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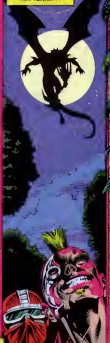
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LOVE IS IN THE
AIR TONIGHT.

EVIL IS IN THE
AIR TONIGHT.

JUSTICE IS IN THE
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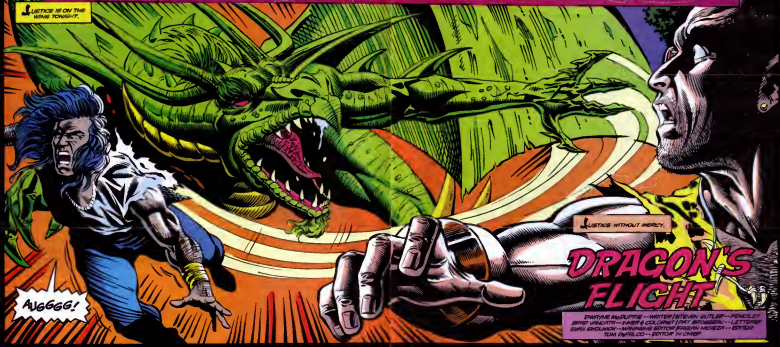
THIS IS BORDER PARK, A ONE-
MILE WIDE STRIP OF GRASS
AND TREES THAT COMPLETELY
SURROUNDS THE TROUBLED CITY
OF OUNOPOLIS.

THIS IS CHARLIE HOY AND MARIE
LEAHY. THEIR PLAN FOR TONIGHT
WAS TO TAKE A ROMANTIC STROLL
THROUGH THE PARK THE GANG OF ELITE
PETITIONERS THAT SURROUNDS THEM
HAS OTHER PLANS.

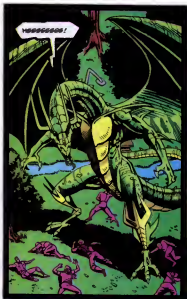
IT DESCRIBES RELENT-
LESSLY, ON IMPOSSIBLY
HUGE WINGS.



JUSTICE IS ON THE
WING TOGETHER.



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THE WARRIOR FORCE THEIR WAY INTO MY BRAIN!
BILLY AND JIMMY, GROWN MEN NOW, GIFTED WITH
THE AWESOME POWER OF THE DRAGON FORCE...
NOW THEY ARE **POSSIBLE DRAGON**.

GENREI, KILLED BY A
THIEF WHO STEALS THE
DRAGON STATUE, SOURCE
OF THE DRAGON FORCE



THE BROTHERS,
TRICKED INTO BATTLING
ONE ANOTHER.

NIGHTFALL, SEEKING
TO STEAL THE DRAGON
FORCE AND FALLING--

--THE DRAGON IS
FREE! UNCHAINED,
UNCONTROLLED!

I CAN FEEL IT OUT
THERE, SEARCHING
FOR NEW PREY!

MY DESIRES
ARE UNIMPORTANT,
THE DRAGON MUST
BE STOPPED!

POLICE HEADQUARTERS,
GLAZEPOLIS SOUTH DISTRICT.

THE RED GLOBES
ON THE HOLOGRAPHIC
MAP MARK THE AREAS
WHERE THE PRISONER
HAVE BEEN SIGHTED.

LOOK AT THE
BRIGHT SIDE,
MARIAN. AT
LEAST WE KNOW
WHERE IT IS.

THERE ARE
THE HIGHEST
CRIME AREAS
IN THE CITY.

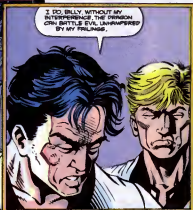
NOT ANYMORE.

PERHAPS
THIS IS FOR
THE BEST--



--WE WERE
CLEARLY
UNWORTHY OF
THE POWER.

SPEAK FOR
YOURSELF,
JIMMY.



I DO, BILLY. WITHOUT MY
INTERFERENCE, THE DRAGON
CAN BATTLE EVIL, UNHAMPERED
BY MY FAILINGS.



AND UNHAMPERED BY
YOUR CONSCIENCE!



THAT THING IS OUT THERE
KILLING PEOPLE. SO
ARE JUST THE BAD GUYS.

BUT IT SEEMS TO
ME THAT YOU GUYS
ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR
WHATEVER IT DOES.















HE'S CLEAR OF THE PRISONERS. I DON'T EVEN WANT TO THINK ABOUT WHAT THAT MUST MEAN...



...AT LEAST IT GIVES ME AN OPENING TO TRY THIS.









HUNH...
HUNH...



DO NOT
FLUTTER
NOW...

...THE POWER
DOES NOT RESIDE
WITHIN THE DRAGON.
THE POWER RESIDES
WITHIN *YOU*.



GHEESH! DIDN'T
THINK I'D HAVE
TO DRAW THEM A
FREAKIN' *ARMP*!



HERE COMES
MARIAN, SHE'S
OKAY!



YOU DID IT!
I'M SO PROUD
OF YOU!

WHAT WE ACHIEVED
WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN
POSSIBLE WITHOUT STRAN, BUT
I DO NOT UNDERSTAND HOW HE
KNOWS ABOUT THE DRAGON FORCE.



EASY, KID. YOUR *MOTHER*
TAUGHT ME. *SHE* WAS
THE DRAGON BEFORE YOUR
GENE! GOT THE GIG.



YOU KNEW OUR
MOTHER?
WE NEVER DID.

SHE DIED IN
CHILD BIRTH.



YEAH, I KNOW,
I WAS *MARRIED*
TO HER.



I GUESS EVEN YOU
TWO CAN FIGURE OUT
WHO THAT MAKES
ME...

NEXT: *WHY?* and
WHEREFORE?