



Race preparation shots show LEFT, top to bottom: the Jaguar 27ft cat building at Medina Yacht Co's shed; Pascoe Watson's 27ft *Avenger Too* at Souters; view inside a Fairey 28ft Huntsman for the Ford team, showing forward ballast tank; installation of 6-litre Ford marinised by Sabre Marine and here being lifted aboard another of Ford's four-boat armada.

RIGHT hand photos, top to bottom: further shot of *Avenger Too*; the 33-footer built by Souters for Ralph Hilton; and, bottom, interior of the Keith Nelson *Horatio*, one of the race's best prospects.