Burns bringing Ballymoss upon the outside to challenge the leader!

Yes, it's Ballymoss in front - but there's a new challenge, from Bricobe on the rails - and Court Harwall coming up, too - he's overtaking Bricobe - but they can't touch the leader, and Ballymoss wins with a length to spare!

Mrs. Mary McShain, wife of the American owner, brings in the winner - trainer Vincent O'Brien's first victory in an English classic - and the first Irish horse to win the St. Leger for more than 200 years!