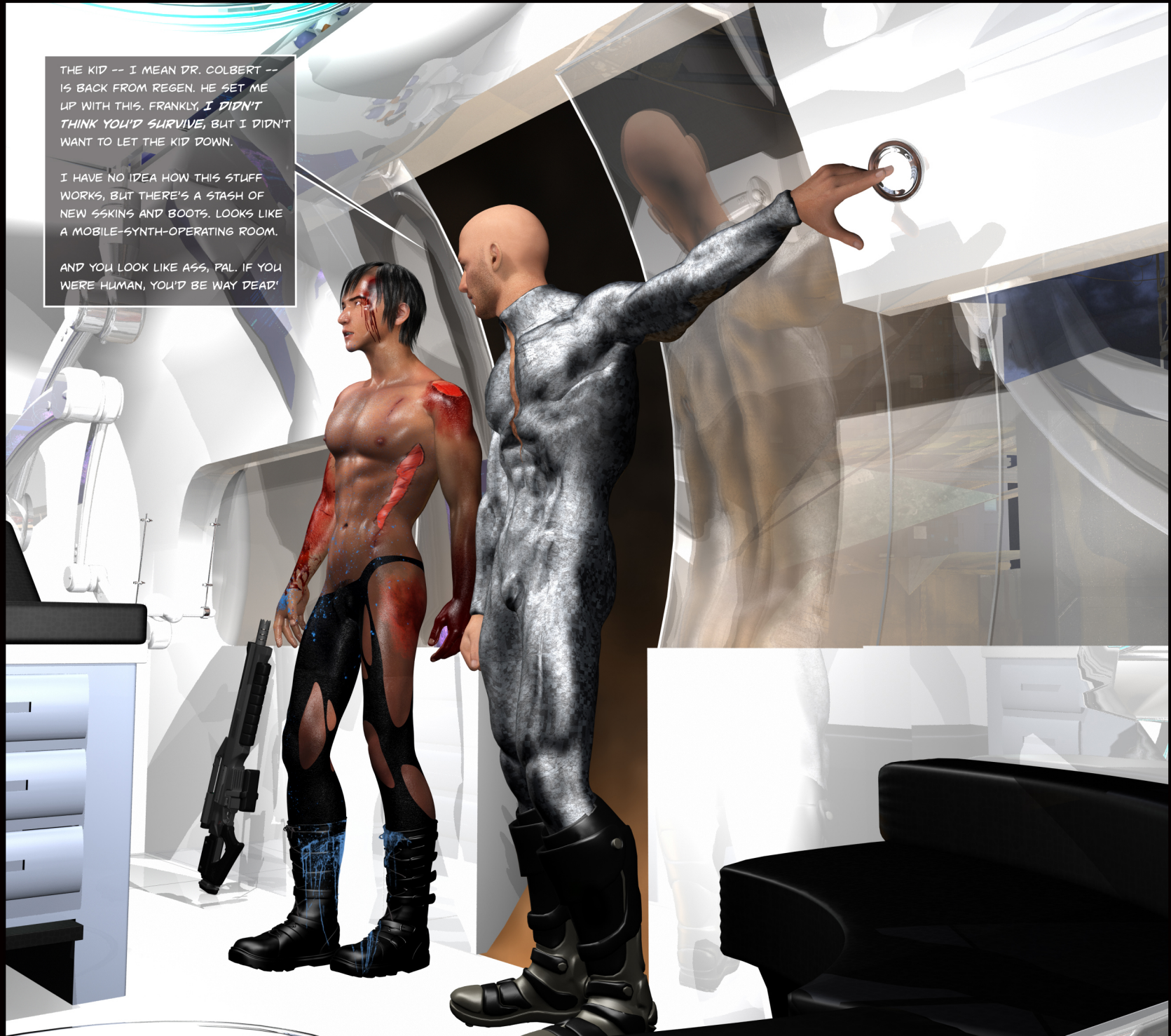


A FEW MINUTES LATER



THE KID -- I MEAN DR. COLBERT -- IS BACK FROM REGEN. HE SET ME UP WITH THIS. FRANKLY, I DIDN'T THINK YOU'D SURVIVE, BUT I DIDN'T WANT TO LET THE KID DOWN.

I HAVE NO IDEA HOW THIS STUFF WORKS, BUT THERE'S A STASH OF NEW SKINS AND BOOTS. LOOKS LIKE A MOBILE-SYNTH-OPERATING ROOM.

AND YOU LOOK LIKE ASS, PAL. IF YOU WERE HUMAN, YOU'D BE WAY DEAD!