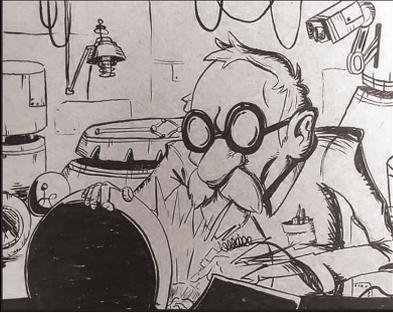
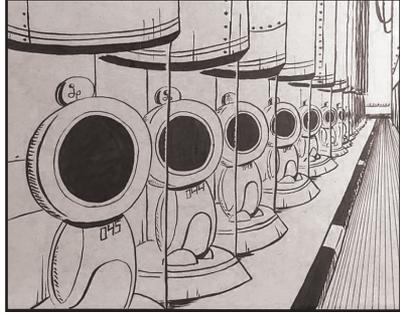


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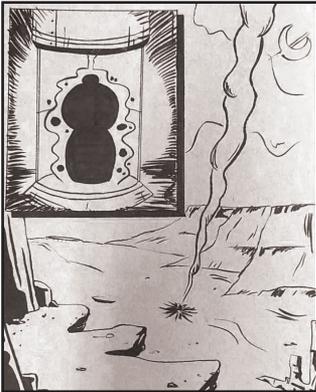
Blink the Robot



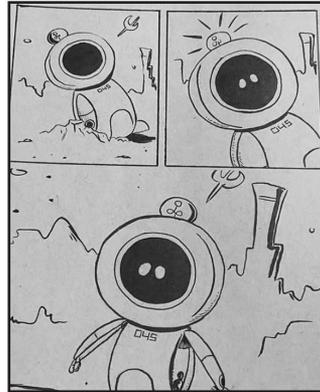
Professor J. Parker programs the last Blinker Bot before the crew of robots teleport to a seemingly desolate planet to search for life.



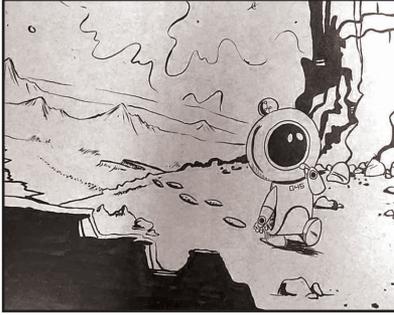
All the Blinker Bots are lined up in teleportation tubes before being sent to their assigned planets.



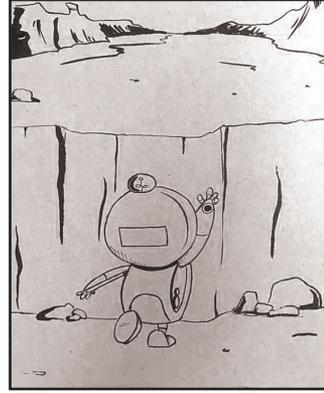
Blinker Bot 045 has been teleported to desolate planet XY7063, a.k.a, 'Vinobbes.'



Blinker Bot 045, a.k.a 'Blink,' is booted up and begins to wander around planet Vinobbes.



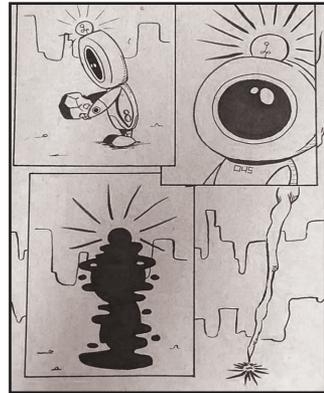
Blink descends deep into the canyons of the planet.



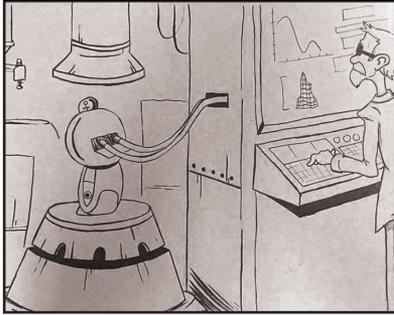
Traveling the rough terrain is hard for the small robot.



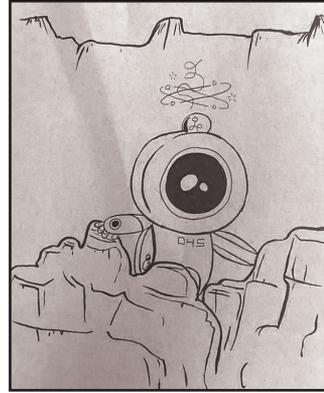
Blink scans a rock for any traces of extraterrestrial DNA. So far, all scan results are negative.



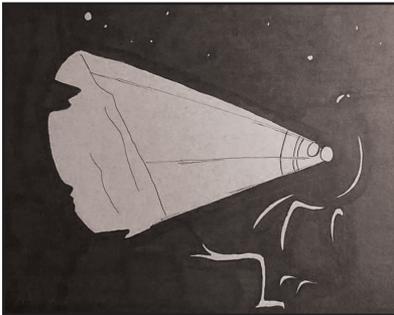
Periodically, Blink is teleported back to Earth for the scientists to retrieve any information it may have found.



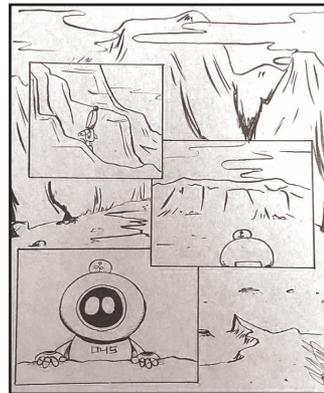
Once back on Earth, all of Blink's information is retrieved for scientists to examine.



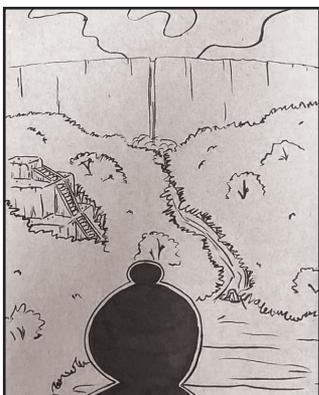
Blink teleports back to the planet Vinobbes. Whenever Blink returns to the planet, it is transported to a place not yet explored. Often, the new area is hundreds of miles from its previous location.



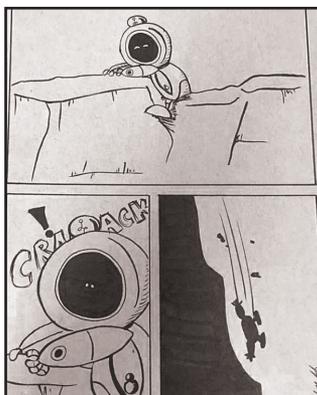
During the dark nights of Vinobbes, Blink continues to work.



Months go by without any trace of life forms. Never having traveled over the tallest ridge, Blink climbs the mountain and peers over the other side. It is amazed at the discovery.



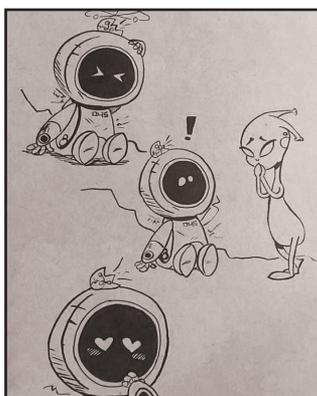
Atop the mountain ridge, Blink looks down upon a rich valley of life.



Eager to witness possible new life forms, Blink climbs over the ridge to trek towards the valley. A rock below Blink's feet cracks, and Blink tumbles down the rigid mountainside.



THUD! Blink slams into the ground, catching the attention of someone.



Love at first sight.



Blink is helped to its feet, but communication immediately becomes a problem between Blink and its new friend.

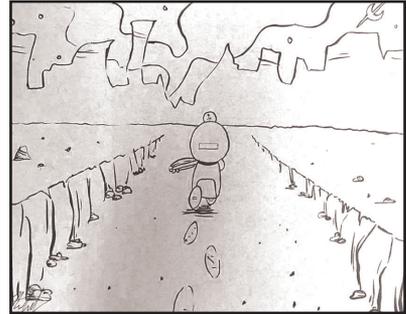


She grabs Blink's hand to show him the world she lives in. However, along the way, its blinker goes off, sending it back to Earth.

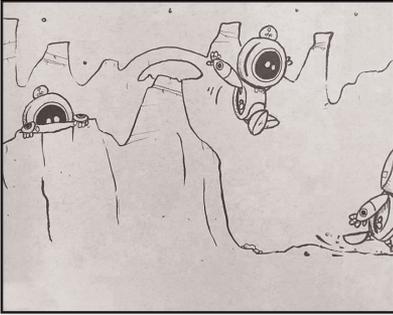


Blink is teleported back to Earth once reports show the bot is damaged. No data is retrieved due to the damage from its fall.

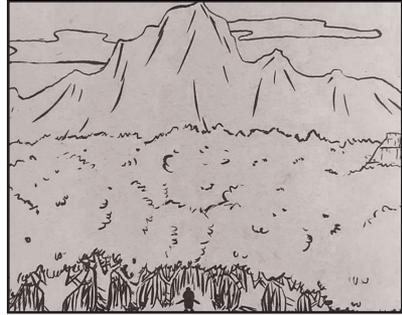
Unfortunately, when Blink is teleported back to Vinobbes, it's on the complete opposite side of its new friend.



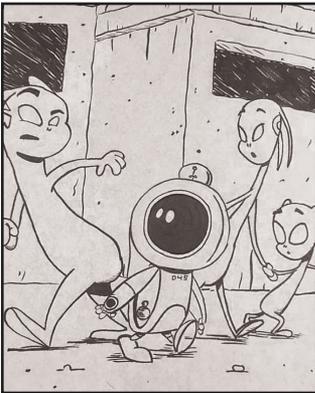
Determined to find its love, Blink makes its way out of the canyon and runs to find her.



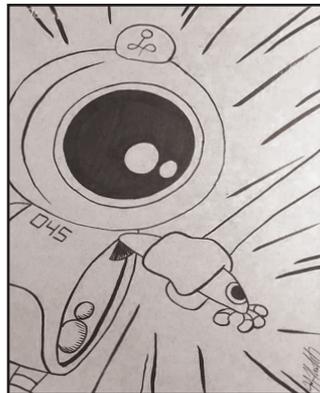
Blink rushes through the terrain to journey back to the area it first spotted its love.



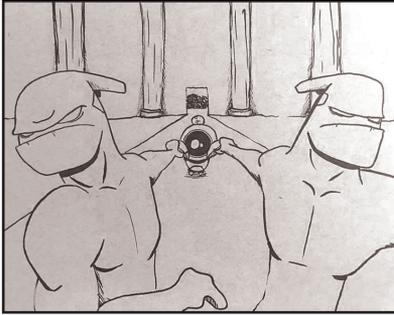
Blink finally reaches the rich environment. Now it must find its love.



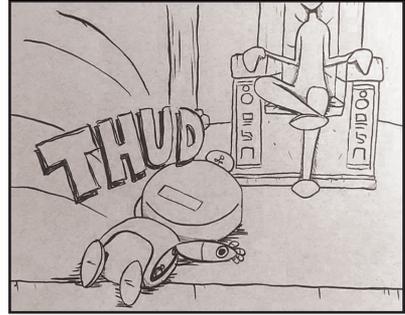
Blink wanders the village streets and natives are stunned and afraid to see the small robot.



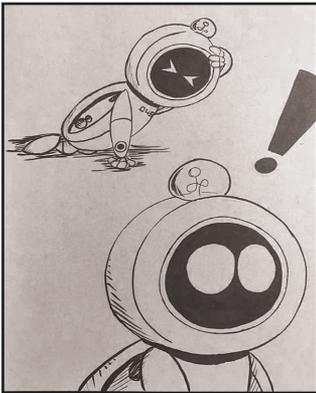
While walking amongst the natives, an arm reaches out and grabs Blink!



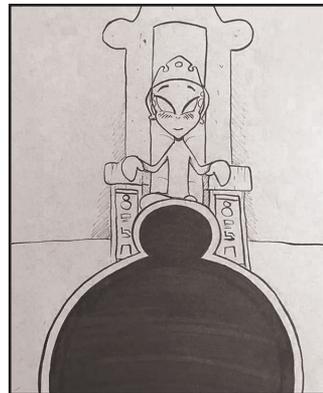
Villagers do not take kindly to strangers. Two guardsmen drag Blink to the temple to receive punishment from the ruler.



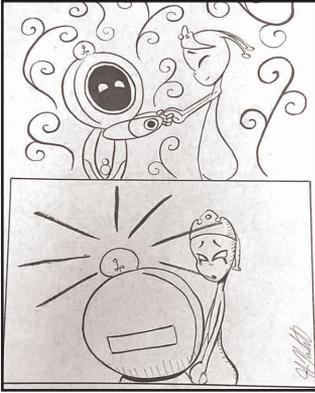
Blink is tossed at the ruler's feet to await its fate.



Blink lifts its head only to be incredibly surprised with what it sees.



After being grabbed by guards, dragged to a temple, and thrown to its face, Blink unexpectedly finds its love and she is thrilled to see Blink again.



Reunited. The couple embraces, when suddenly, the teleportation blinker goes off.



In a panicked frenzy, Blink rushes to find a way to avoid teleportation back to Earth. Blink makes a fist to smash the bulb on its head. Seconds before Blink vanishes, the bulb shatters and Blink remains where it is.



Once the blinker is destroyed, the couple knows they can be together forever.