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THE KILLER'S CHARGE TOO LATE
 held him momentarily at bay. The girl sumg to the ground in
one leap, fired gacin theust her arre throukh the eoop of the bidile vein, then tnelt at Bruce's side. The
in her left hand stashed at his bonde.
 vas serered. In relity the whole reacue wae unbolienably sevith.
The man hielped her all he could. "Up-up into the sodde," she
commanded.

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herrelf wp to opostion of security.
The Killerts charge had come fet seconds too late







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