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DOWN - UNDER CAR RALLY.

Drivers Avenue in Sydney is the starting-off-point for the round Australia car rally. 63 year old Grandma Conway gets set to tackle some of the roughest, dustiest roads they've got down-under. There are 6,500 miles ahead of them, and obstacles all along the route. 68 of the hundred and ninety two cars in the race are British-made, and they're up against keen competition from French, Italian, American and Australian entrants.

- and there's a casualty! Driver Jack Murray is unhurt, except in pride. The rally route takes the cars from Sydney to Brisbane, on to Darwin, Adelaide, Melbourne - and then back to Sydney again, where a £1,000 in cash awaits the winner. At Darwin, they all stop for refreshment, but the rules forbid them to do any work at all on their cars.

Grandma Conway has a last one for the road - and then its back to the bumps. Now the final result has been announced: A French car snatched victory by only one point from a Super Snipe.