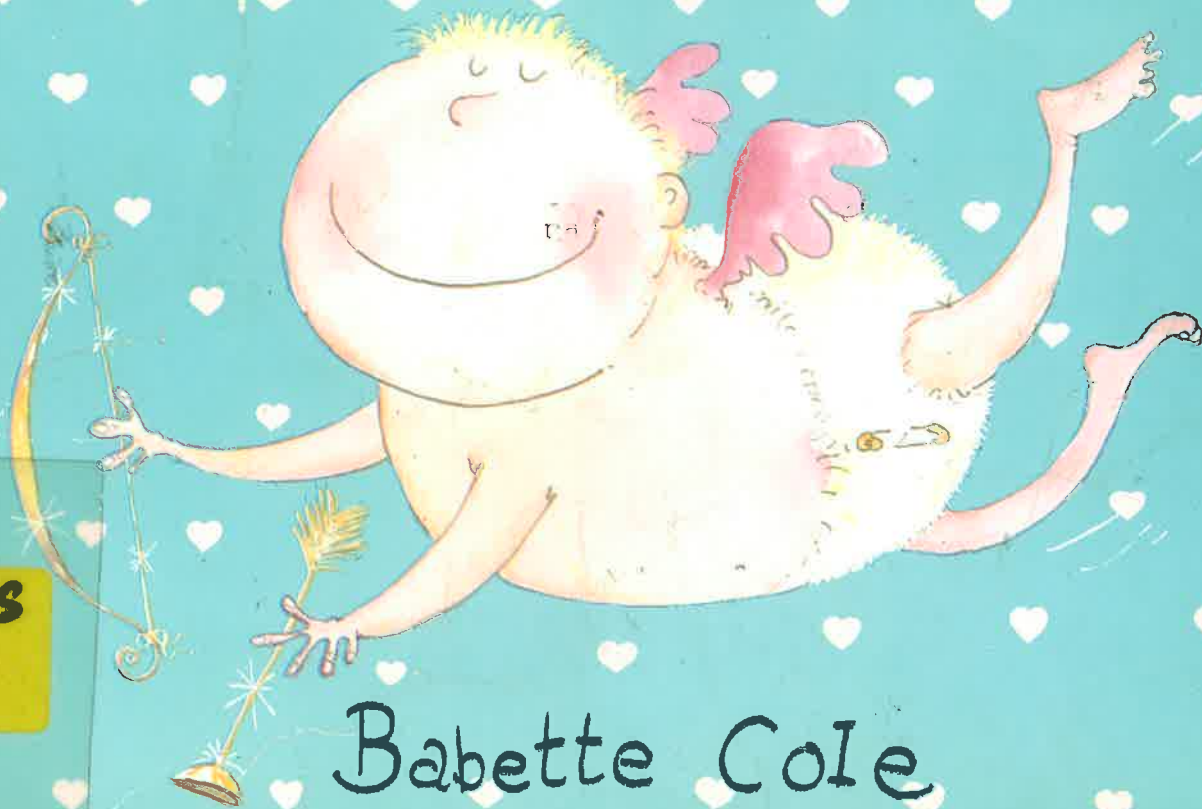


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Cupid's mum
was the
Goddess of Beauty.





His dad
was

the God
of Thunder!

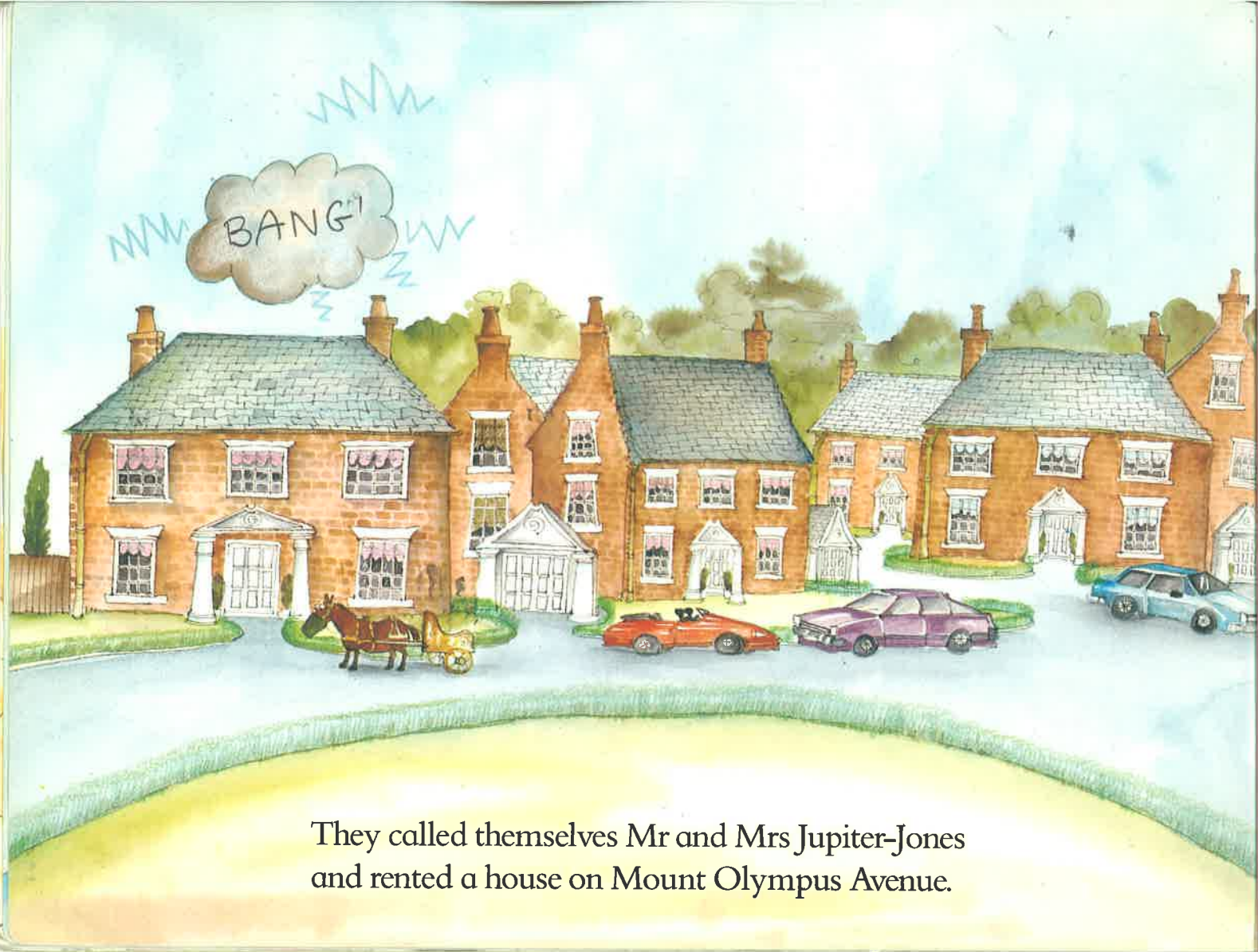




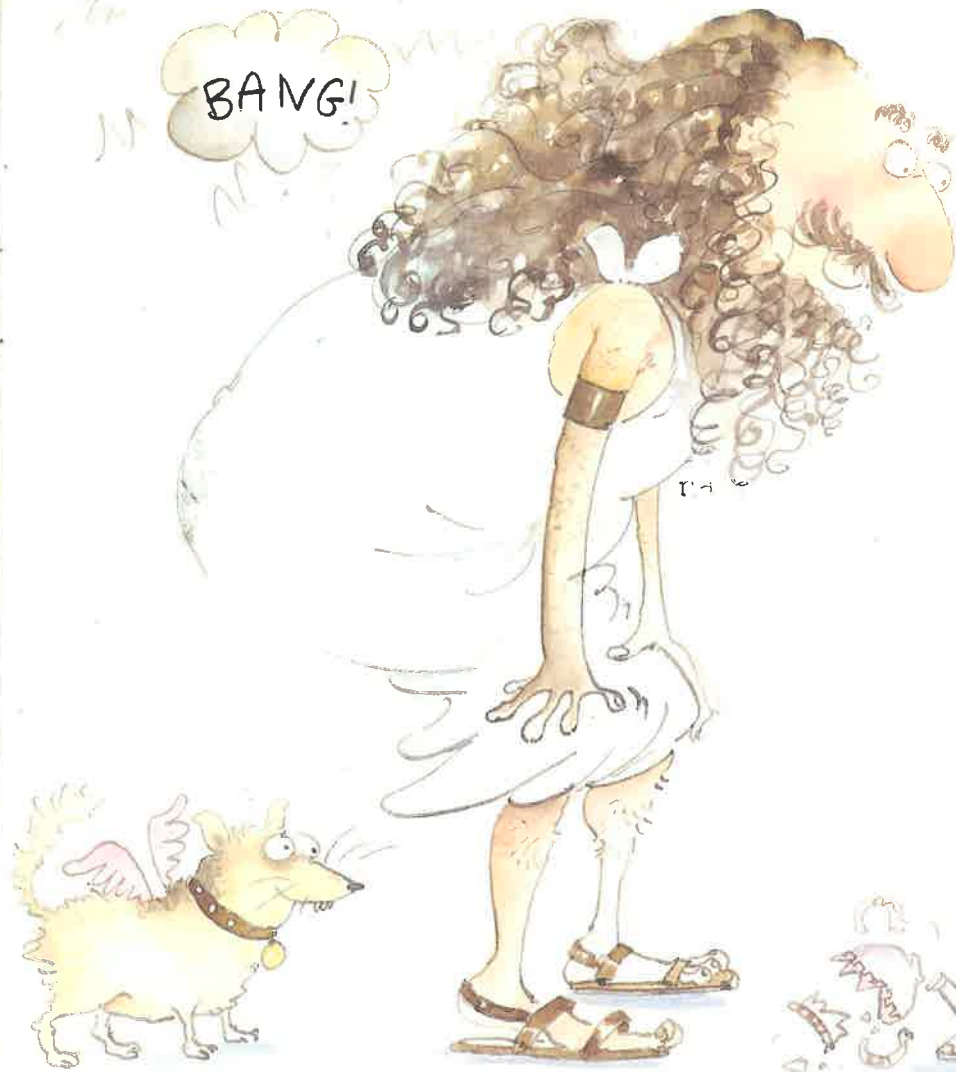
They lived in the
Land of the Gods.



His mum wanted to win a big Beauty Prize so they all took a trip down to earth for the Miss World Competition.



They called themselves Mr and Mrs Jupiter-Jones
and rented a house on Mount Olympus Avenue.



"You'd better behave yourself while we're here, Cupid," said his dad.

"It wouldn't do if they found out we weren't real humans."



“And that means
NO FLYING!”
said his mum.

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But Cupid was a naughty show-off!





He gave the babysitter a bad time!



Then he pinched the little boy
next door's Red Indian outfit!

He soon realised that when he pinged people
with the bow and arrow...



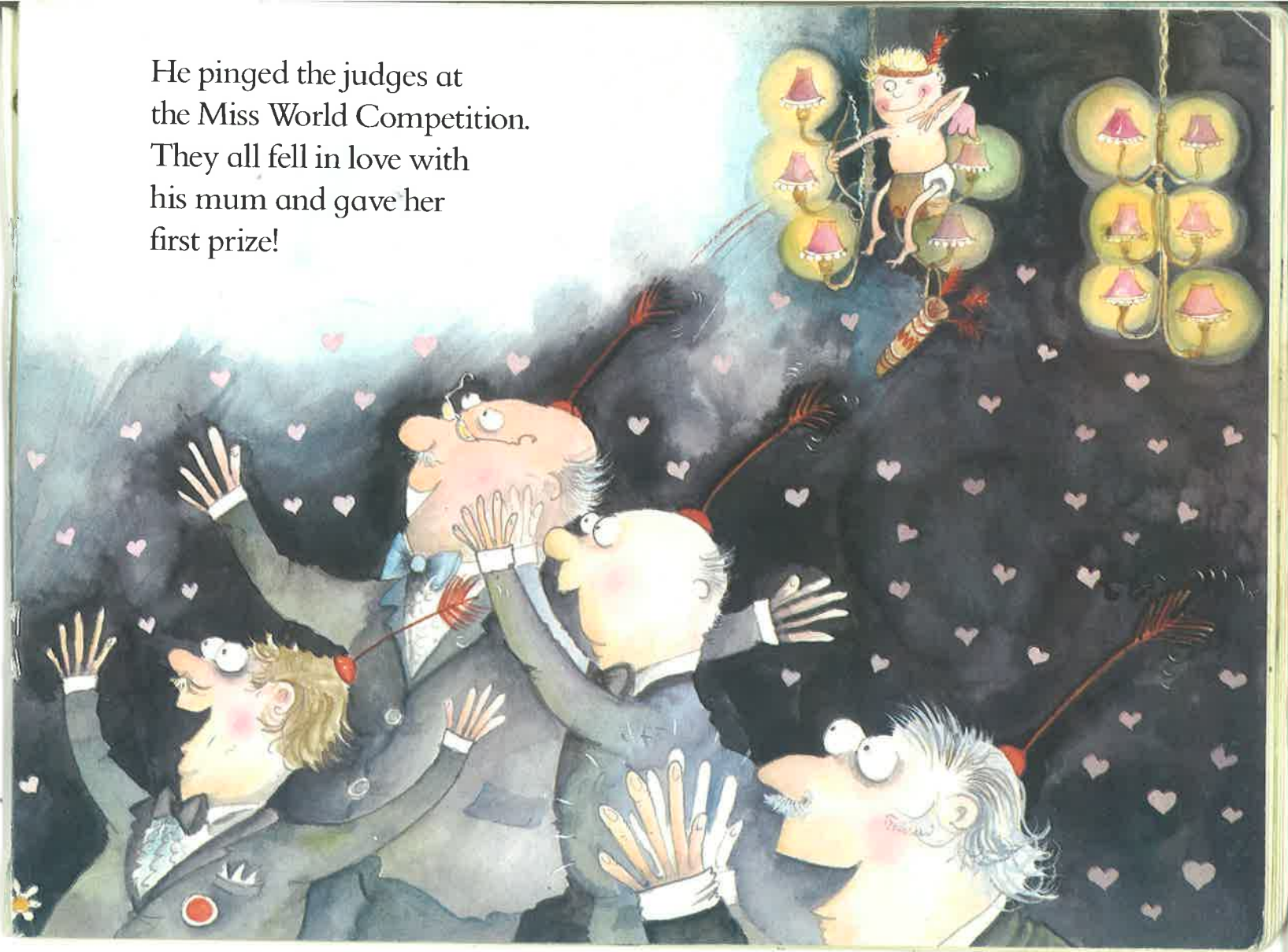


He pinged the Hi Wun
of Lowhi and he married his elephant!

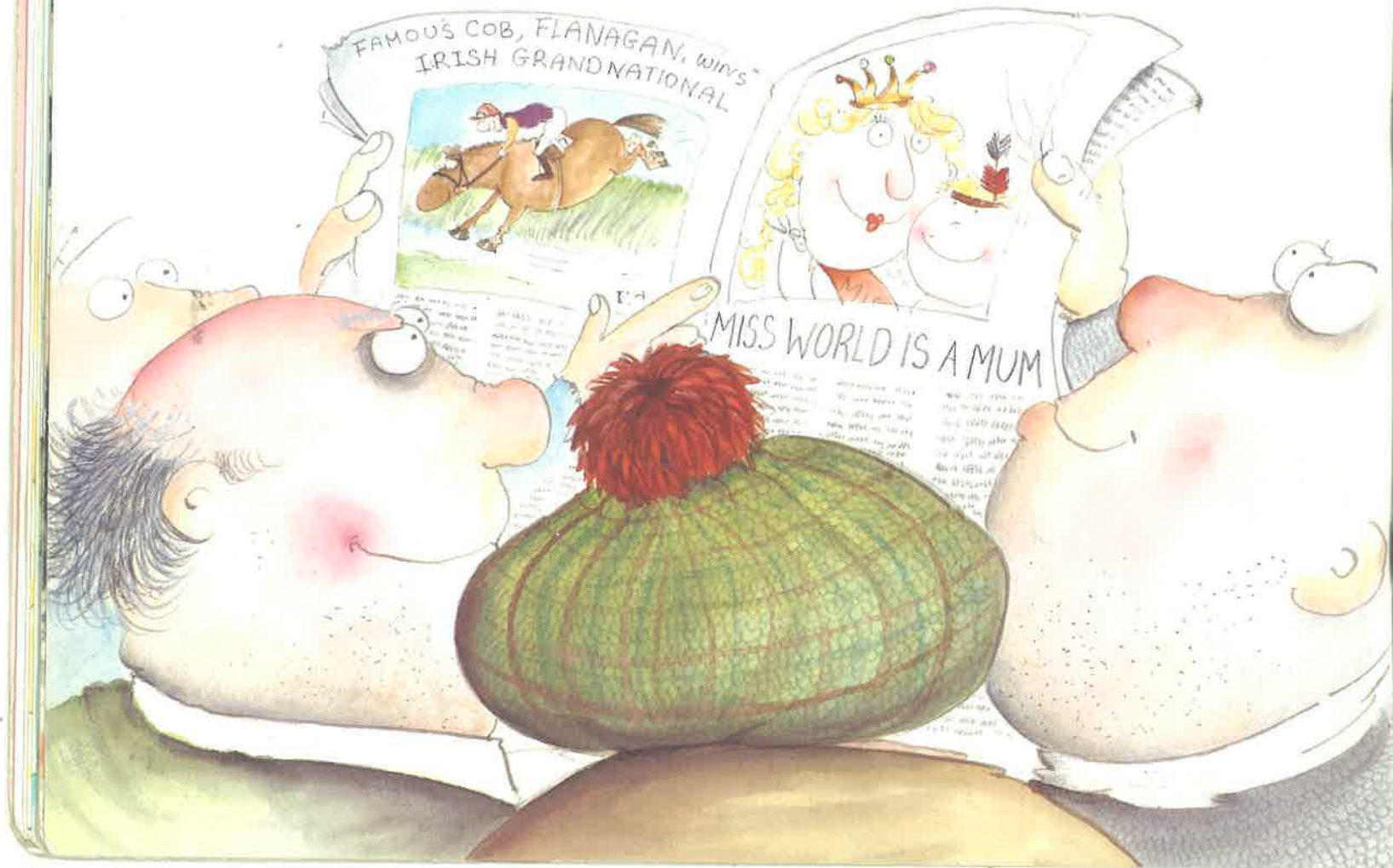


MISS WORLD BEAUTY COMPETITION

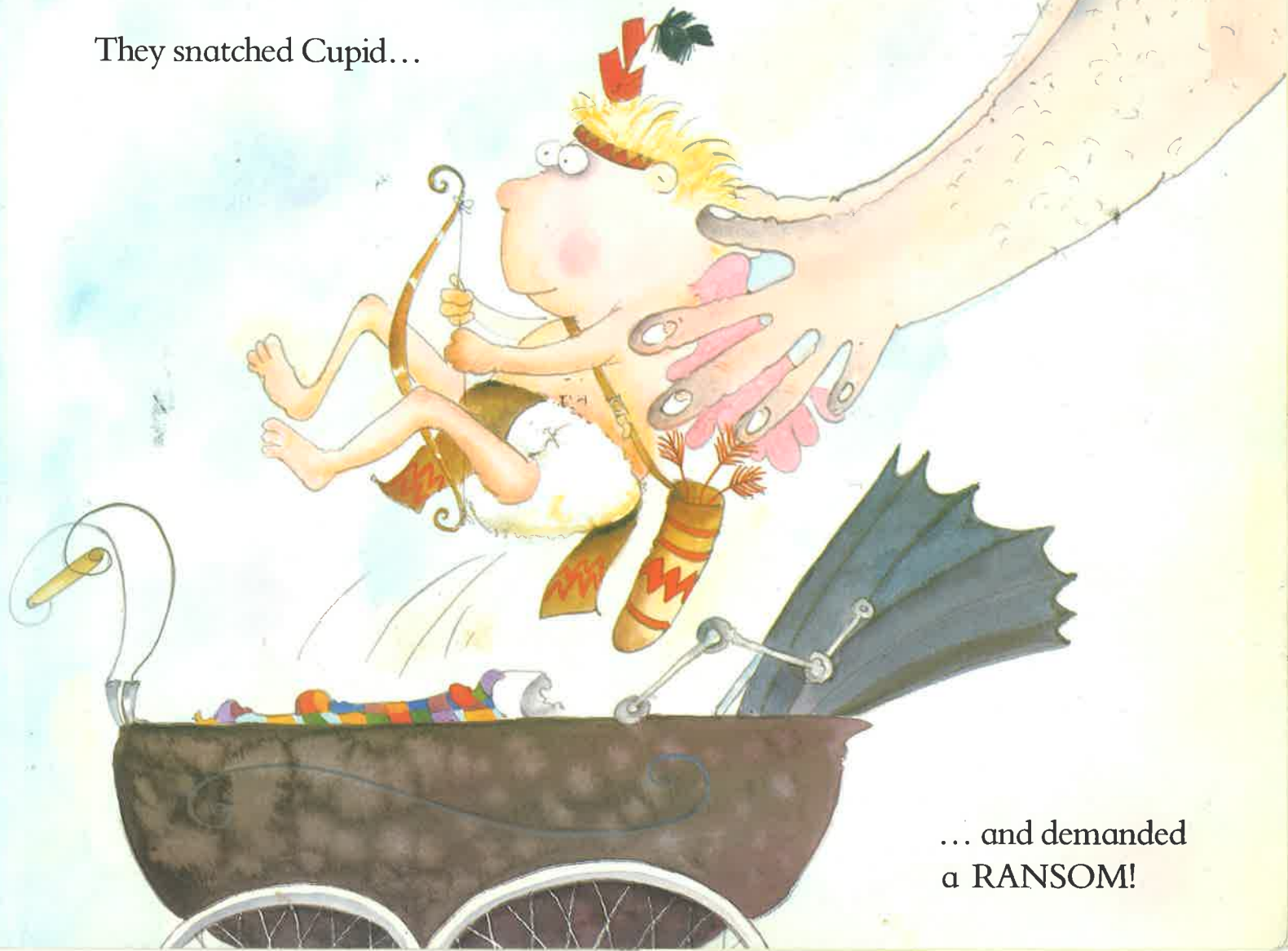
He pinged the judges at
the Miss World Competition.
They all fell in love with
his mum and gave her
first prize!



Some very bad men saw Cupid's picture
in the paper!

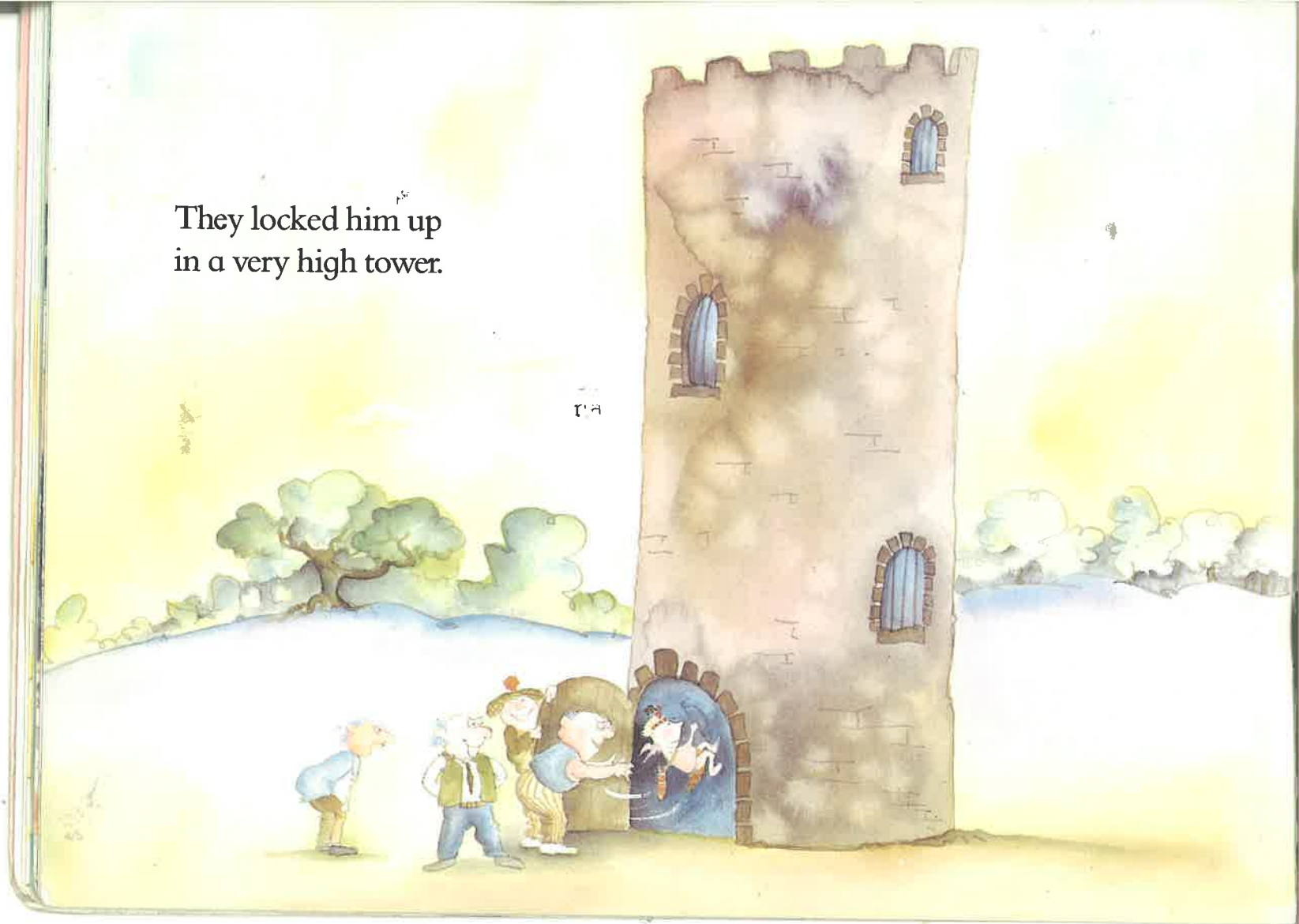


They snatched Cupid...

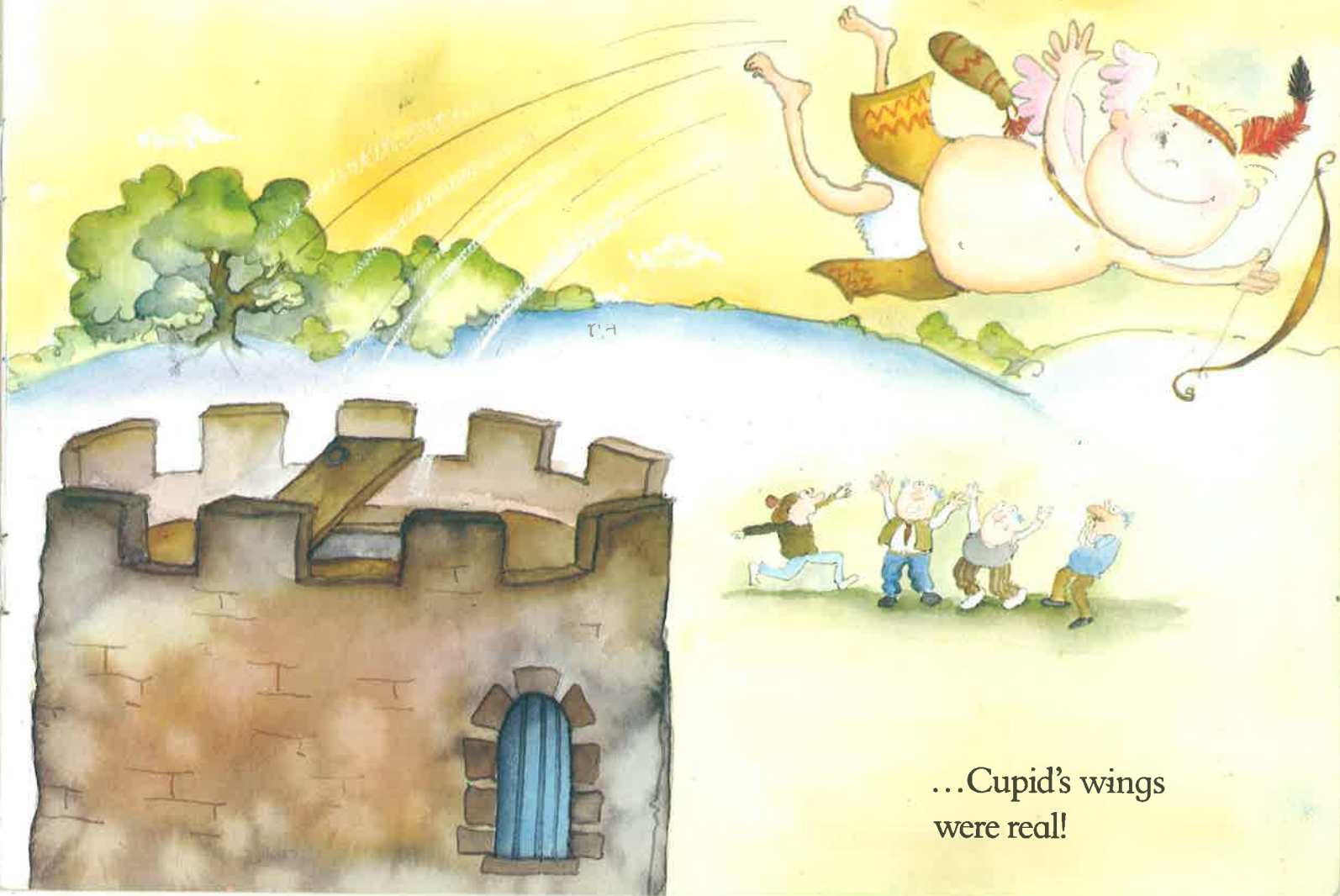


... and demanded
a RANSOM!

They locked him up
in a very high tower.

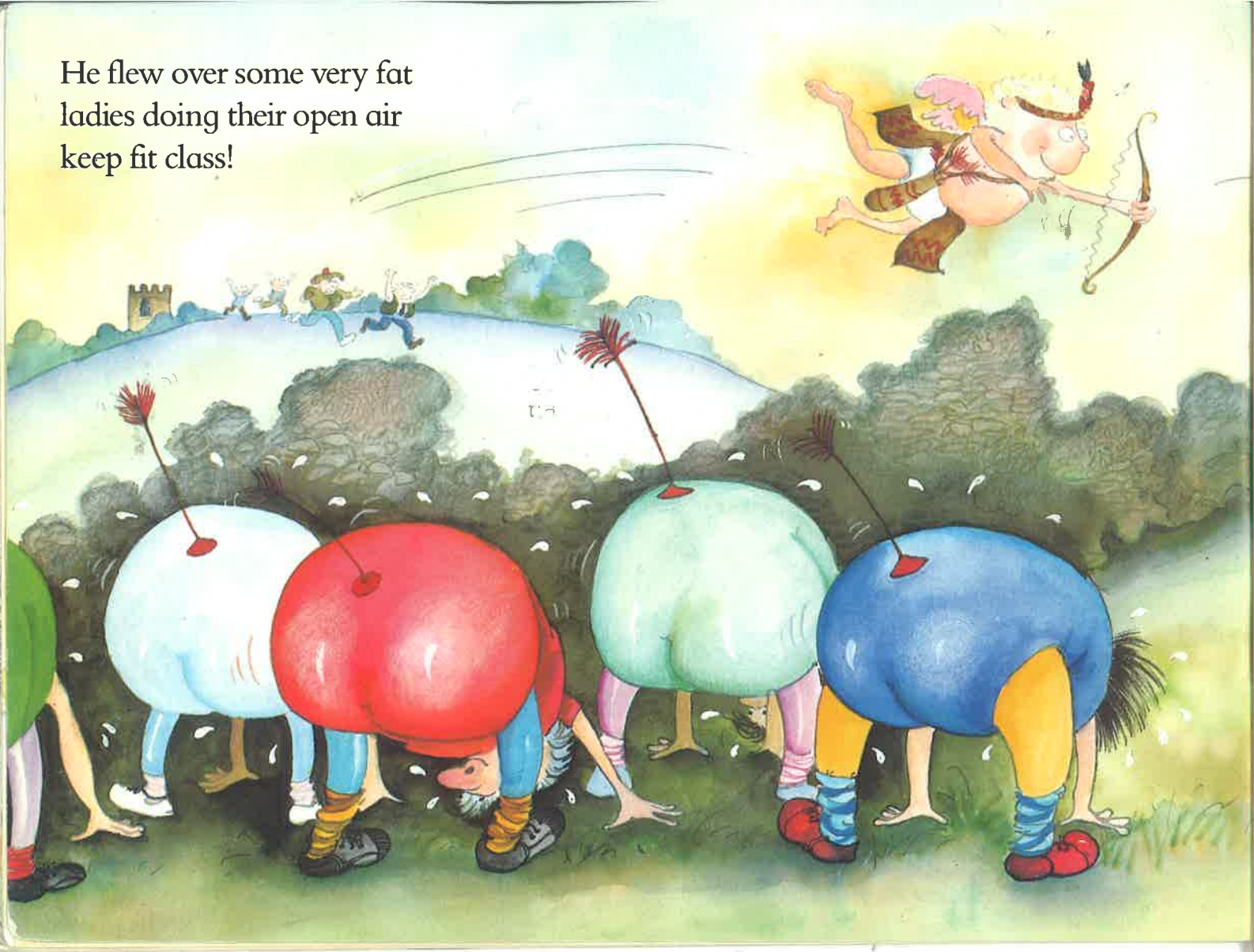


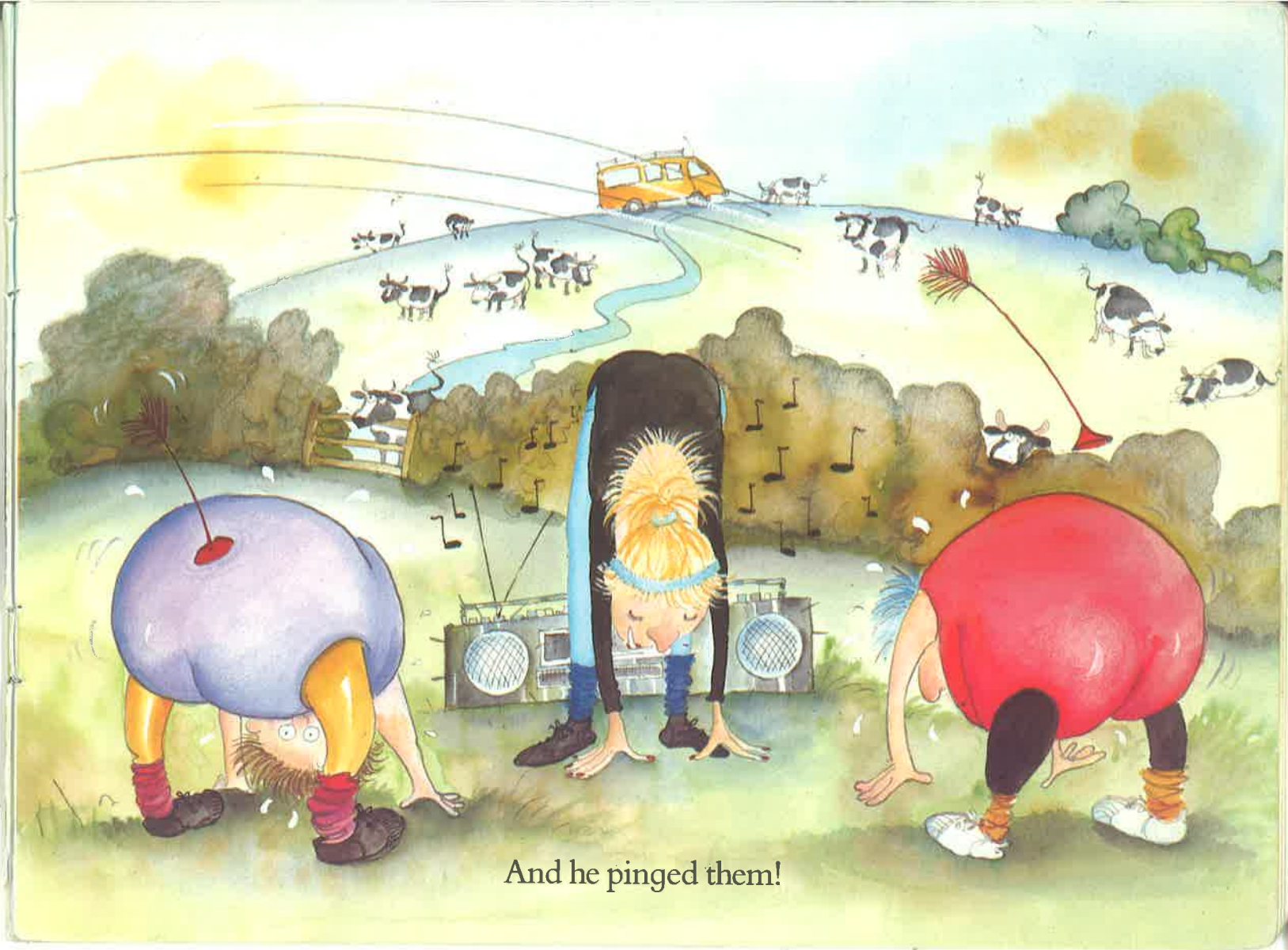
But they didn't realise...



...Cupid's wings
were real!

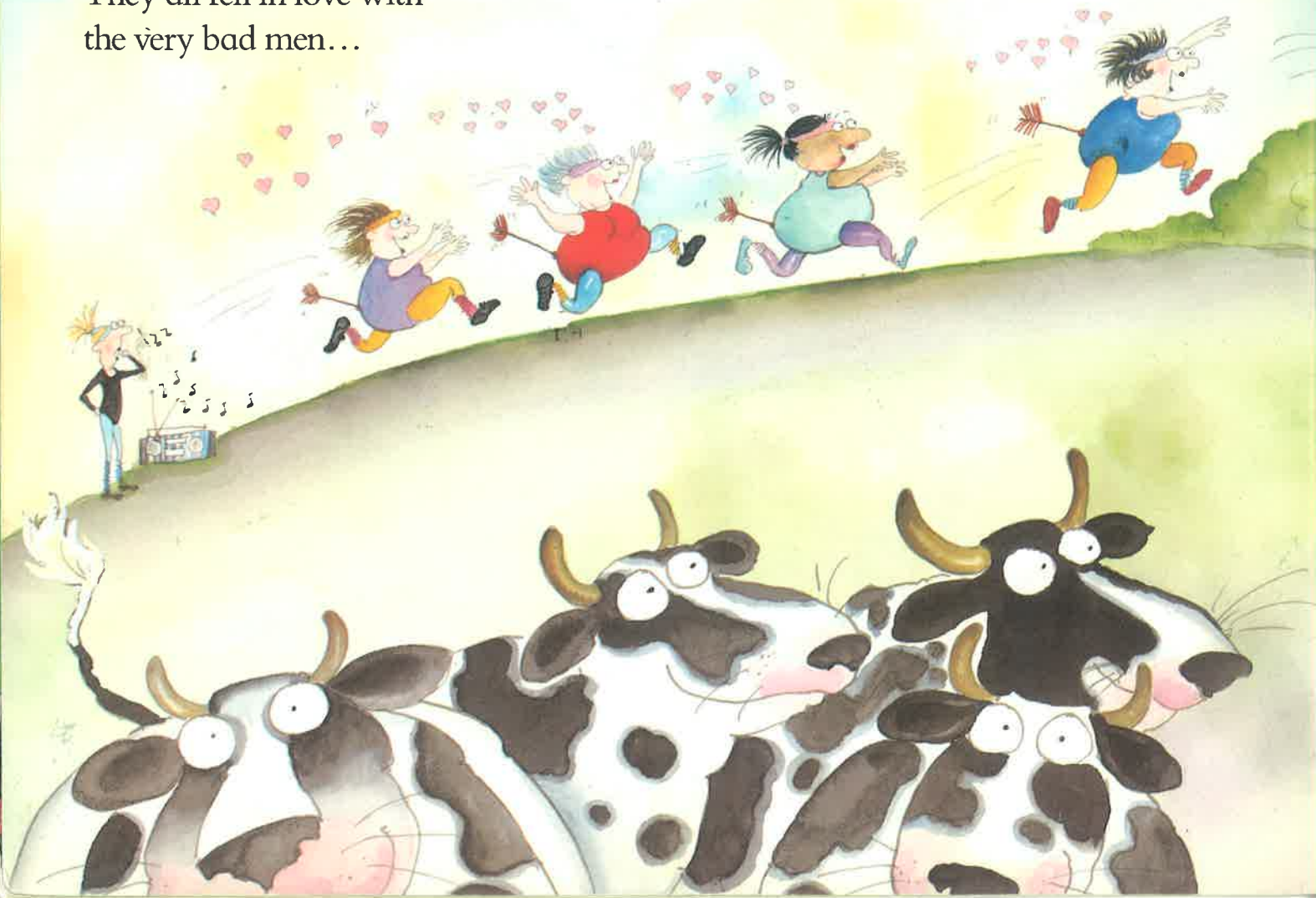
He flew over some very fat ladies doing their open air keep fit class!





And he pinged them!

They all fell in love with
the very bad men...

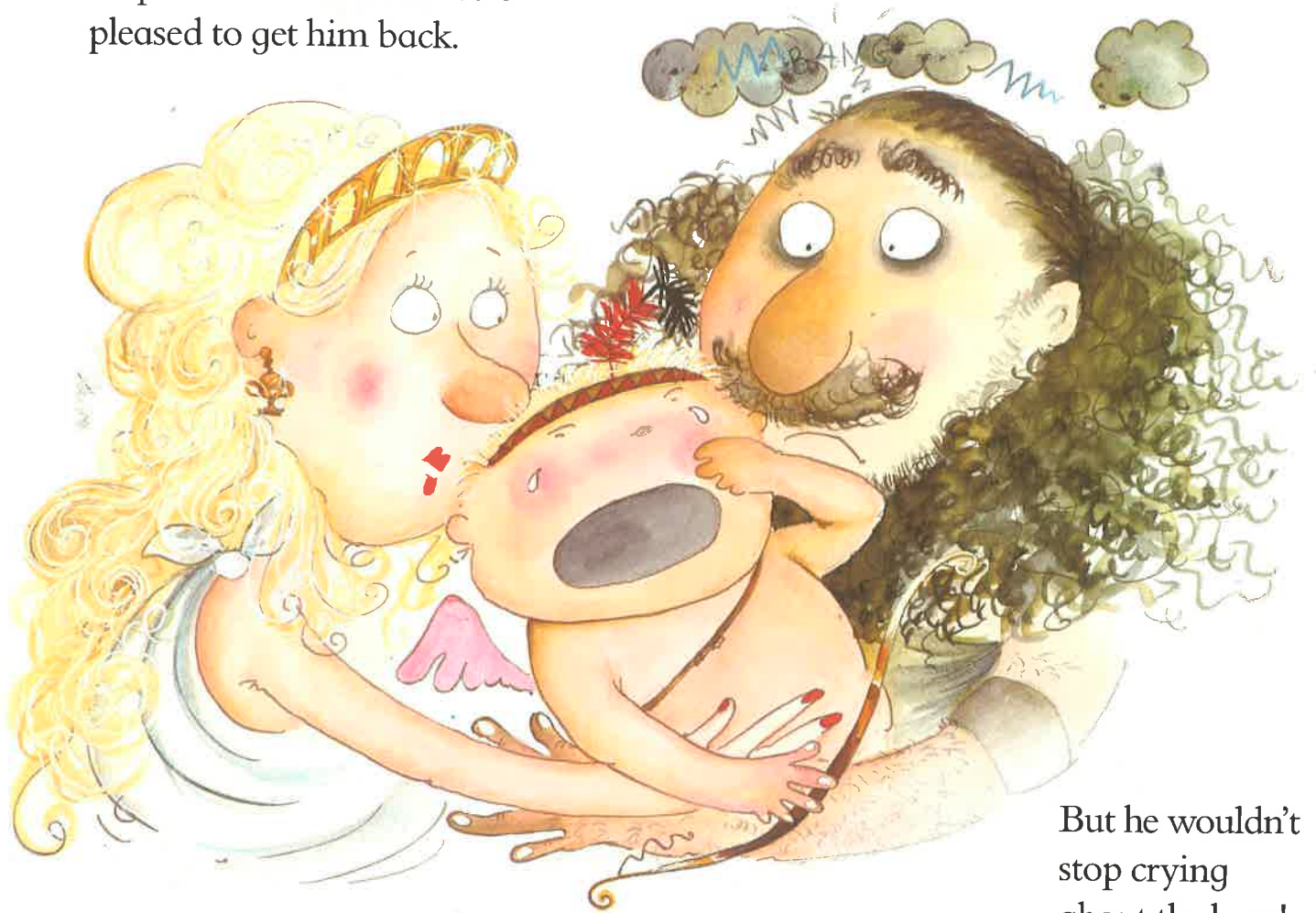


...who ran away
and were never seen again.



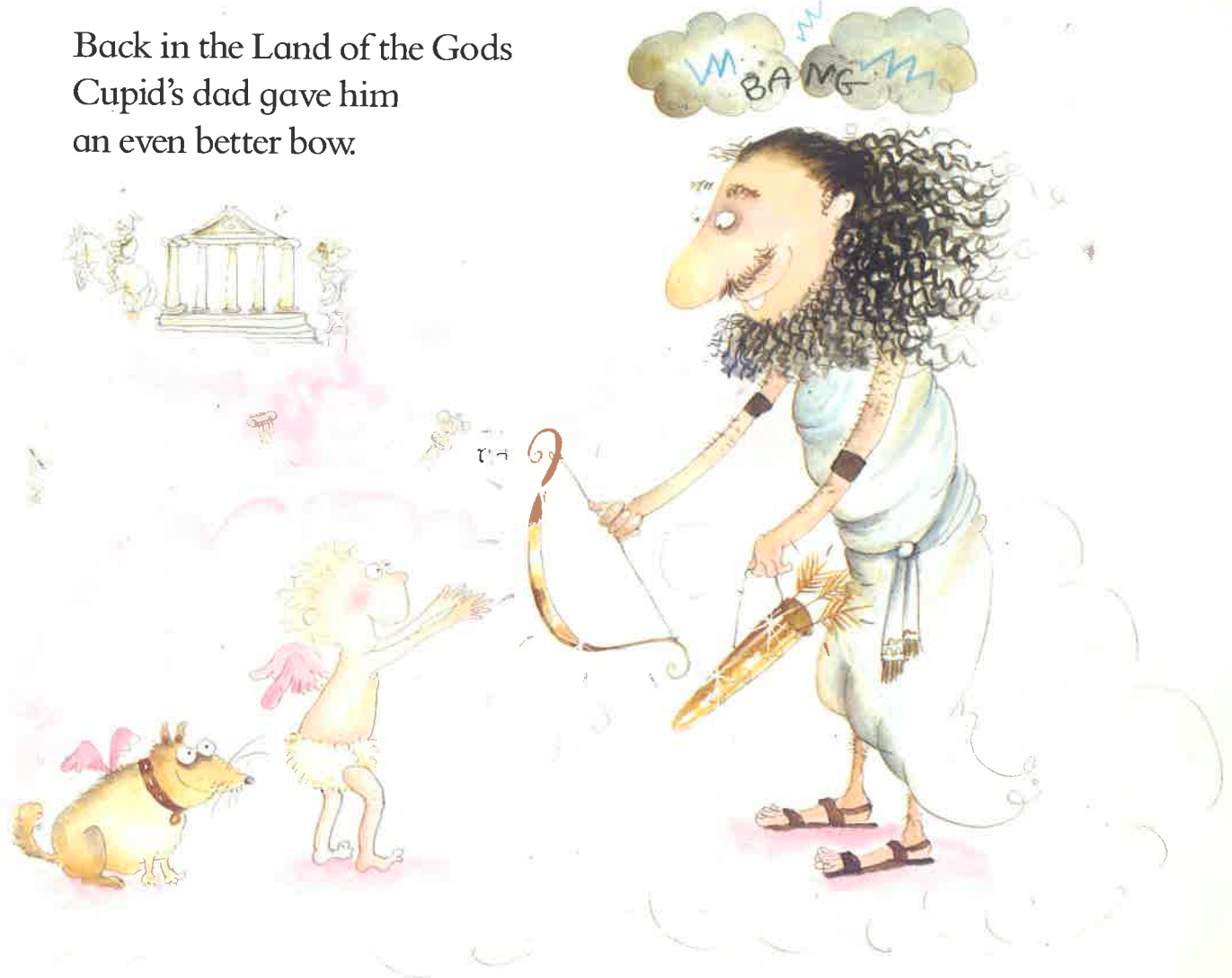
But Cupid
broke his bow!

Cupid's mum and dad were
pleased to get him back.



But he wouldn't
stop crying
about the bow!

Back in the Land of the Gods
Cupid's dad gave him
an even better bow.





And he's been causing trouble ever since!