



THE FIRST REAL PATIENT HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH THE WAR. IT'S A LITTLE BOY WHO HAS BADLY BURNED HIS FOOT BY FALLING INTO A BREAD OVEN. THIS IS A COMMON TYPE OF HOUSEHOLD ACCIDENT IN AFGHANISTAN. HIS FATHER AND SISTER ARE WITH HIM.



WHILE RÉGIS PREPARES THE ANESTHETIC FOR THE BOY, ROBERT EXAMINES HIS SISTER. HE HAS TO MANAGE THROUGH HER CLOTHING BECAUSE, AS FOR ALL WOMEN, LITTLE GIRLS CANNOT BE UNCLOTHED IN FRONT OF THE DOCTOR.



RÉGIS, ASSISTED BY EVELYNE, A NURSE, AND THE FATHER, GIVES THE BOY AN INJECTION IN THE BUTTOCKS. IF THESE PICTURES HAD SOUND, IT WOULD BE IN THE HIGH NOTES.

