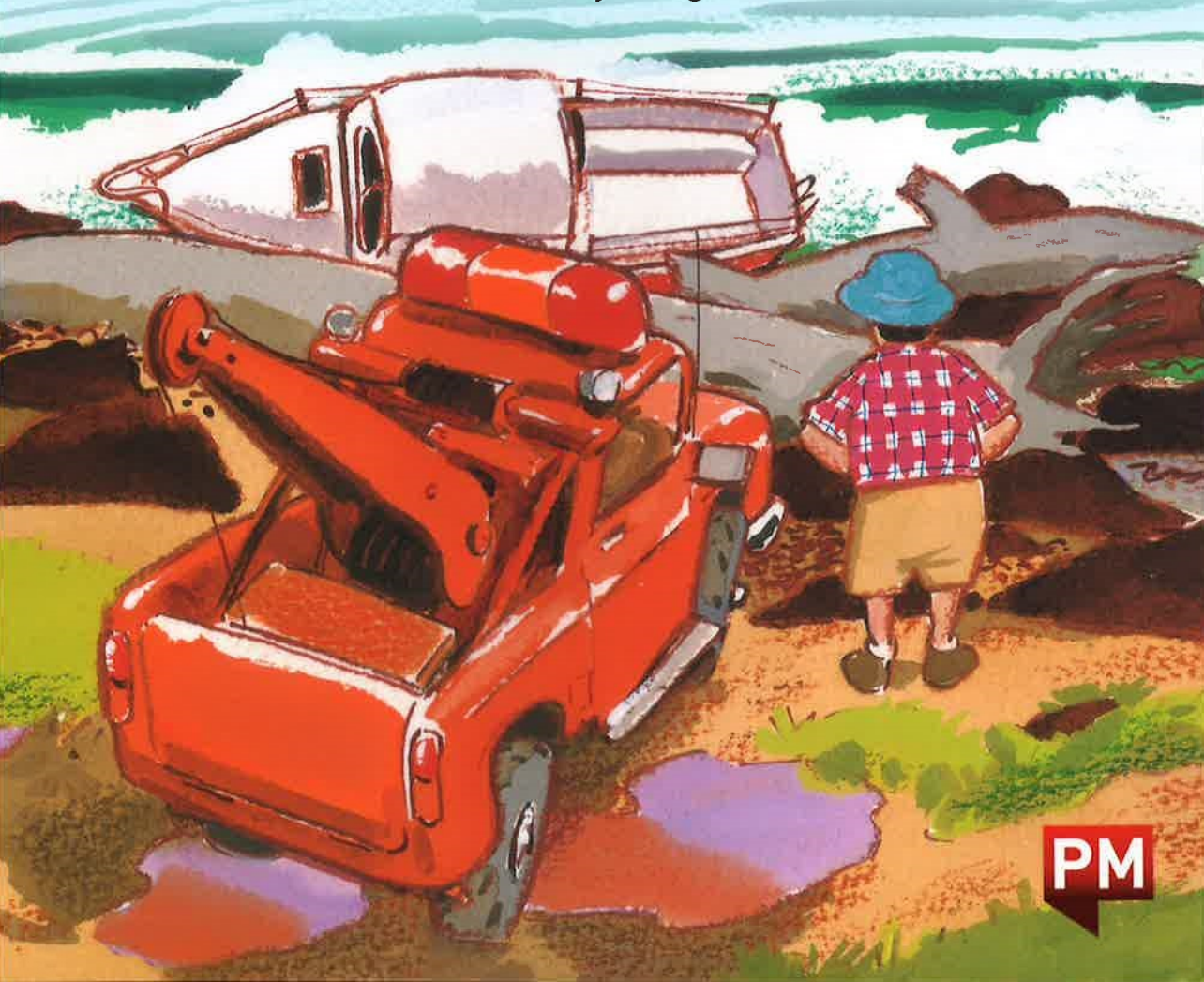


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Level 20

Running Words 513 **Text Type** Narrative

Curriculum Areas English (Literacy, Literature, Language); Humanities (Civics and Citizenship); Science (Physical Sciences, Earth and Space Sciences)

Retelling to Encourage Critical Thinking About the Content

Ask each student to retell the story in their own words.

Record the retelling for further discussion and reflection.

Questions to Reinforce Meaning and Stimulate Discussion

Literal

- 1 What job did Toby and BJ have to do in this story?
- 2 What made the trailer bounce up and down?
- 3 How did Bob help Toby and BJ?

Inferential

- 4 What caused the big hole in the side of the boat?
- 5 Why might the boat have broken up if the waves reached it?
- 6 What did BJ do with the winch rope after he pulled it down to the boat?
- 7 When Bob arrived, why did he set to work at once?
- 8 What is a winch?

Applied Knowledge

- 9 What is an anchor used for?
- 10 How is the level of the sea different at high tide and low tide?

Links with Other PM Guided Reading Books

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"We are going to have a busy morning, Toby," said BJ, as he hurried out to his tow truck.

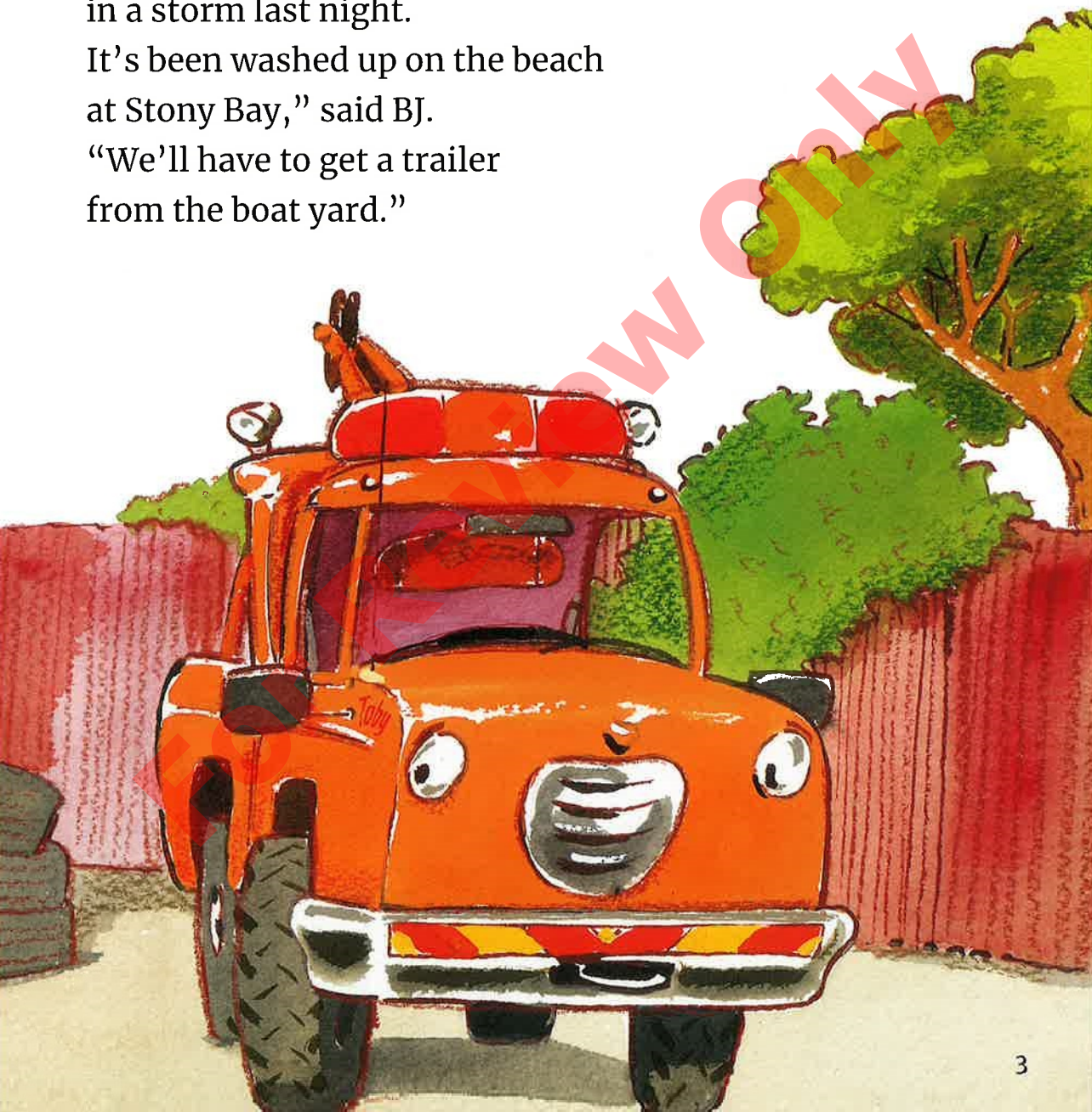
"What has happened?" asked Toby.



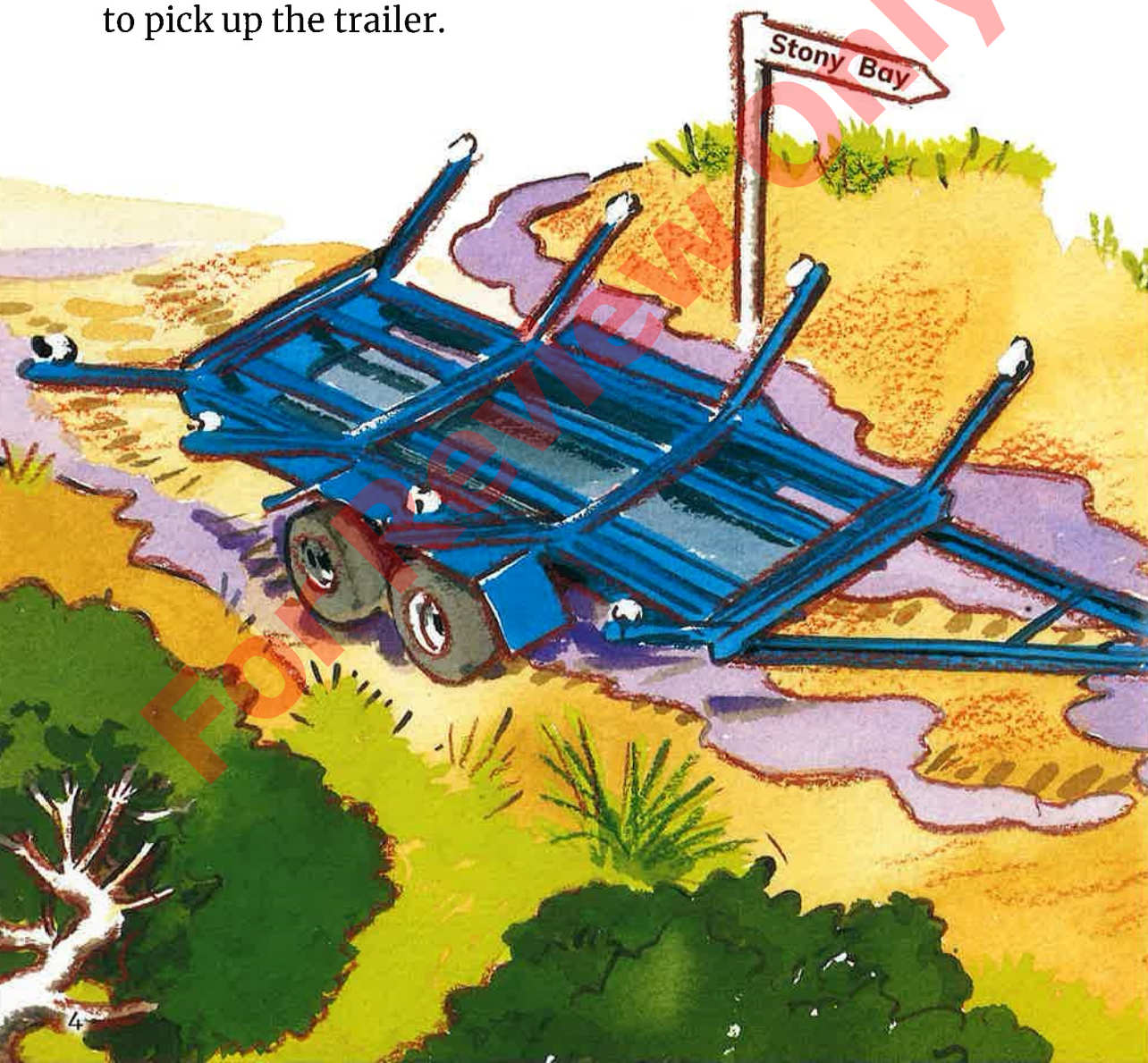
“The police have just called to say that a boat dragged its anchor in a storm last night.

It’s been washed up on the beach at Stony Bay,” said BJ.

“We’ll have to get a trailer from the boat yard.”



BJ threw some more rope
onto the tow truck.
Then away they went down the road
to the boat yard
to pick up the trailer.



The road down to Stony Bay
was very bumpy,
and it made the trailer
bounce up and down.

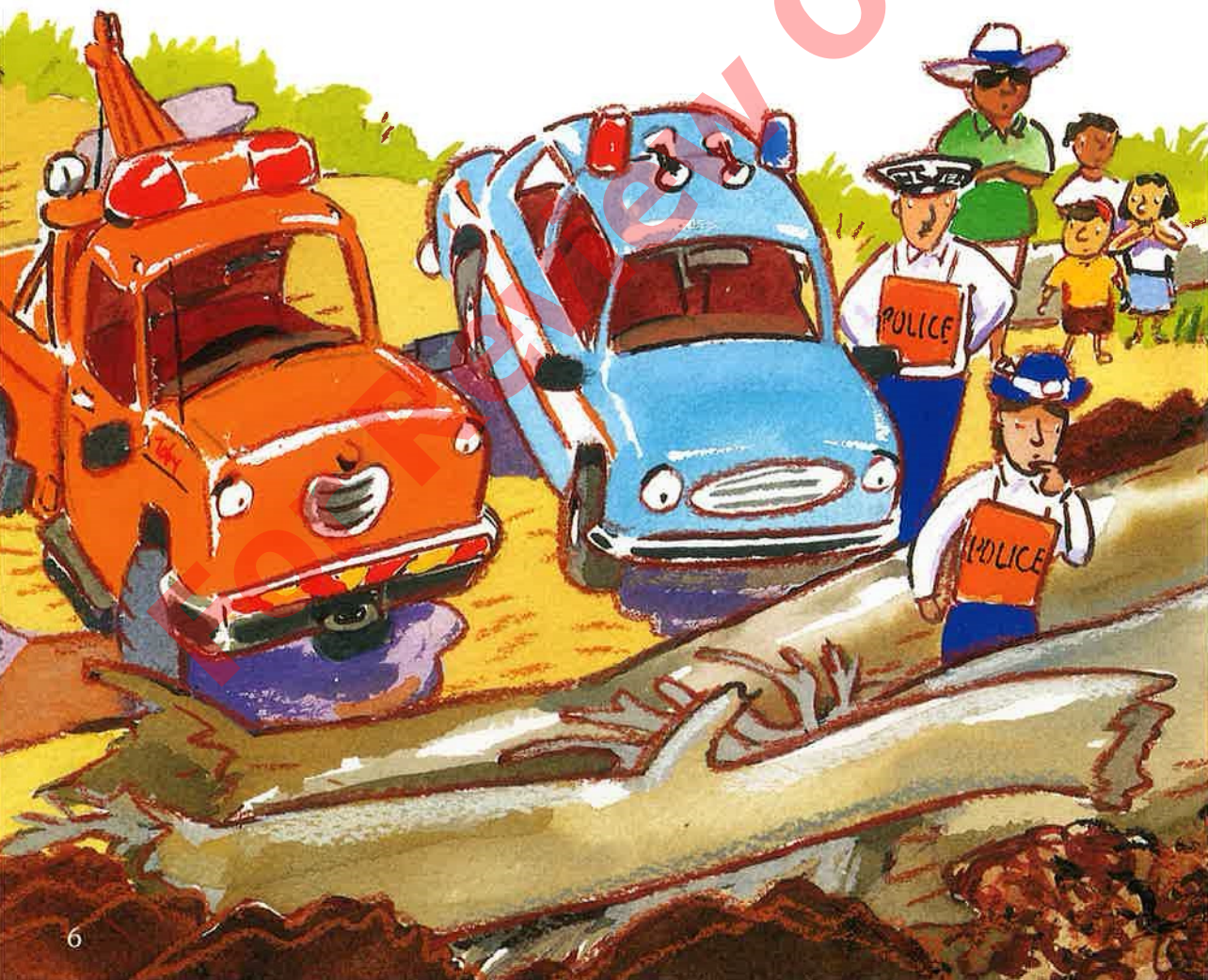
“Slow down, Toby,” called BJ.

They could see the police
waiting for them.



Toby stopped at the end of the road,
and BJ jumped down to have a look.

“The boat has a big hole in its side,”
said the police officer,
“and it will be high tide in an hour.”



The track to the sea
was blocked with huge logs
that had been tossed up during the storm.

BJ climbed over the logs
to have a closer look at the boat.

