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THE LAST DRIVER



AMERICA WAS CREATED AS A **NATION OF FREEDOM**,
UNITED BY ITS FIGHT AGAINST TYRANNY AND A KING
WHO SOUGHT TO CONTROL IT.

BUT THAT FREEDOM WASN'T FOR
EVERYONE, AND THE COUNTRY
EVENTUALLY FELL INTO
CIVIL WAR.



LINES WERE DRAWN, FAMILIES
WERE DIVIDED, AND BROTHERS
DREW BLOOD ON THE BATTLEFIELD.

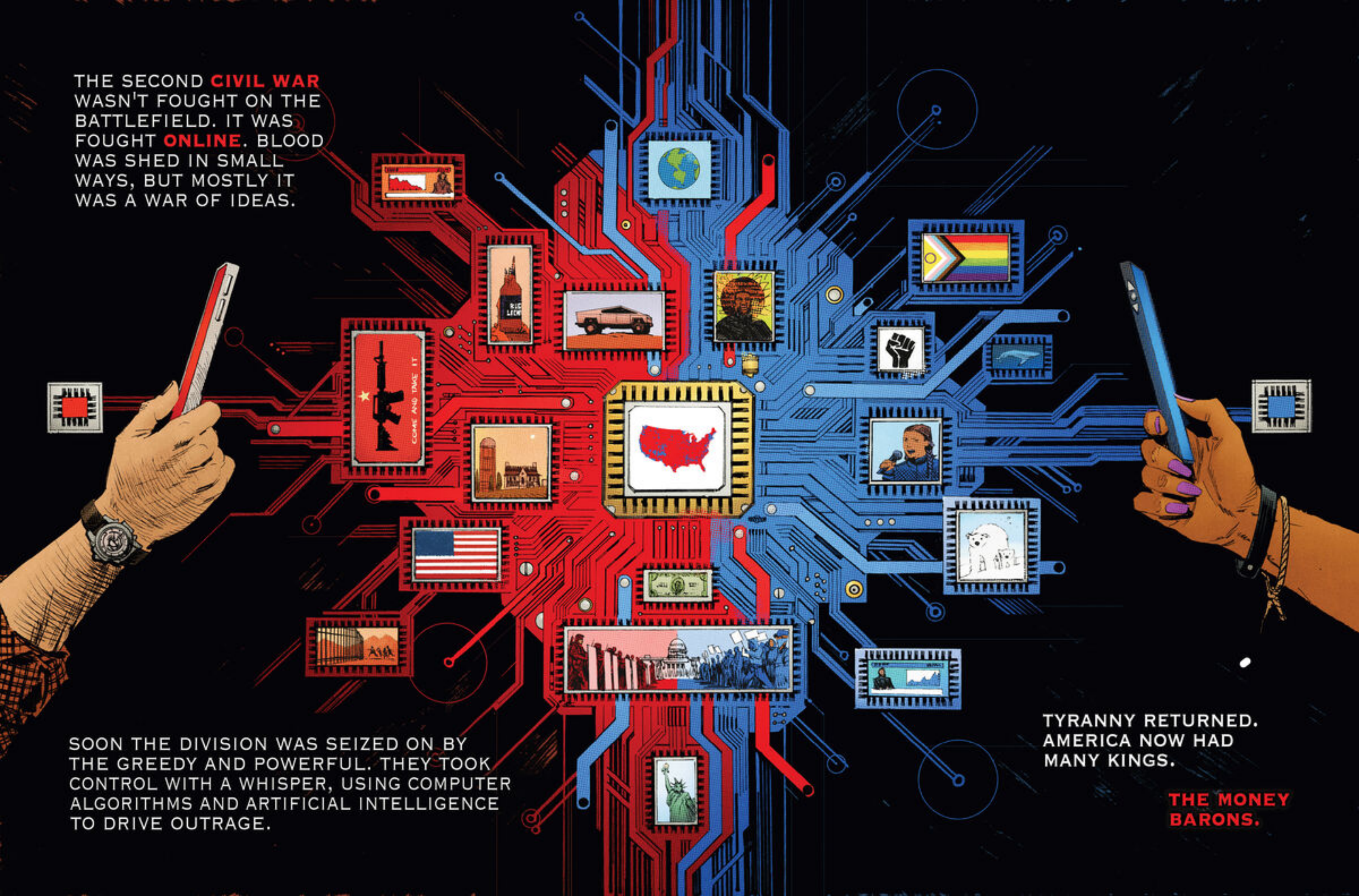
BUT THAT WAS ONLY
THE **FIRST** CIVIL WAR.

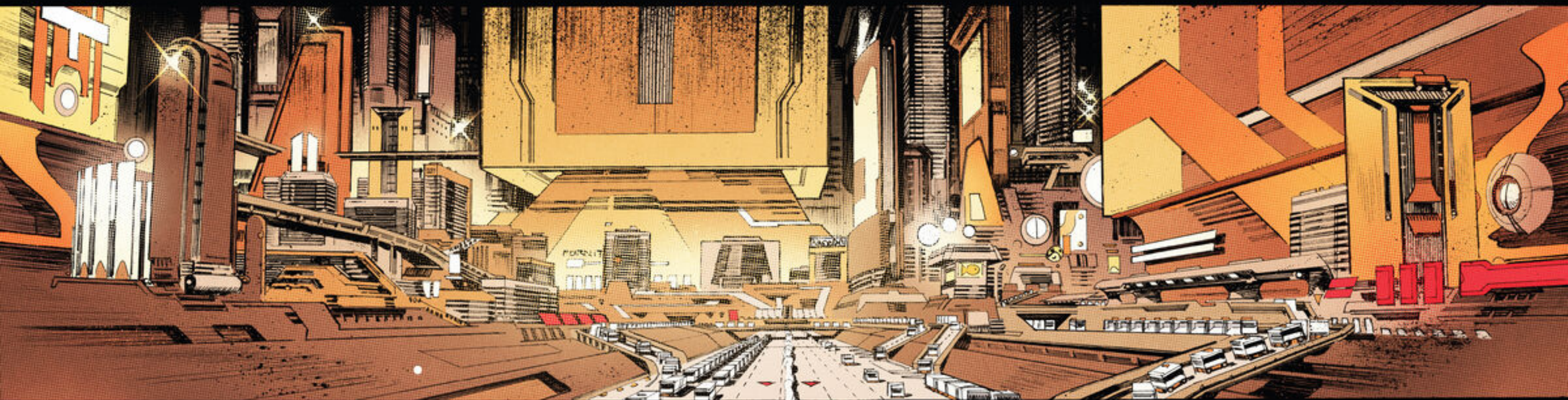
THE SECOND **CIVIL WAR** WASN'T FOUGHT ON THE BATTLEFIELD. IT WAS FOUGHT **ONLINE**. BLOOD WAS SHED IN SMALL WAYS, BUT MOSTLY IT WAS A WAR OF IDEAS.

SOON THE DIVISION WAS SEIZED ON BY THE GREEDY AND POWERFUL. THEY TOOK CONTROL WITH A WHISPER, USING COMPUTER ALGORITHMS AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE TO DRIVE OUTRAGE.

TYRANNY RETURNED. AMERICA NOW HAD MANY KINGS.

THE MONEY BARONS.





THE POOR WERE FORCED TO LIVE IN THE
DESERTS, WHILE THOSE WHO COULD
AFFORD LUXURY LIVED IN **CITIES**.

NOW, THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE AUTOMATED
TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM KNOWN AS **THE GRID**
IS ABOUT TO GIVE THE BARONS COMPLETE
CONTROL OF THE CITIES, AND SHUT OUT
THE PEOPLE IN THE DESERT FOREVER.

AND ONLY ONE
MAN CAN **STOP**
THEM.

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SUSPECT DOES NOT APPEAR TO BE SLOWING DOWN.

OF COURSE HE ISN'T.



WILL THE HUMAN COMMAND OFFICER AUTHORIZE SWITCHING OUR WEAPONS FROM STUN TO LETHAL?

DOESN'T MATTER WHAT I SAY. THE GRID IS GOING TO DO WHATEVER IT WANTS.

THE COST OF DAMAGE TO PODS AND eCOPS IS UNACCEPTABLE.

THE GRID DEMANDS WE TAKE MORE AGGRESSIVE ACTION.

HE'S NEVER GOING TO MAKE IT.

HE USED TO BE FAMOUS.

I HOPE HE CRASHES AND BURNS.

THIS JUST IN-- THE eCOPS HAVE JUST SWITCHED OVER TO THE USE OF LETHAL FORCE!

THERE'S NO STOPPING HIM NOW.

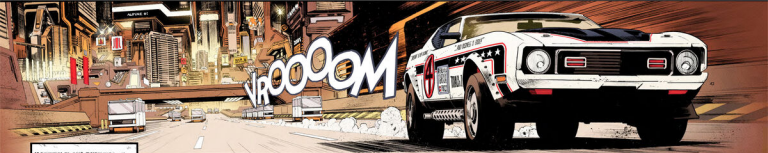


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"PEOPLE REALLY
USED TO DRIVE
THEIR OWN PODS?"



"DRIVIN' IS MY BUSINESS..."



"... AND BUSINESS IS GOOD!"



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HERE COMES
THE MAN CALLED--

WOMACK!!

WATCH
OUT
DRIVERS!!

ROTTLEY
ARTIST
LIFEBO



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