



# THIS IS THE BEAR



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Enjoy  
BIG BEDT

I'm Fred.



This is the bear  
who fell in the bin.

Oh no!

Oh dear!



This is the dog  
who pushed him in.



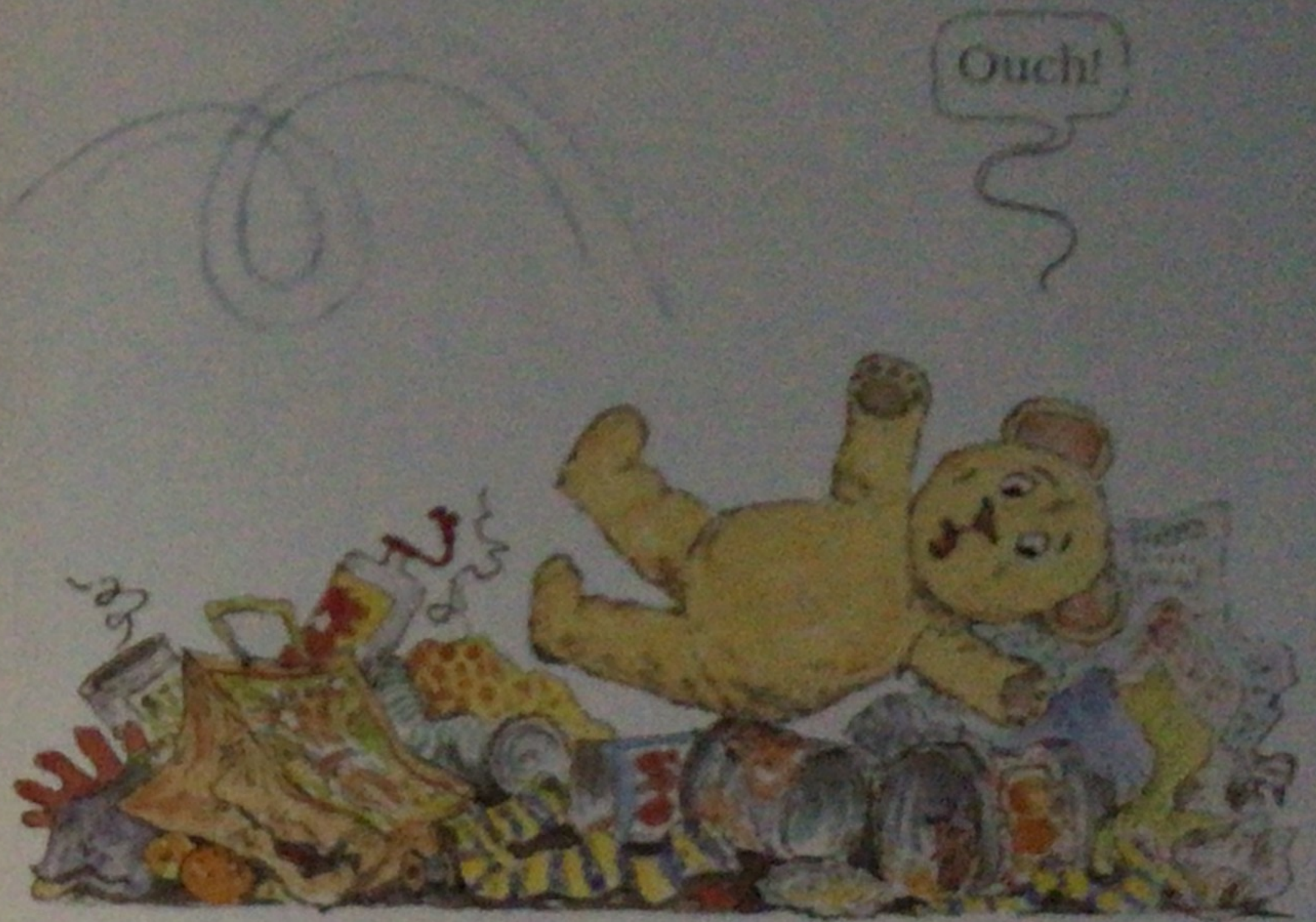
This is the man  
who picked up the sack.



This is the driver  
who would not come back.



This is the bear  
who went to the dump



and fell on the pile  
with a bit of a bump.



This is the boy  
who took the bus



and went to the dump  
to make a fuss.



This is the man  
in an awful grump



who searched and searched  
and searched the dump.



This is the bear  
all cold and cross



who did not think  
he was really lost.



This is the dog  
who smelled the smell



of a bone





What's this?

and a tin



Hello, Fred.

and a bear as well.

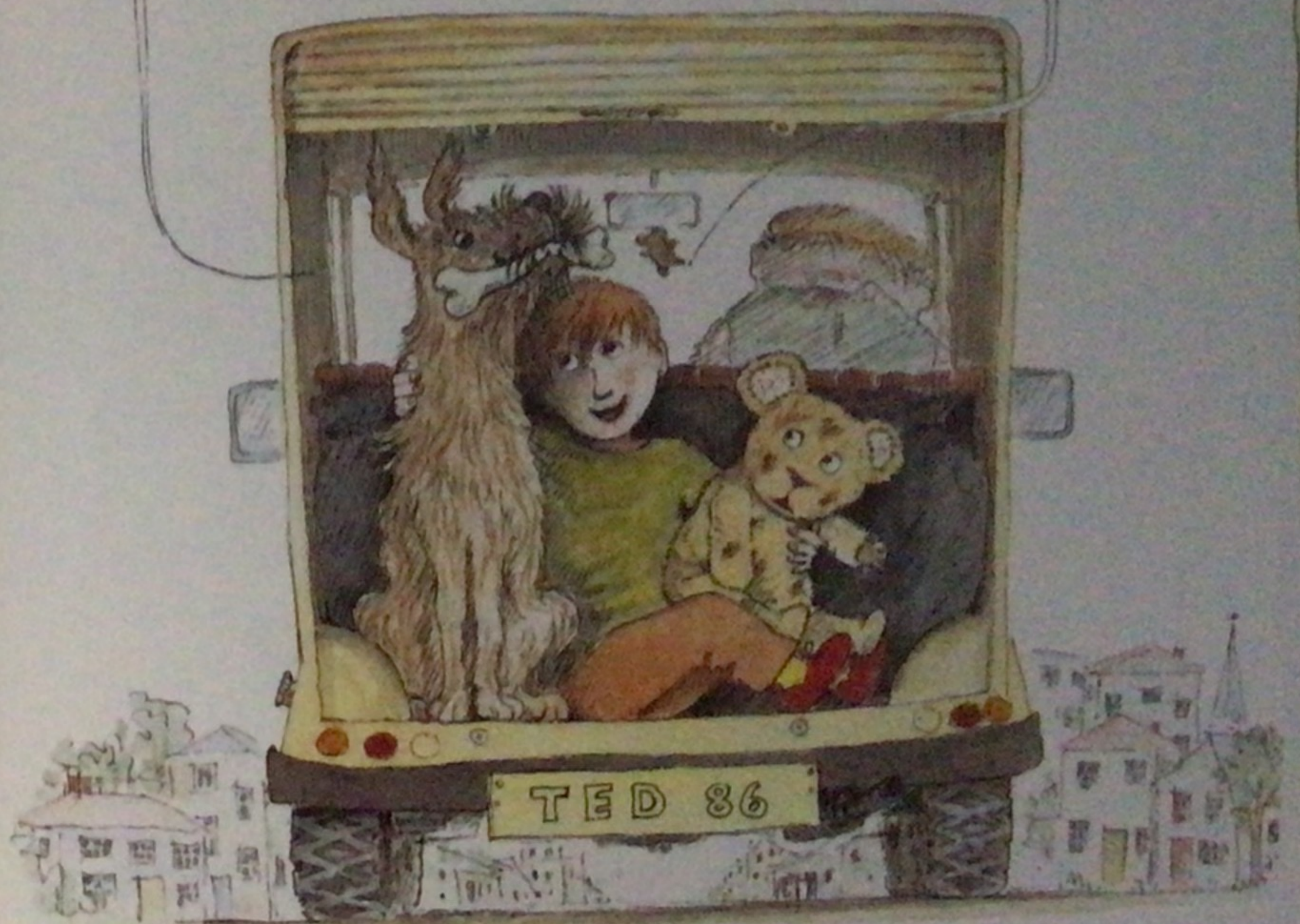
I must be mad.



This is the man  
who drove them home –

I'm the champ.

Good dog.



the boy, the bear  
and the dog with a bone.



This is the bear  
all lovely and clean

A little trip.



who did not say  
just where he had been.

Don't tell.



I won't.

This is the boy  
who knew quite well,

I will.



but promised his friend  
he would not tell.

And this is the boy  
who woke up in the night  
and asked the bear  
if he felt all right –  
and was very surprised  
when the bear shouted out,  
“How soon can we have  
another day out?”

