



THE 'COPTER THAT BROUGHT THE PROFESSOR WHO QUESTIONED ME.

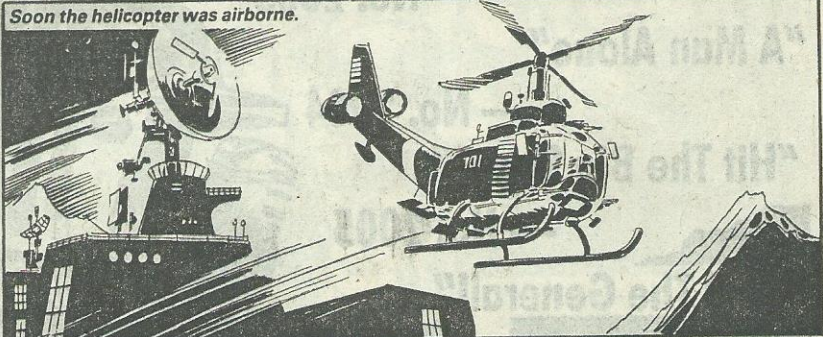
I'M QUALIFIED ON THAT TYPE, BUT THOSE TWO MECHANICS HAVE TO BE TAKEN CARE OF.



Wade dealt with the mechanics.



LET'S GET ABOARD, TOMMY.



Soon the helicopter was airborne.

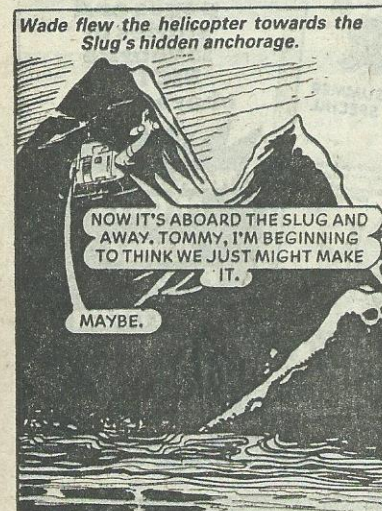


ANY IDEA HOW LONG THIS BLAST WILL PUT THE BEAM OUT OF ACTION?

ALL OF FIVE SECONDS. THERE'S BOUND TO BE INSTANT BACK-UP FOR EVERY UNIT IN THAT CONTROL CENTRE.



WHAT I'M RELYING ON IS A SURPRISE PACKAGE I LEFT BEHIND.



Wade flew the helicopter towards the Slug's hidden anchorage.

NOW IT'S ABOARD THE SLUG AND AWAY, TOMMY, I'M BEGINNING TO THINK WE JUST MIGHT MAKE IT.

MAYBE.



THERE'S PETERS.

HOW COULD HE KNOW IT WAS US IN THIS 'COPTER?



WHY IS PETERS JUST STANDING THERE LIKE A WINDOW DUMMY?