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recruit from the old sod who was walking with
his brother through a railway cut on a pleas-
ant Sunday afternoon. When a train came
up behind them and whistled, the experienced
Irishman clambered up the bank, while his
brother struck off down the track as hard as
he could run, only to be overtaken and tossed
about forty rods by the cowcatcher. The
brother rushed to his side and shouted:—

"Moike, are ye hurted?"

"Sure! I'm killed entirely."

"Why didn't ye climb the bank?"

"Well, if I couldn't bate it on the level,"
snorted the wouldn't Irishman, "how in
thunder could I bate it climbing hills?"

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