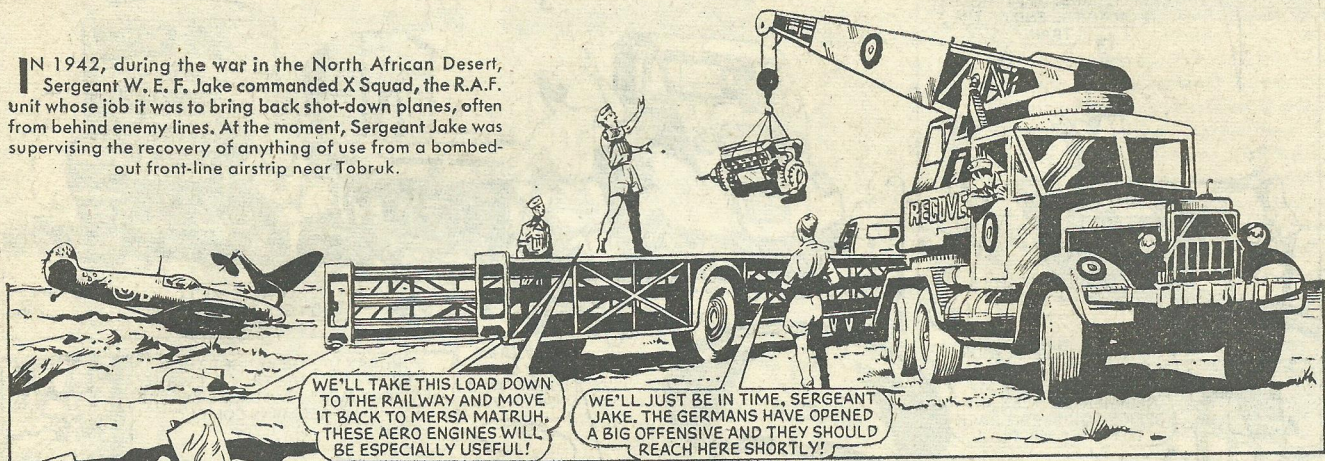


The men who kept Britain's World War II Desert Air Force flying!

LOST PLANES FOUND

IN 1942, during the war in the North African Desert, Sergeant W. E. F. Jake commanded X Squad, the R.A.F. unit whose job it was to bring back shot-down planes, often from behind enemy lines. At the moment, Sergeant Jake was supervising the recovery of anything of use from a bombed-out front-line airstrip near Tobruk.



WE'LL TAKE THIS LOAD DOWN TO THE RAILWAY AND MOVE IT BACK TO MERSA MATRUH. THESE AERO ENGINES WILL BE ESPECIALLY USEFUL!

WE'LL JUST BE IN TIME, SERGEANT JAKE. THE GERMANS HAVE OPENED A BIG OFFENSIVE AND THEY SHOULD REACH HERE SHORTLY!

At the railway yard.

THE GENERAL MUST BE HERE SOMEWHERE—THERE'S HIS CAR.

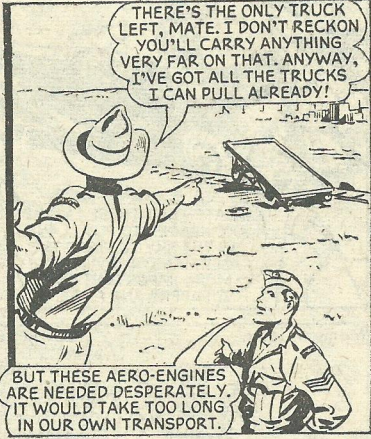
WAIT HERE, CORPORAL, AND I'LL CHECK WITH THE RAIL TRANSPORT OFFICER.



I DON'T THINK THERE ARE ANY MORE TRUCKS AVAILABLE FOR YOUR AERO ENGINES, SERGEANT. BUT HAVE WORD WITH THAT DRIVER.

THERE'S THE ONLY TRUCK LEFT, MATE. I DON'T RECKON YOU'LL CARRY ANYTHING VERY FAR ON THAT. ANYWAY, I'VE GOT ALL THE TRUCKS I CAN PULL ALREADY!

BUT THESE AERO-ENGINES ARE NEEDED DESPERATELY. IT WOULD TAKE TOO LONG IN OUR OWN TRANSPORT.

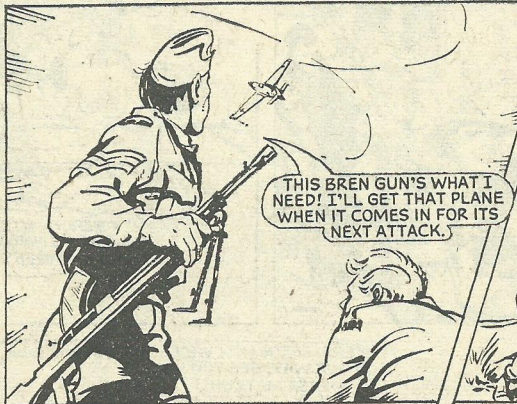


HEY—WHAT D'YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?

GET DOWN—QUICKLY! A GERMAN FIGHTER!

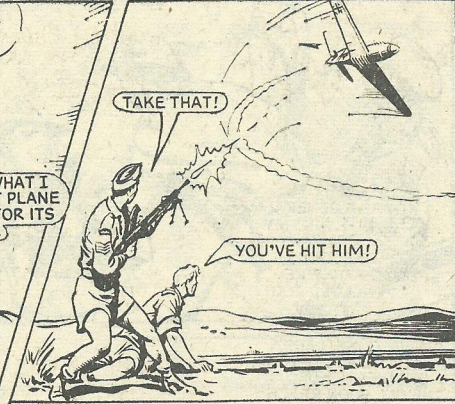


THIS BREN GUN'S WHAT I NEED! I'LL GET THAT PLANE WHEN IT COMES IN FOR ITS NEXT ATTACK.



TAKE THAT!

YOU'VE HIT HIM!



BILL, BRING THE WHEELS AND AXLE FROM THAT BOGEY OVER THERE!

RIGHT, SARGE!

GREAT SHOOTING! FOR THAT I'LL TAKE YOUR STUFF TO MERSA MATRUH. IF YOU CAN GET THAT WAGGON FIXED UP!

