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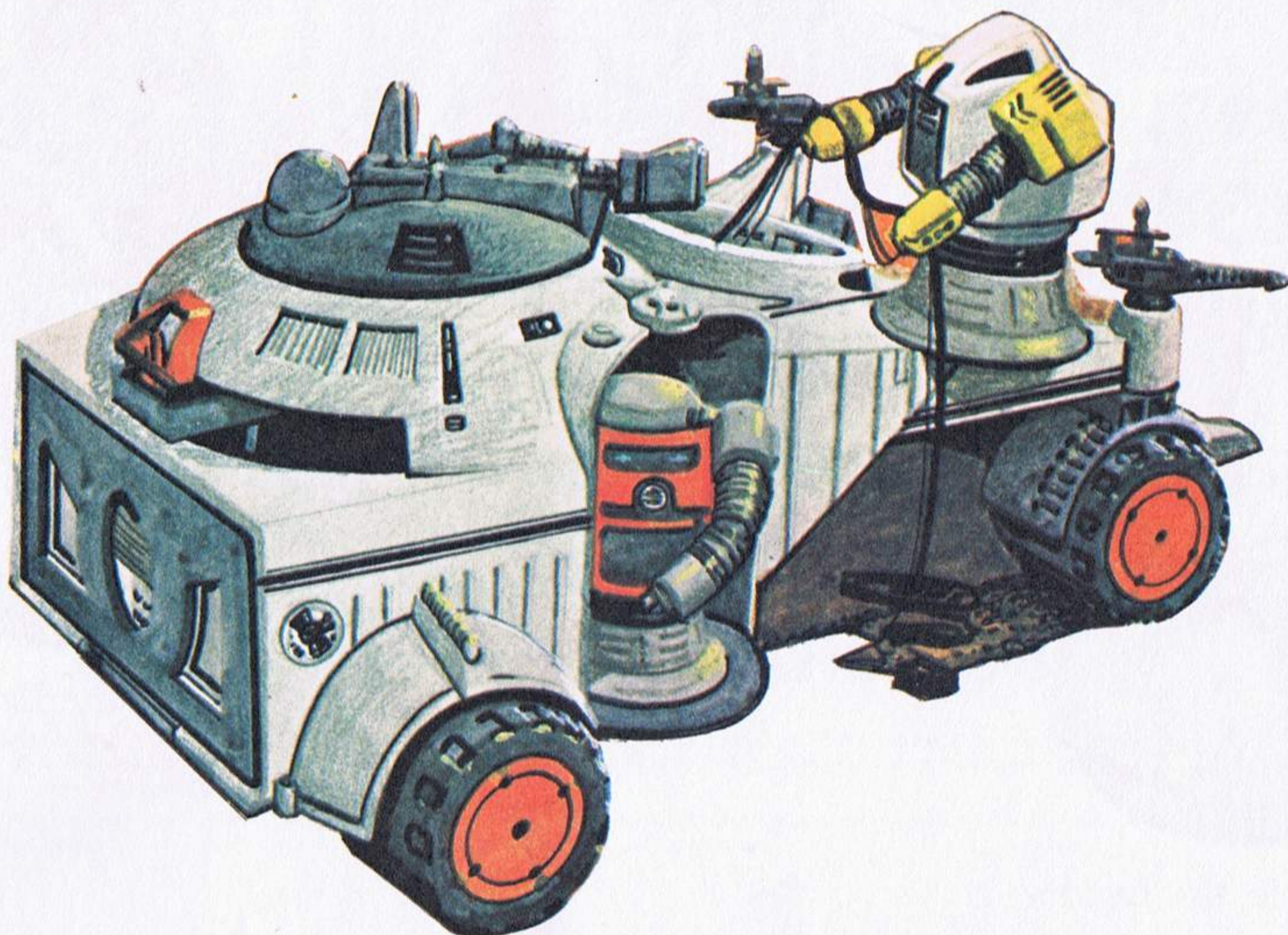
Your choices help the Robo Force  
in its battle against  
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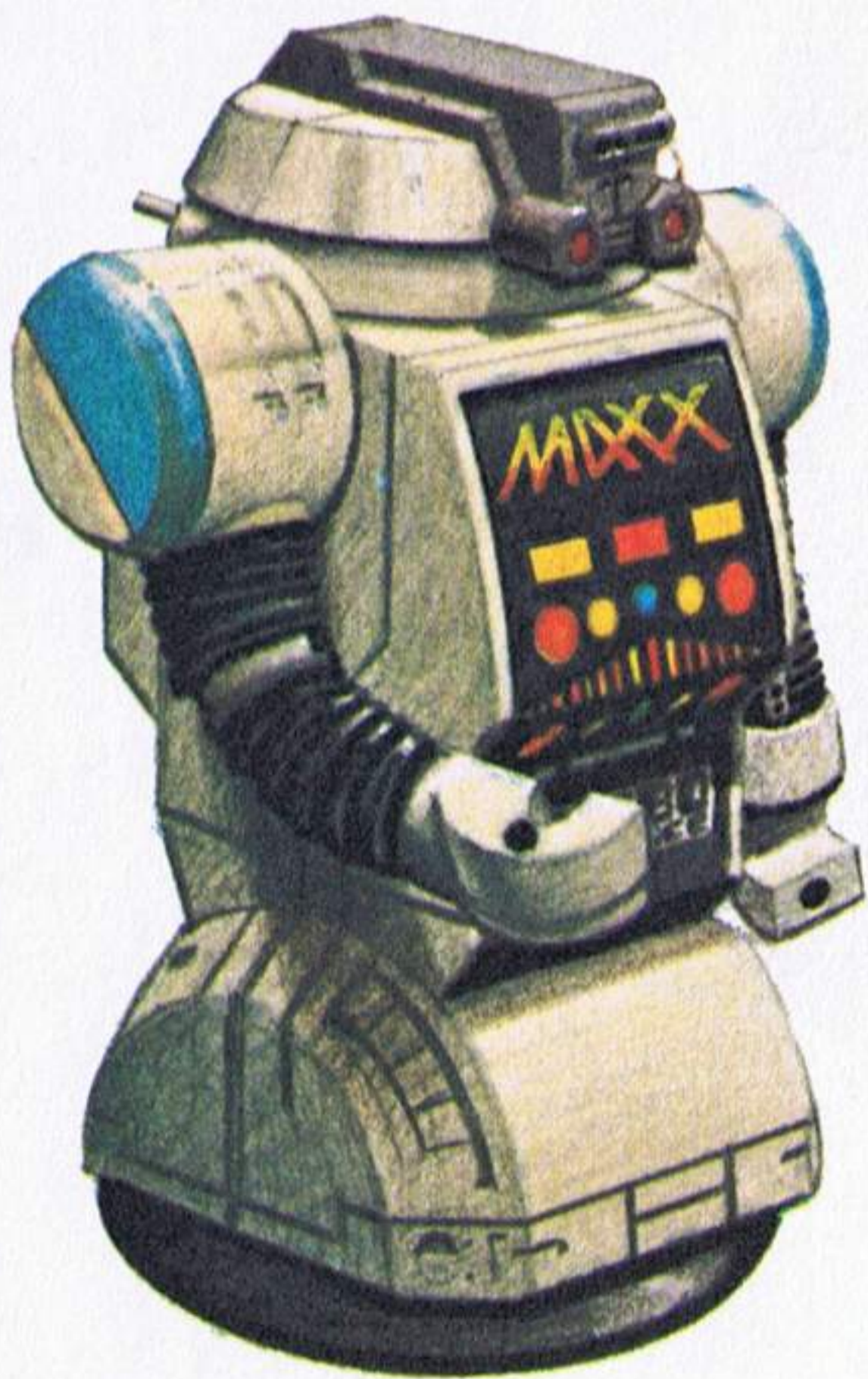
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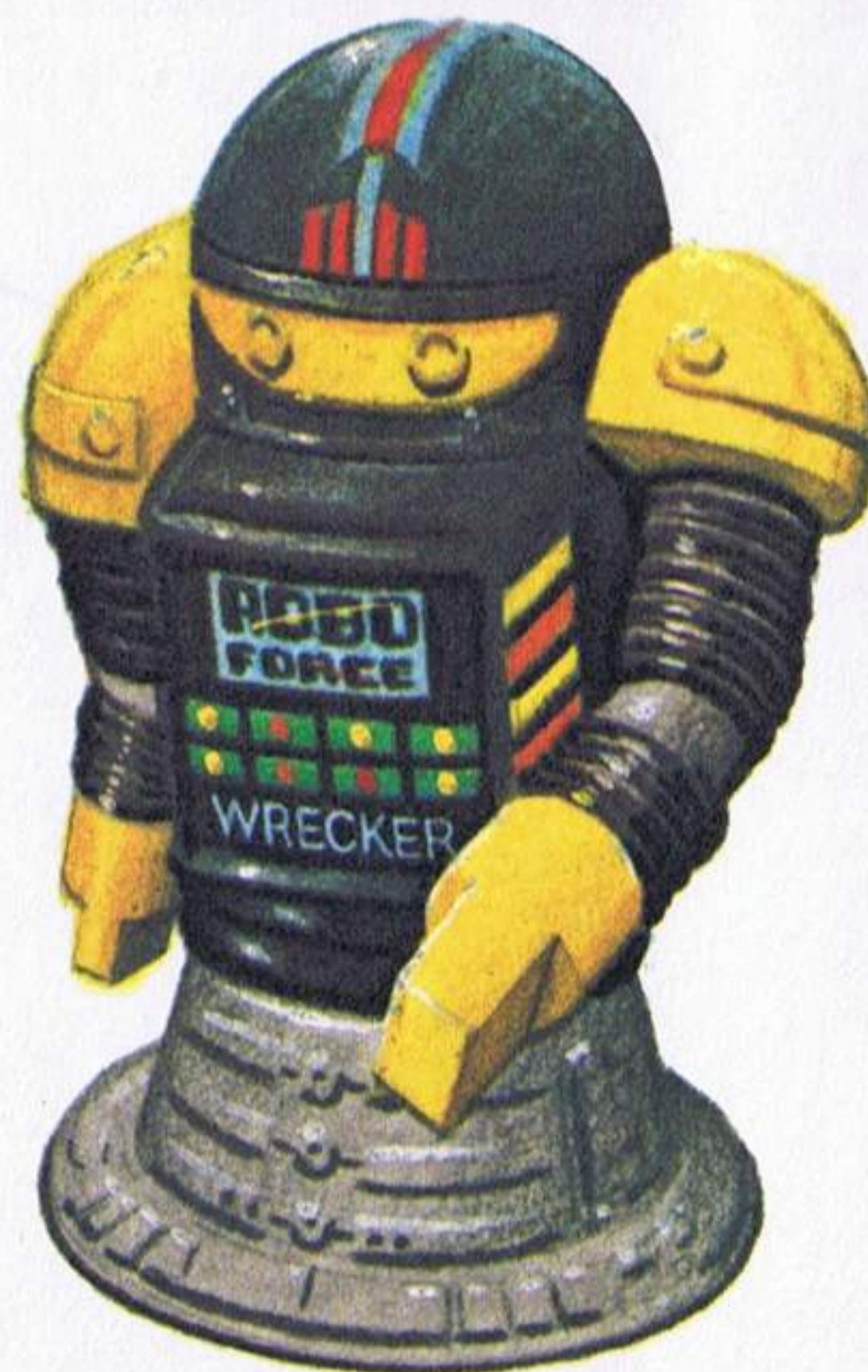
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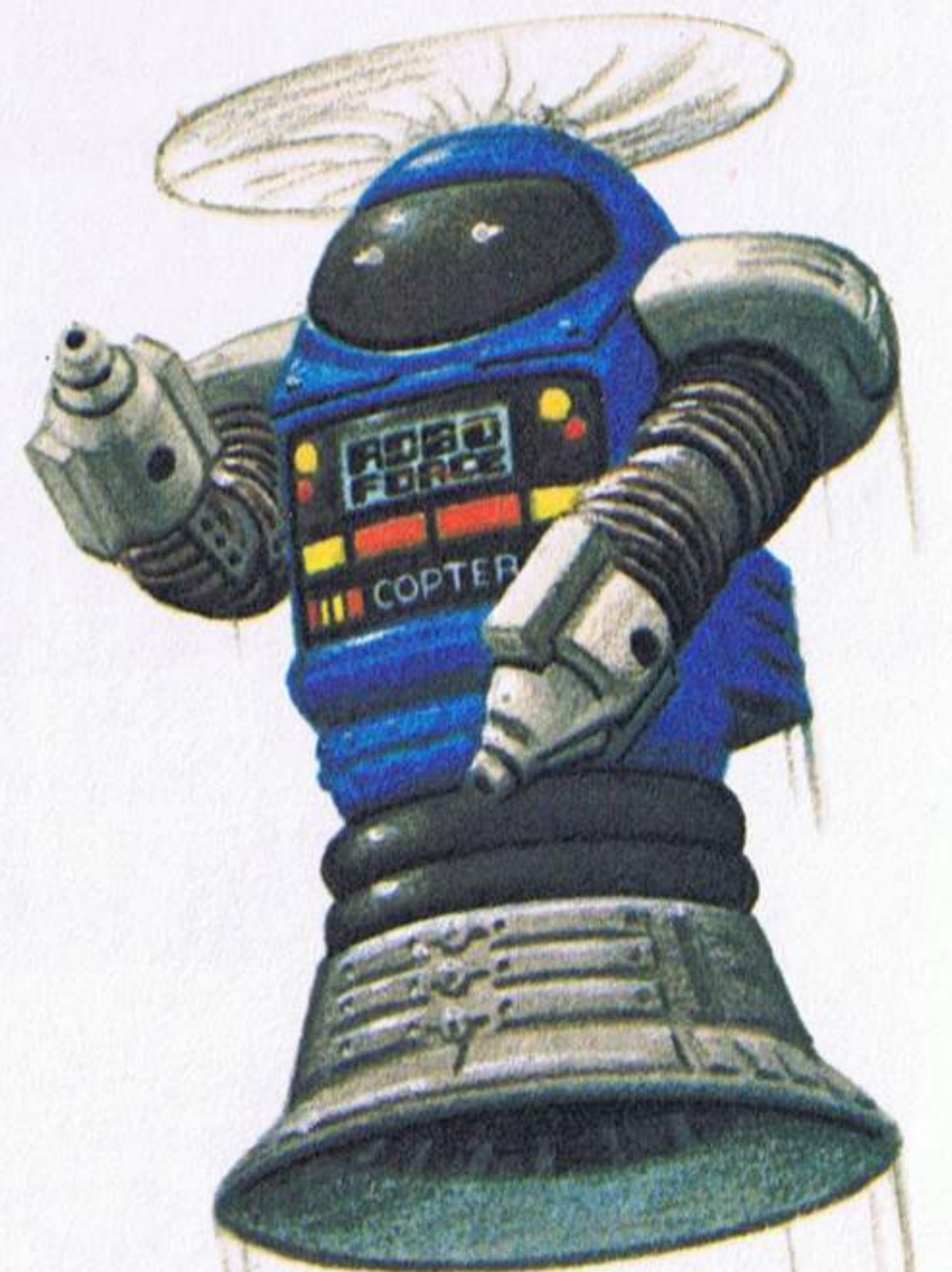
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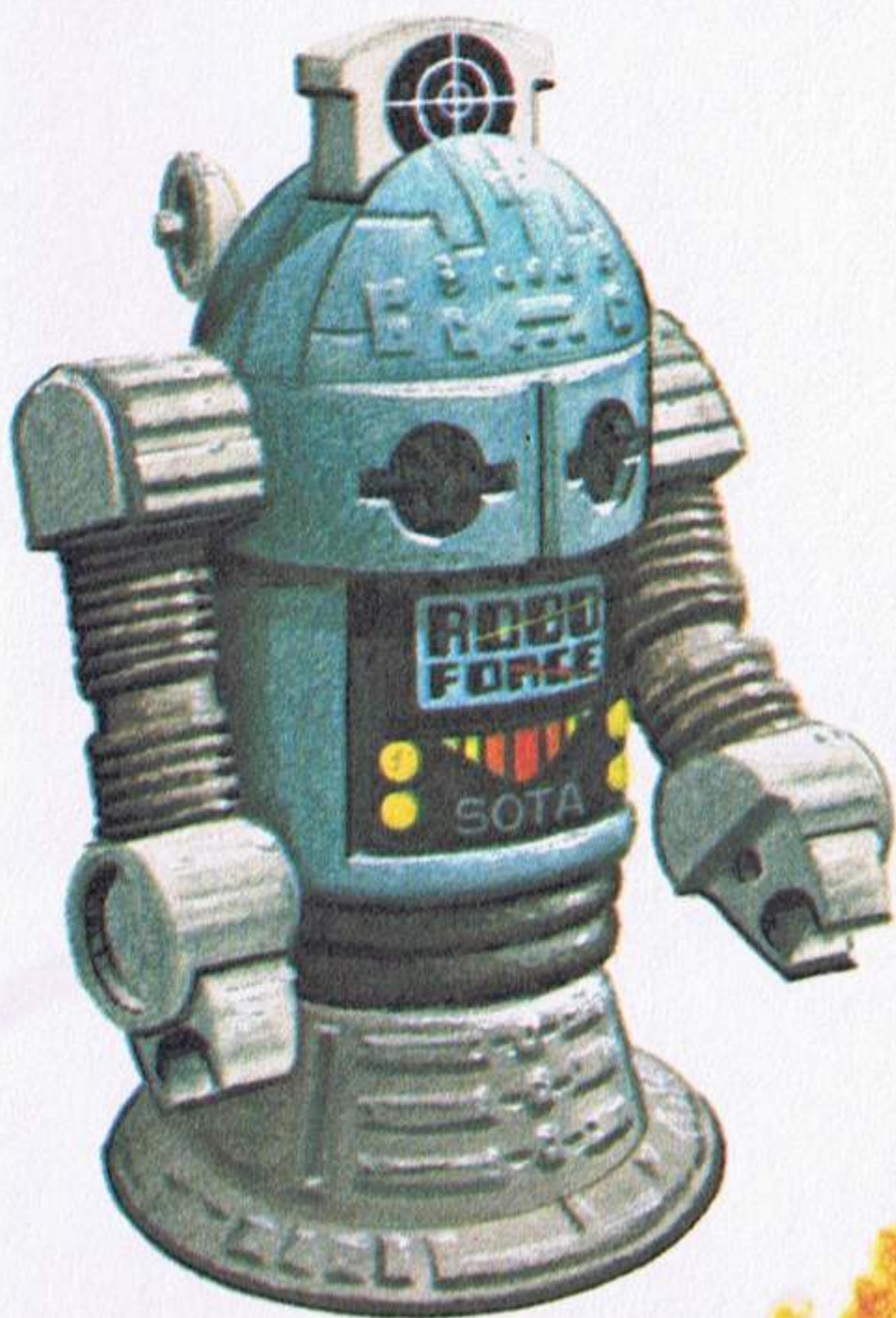
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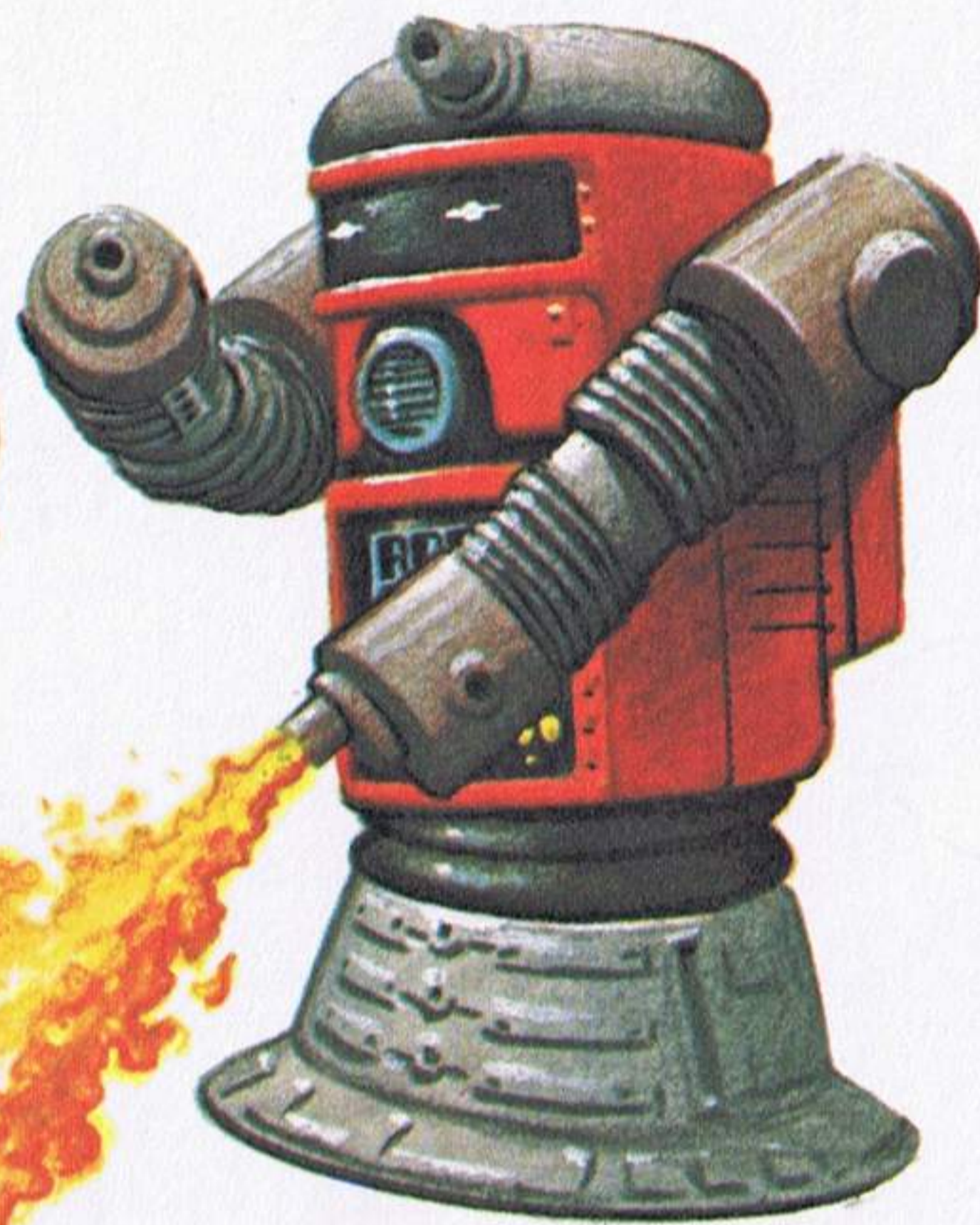
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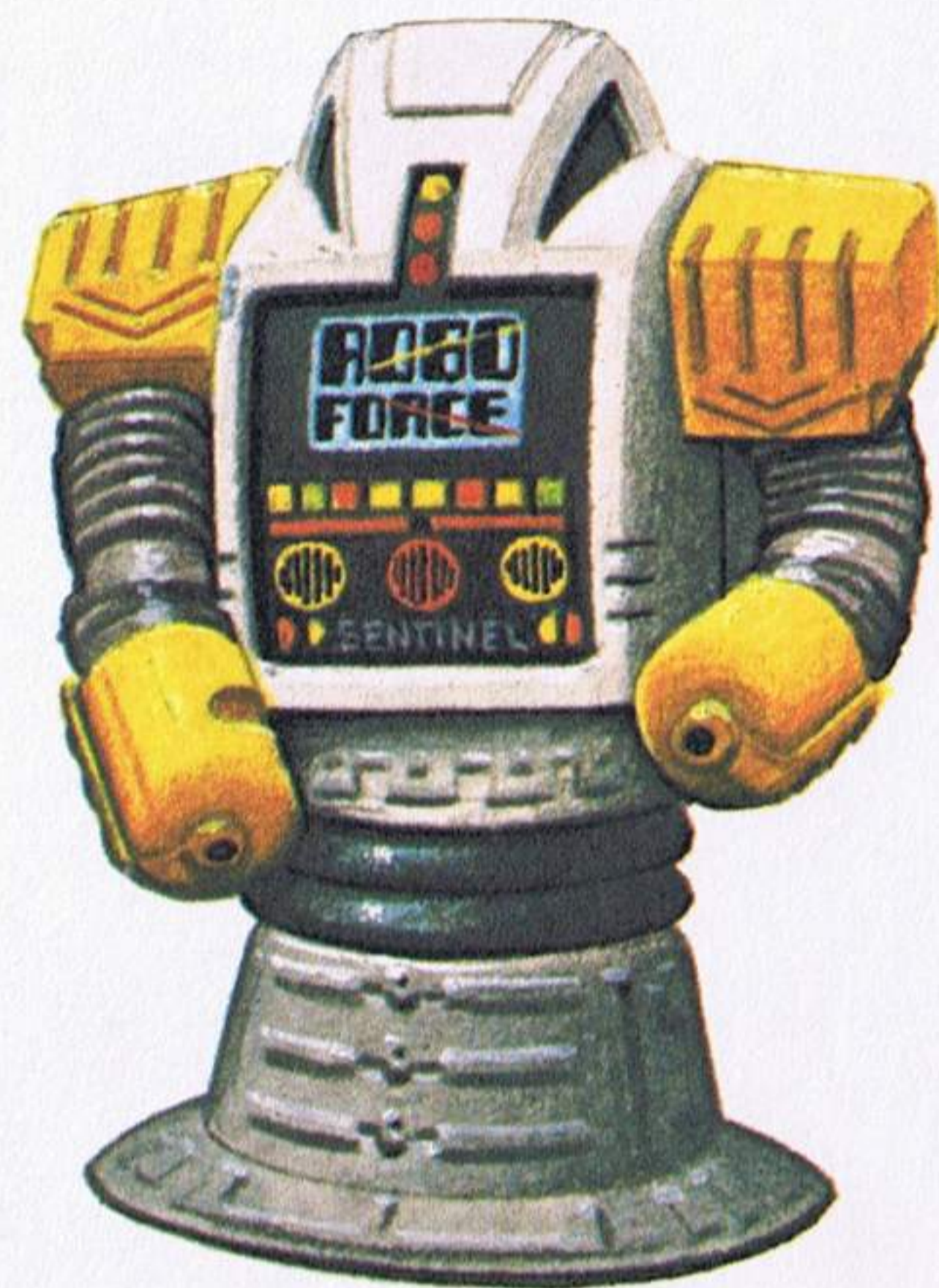
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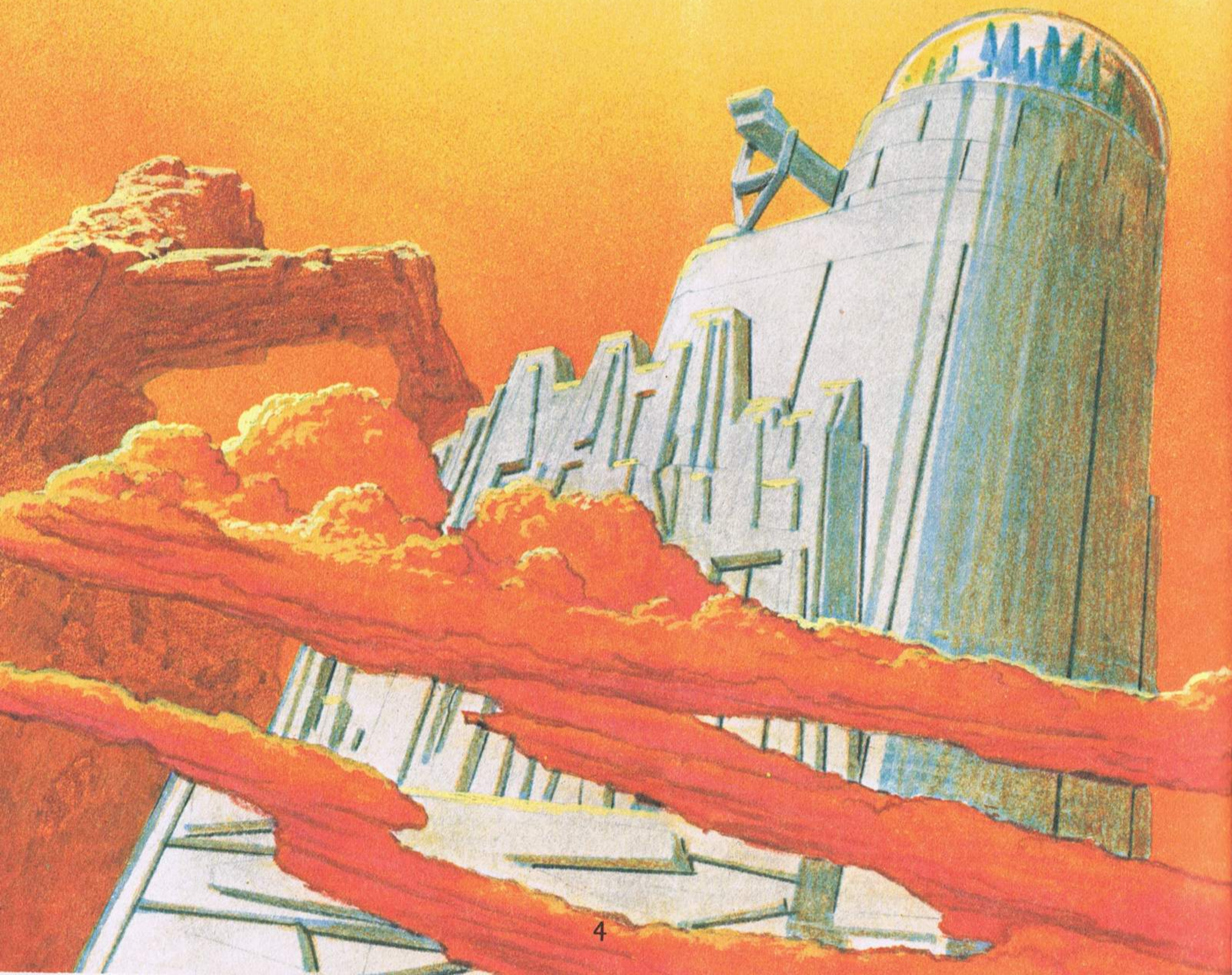
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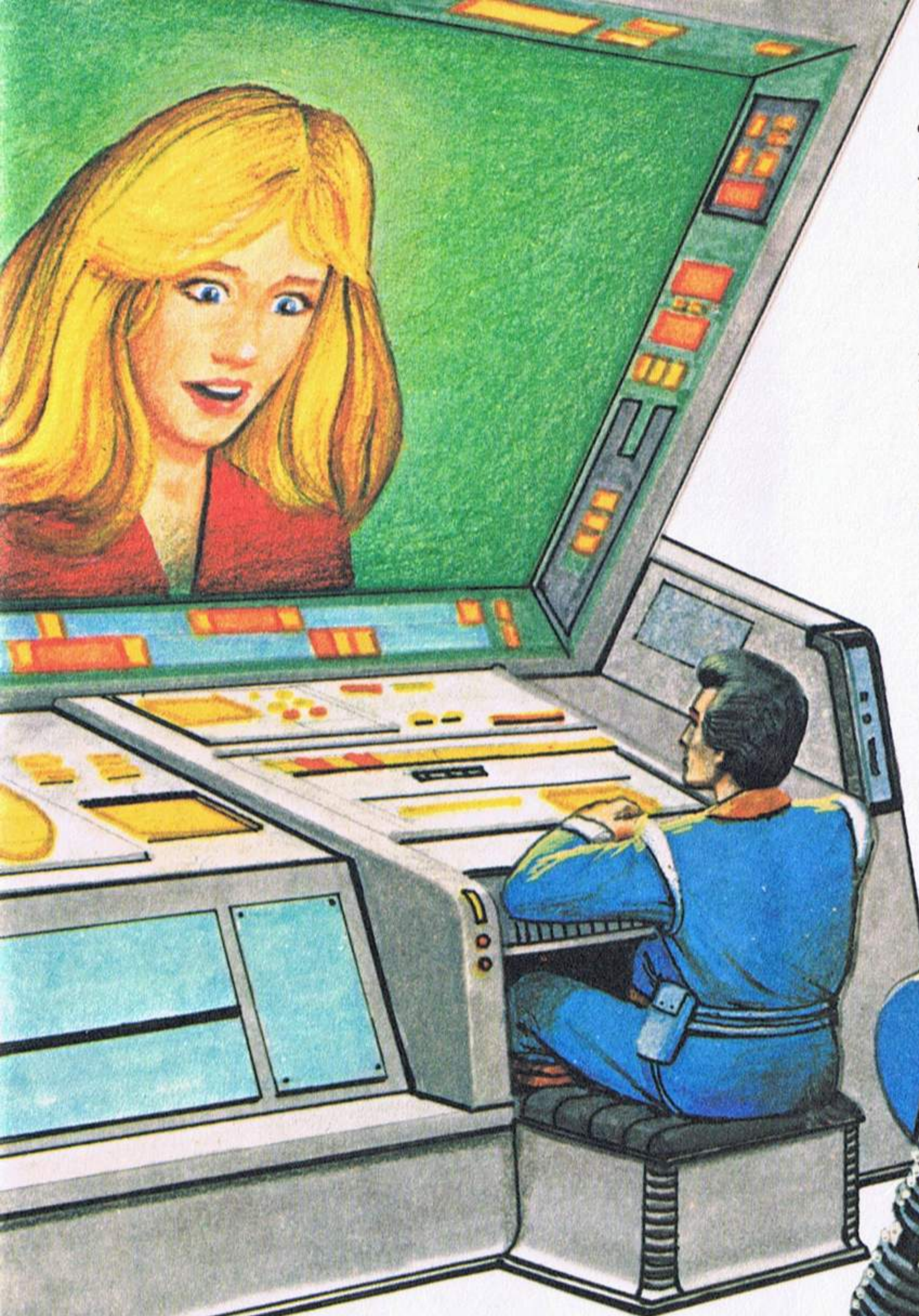
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Mark Fury and the Robo Force are in their secret Fortress of Steele. Suddenly they get a message from their friend, Councilwoman Deena Strong.

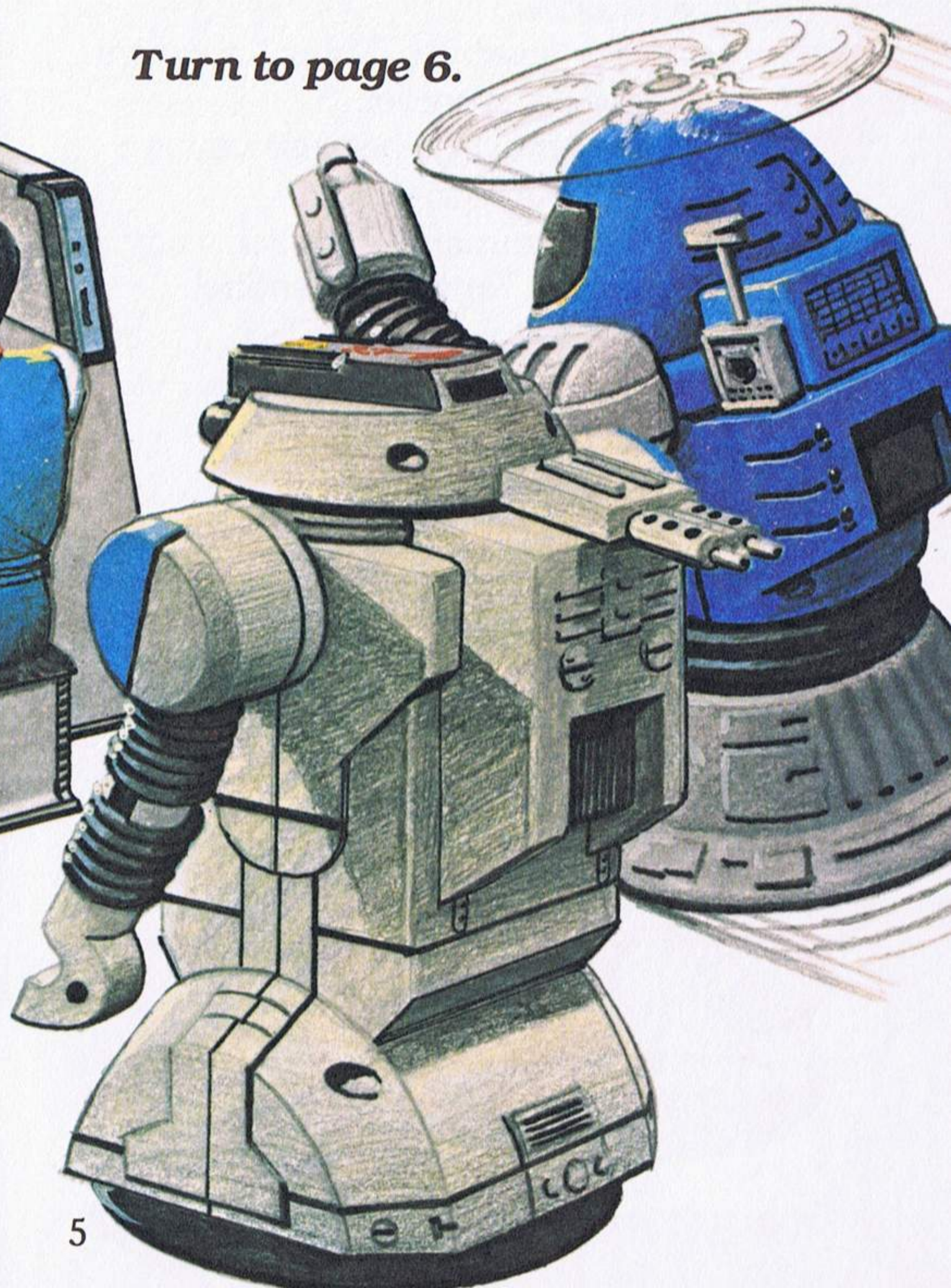




Her picture comes on the video screen. "We need your help!" she says. "Unusual weather is hurting our crops. One minute it is raining. The next minute it snows. Then it turns to burning heat.

"No crops can survive this weather! If we don't do something soon, there will not be enough food for our city."

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"The Robo Force will help you," answers Mark Fury.

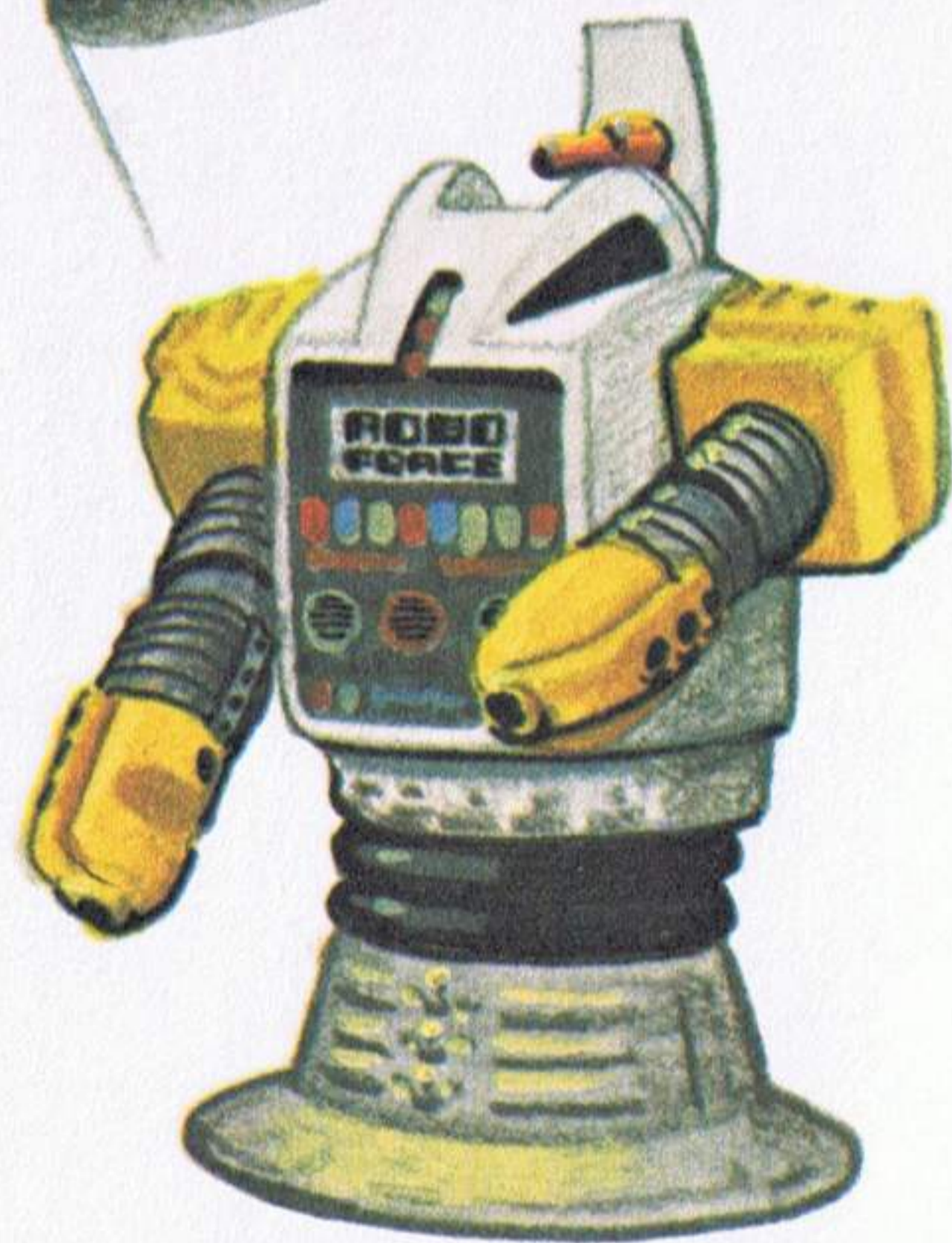
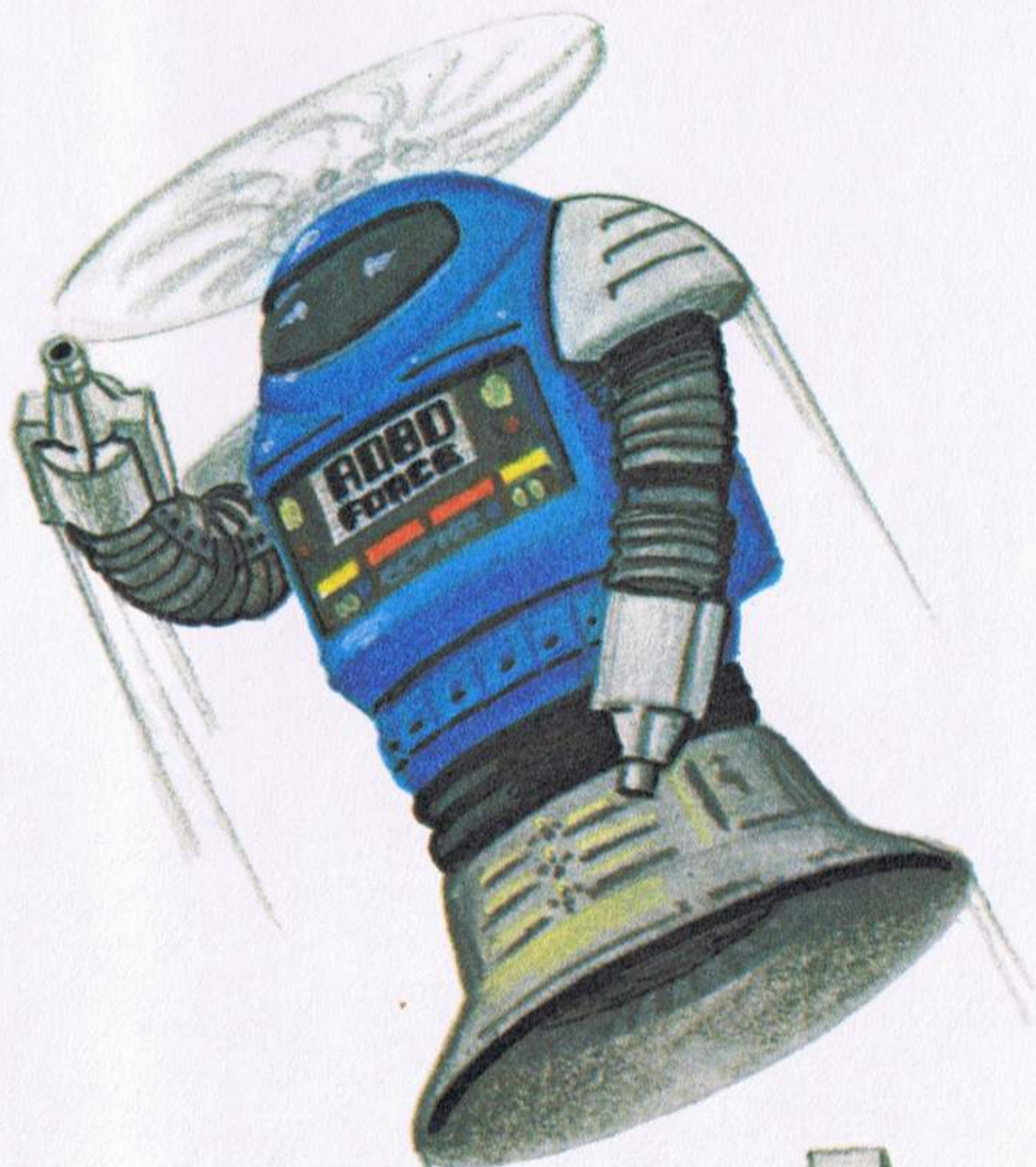
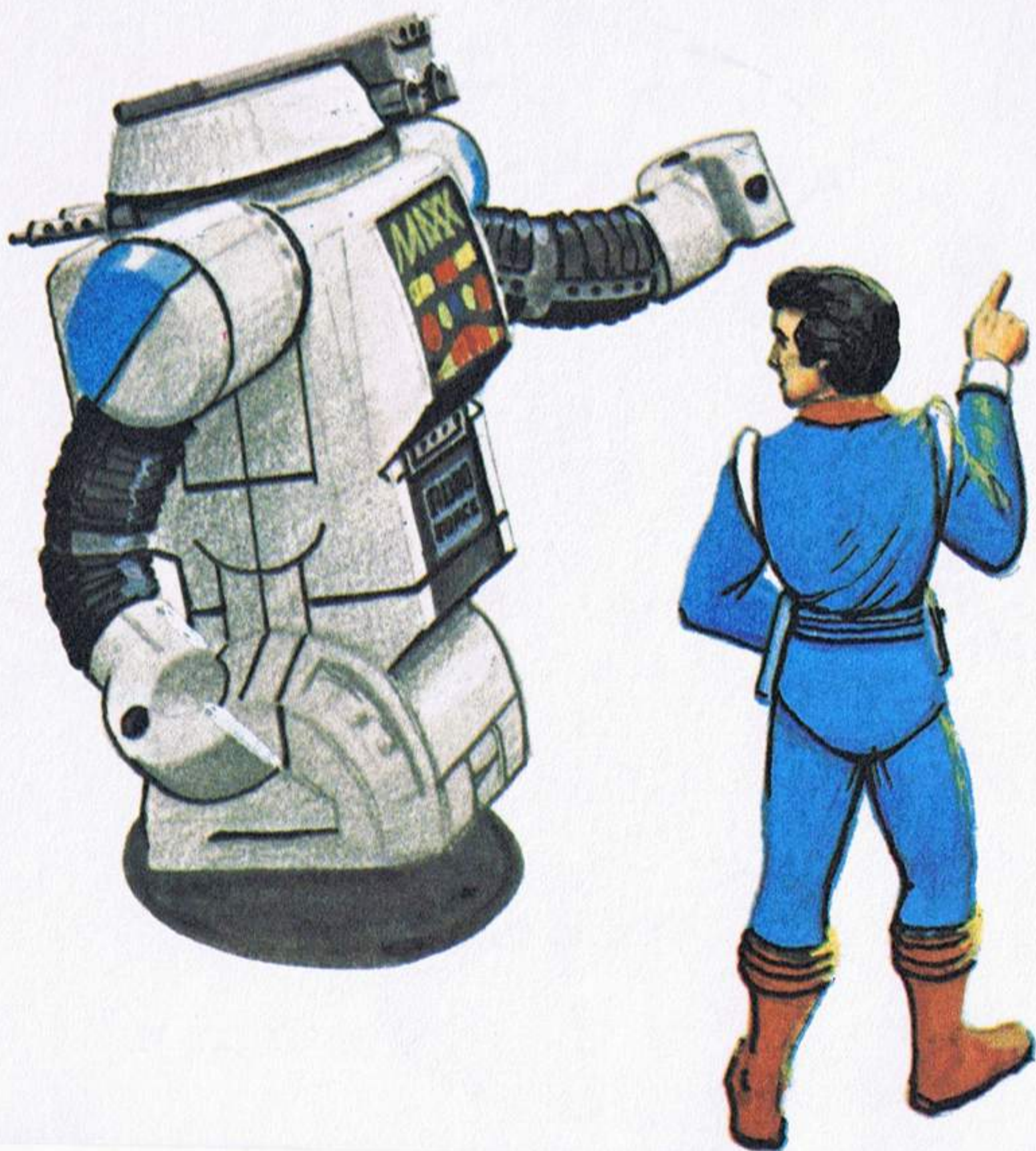
Councilwoman Strong thanks him and ends her transmission.

"Coptor," says Maxx Steele, "you must go. Your flying acrobatics may be needed in those bad storms."

"I'm ready for anything, Maxx," answers Coptor, twirling his propeller.

"Sentinel! You must go because you are an expert pilot," Mark says.

"I'll have the Command Patroller ready in three robo-jiffies," answers Sentinel.



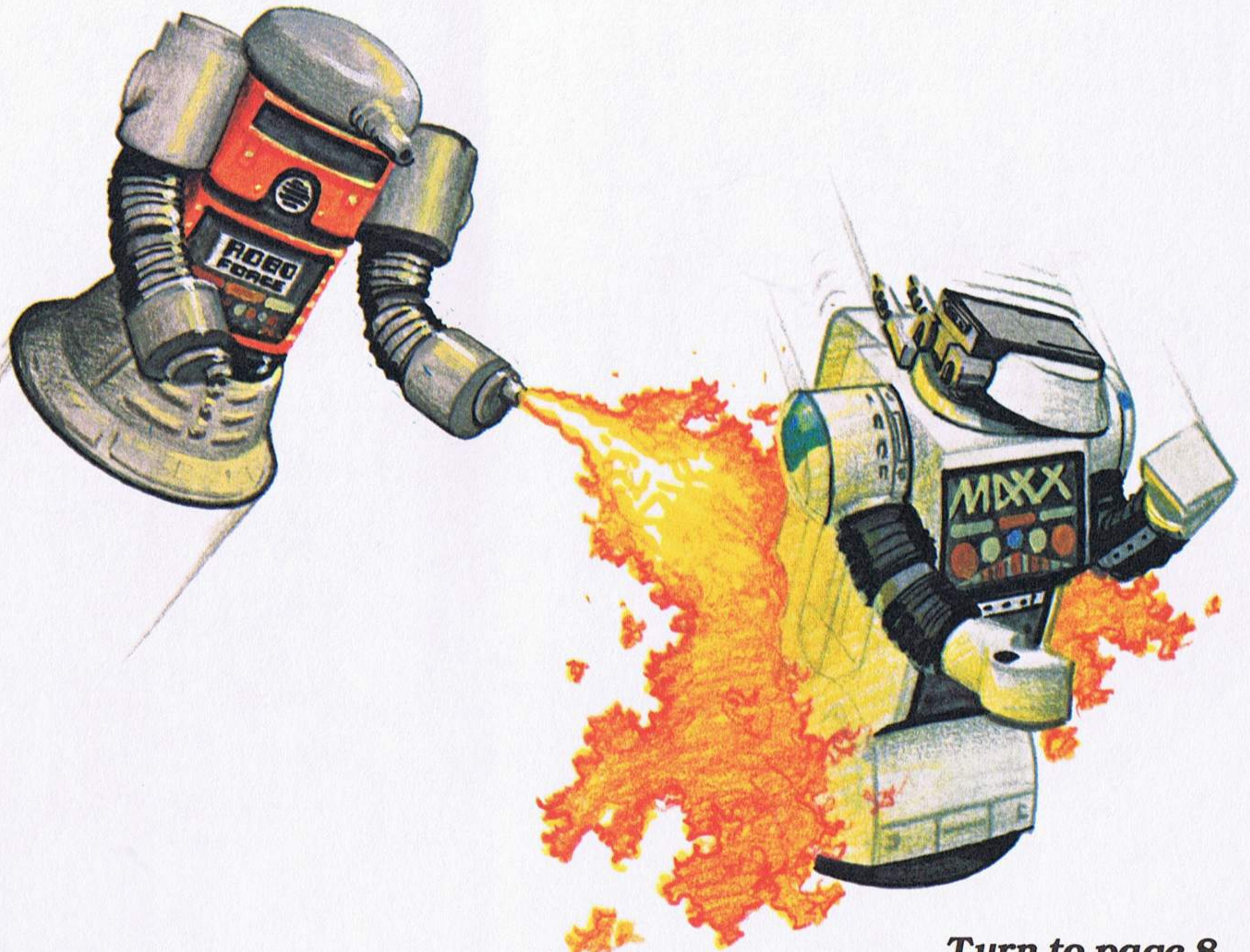


“I want to go too!” shouts Blazer. He is so excited that fire shoots from his flame nozzles.

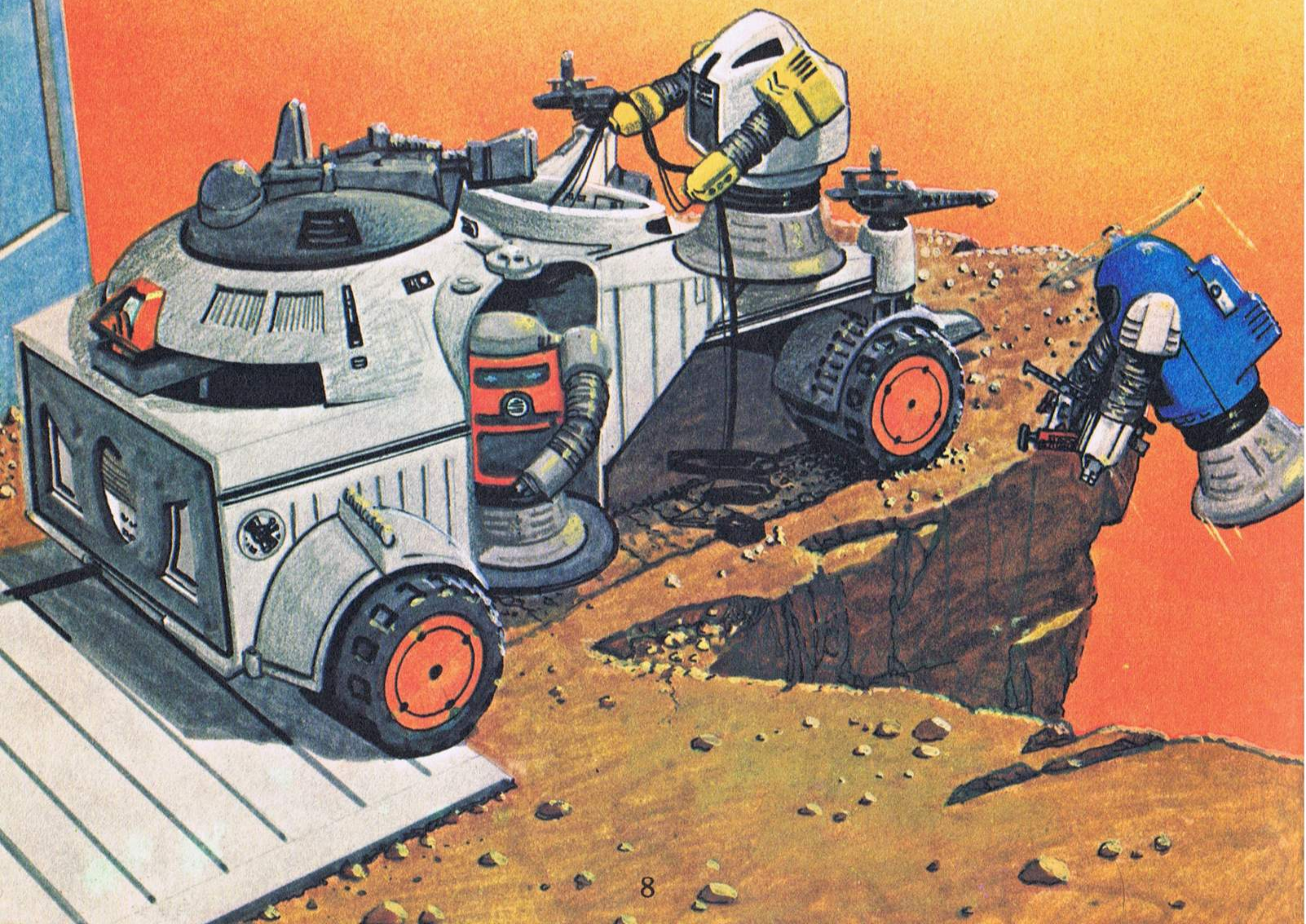
“Watch out!” says Maxx Steele. “You almost burned me, you hotheaded bucket of bolts.”

Mark Fury laughs. “Blazer, your fire will be useful in any kind of trouble. You may go also.”

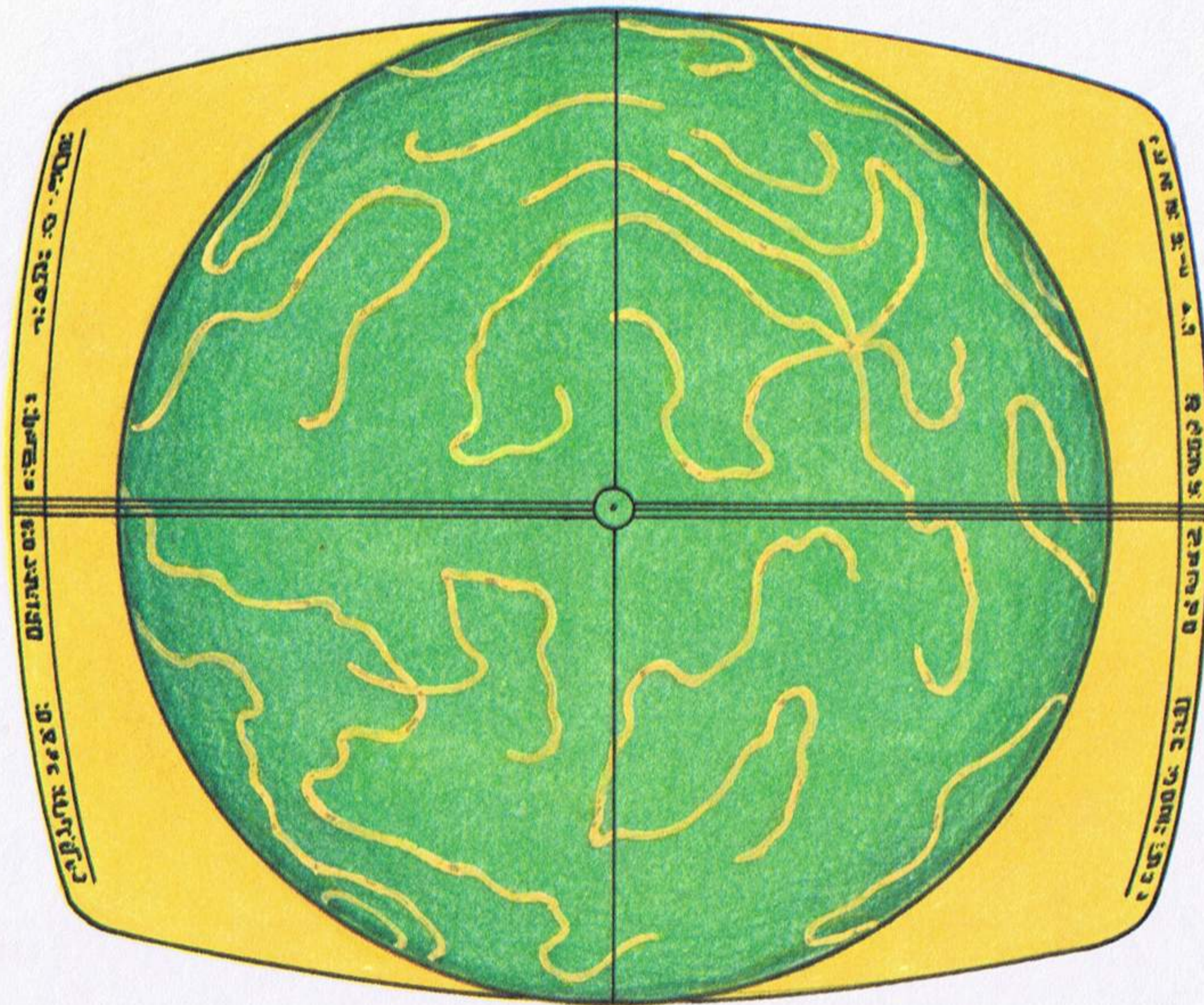
“Thanks, Mark,” says Blazer.



Coptor, Sentinel, and Blazer climb into the Command Patroller.  
“Come on, let’s go,” says Blazer impatiently.  
“Right! But *where* do we go?” asks Sentinel. “Zeton is a big planet.”  
S.O.T.A. sends the robots a message on the large computer screen. It says, “This is a weather map of Zeton. The center of the storm is marked by the place where three lines cross. You must go to that place.”



Help the Robo Force! Which side of the map has a place where three lines cross?



***If you think it is on the left, tell Sentinel to fly to the Living Desert. Then turn to page 10.***

***If you think it is on the right, tell Sentinel to fly to the Forest of Stone. Then turn to page 12.***

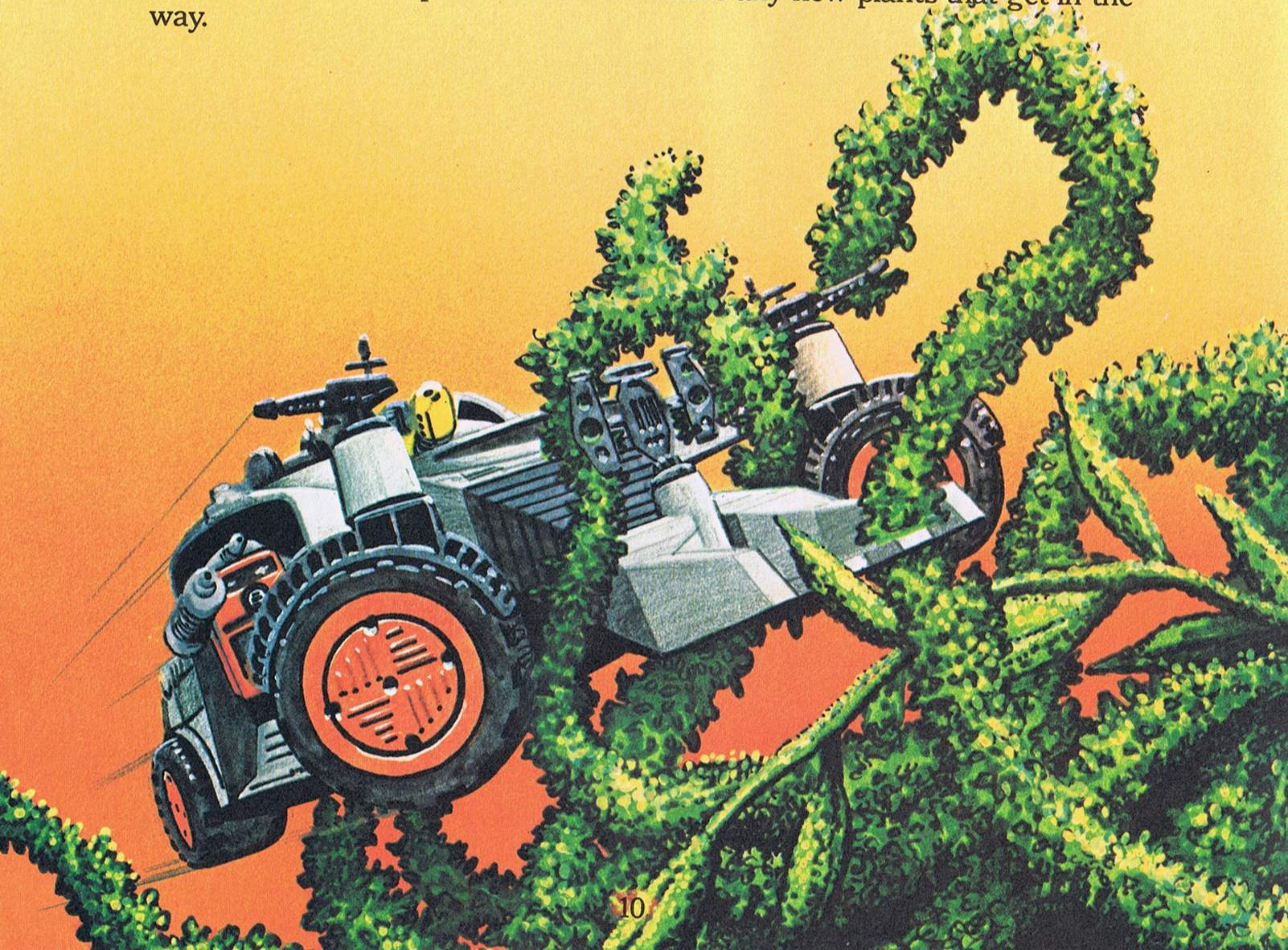
The Command Patroller soon arrives at the Living Desert. The giant plants below are moving!

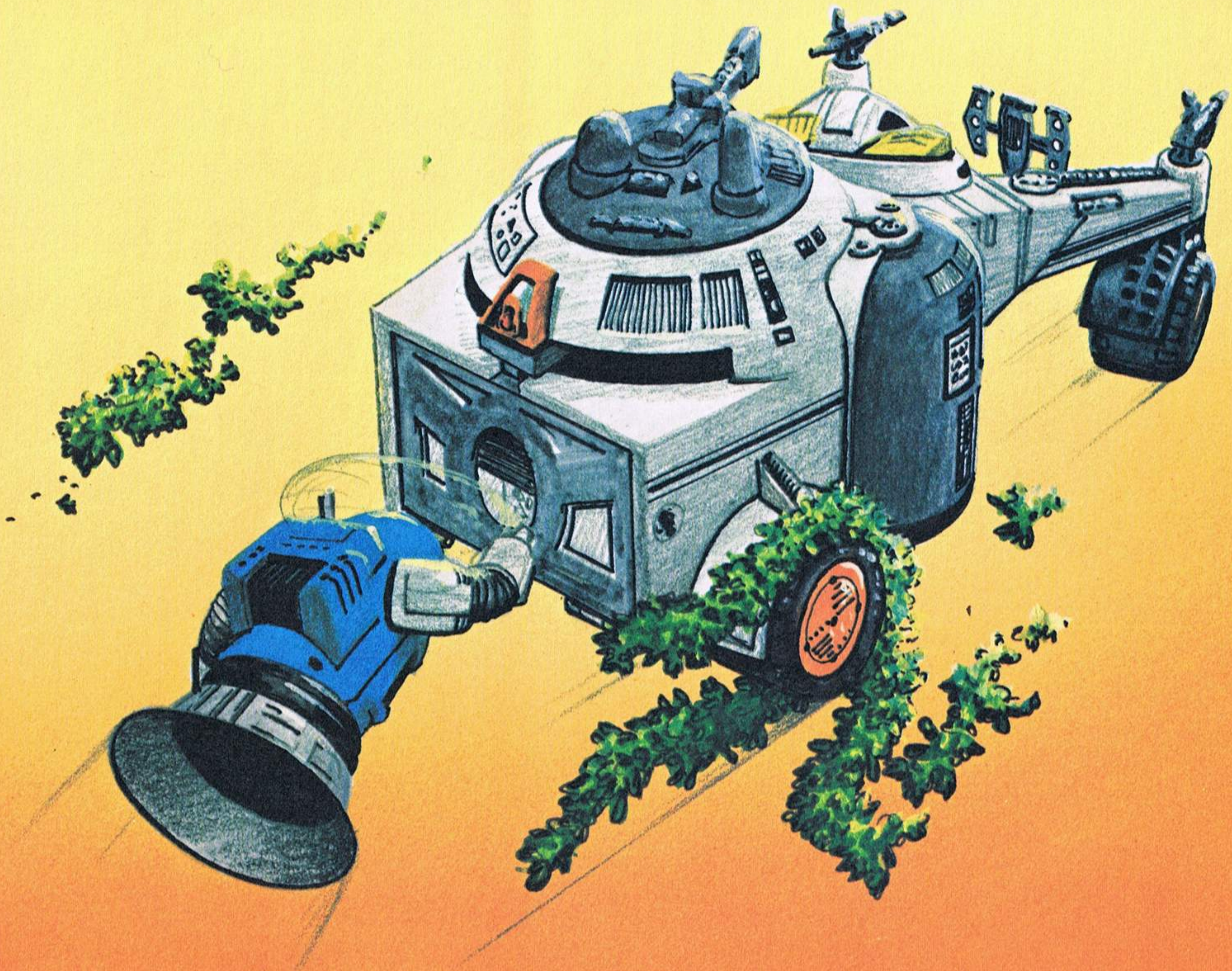
“Look out! One almost grabbed us!” yells Blazer.

Another moving plant tries to wrap its vines around the Command Patroller. Sentinel pulls out of the way just in time.

The Command Patroller is blocked by hundreds of moving plants. “We’re trapped!” shouts Sentinel.

Coptor jumps out and shreds the plants with his propeller. The Command Patroller pulls free! Blazer blasts any new plants that get in the way.



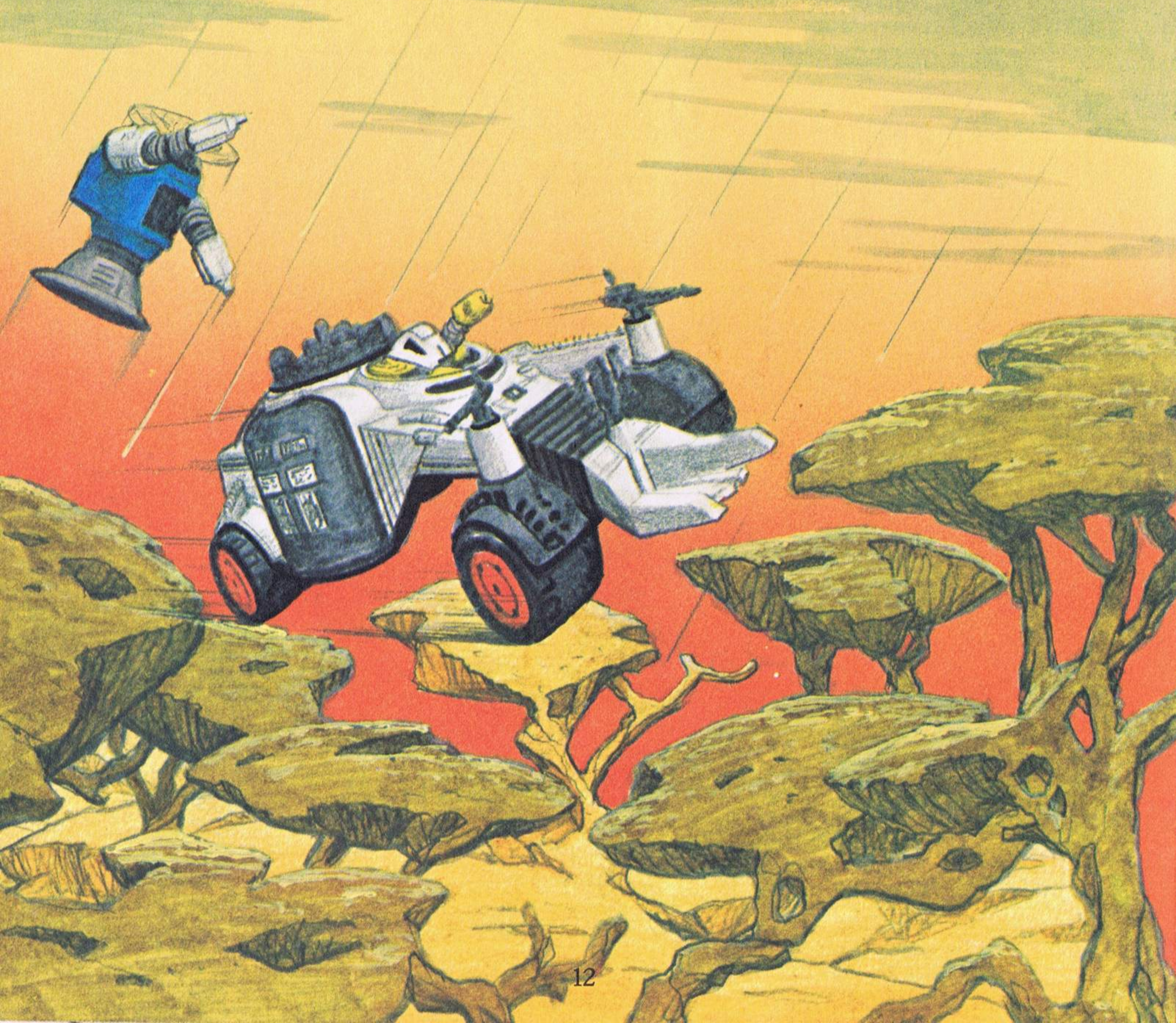


“Wait for me!” shouts Coptor as he flies after the Command Patroller. “I think we came to the wrong place!”

Sentinel agrees. “Let’s go to the Forest of Stone. Nothing seems wrong with the weather here.”

Flying swiftly, the Command Patroller soon arrives at the Forest of Stone.

“This must be the place!” says Sentinel. It is raining hard. He can barely keep the Command Patroller in the air.

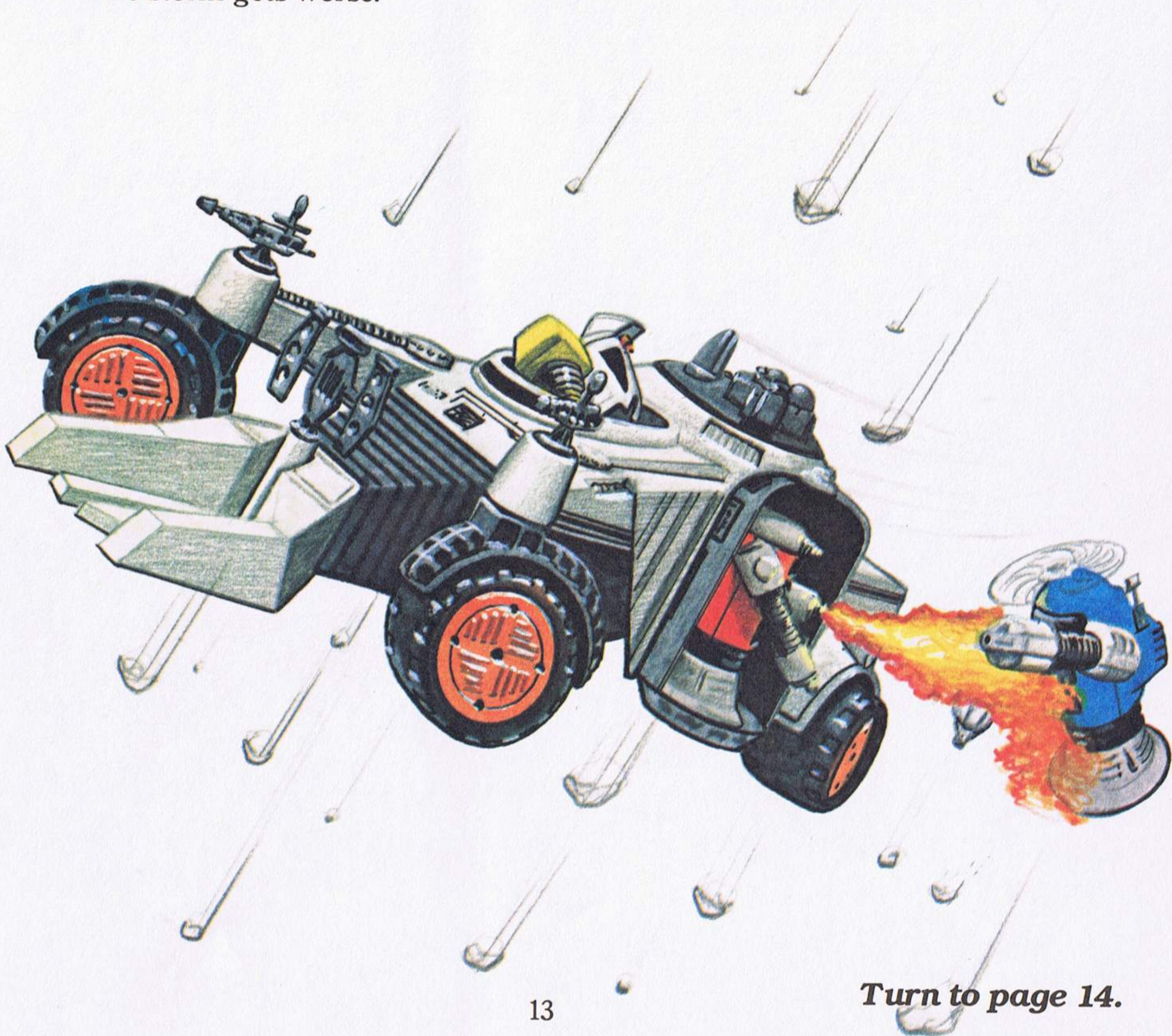


Suddenly the weather changes to snow. "Hey, I left my heater at home!" says Coptor.

"I can warm you up!" says Blazer, shooting out a small flame.

Then big hailstones start to come out of the sky. "Hang on, this is going to be rough!" shouts Sentinel.

The storm gets worse.



Sentinel manages to keep the Command Patroller from crashing.  
“Look out for that mountain!” shouts Coptor.

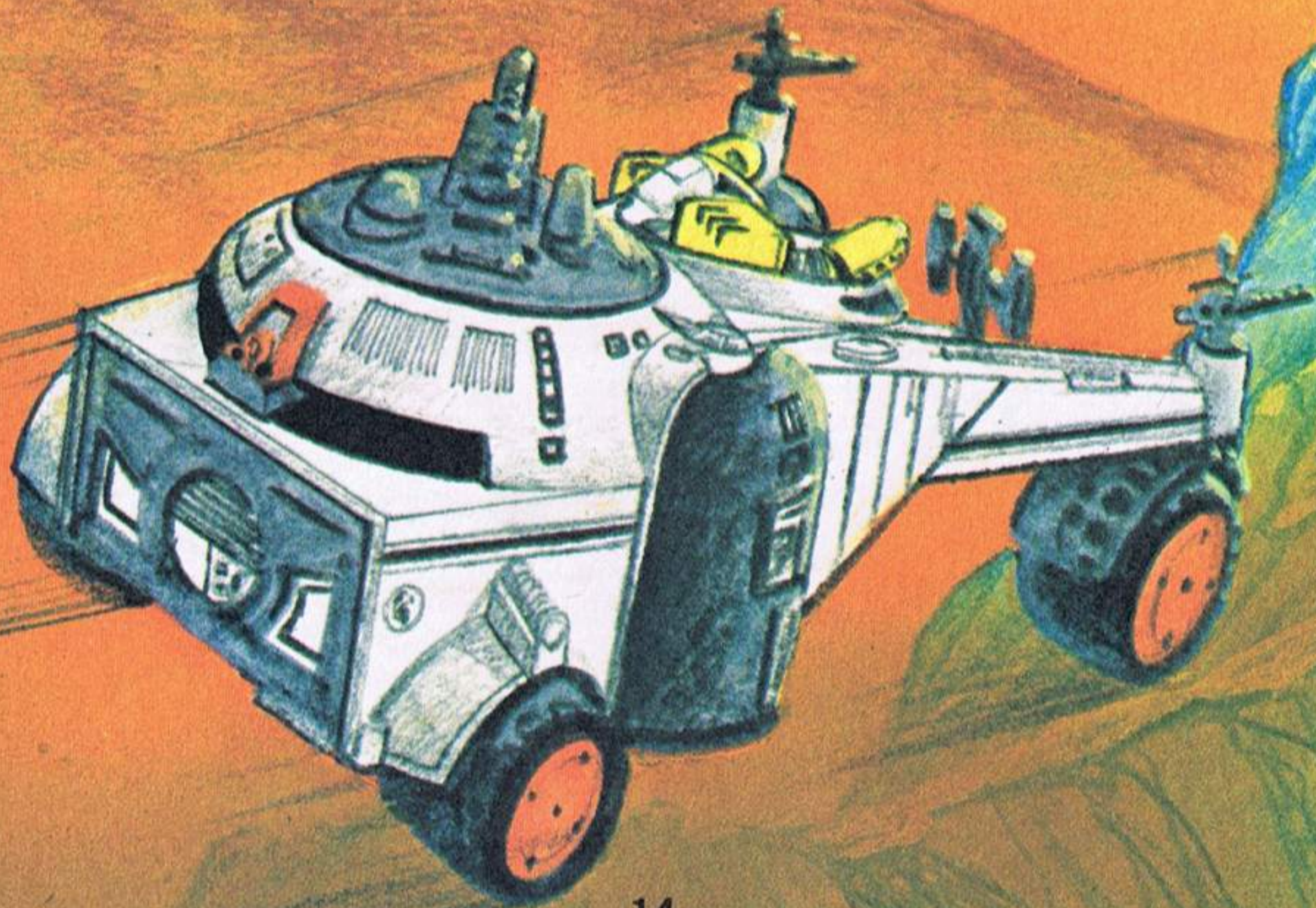
Steering into a tight turn, Sentinel says, “That mountain isn’t on my map.”

Blazer uses his heat-sensing ability to study the mountain. “I’ve got news for you! That isn’t an ordinary mountain. It looks like ice, but it’s burning hot.”

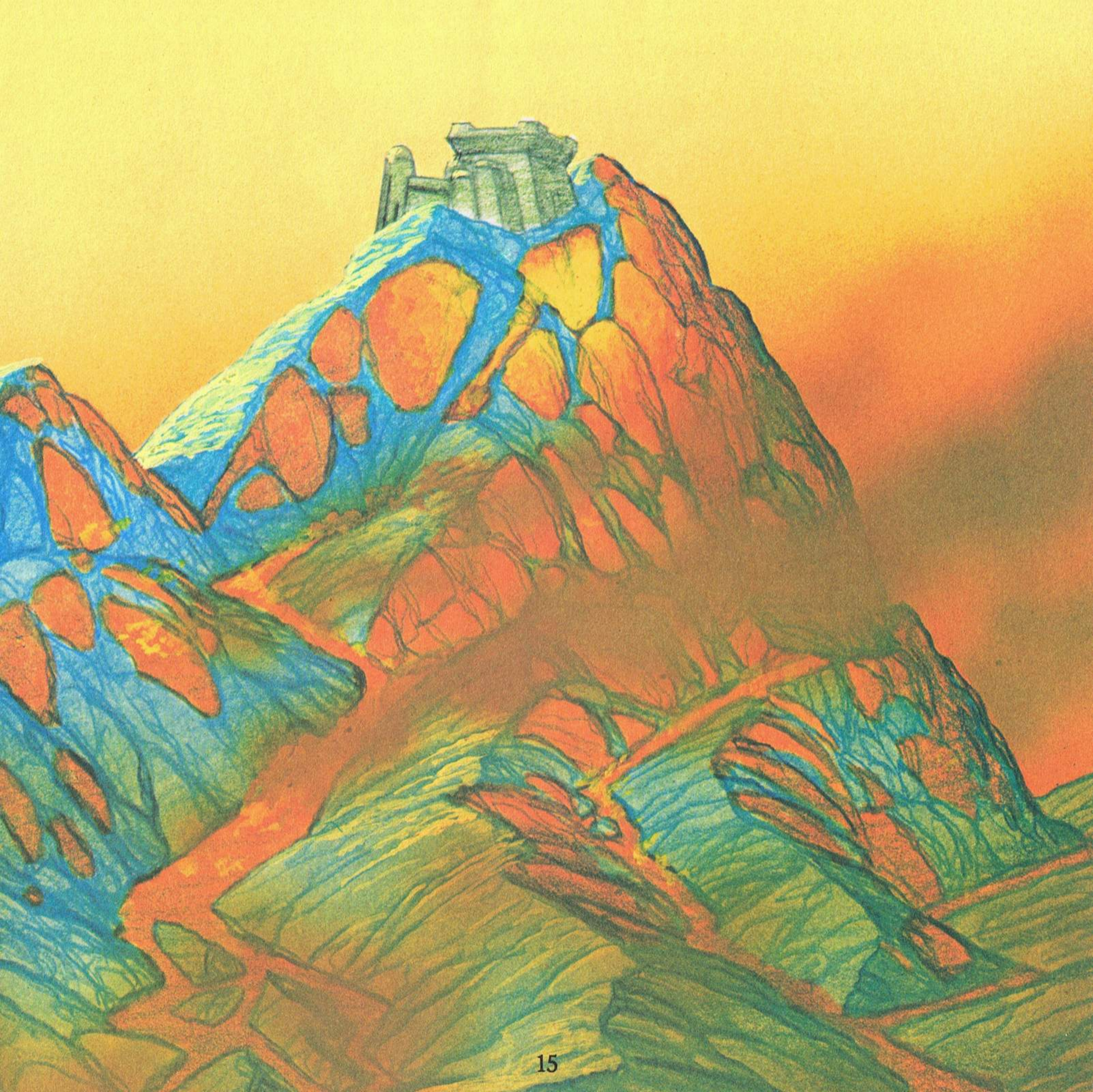
“A mountain of burning ice! Maybe that’s the cause of the strange weather!” says Coptor.

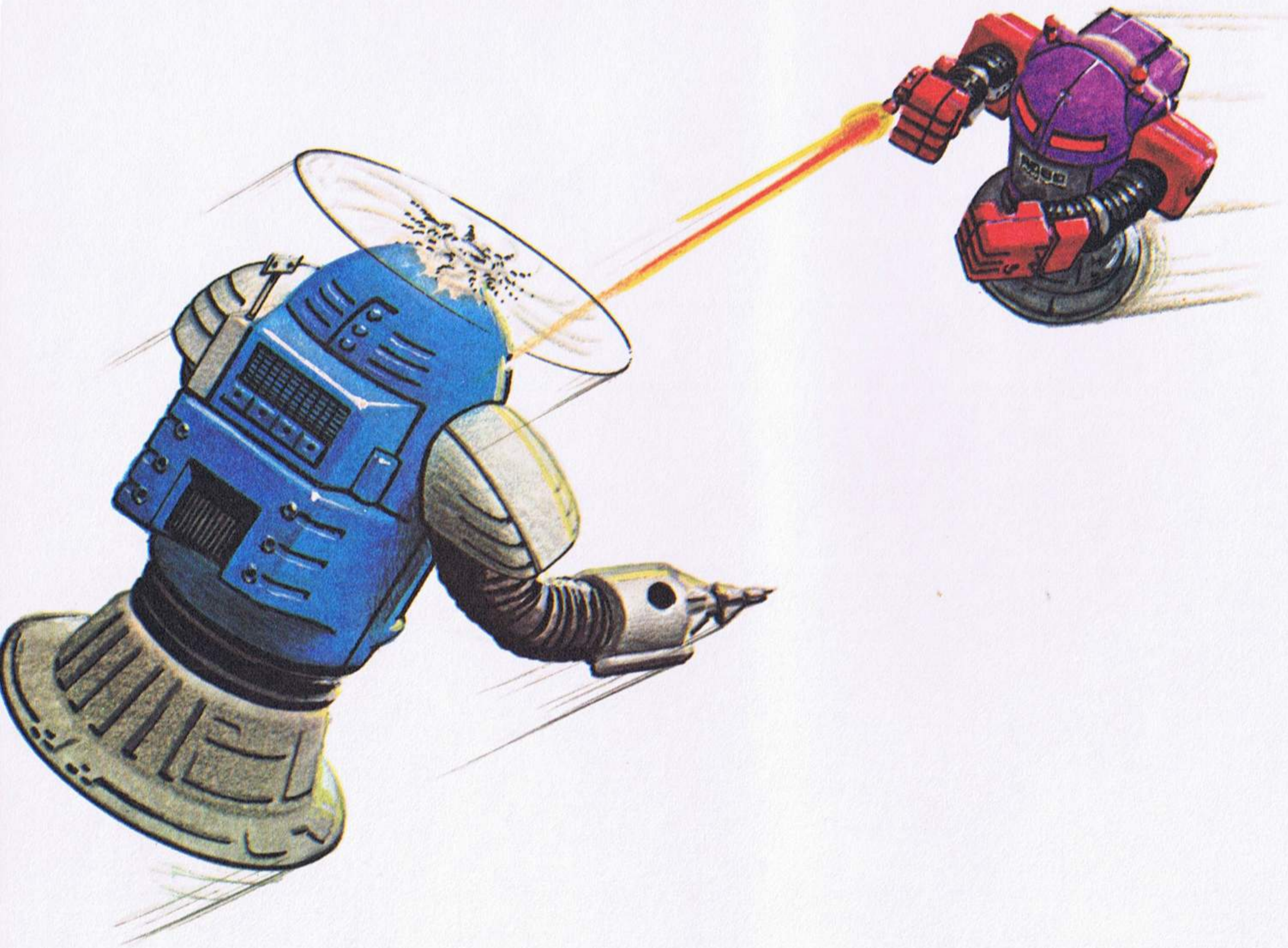
“That’s not all,” says Sentinel grimly. “The mountain is moving! And it’s burning everything in its path.”

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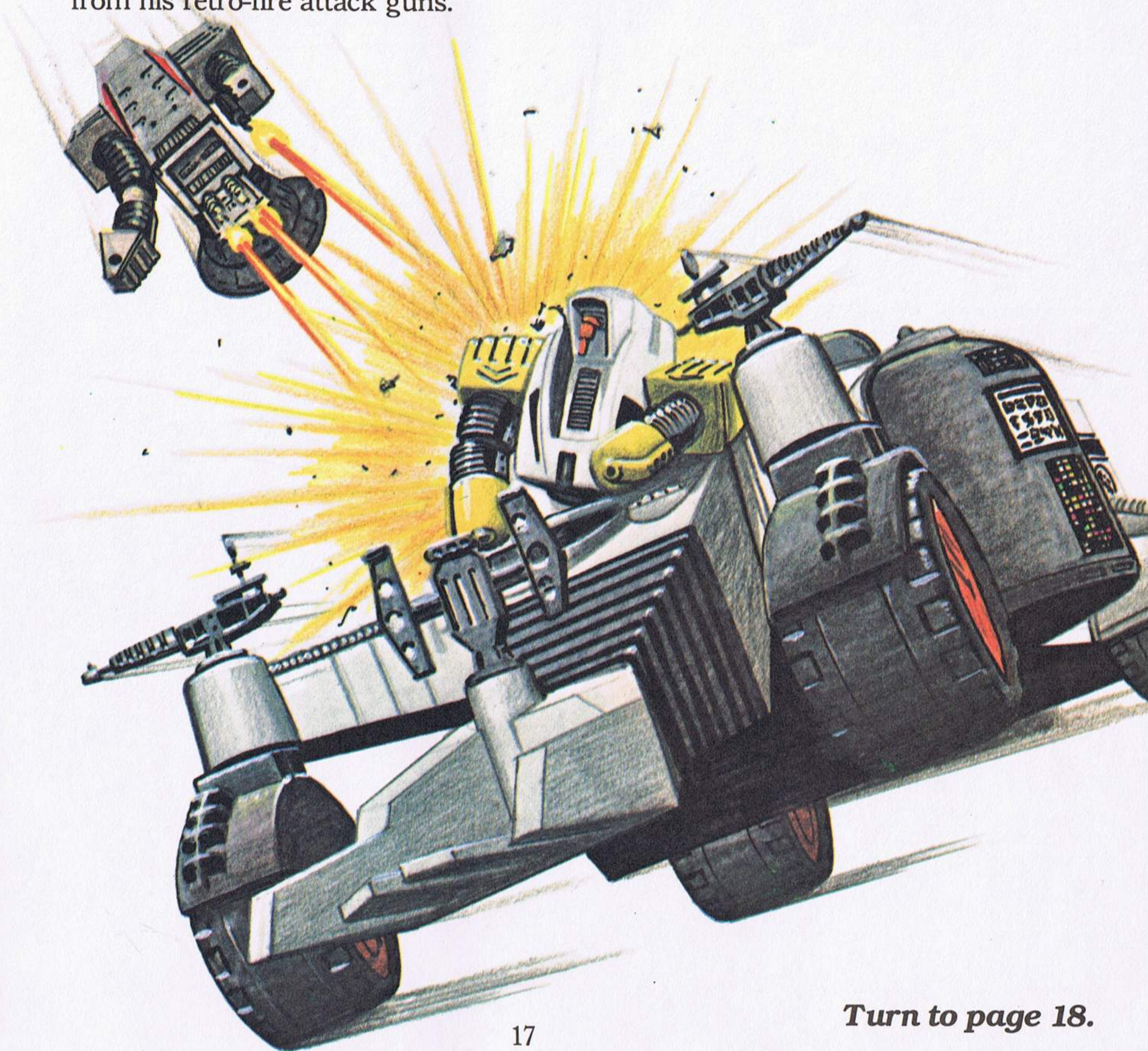
Sentinel flies closer to look at the mountain of burning ice.

Then Coptor sees two evil-looking robots dropping down onto the Command Patroller from the mountain. They are Cruel, the Detonator, and Enemy, the Dictator.

“Hey, get your own vehicle!” shouts Coptor. Cruel tries to punch him but Coptor dodges.

“Get rid of them quick!” shouts Sentinel. “The ship is overloaded.” He sounds worried.

“Afraid of a little crash?” says Enemy. He hits Sentinel with a quick blast from his retro-fire attack guns.

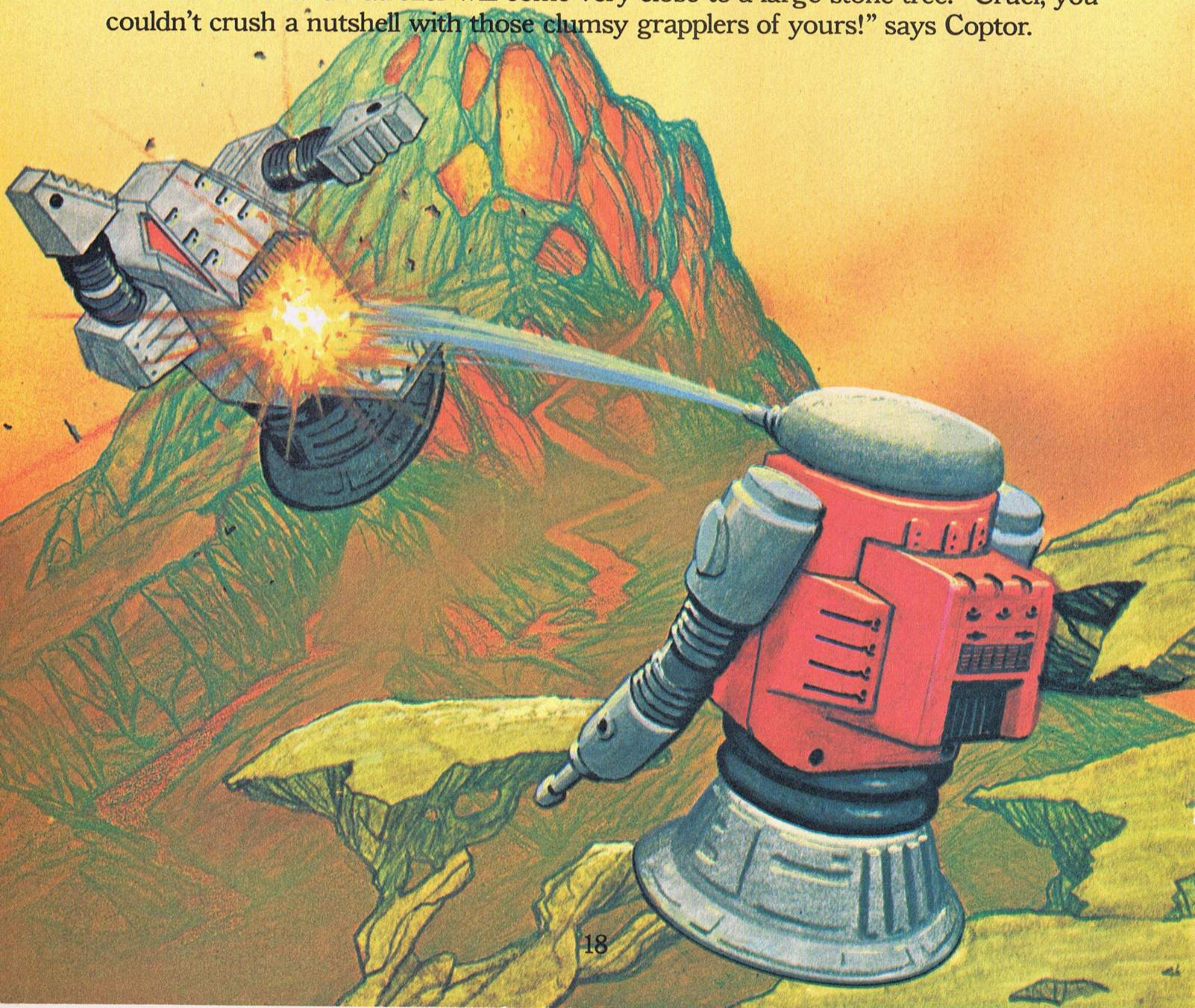


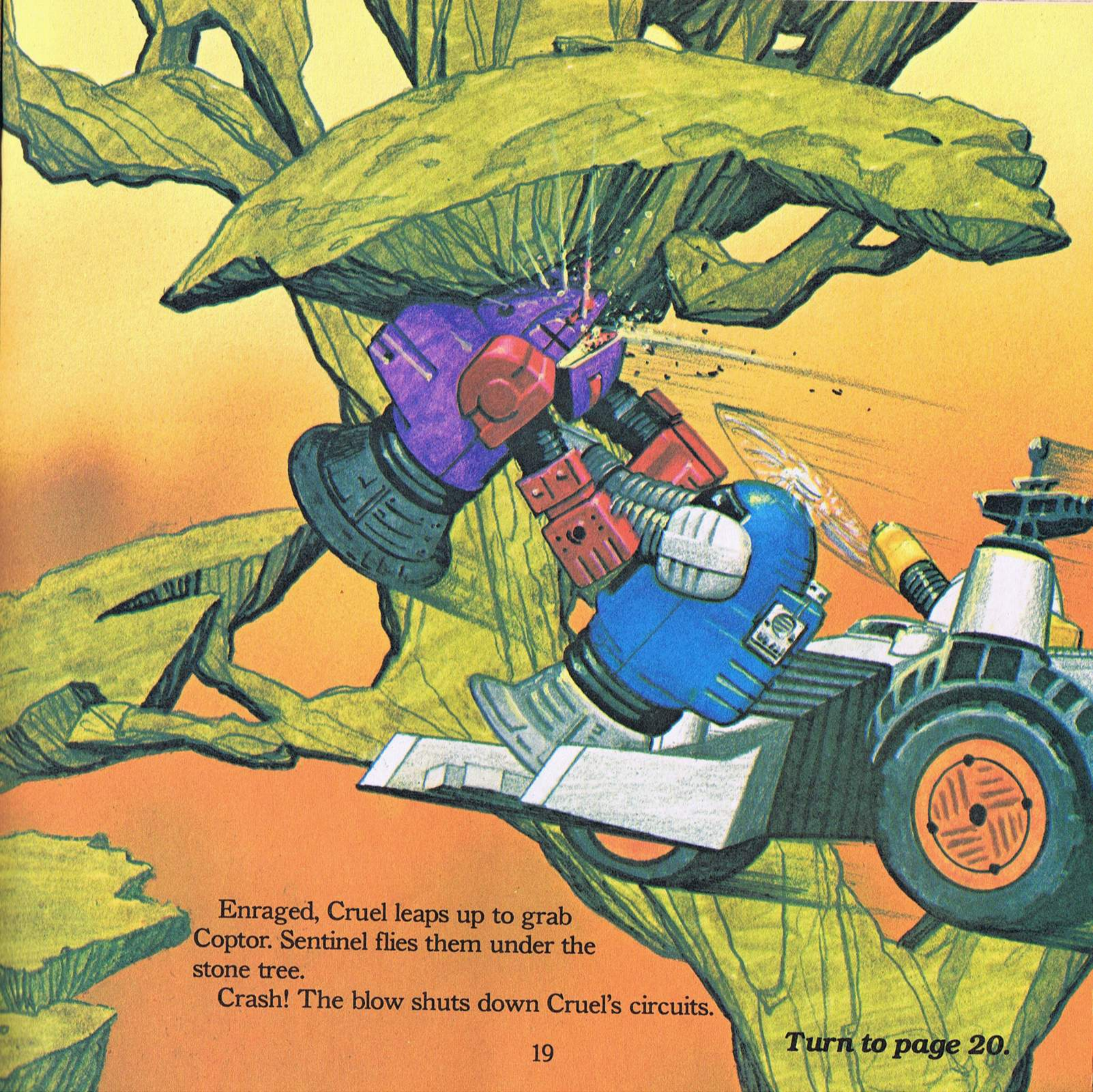
Before Enemy can blast Sentinel again, Blazer goes into action!

“Eat this, you metal moron!” shouts Blazer. He fires his plasma flame at Enemy’s retro-fire attack guns.

The shot is so powerful it knocks Enemy’s circuits out.

Meanwhile Cruel has been trying to grab Coptor with his grapples. Coptor sees that the Command Patroller will come very close to a large stone tree. “Cruel, you couldn’t crush a nutshell with those clumsy grapples of yours!” says Coptor.





Enraged, Cruel leaps up to grab Coptor. Sentinel flies them under the stone tree.


Crash! The blow shuts down Cruel's circuits.

Cruel and Enemy are stunned. Blazer pushes them over the side of the Command Patroller.

“They’ll make a nice addition to a scrap heap somewhere,” laughs Coptor.



Sentinel uses his powers to study the mountain of burning ice. He finds that it is moving so fast that it will hit the city of Celestia in less than an hour! "This is worse than I thought!" he says.



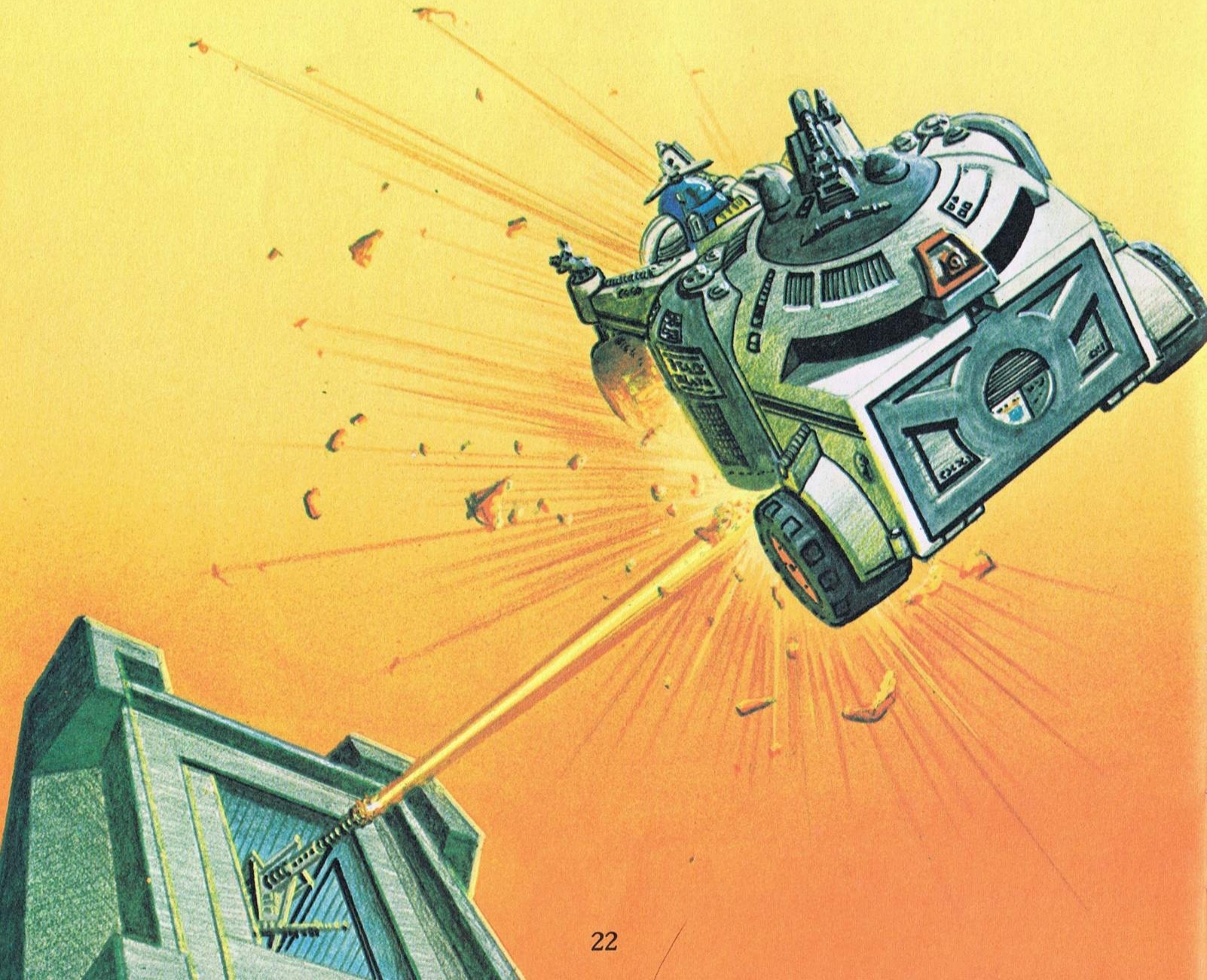
Coptor flies up in the air. "I see something at the top of the mountain! It looks like a small fort. And the flames don't seem to burn it."

Flying closer, Coptor can see someone on top of the fort. "Wait! I see...*Nazgar!*"

Suddenly the Command Patroller is hit by a blast from a big laser cannon. "We're going down!" shouts Sentinel.

"My flying circuits have been weakened in the blast!" shouts Blazer.

"Mine too!" says Sentinel. "I guess we'll go to the great junkpile in the sky together!"



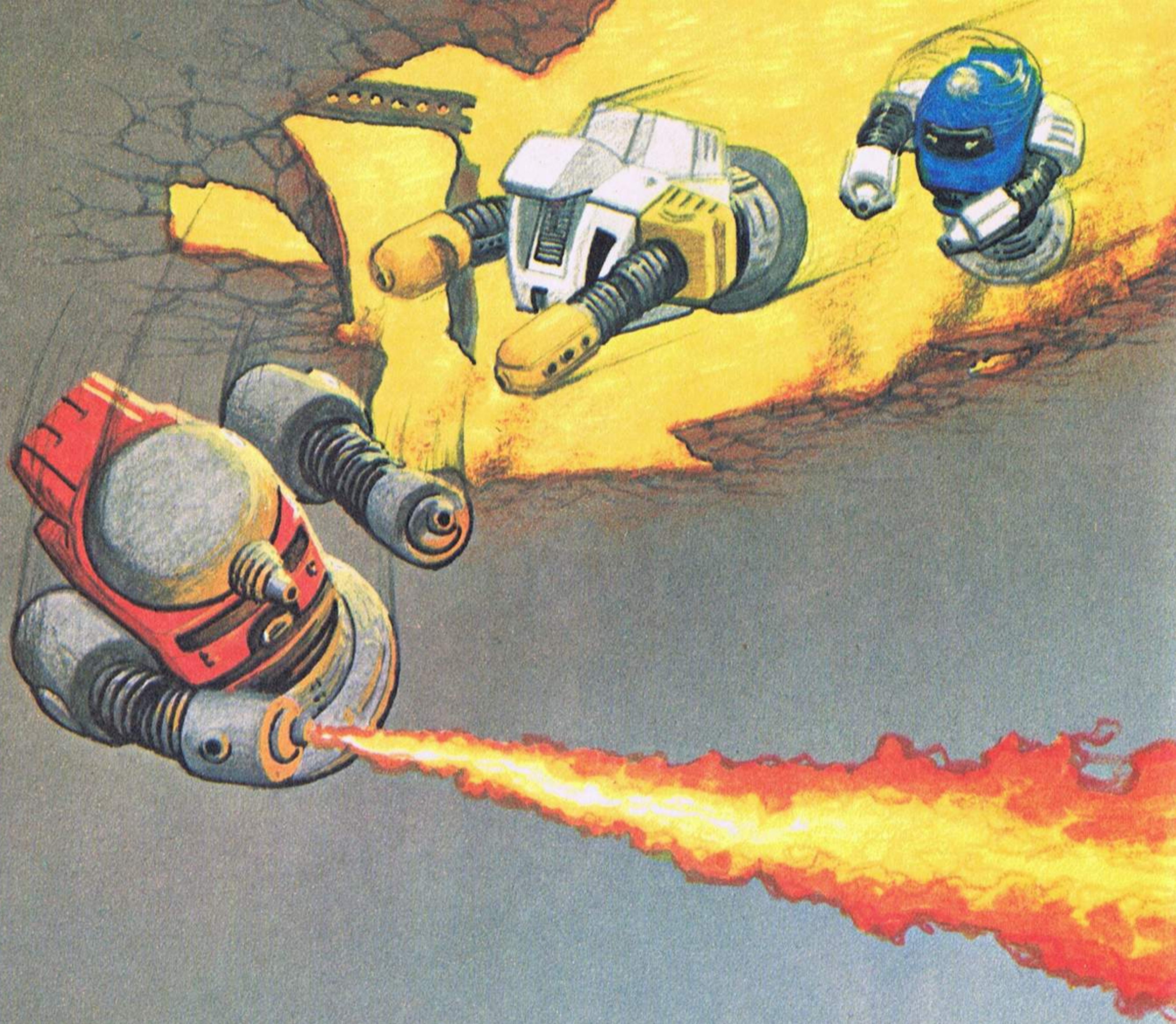


Sentinel jumps free of the Command Patroller and Coptor swoops down and grabs him. Coptor's powerful propeller lands them safely on the roof of the fort.

Then Blazer jumps out. Coptor flies over just in time to break his fall. The Command Patroller crashes through the roof and explodes. "Whew! That was a close one!" says Blazer.

*Turn to page 24.*





“Let’s get Nazgar!” shouts Blazer. He jumps into the hole made by the crashing Command Patroller.

“I guess we’ll have to follow him. That flame-brain might even find a way to burn *this* place down!” says Coptor.

Sentinel and Coptor jump through the hole after Blazer.

Waiting inside for them is Nazgar the Invincible. His robot body holds a warped human brain. "You won't be able to stop me, Robo Force!"

"Why not?" asks Blazer, shooting out a blast of flame.

The fire bounces off of Nazgar's super-steel armor. "My mountain will crush Celestia in minutes," says Nazgar. "This machine controls the mountain's speed."



“What’s to stop me from blasting your machine?” says Blazer.

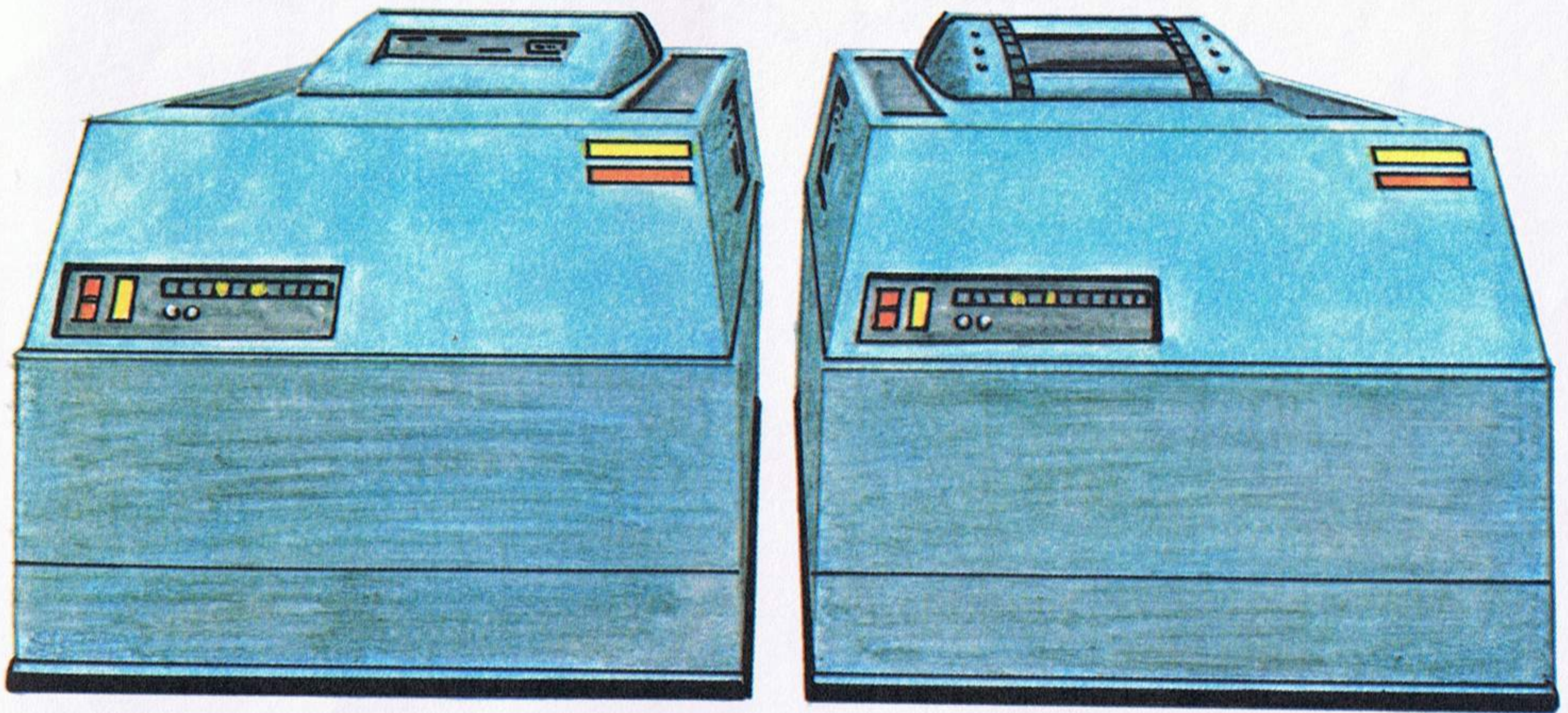
“This!” shouts Nazgar. He presses a button. Suddenly there are *two* machines! They look alike.

Blazer checks his plasma fuel tank. He has just enough for one more blast of fire. Which machine should he blast?



Help the Robo Force! The two machines are not *exactly* alike. One of the machines is the same as the first machine you saw on page 25.

Look at the machine on page 26 before you decide.



***If you think it's the machine on the left, turn to page 28.***

***If you think it's the machine on the right, turn to page 30.***

Blazer fires at the machine on the left.  
The plasma flame is on target. The  
machine blows up!





The mountain of burning ice shakes violently. Then it stops moving. Celestia has been saved!

Sentinel and Coptor grab Nazgar and tie him up.

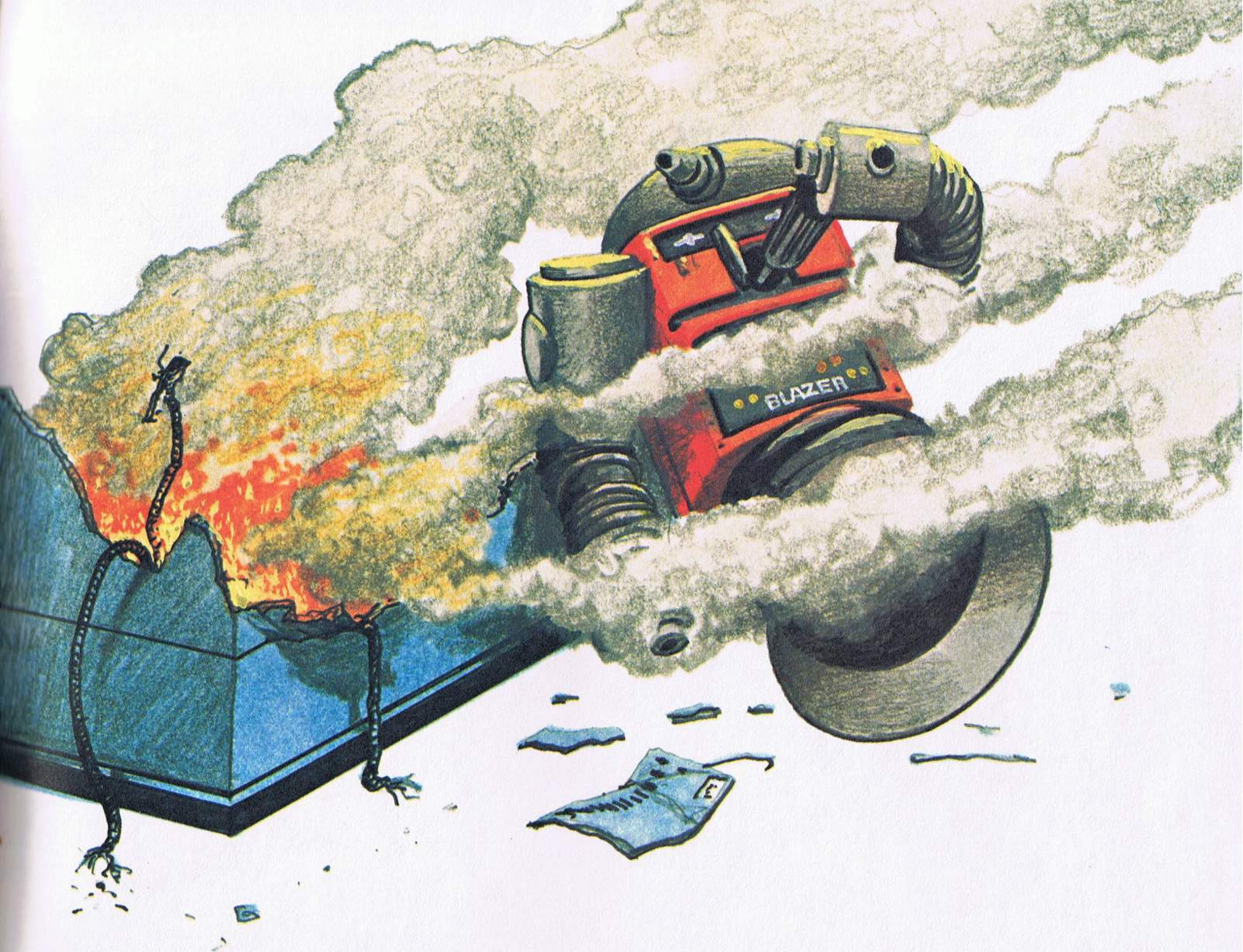
“We beat your robots and now we’ve beaten you,” says Blazer triumphantly.

Blazer fires at the machine on the right.  
His flame finds the target. The machine explodes and sends the Robo  
Force flying!

Nazgar laughs evilly and says, "I've won, you iron imbecile! You blew up  
the wrong machine. Celestia will be crushed in seconds."

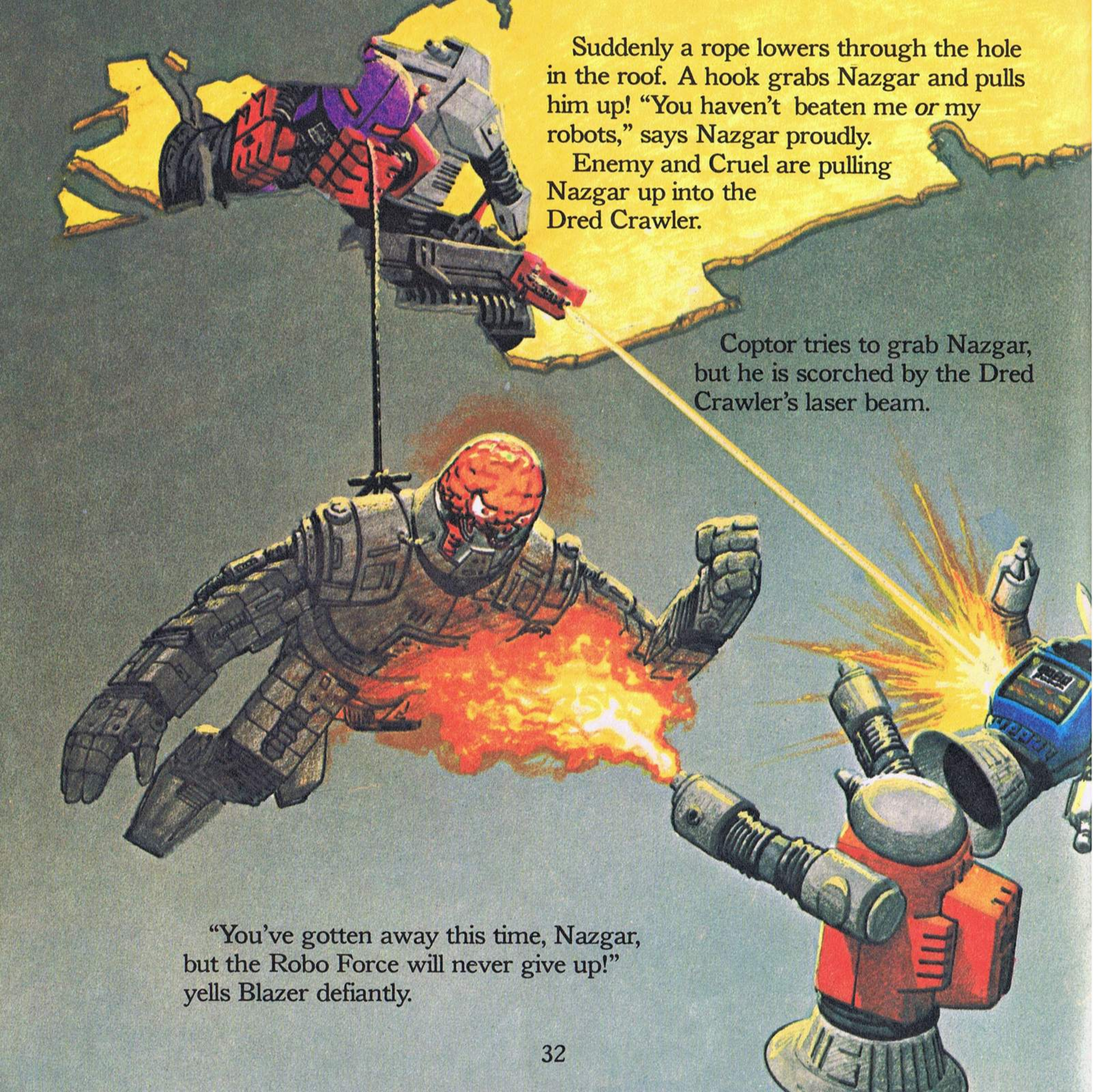






The room is filled with smoke. Blazer picks himself up. "I just remembered that I have a spare can of plasma in my secret compartment," he says.

Blazer quickly pours the plasma into his fuel tank.



Suddenly a rope lowers through the hole in the roof. A hook grabs Nazgar and pulls him up! "You haven't beaten me *or* my robots," says Nazgar proudly.

Enemy and Cruel are pulling Nazgar up into the Dred Crawler.

Coptor tries to grab Nazgar, but he is scorched by the Dred Crawler's laser beam.

"You've gotten away this time, Nazgar, but the Robo Force will never give up!" yells Blazer defiantly.



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