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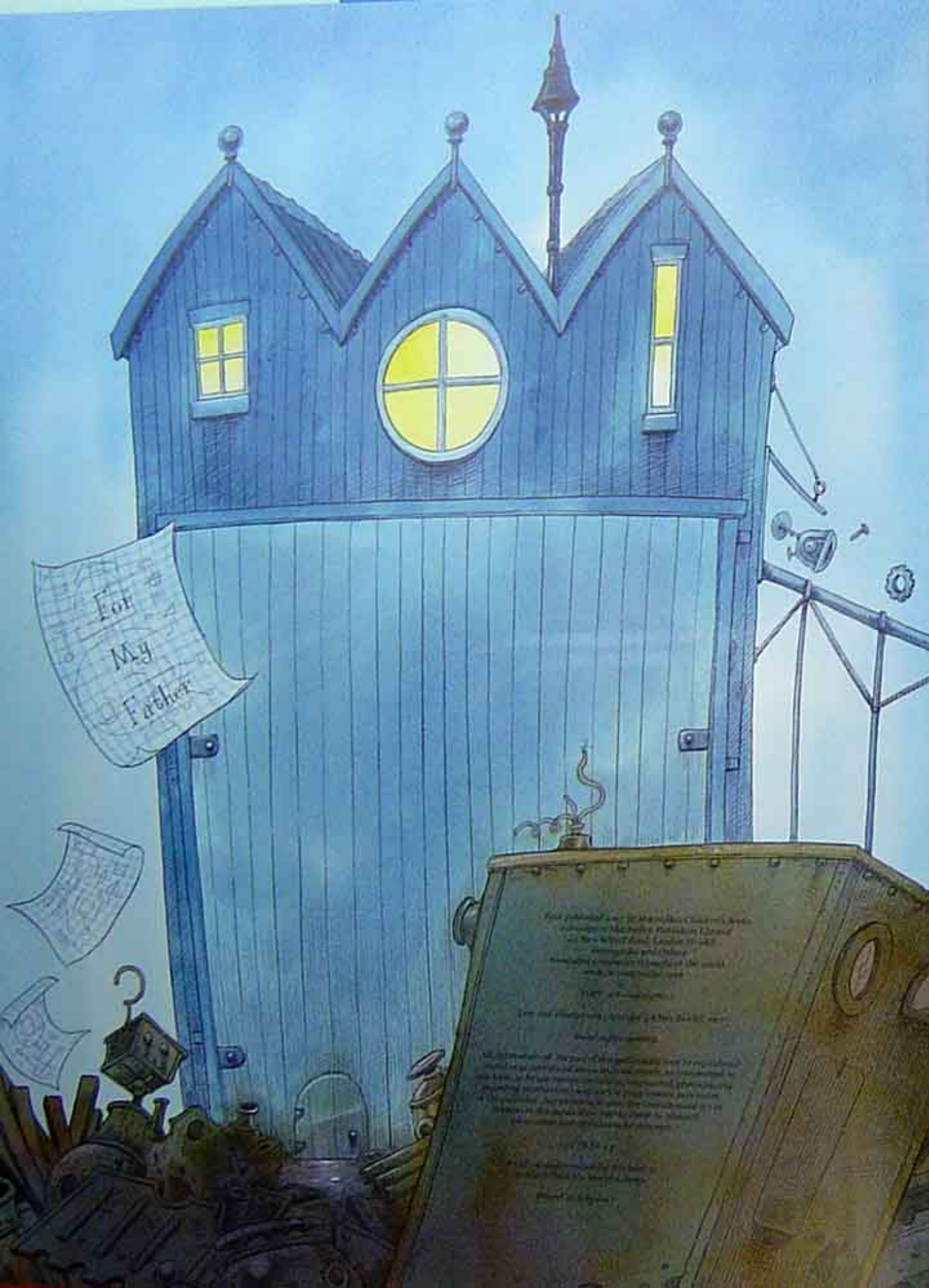
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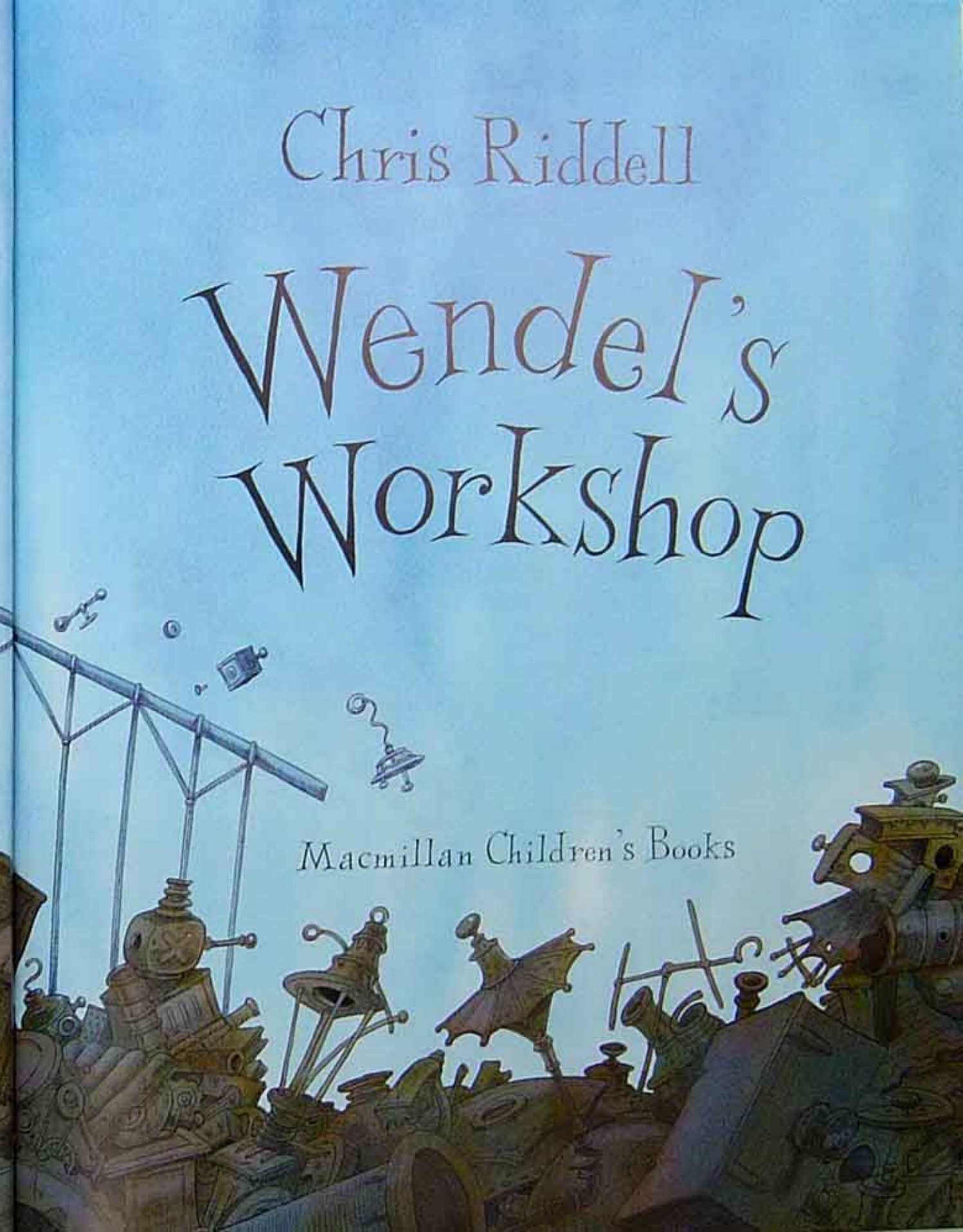
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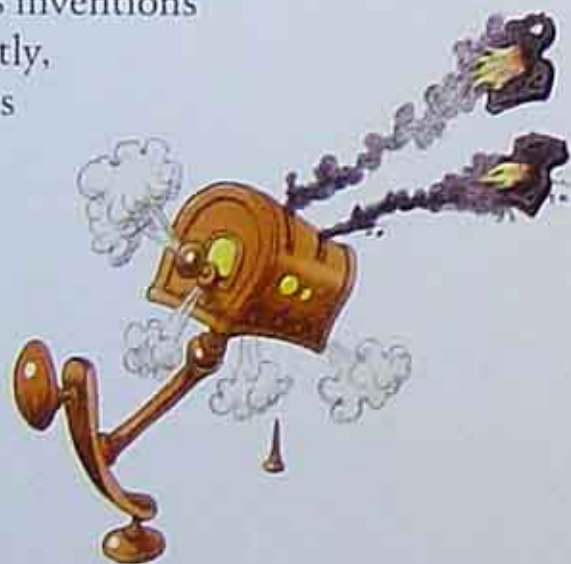




WENDEL WAS  
an inventor.



Sometimes his inventions  
worked perfectly,  
and sometimes  
they didn't.



When they didn't, Wendel  
just threw them away and  
started again.

Wendel invented all day and  
into the night. Sometimes he  
was so busy inventing he  
forgot to go to bed.

And he never had  
time to tidy up.



Wendel's workshop  
became untidier ...

and untider ...

and UNTIDIAR.



"I need some help," said Wendel to himself.



So Wendel invented a robot.



CLUNK!



CLUNK!



"I'll call you Clunk,"  
said Wendel.



Clunk set to work tidying  
Wendel's workshop.

He made the bed ...



folded the clothes ...



and mopped the floor.



"Oh dear," said Wendel.