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WASHOUT AND DEATH.

Four Men Killed and Several Injured at
Hillhurst Quebec.

MONTREAL, June 20.—The local Grand Trunk-express, bound for Montreal, ran into a washout this morning near Hillhurst, resulting in the immediate death of the Engineer, B. M. Dale, Fireman Reed, Express Messenger H. M. Small and one Caron, of Coaticook. The culvert at that point was washed out, leaving a chasm one hundred feet in length crossed by the rails only. The engine and baggage car passed over, but the second-class car fell in and drew the engine and baggage car with it. The passenger car behind separated, and merely hung down in the chasm without falling.

A gentleman, who was a passenger on the ill-fated train, states that she was going at full speed when brought to a full stop by the unsupported rails giving away under the weight of the cars. The engine and tender were twisted off the metals by the baggage car as it toppled over into the water. The passengers in the foremost passenger car received a rude shaking up, and many of them were more or less seriously bruised, being thrown head over heels from one end of the car to the other. Conductor Monday, Mail Clerk Dennis and A. M. Caron are quite seriously wounded, but will recover.

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