One Cold, Dark, Windy Night



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It was a cold, dark, windy, Sunday night.





We were sitting around the fire in the cold eating our home made bread.





Suddenly, the power went off.



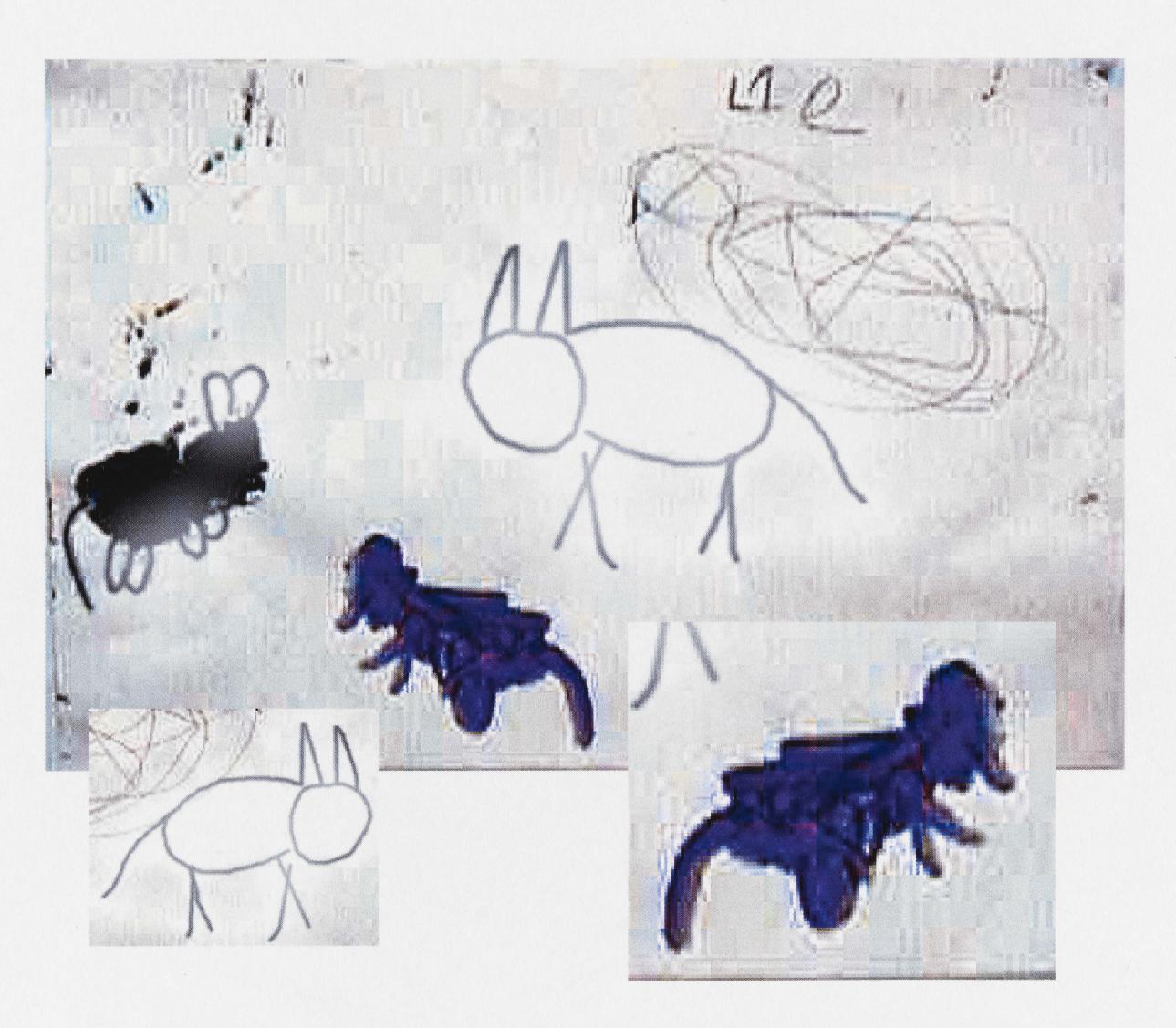
All the kids were crying in the dark. They were frightened.



People were looking around in the dark. Everybody was pushing and shouting.



The dogs were howling.

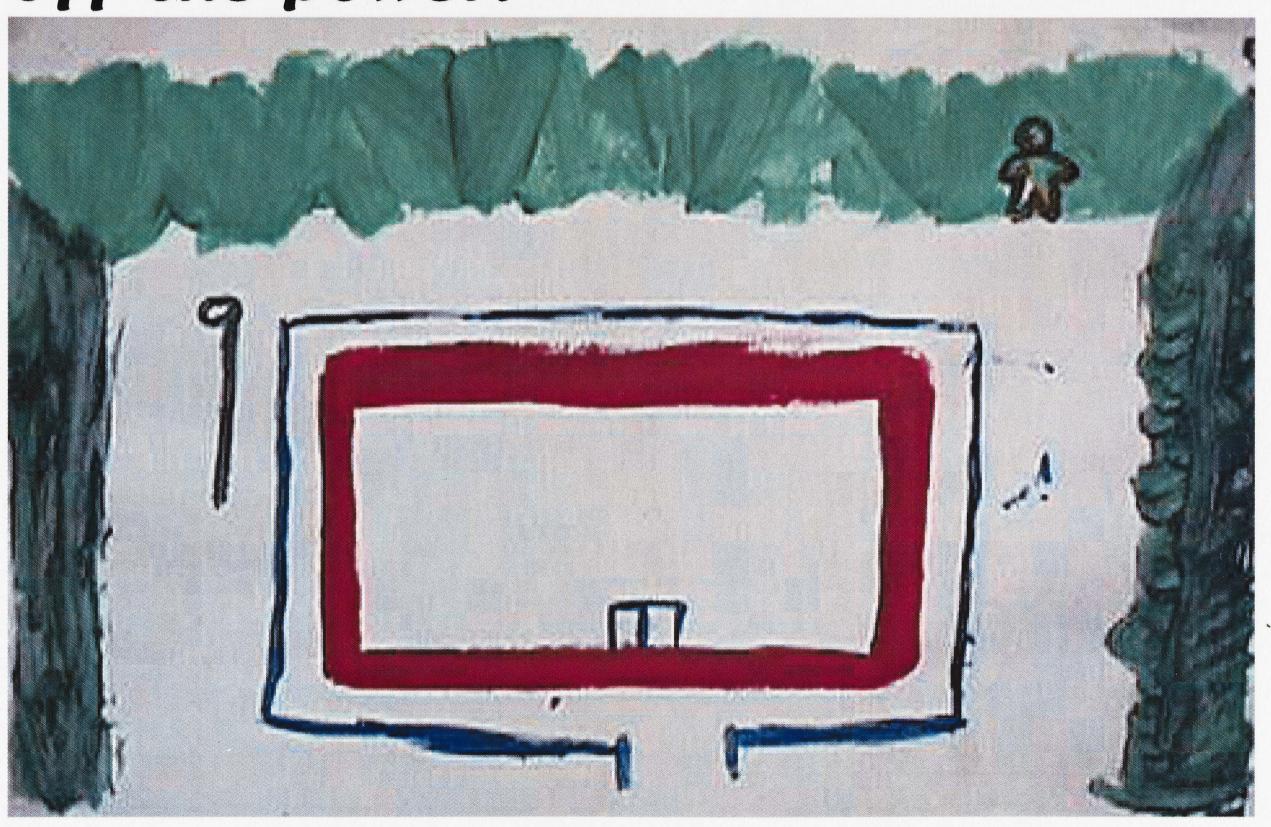


The fire was burning. Everyone was sitting around the fire telling scary stories.

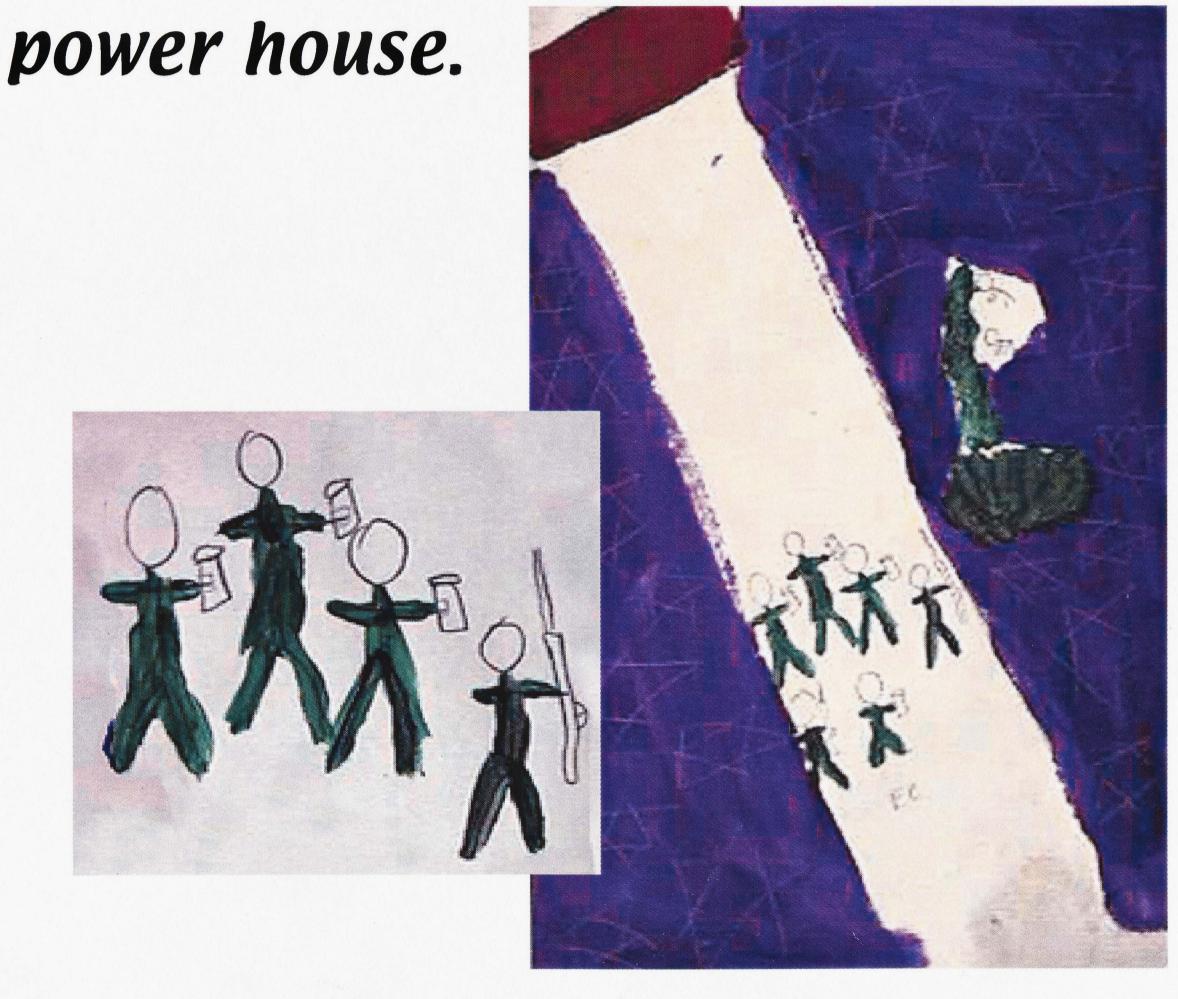


Everyone was freezing.

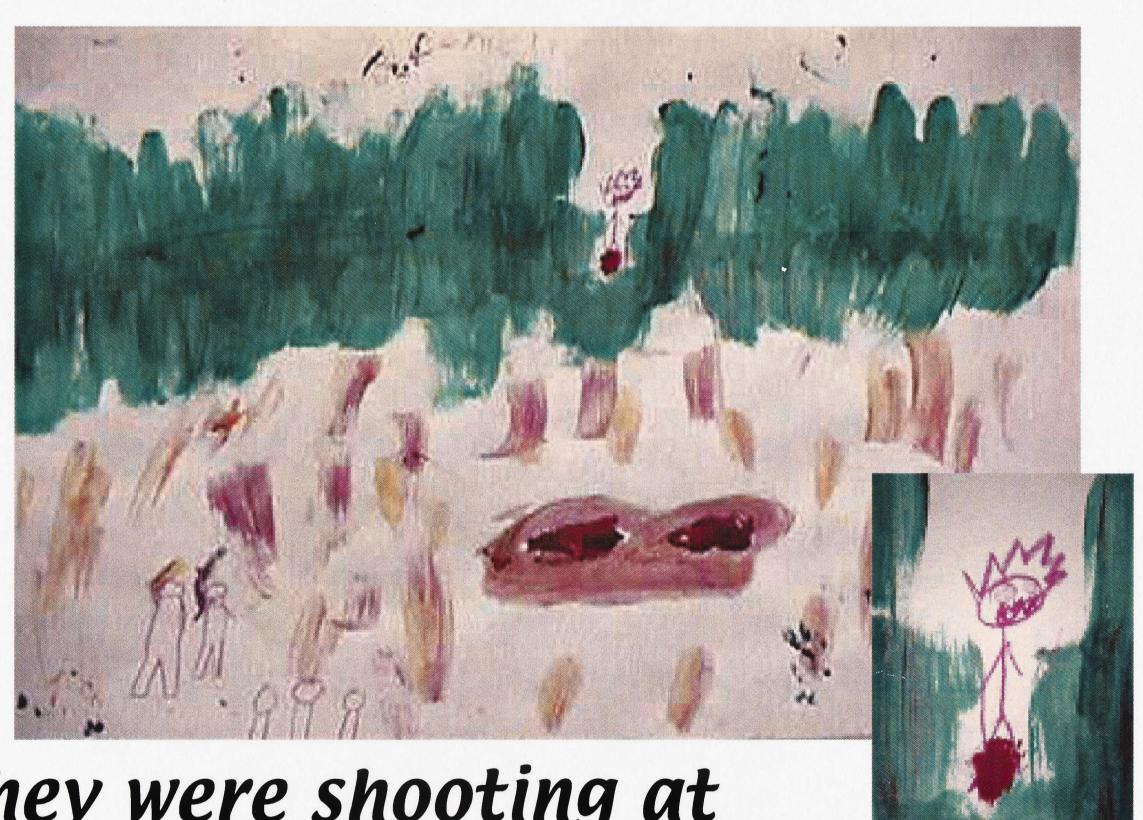
Everyone was waiting for the power to come on. Feather foot was teasing everyone by turning off the power.



So Dennis and Ernest and Zenith went walking with a torch to the nower house.



We were listening in the dark and heard gun shots.



They were shooting at Feather Foot and frightening him.

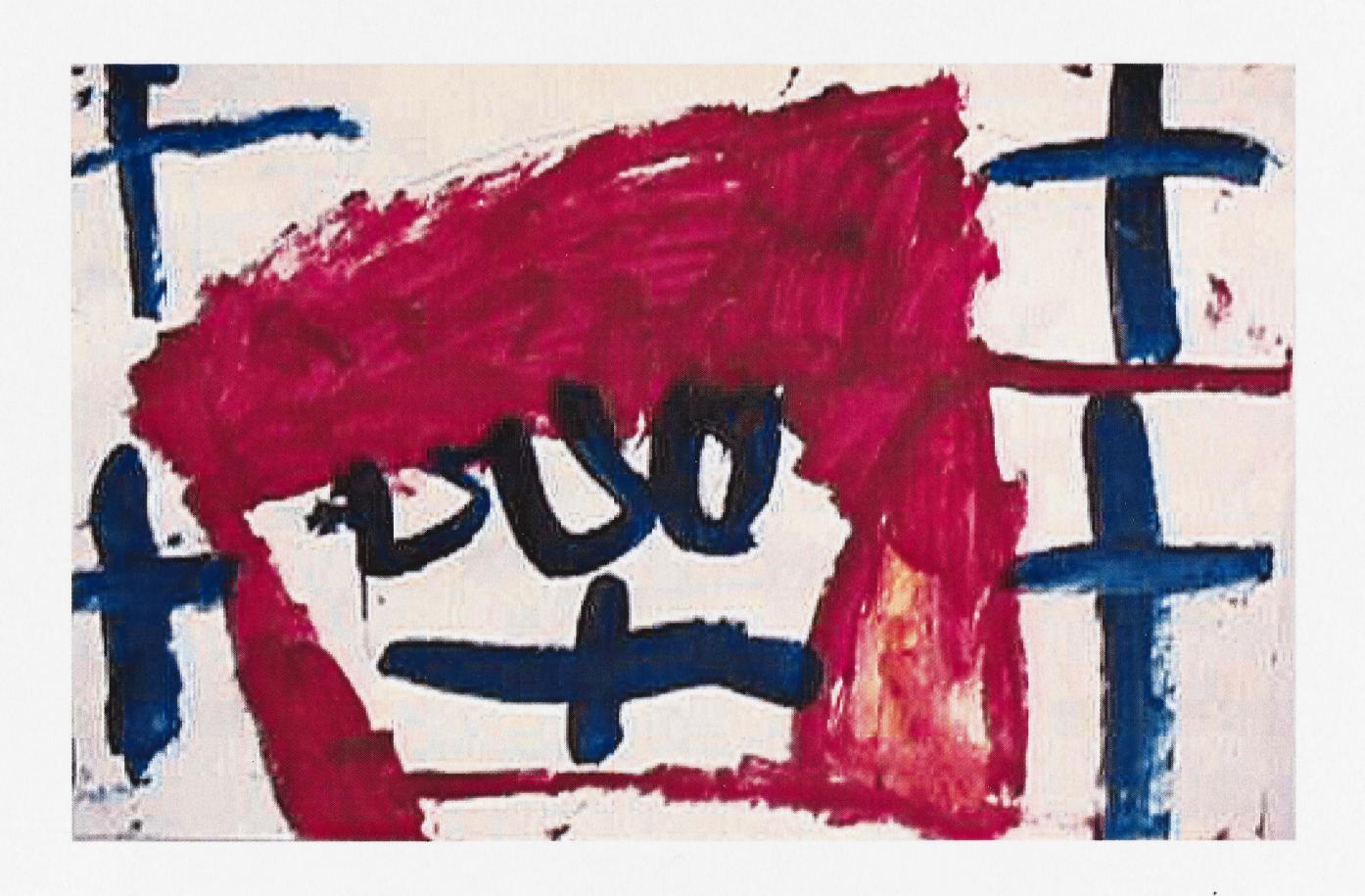
He went running, limping into the bush.



Then the power went on.



Later that night we were all sleeping.



We heard someone knocking at the door.



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Somebody was throwing rocks at the roof of the house.



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All the dogs were crying.

