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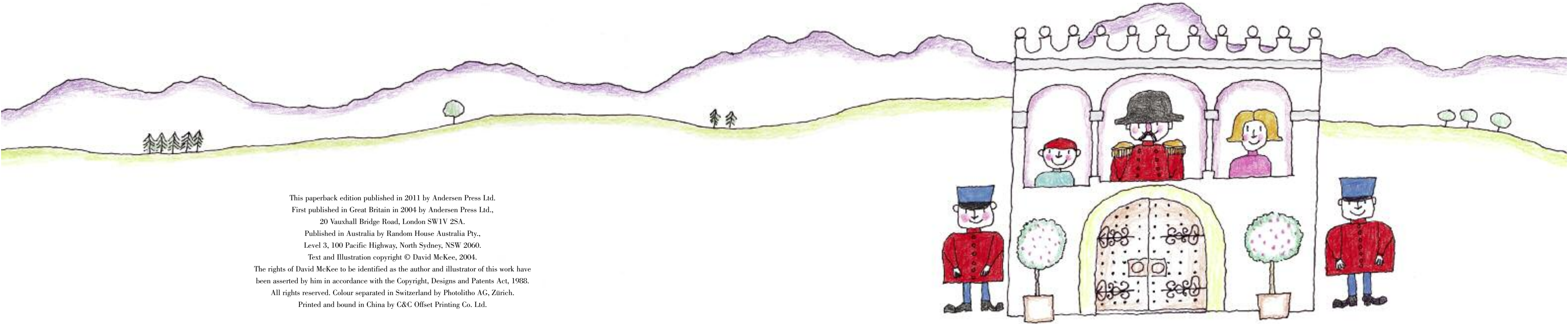
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For my publisher and best friend,
Klaus Flugge

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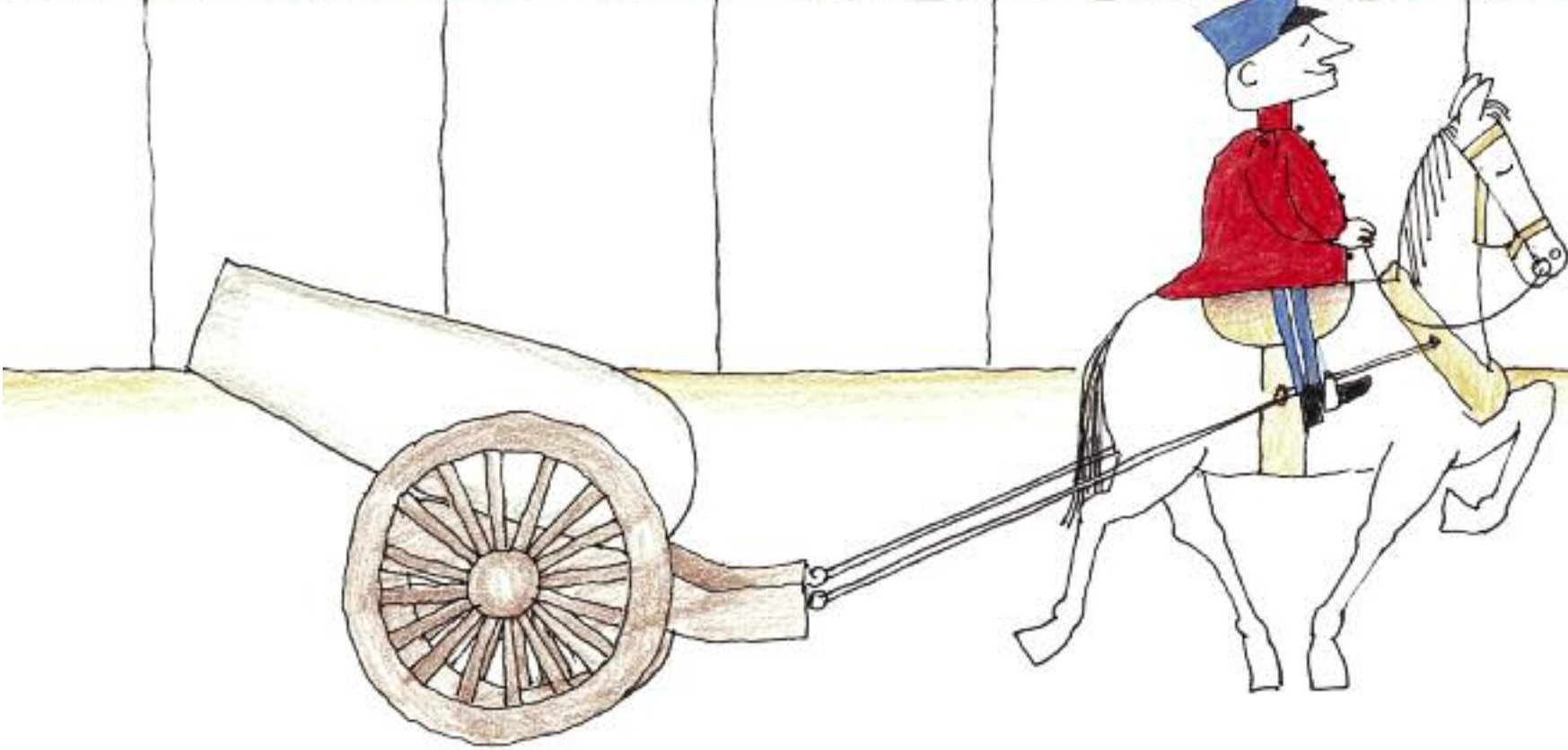
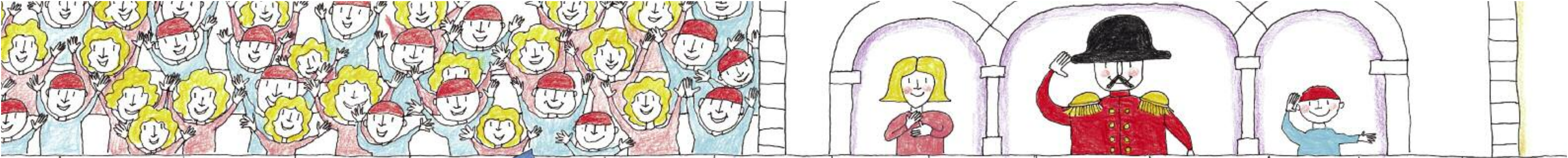


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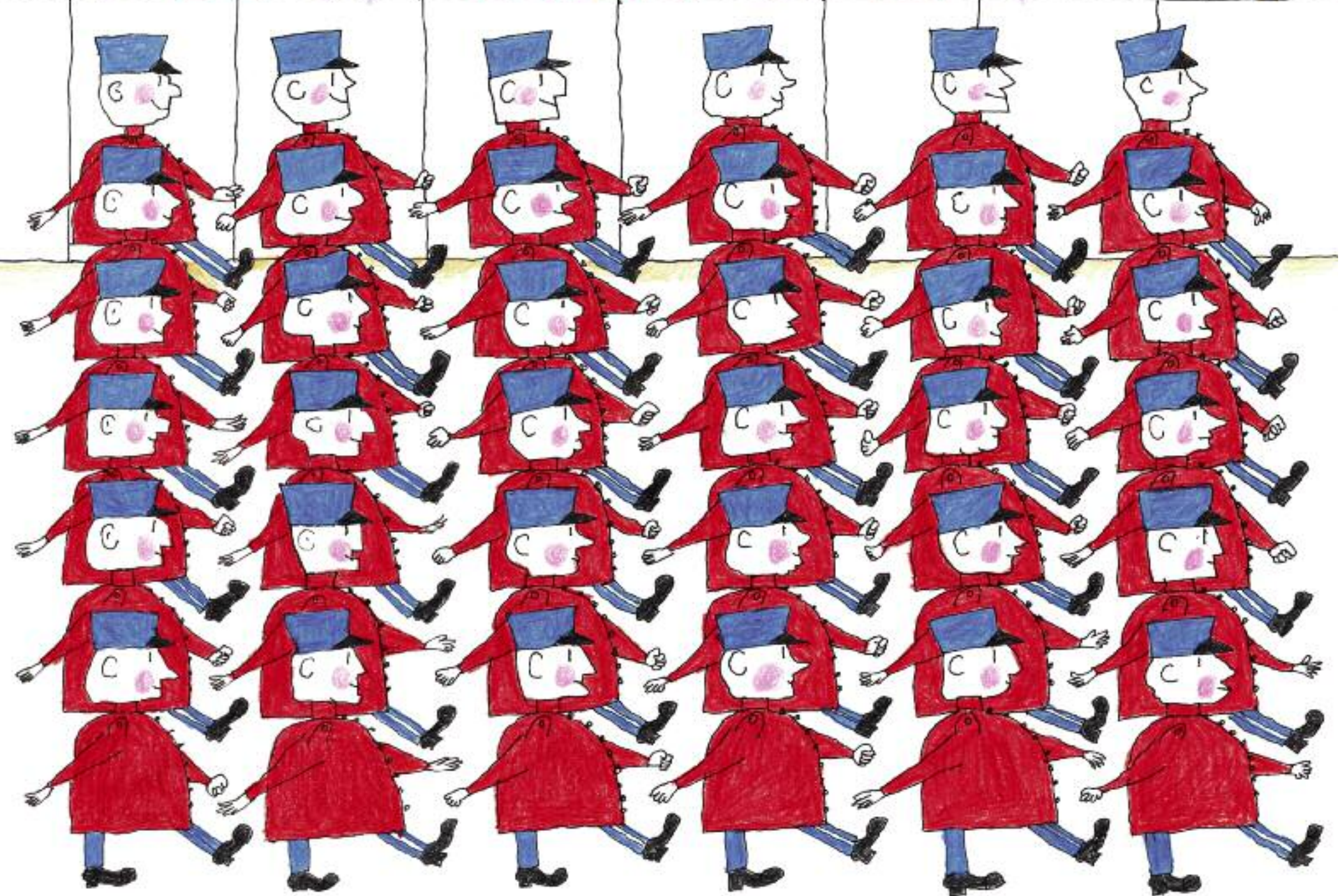
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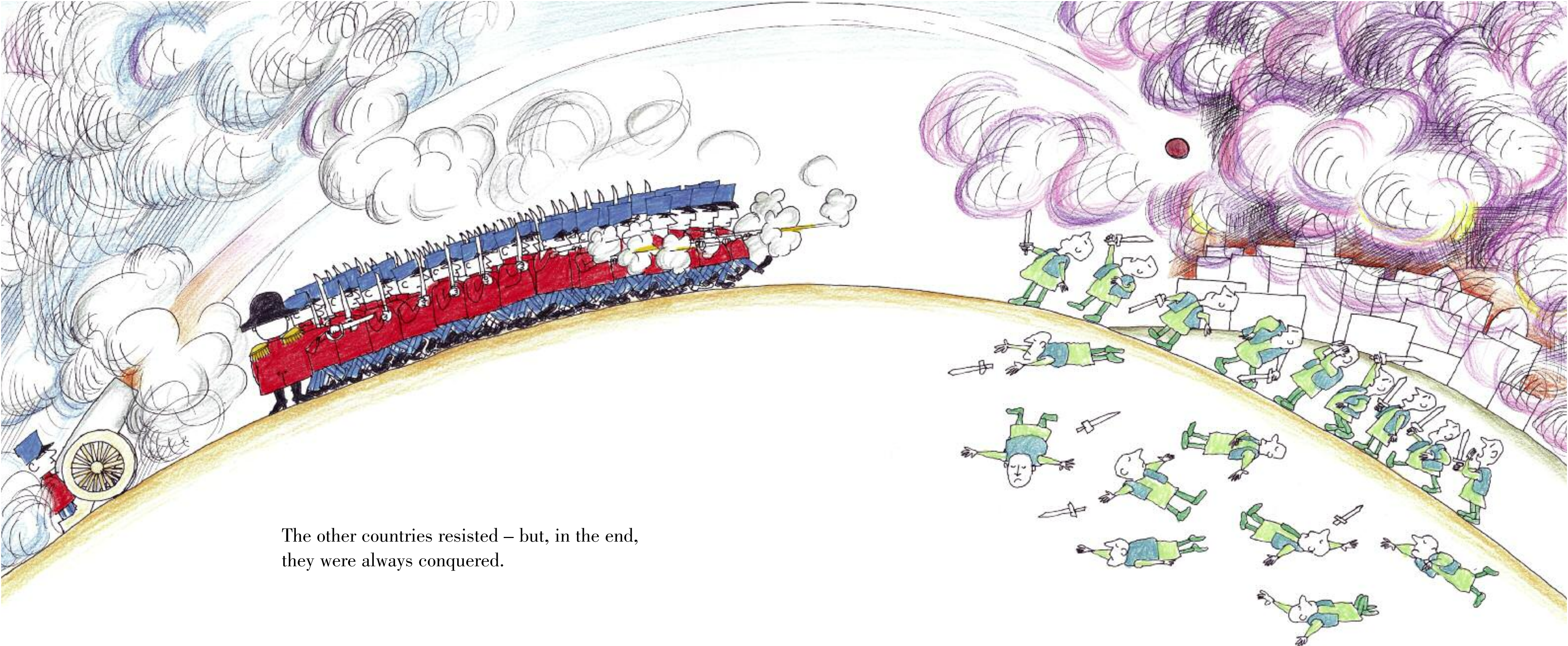
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From time to time the General would take his army and attack a nearby country. "It's for their own good," he said. "So they can be like us."





The other countries resisted – but, in the end,
they were always conquered.