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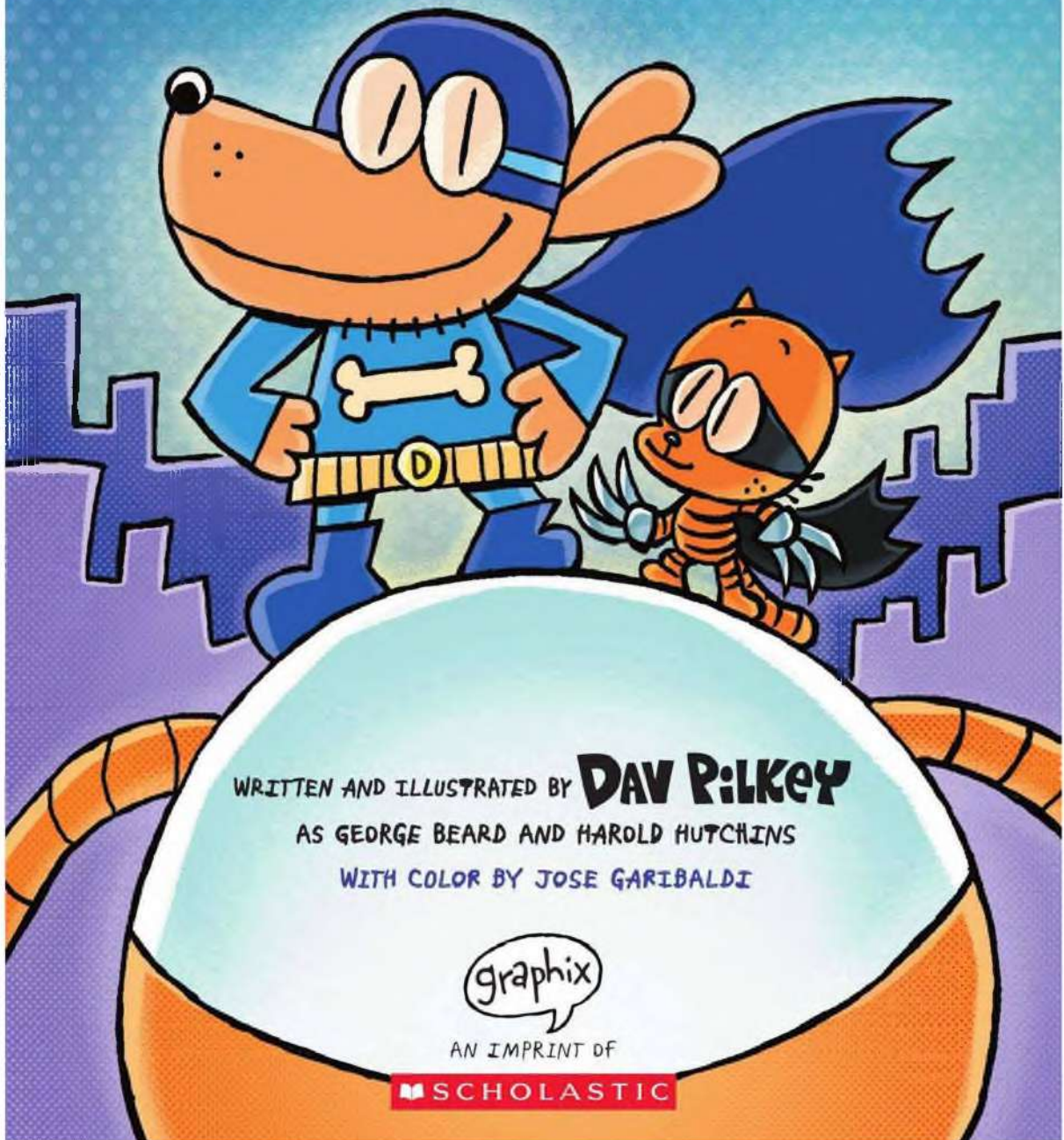
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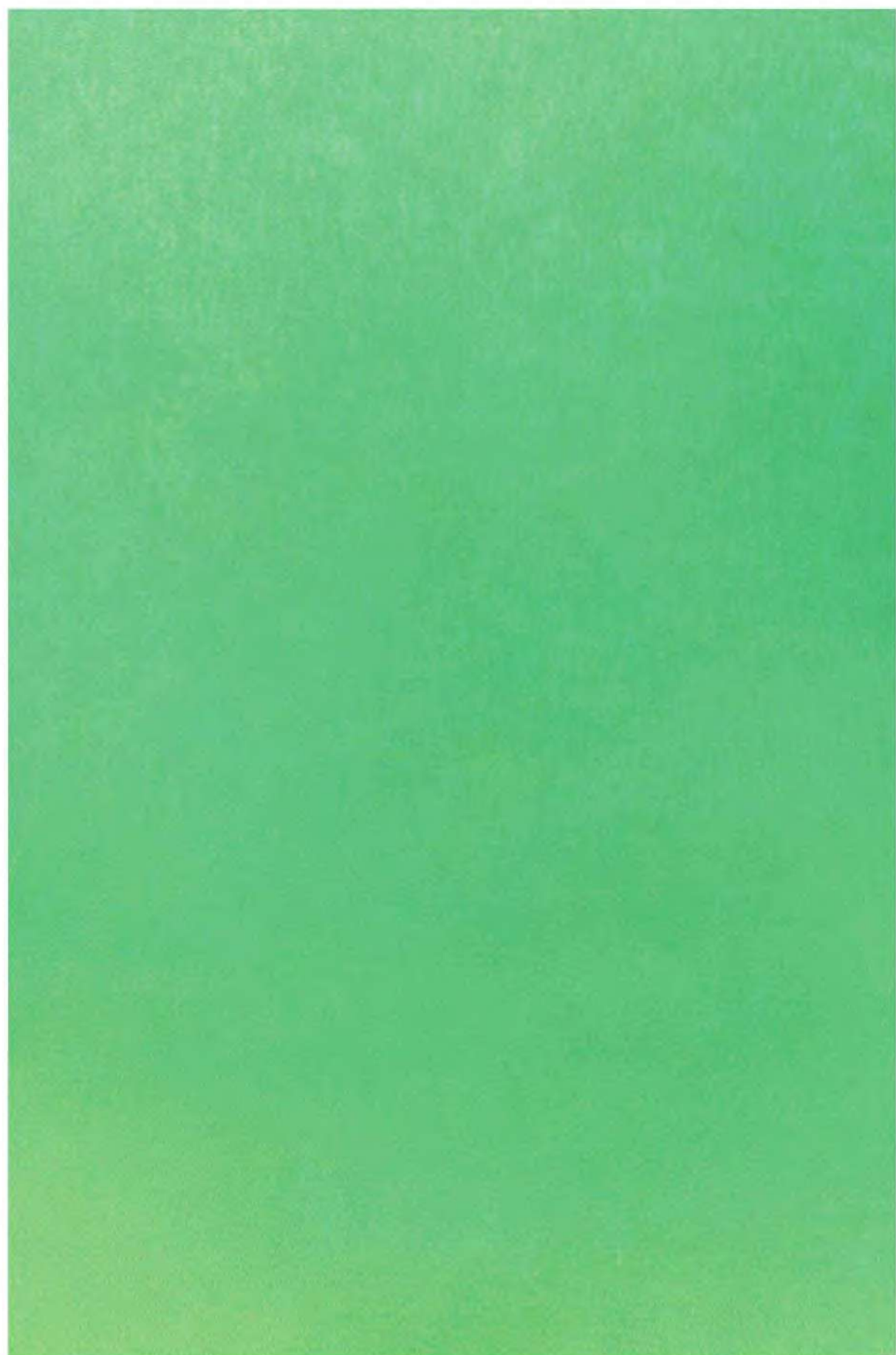
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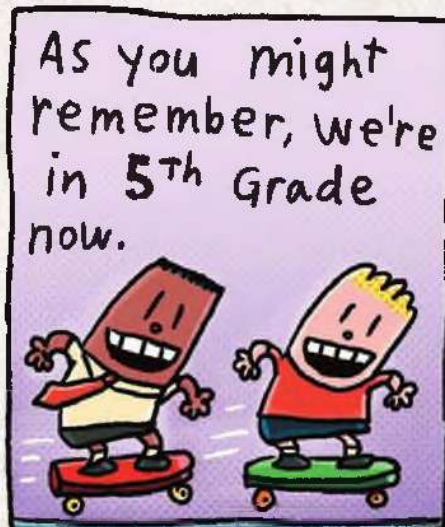
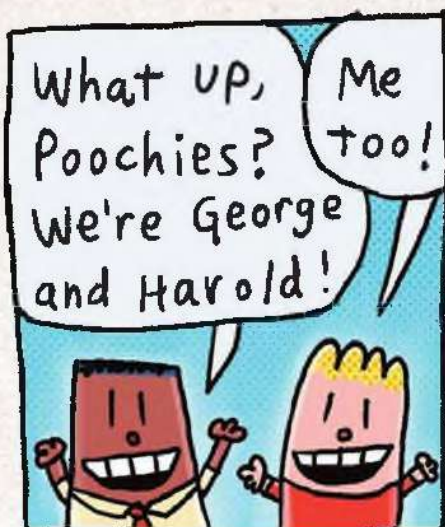
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Behind the Scenes



My, what a splendid book, My Good Man!



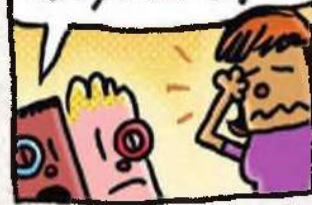
Let me adjust my monocle so I may imbibe its essence more indubitably!



Those aren't monocles! They're just rings from plastic milk jugs!



What? We can't use our imaginations anymore?



So anyway, **East of Eden** is actually a pretty cool book about good and evil and stuff.



It totally inspired us!

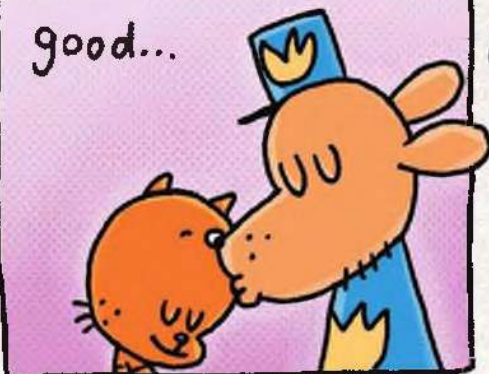
East of Eden
by John Steinbeck



So we started making a brand-new Dog Man graphic novel!



It's a tale of good...



...a tale of evil...



...and a tale of **STUFF!**



But before we begin, let's recap our story thus far...

One time, a cop
and a Police dog...



... got hurt in
an explosion!



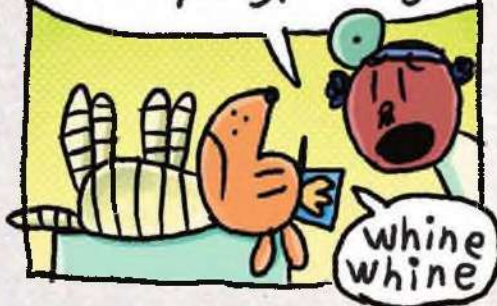
In the hospital,
the doctor gave
them sad news.



Your head is
dying, cop.



And your body
is dying, dog!



But then, the
nurse Lady got
a great idea!

