

(Recapitulation)

Crafty Carson Carpetbag tricked the Flying Dogtor into stepping into the mouth of an old gold mine in the abandoned township of Ghostville. The Dogtor fell down the mineshaft, and Crafty thought that he had succeeded at last in getting rid of his enemy. He even climbed into the Dogtor's plane and tried the controls, planning to fly it away and keep it for himself. Meanwhile, down the mine shaft like a stone, fell -

(singing) The Flying Dogtor

The Dogtor kept falling, faster and faster down the rough, rocky shaft, and suddenly -

(Effect) Splash

He hit water- and continued to fall into its cold, dark depths - but gradually slowing. He began to dog-paddle upwards and then he felt himself rising again like a cork. Moments later he broke through the surface into the air.

It was dark in the water at the bottom of the mine. High, high above him the Dogtor could see a speck of blue, which was the sky over the top of the mineshaft. He swam, hoping to reach the side to see if he could find a foothold - some way of climbing up the shaft. But to his surprise he did not reach a wall of the mine. Instead, he seemed to swim quite a distance, and then he felt something solid underfoot and soon he was able to climb out of the water on to some sort of bank.

He could not make out where he was. He fumbled in his little black bag and found the torch with the long thin neck which he used for looking at children's tonsils. Its beam was thin, but as he shone it round about it was enough to show him where he was.

The Flying Dogtor discovered that he was in a beautiful limestone cave. Years ago the miners must have broken through into it by accident.

His torch picked out long thin stalactites and little <sup>fat</sup> thin stalagmites: all sorts of strange shapes and colours.

Plane engine hum

Meanwhile, high above him, Crafty Carson Carpetbag was having a little trouble with the Dogtor's plane. He had mastered the controls and had

Suitable cuts from  
Episode 13

TELESTRIP on side--falling  
effect past mineshaft (no  
cut out)

down through water to

Dogtor

Cut to (Telestrip)normal

Sides of mine

top

Dogtor swimming

Cave

CUT to (Tele) Dogtor  
on bank

Cave (The Telestrip should  
be under-illuminated and  
a spot of extra light should  
wander up and down over it  
to simulate the effect of  
a torch on the walls of  
the cave.)

CUT to Sky, plane

Taxiing

Crafty

Plane in air,  
Crafty dragging

CUT to still drawing:

Plane zooming away  
tilt down still to  
Crafty in tree.

CUT to plane twisting  
and zooming

DISSOLVE to Telestrip:

Dogtor in cave

Torch effect repeated

Torch on tunnel mouth

DISSOLVE to still of  
tunnel mouth  
zoom in slowly

Cut to telestrip  
Dogtor falling in.  
FADE

managed to start the engine. Now he was taxiing down the street of Ghostville. This plane, however, had not been made for a carpet snake and he did not find it very comfortable.

Plane hum faster

Somehow he got it into the air at last, but rather a large part of him still dragged on the ground.

Then suddenly the plane burst forward and up -

Plane hum, suddenly faster and louder

- but unfortunately for Crafty he was no longer with it. His tail had been caught in the fork of a passing tree and he'd had to let go. The plane went on, up into the sky and over and over, out of control.

Uneven hum, fading

At the same time, deep down below ground, the Flying Dogtor got to his feet and began exploring the big limestone cave. The stone bank of the underground stream was smooth and slimy underfoot and he had to take each step slowly and cautiously, and to feel for a foothold before he put his weight forward.

Effect: trickling water

Some distance ahead he heard the sound of running water, and his torch, exploring the walls and roof, at this moment lit up for him the open mouth of a long dark tunnel.

Running water, louder

So the water runs out here, through an underground river (thought the Dogtor), and in his excitement he stepped forward with incautious speed, and -

000-cops.. "

Effect: splash

- he fell into the cold, wet current and was drawn straight into the mouth of the tunnel

Voice over end title:

The Dogtor is being swept along a subterranean tunnel and his plane is in a spin! What trouble! And there's more excitement ahead for him in the next episode of -  
(singing) The Flying Dogtor