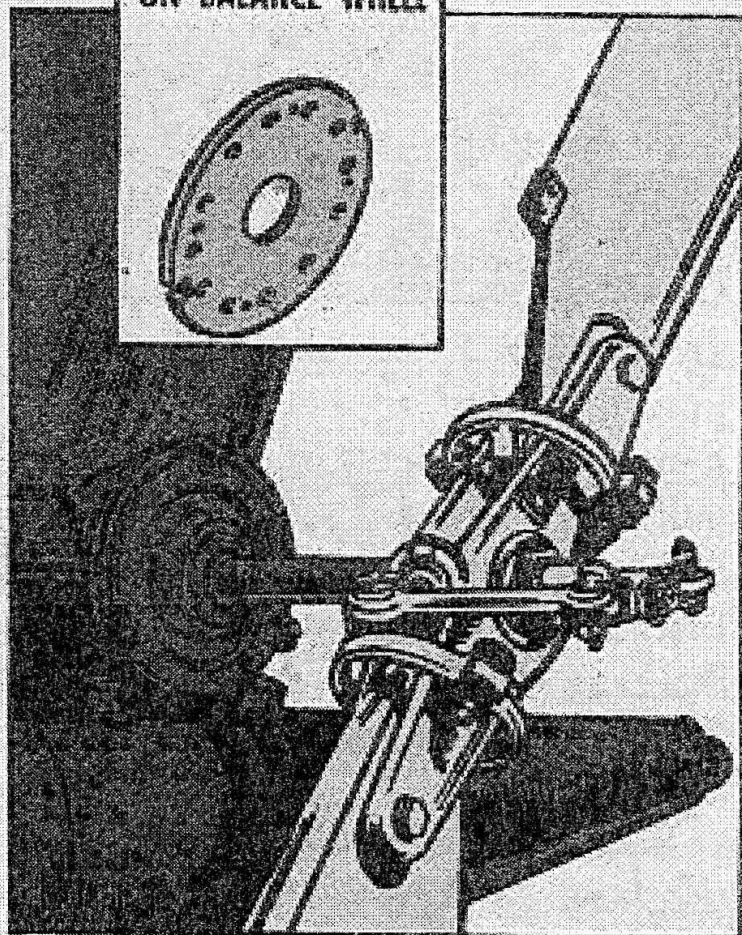
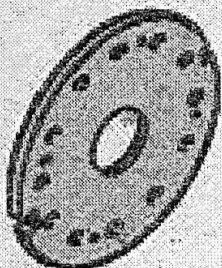




EASIER BALANCING

50 IN-LB
ON BALANCE WHEEL



The next time your favorite Kiowa (OH-58A) throttle jockey writes up a high freq "buzz" in the tail rotor, don't sweat it!

S/N 70-15110, and later birds, now have a balance wheel. By making adjustments on the wheel, blades can be balanced quickly without taking the tail rotor off the bird . . . saves elbow grease, too.

One installation point, tho, called out on page 8-19, Ch 1 (Jan 71) to TM 55-1520-228-20:

Too much torque on the wheel will strip the wheel threads.

So, using a spring scale hooked in the wheel slot, torque the wheel to about 50 in-lb — no more.