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SPACE  
FROM  
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VICTORY AGAINST  
EVIL GALACTIC EMPIRE!

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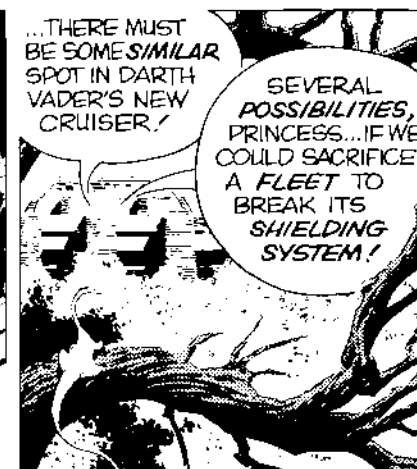
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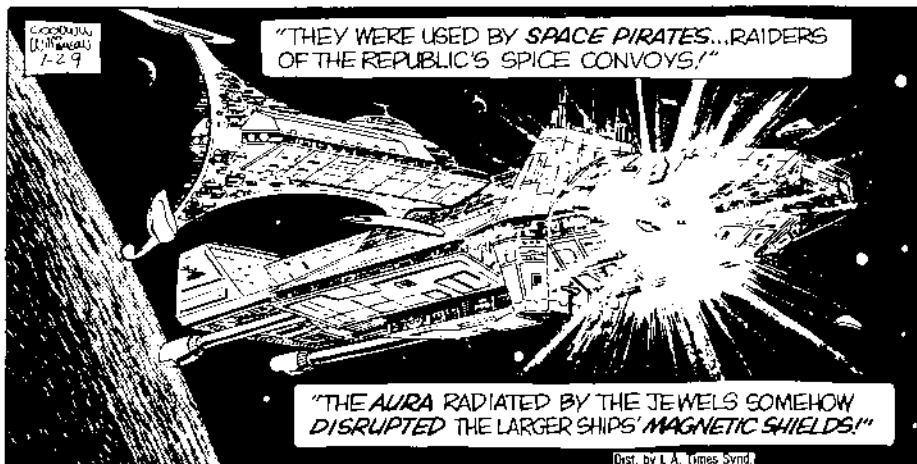
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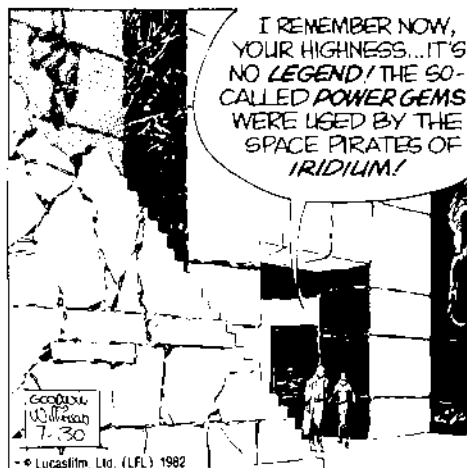
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"THEY WERE USED BY **SPACE PIRATES**...RAIDERS OF THE REPUBLIC'S **SPICE CONVOYS**!"

"THE **AURA** RADIATED BY THE **JEWELS** SOMEHOW **DISRUPTED** THE LARGER SHIPS' **MAGNETIC SHIELDS**!"

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I REMEMBER NOW, YOUR HIGHNESS...IT'S NO **LEGEND**! THE SO-CALLED **POWER GEMS** WERE USED BY THE **SPACE PIRATES** OF **IRIDIUM**!

Goodman Williams 7-30  
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IF THEY CAN **DISRUPT** THE **FORCE SHIELDS**, GENERAL DODONNA... THEY'RE **EXACTLY** WHAT WE NEED AGAINST DARTH VADER'S NEW **CRUISER**!

EXCEPT **JEDI KNIGHTS SMASHED** THE **PIRATE SHIPS**...



...AND THE **GEMS PERISHED** WITH THE **PIRATE SHIPS**!

PERHAPS NOT **ALL**! IF WE **KNEW** SOMEONE **THOROUGHLY FAMILIAR** WITH THE **GALAXY'S OUTLAW ELEMENT**...



I'M AFRAID THE NOTION OF LOCATING A **POWER GEM** TO USE AGAINST DARTH VADER'S NEW **DREADNAUGHT** IS **FANCIFUL**, YOUR MAJESTY! EVEN IF ONE **ACTUALLY** STILL **EXISTS**...



...WHO KNOWS THE **INTERGALACTIC UNDERWORLD** WELL ENOUGH TO **PROWL** THERE AND **UNCOVER** IT?



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written by: ARCHIE GOODWIN drawn by: AL WILLIAMSON

