

GRAND NATIONAL: MEET THE GEES

At Aintree they're nearly all set for the Grand National. The cold war between the B.B.C. and Mrs. Topham is over. This woman of independent mind, here watching the course being ~~prepared~~ prepared - now says the B.B.C. ~~is~~ broadcast the race for a fee of 500pounds. We are all pleased with the settlement. ~~We want the broadcast, but~~ Many will applaud Mrs. Topham for standing up for her rights.

40 Valentine's Brook is up to standard and the Water Jump's nearly full. British Paramount News ~~reports~~ reports the Grand National in this Theatre. Don't miss it. Now meet Wot No Sun and Teal. The Little Yid's well fancied. With 60 Flagrant Mac he's training at the Renton establishment near Ripon. So is Cushendun. The Stable is very confident of providing at least one of the first three. Menzies is at the Crump Stable along with Red Snake.

Middleham

(next) It disappointed the/stable and backers everywhere that last year's winner, Teal has been scratched. He has internal trouble.

Wot No Sun is famous at Aintree.... Menzies went very well in the gallop and has many admirers. ~~Some of the admirers are~~

of 40 It's a long way to Tipperary, but at Ballydoyle House there ~~is a fine string of horses~~ M.V. O'Brien has a fine string, including Lucky Dome, Early Mist, and Silk Coffin.

Royal Tan won't run this year. He's not quite fit enough.

Lucky Dome and Alberoni wish these jumps were at Aintree.

With A.S. O'Brien up (M.V.'s Brother) is Knock Hard, gallant Gold Cup Winner. ~~Galation~~ Galation ran in the Champion Hurdles ~~at Chatterbox~~ at Chatterbox 7 y.

Very pleased with himself is Hattons Grace, now on the retired list and a pain in the neck to poor Neddy.

Tell Mr. O'Brien, Neddy, do you really think you can jump Becher's Brook.