CHUMASH INDIAN CANOE created as authentically as possible after the study of historians' notes was paddled ashore by Chumash descendants as part of the De Anza program.
THE LANDING — Chumash Indians rush into the water to help the authentic plank canoe onto the beach with members of de Anza's expedition. This is the first authentic reproduction built in over 100 years for this occasion. It was constructed at the Museum of Natural History under the direction of Travis Hudson. (TODAY photo by Paul Shanklin)