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News Highlights- ctd-

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Cyprus Gardens Skiing-

Florida-- He's off with a flying jump, at the sunny ^{CYPRUS} Cyprus Gardens, where they're holding the water-skiing championships. /

Now two of them do it with a twist- just as easy as winking- though it's not as easy as that!

Let's take a ~~look~~ ^{look} at ~~the~~ this thrilling sport, which makes this summer's holidaymakers in Britain shiver with envy. /

Home-made Plane-

Buckinghamshire- 35 year-old Richard Potter spends his sparetime building a plane in the back garden ~~at~~ of his home at Bourne End. The aircraft has a 25 foot wing-span, and so far, has cost only £20- though the engine has yet to be bought and fitted. /

And a proud small daughter ^{hears} ~~knows~~ how her father, (who is learning to fly at Denham), flew solo in just over six hours. /

Valiant Bomber-

Weybridge-- Curtain-raiser to the Farnborough Air Show is a ~~take-off~~ new take-off aid- known as the De Havilland "Super Sprite" Rocket Engine, which is fitted under the wings of a Valiant Bomber.

The engine ~~augments~~ augments the aircraft's power, thus enabling it to be used operationally from airfields that would previously have been too small. (2)

And what a take-off! With the help of this rocket-booster, the "Valiant"- (designed to carry nuclear weapons) shows its powerful paces. /