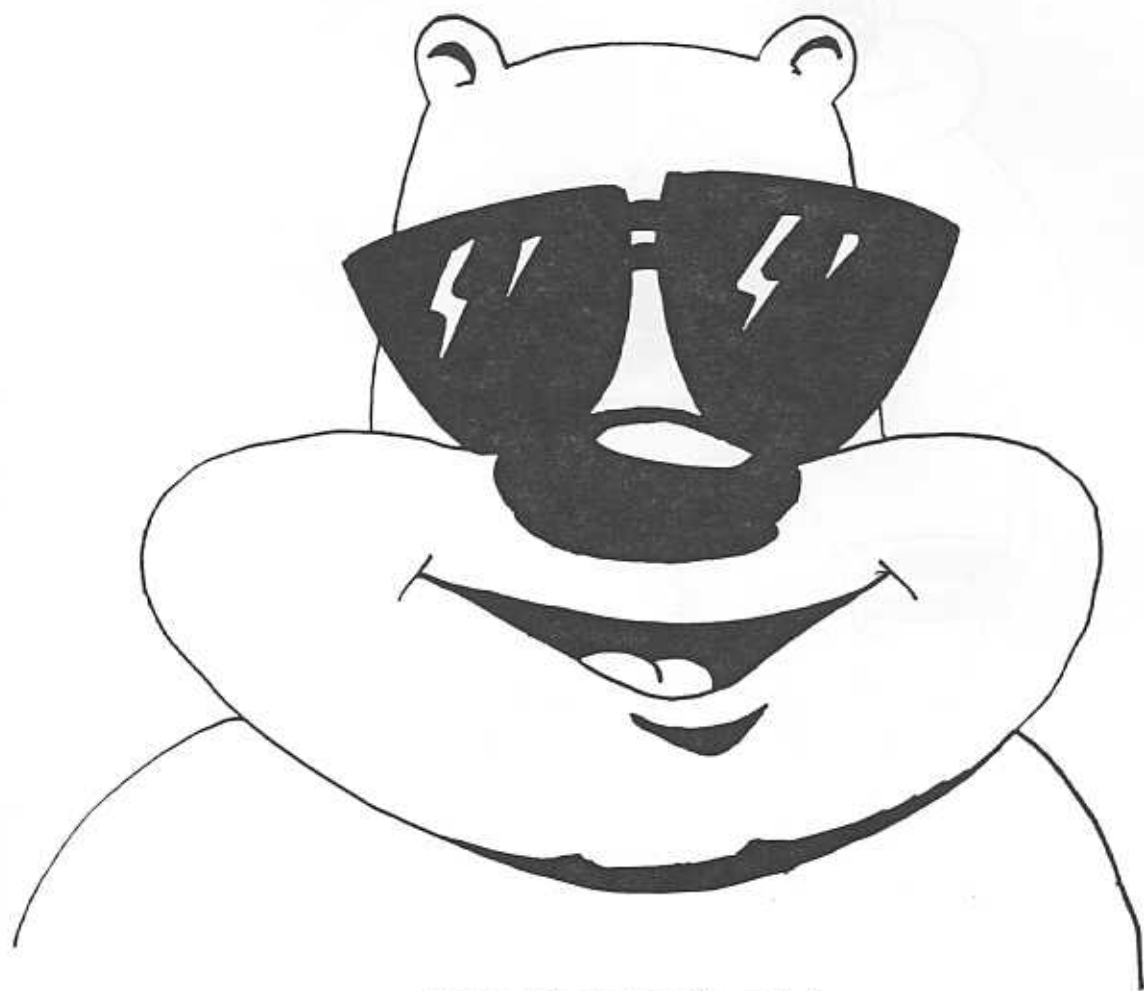
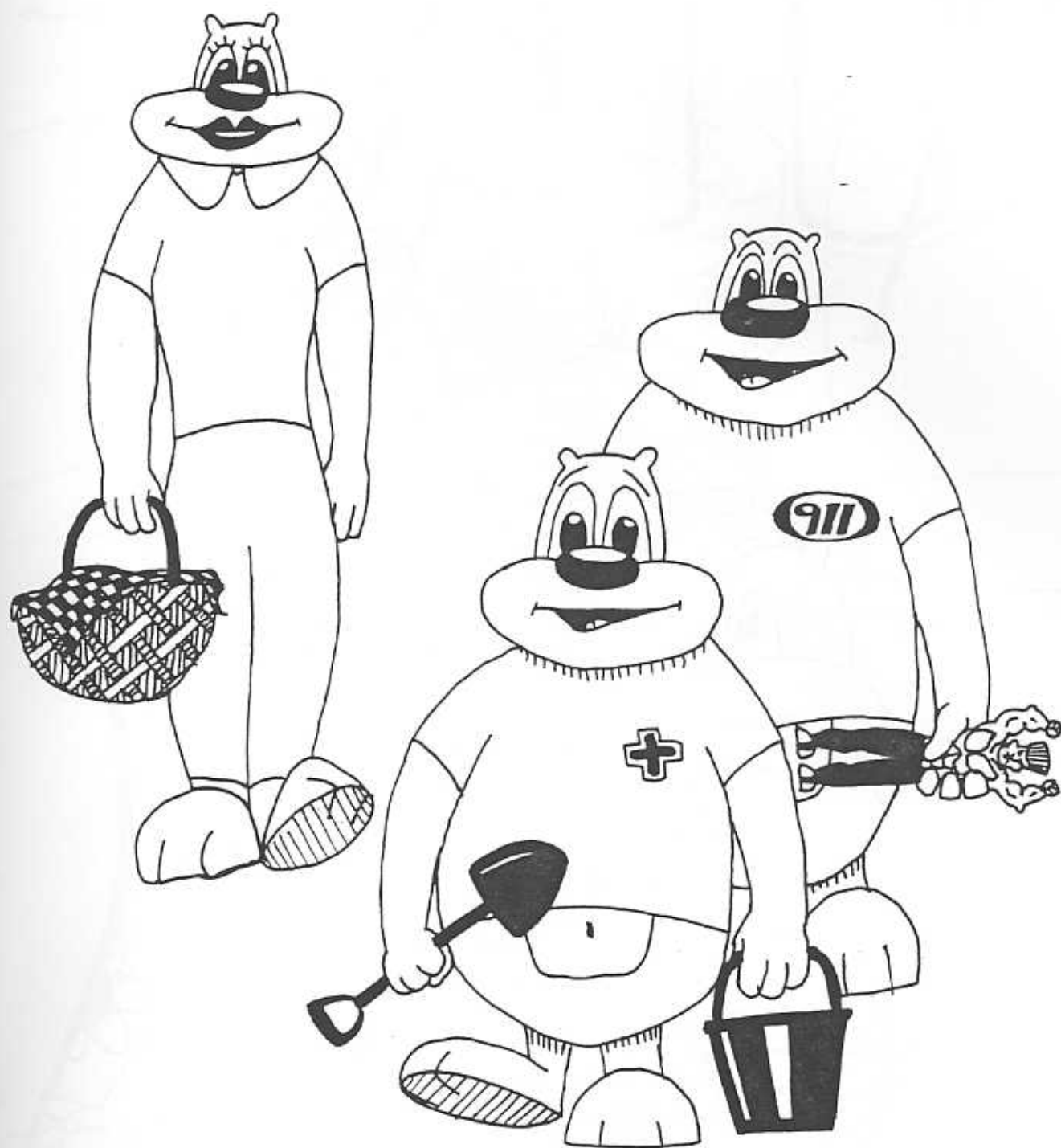


CHESTER'S PICNIC

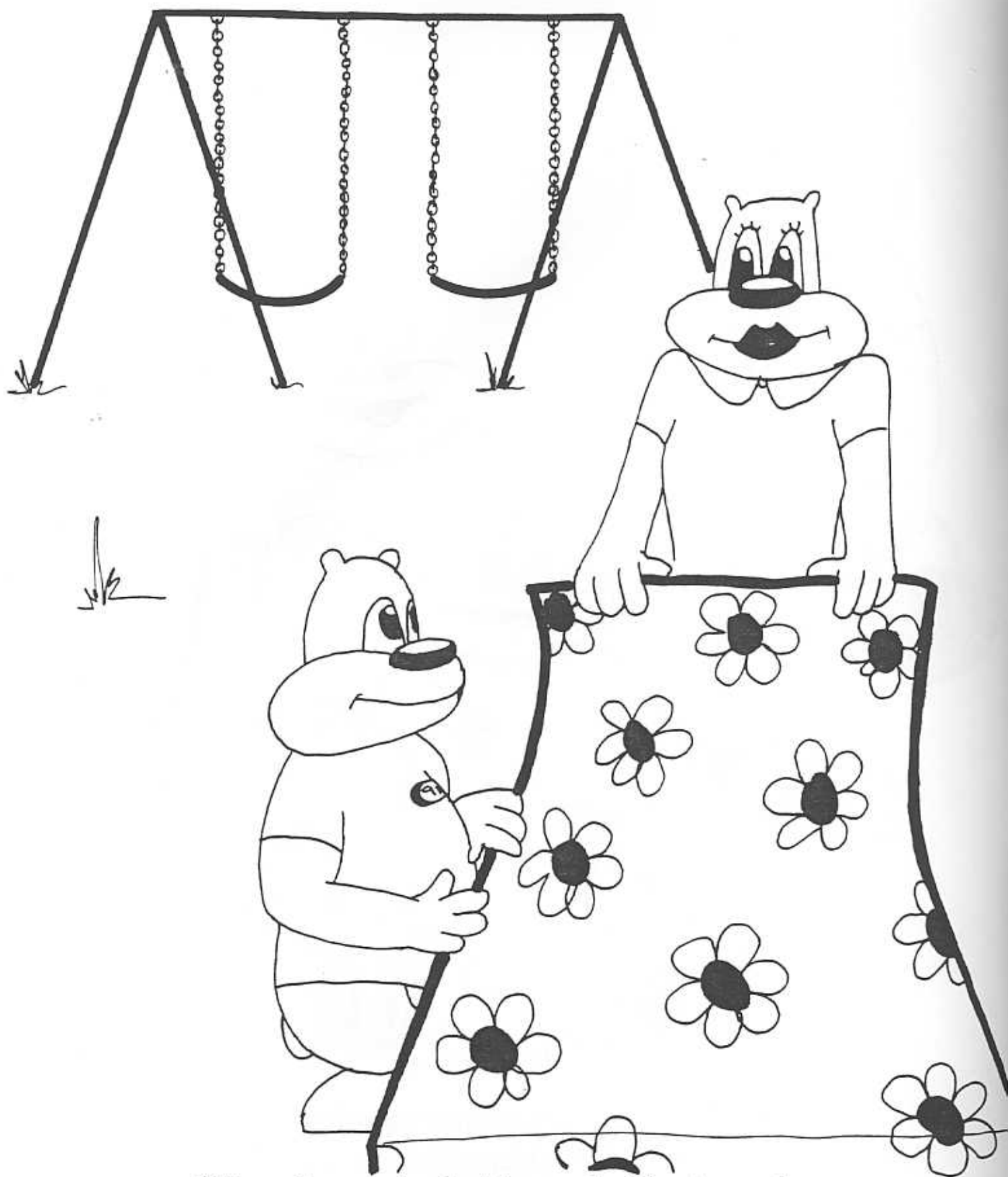


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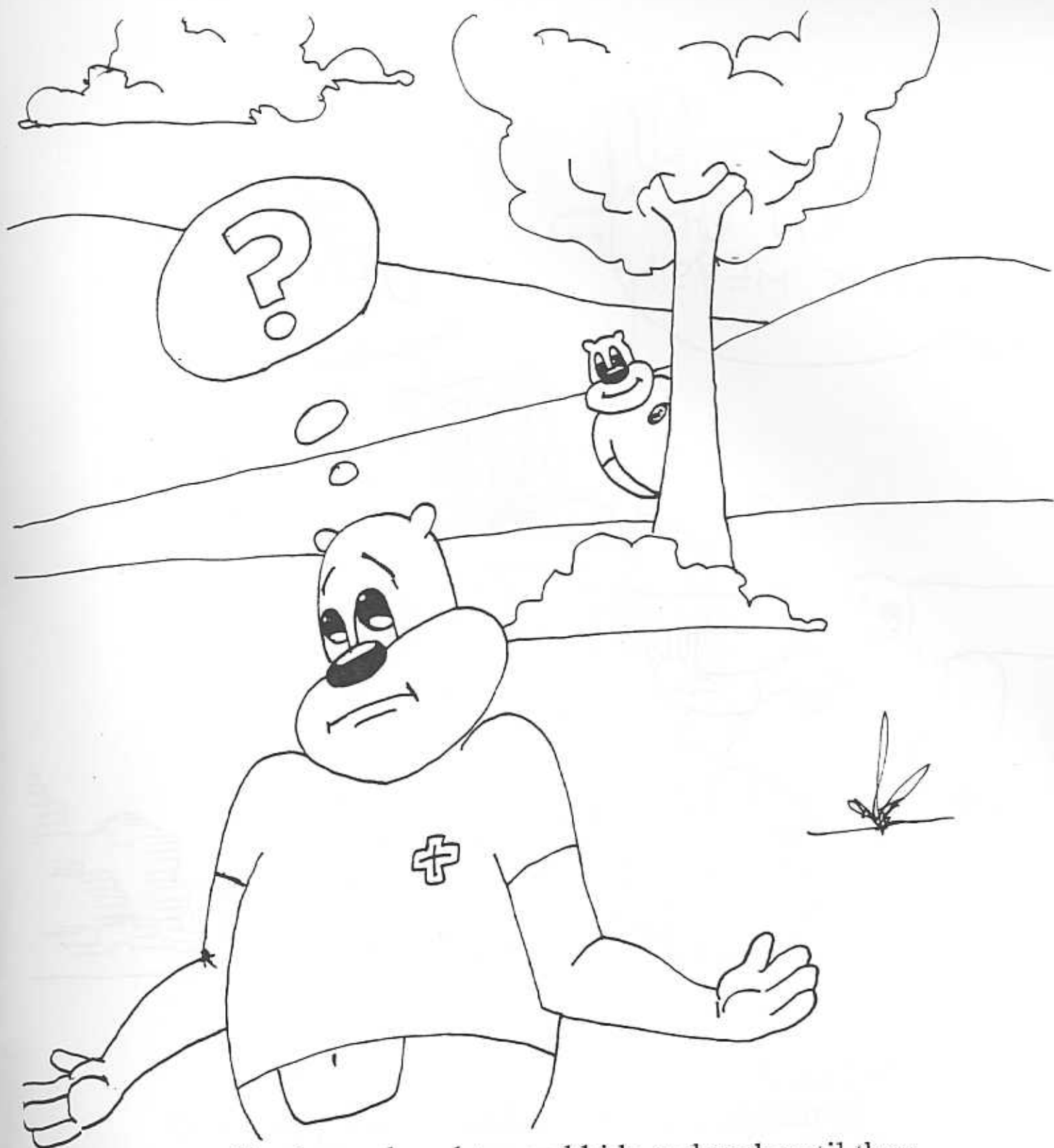
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It was the first day of summer vacation and Chester, his brother Chuckie, and their mom were going on a picnic. While Chester's mom put the last of the snacks in the picnic basket, Chester and Chuckie loaded their favorite toys in the car. In just a few minutes they were off to the park.



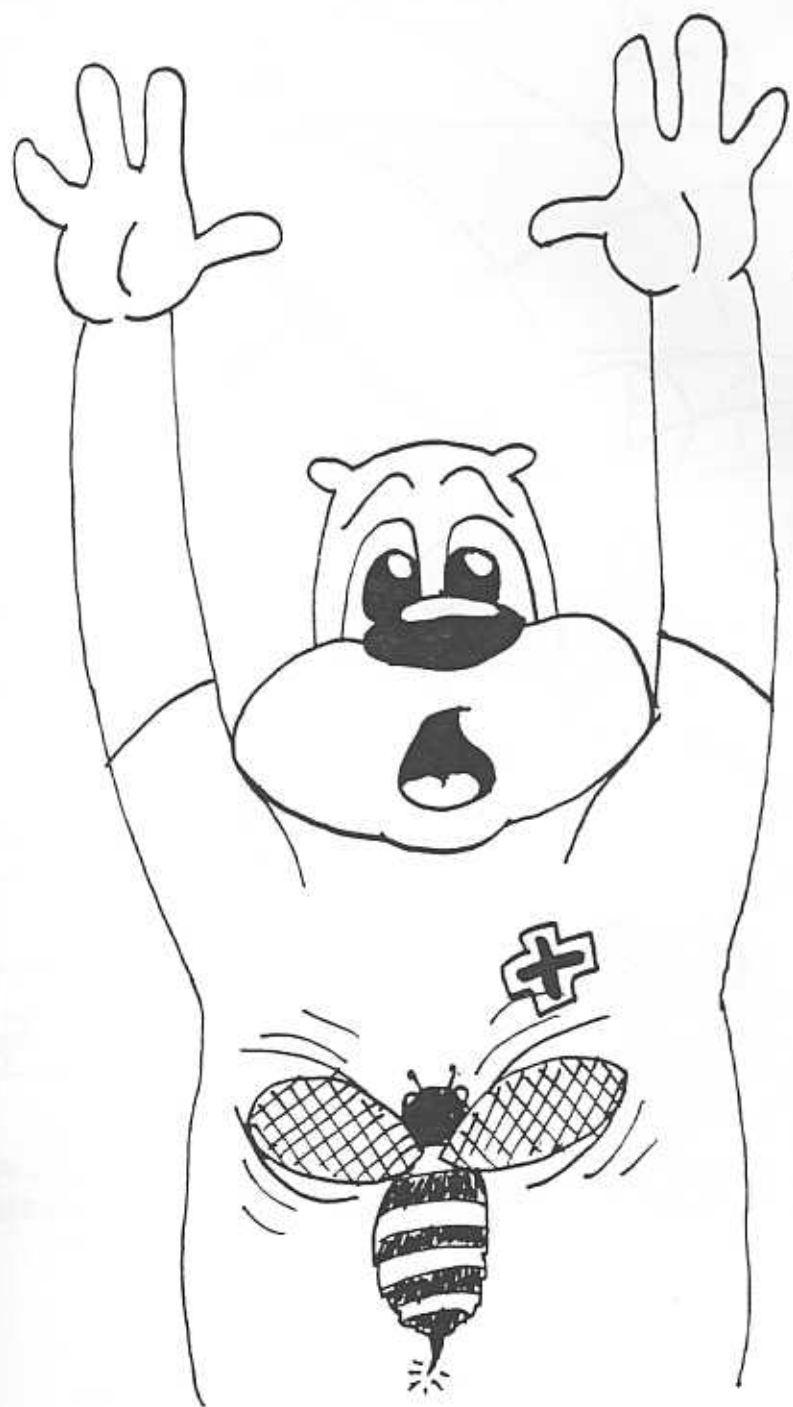
When they arrived at the park, Chester and Chuckie found a picnic table really close to the playground. They quickly helped their mom spread out the tablecloth and then headed for the jungle gym.



The boys played tag and hide and seek until they heard their mom call them for lunch. Chester and Chuckie sat down at the table and ate their lunch as fast as they could. They couldn't wait to finish so they could play again.



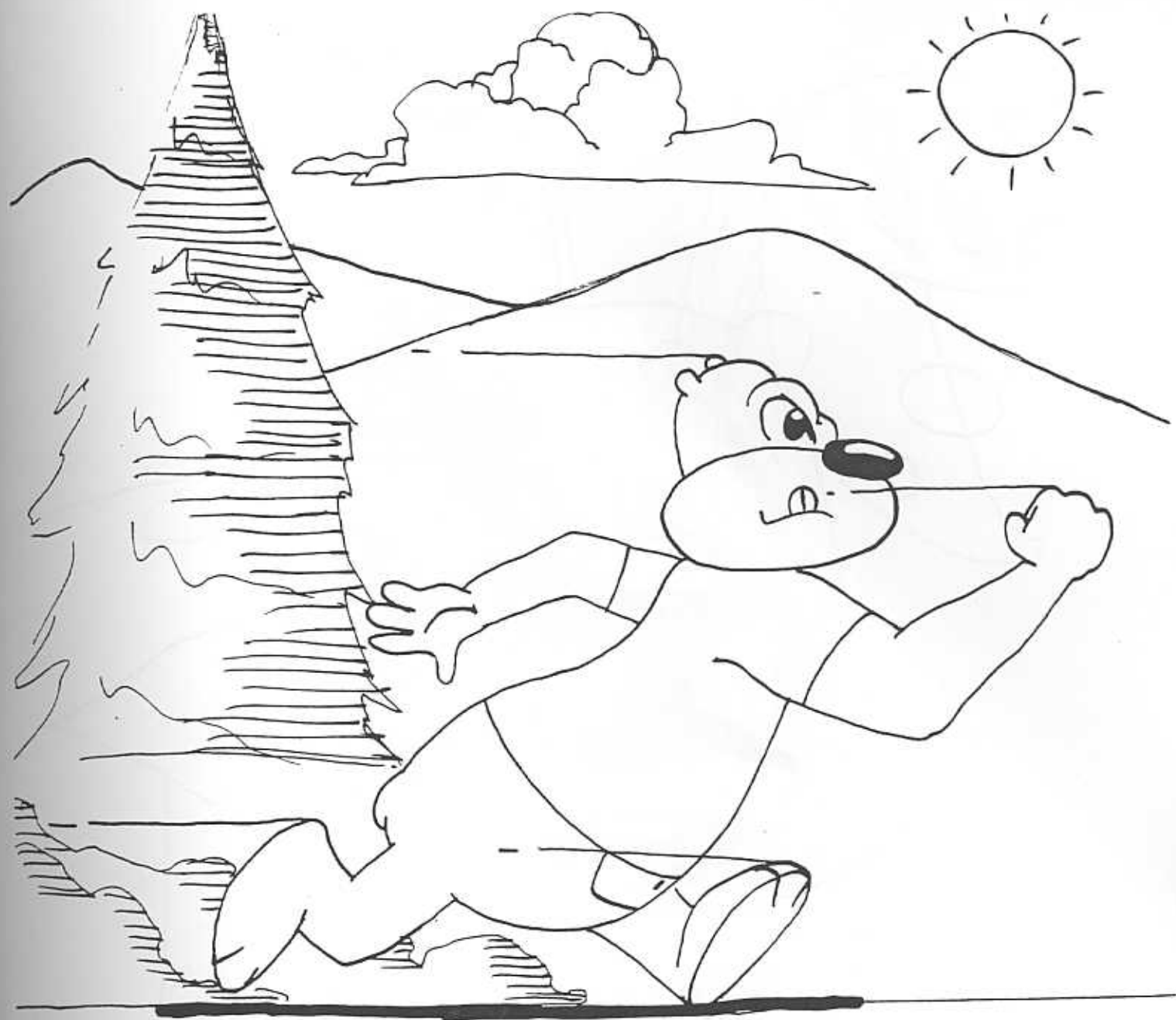
It was a beautiful day. The sun was shining, the birds were singing, and the bees were buzzing. As they swallowed the last of their peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, they got up from the table and ran to the playground. They made it halfway before their mom called them back to clean up their trash.



When Chuckie carried his plate over to the trash can, a big bumble bee flew around and around his head. Chuckie swatted at the bee and ran in circles, but he just couldn't get away. Finally he yelled to his mom for help, but the bumble bee must have yelled for help too, because when his mom got there to help Chuckie, there were three bees.



Chuckie's mom told him to stand still and she went over and took the plate from his hand. The bees flew away and everything seemed fine, but Chuckie's mom wasn't looking where she was walking and stepped on one of the bees and got stung. She limped over to the picnic basket and realized that she forgot to bring her medicine. Chester's mom was allergic to bees!



“Chester, call 911 quick! I have been stung by a bee and I’m allergic to them. I don’t have my bee sting kit with me,” she said. Chester looked around and found a pay phone outside of the bathrooms not far from where they were. Chester told Chuckie to help their mom walk towards the phone and Chester ran to the phone to get help.

911



Chester remembered being told that he didn't need money to call 911 from a pay phone if he was having an emergency. He picked up the phone and dialed it just like his phone at home. After the fourth ring, a voice answered the phone, "911, what is your emergency?" Chester said, "Help, please! My mom has been stung by a bee and she is allergic to them."



911

For a second Chester felt his heart sink. He was sure the operator was going to ask him where he was, and he didn't know the name of the park. Suddenly he remembered that the computer at the 911 center knows where the call is coming from. Chester took a deep breath and started answering questions.



"Are you at Friendship Park," the 911 operator asked. Chester said, "Yes. I'm at the pay phone near the bathrooms." "Do you know how old your mommy is," asked the operator. Chester said, "I think she is in her 30's." "Is your mommy awake and able to talk to you," asked the operator. "Yes," said Chester. "She is trying to walk over to the phone right now, but she is having trouble breathing and her foot hurts from the bee sting."



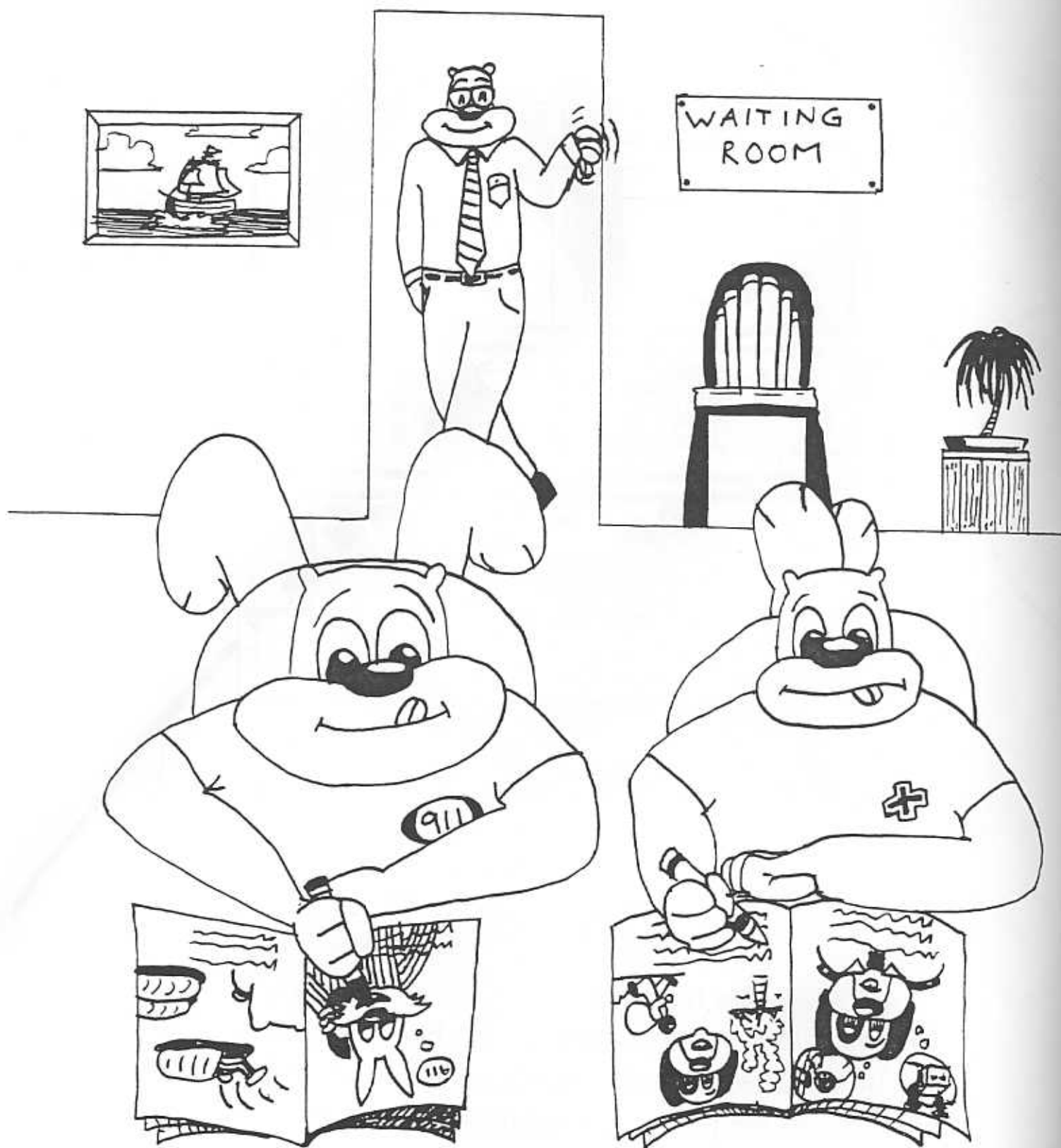
The 911 operator told Chester that he was doing a very good job. She asked him his name, his address, his phone number, and even how old he was. The operator told Chester that she had already dispatched the ambulance and that a police officer should be there soon. She even gave Chester some things to do to help his mom until the ambulance got there.



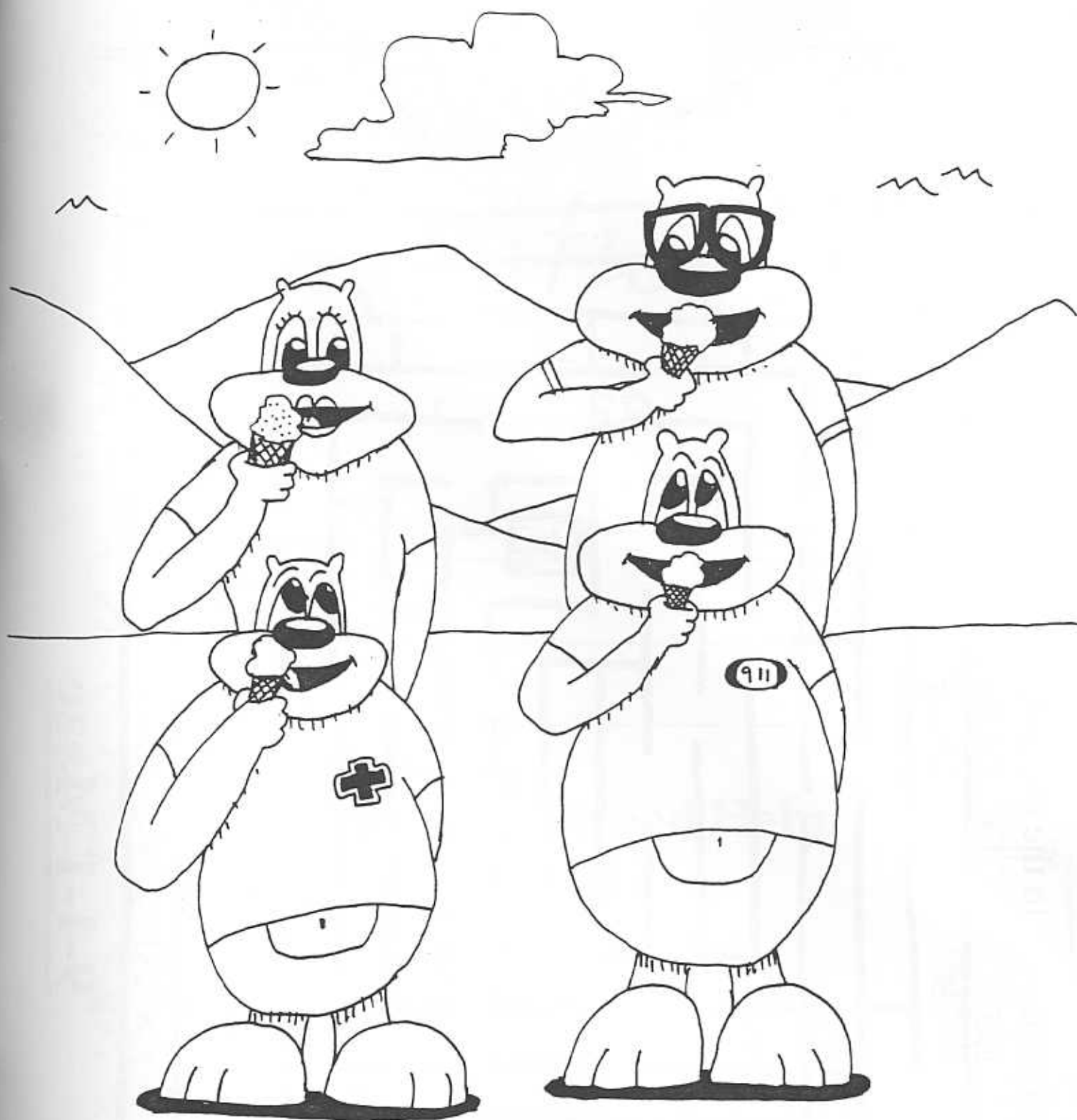
Chester was still on the phone talking to the 911 operator when Officer Bernard arrived. He stayed with Chester's mom and told the boys they could go play until the ambulance got there.



Only a few minutes later Chester's mom was loaded into the ambulance and on her way to the hospital. Chester and Chuckie rode with Officer Bernard in the police car behind the ambulance. Officer Bernard told the boys he would help them call their dad. He also told them what a great job they did calling 911 and getting help for their mom.

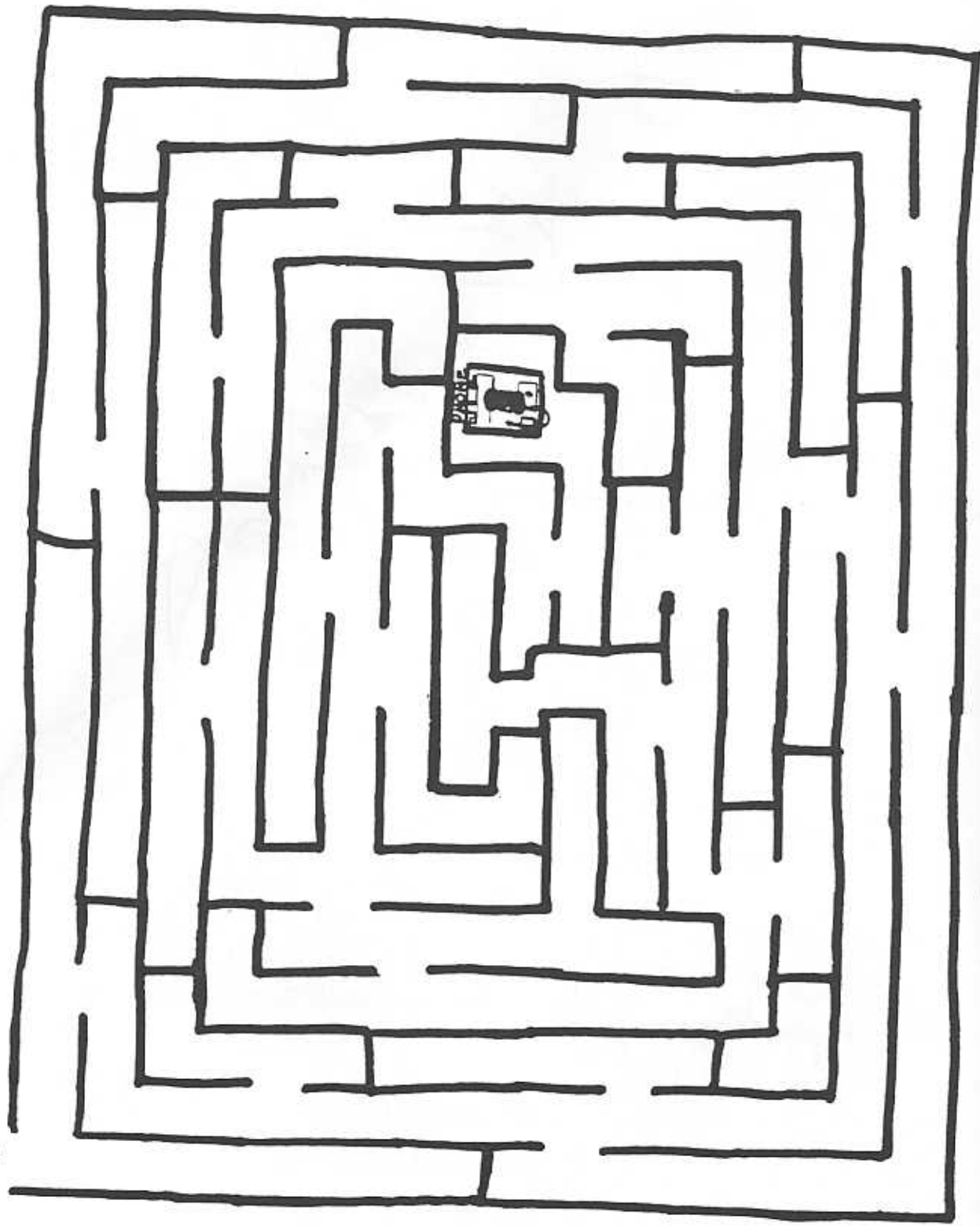


The boys sat quietly at the hospital coloring the books the nurses gave them until their dad arrived.



Only a couple of hours later, Chester's mom and dad were treating the boys to ice cream and a movie at the mall. Chester's mom was just fine all because Chester and Chuckie knew what to do in an emergency -- CALL 911!

Start here and find your way to the pay phone so you can call 9-1-1 for help.



9-1-1 Maze



Certificate

9-1-1
CALLER

Name _____

Address _____

Age _____

Whenever I Need Help
I Call

9-1-1





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