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JEEP GOES UNDER WATER

What's this, a flying jeep? Nope, but it is a swimming one. At MarineLand, Florida, the army's half-pint jack-of-all-trades is lowered into the Marine Studios' pool and the newsreel camera goes under with it. Uh-oh, says the first fish to see it. "This'll make me stop drinking like a human."

Um-hm. It's a flat tyre. Must have run over a snail. Of course, there's more to these tests than providing fish stories and unusual pictures. All new jeeps will have completely waterproofed engines and ignition systems so that they can run through water up to their windshields. Future communique reporting the situation well in hand may begin: "The Marines have driven ashore...."

SAMBA ON ICE

Figure-skating champions Paul Falk and Leia Baran figure a change from figure skating is good for the figure. Anyway, Samba on ice looks good to the crowd at Sestriere.