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**DEATH ROLL OF  
U.S. RAILWAYS  
IN 1913,—10,150**

During the Same Period Almost 200,000 Persons were Injured—210,000 Killed in Quarter of a Century

If the railroads of the United States were to pay the maximum legal indemnity of \$10,000 for each life they took during the year ending June 30 last they would disburse \$101,150,000 to widows, orphans, and other dependents of the victims.

The report of railway accidents for the last fiscal year now being prepared by the Interstate Commerce Commission discloses a death roll of 10,150 persons, the greater number of whom were employees. During the same period 190,000 persons were injured in railroad accidents.

**Kill 210,000 in 25 Years**

During the last twenty-five years more than 210,000 persons have been killed on American railroads and more than 2,000,000 injured. The property loss due to wrecks since 1907 totals \$52,000,000.

"The ravages of war pale into insignificance before these silent indications of the destruction of human life accompanying the peaceful operations of our railroads," said an official of the commission, discussing the forthcoming report.

"The causes of death and injury are legion. They include derailments, collisions, boiler explosions, miscellaneous train accidents, and industrial accidents to employees.

**Most Victims Employees**

"Under the present law, railroads are required to report by telegraph to the commission all accidents in which human life is lost. There are more employees killed than passengers, many employees losing their lives in the operation of trains in railroad yards. In wrecks more passengers than employees are killed.

**Weather Improved  
By Church Prayers**

At Least so Think the Congregation of a Baptist Church in Cincinnati

Cincinnati, July 24.—The long drought which threatened the crops in the Ohio Valley has been broken by the rain and the good members of the Lincoln Park Baptist Church are jubilant. The Rev. George Robbins, their pastor, acting as their spokesman, declares that their prayers did it. Some of them call it a million dollar prayer.

The protracted dry weather had broken all records for forty years. Yesterday's downpour, according to the reports of the Chamber of Commerce, saved the crops in the immediate neighborhood valued at more than a million dollars.

The Lincoln Park Baptists had devoted their Sunday services to prayer for rain and the answer had come within twenty-four hours. "It simply shows the efficacy of prayer," says Mr. Robbins.

**PLANE CARRIED  
MAIL 400 MILES**

Aviator Made the Distance Under Trying Conditions In Five Hours

Sydney, N.S.W., July 20.—Aviator Guillaux brought the mails from Melbourne, South Australia, to this city, a distance of 400 miles, yesterday by aeroplane. He made the distance in five hours and twenty minutes, or an average of 75 miles an hour, during his flight, and at one time reached a speed of 105 miles. There was a heavy rainstorm during the flight. Guillaux received an ovation when he arrived here.

There are a surprisingly large number of trespassers killed on American railroads. This class includes persons not employed nor passengers.

**WILL OBSERVE  
100 YEARS' PEACE**

Newfoundland Included In Arrangements For Celebrating Centenary

Mackinac Island, Mich., July 23.—The preparation of the programme for an observation by border states and provinces of one hundred years of peace between Great Britain and the United States was the principal object to a meeting held here of the American peace centenary committee. Among other things it was hoped to bring about the organization of an American-Canadian-Newfoundland committee to co-operate in arrangements for the placing of an international boundary monument and for maritime pageants, including a marine parade from Buffalo to Duluth, touching both Canadian and American ports.

**GERMAN PRINCE  
IN LIMELIGHT**

Warns Fatherland to Prepare to Fight France And Russia

Berlin, July 23.—Crown Prince William is again in the limelight, and once more among the alarmists. He is recommending that all Germans read a recently published pamphlet predicting a great European war.

The pamphlet entitled "Germany's Fated Hour," was written by Col. Probenius. He asserts that all French and Russian armaments are equivalent to preparation for war next spring and urges Germany and her allies to be ready for it.

The Crown Prince telegraphs to Berlin that he has read "this excellent pamphlet with the greatest interest and wishes it to have the widest circulation."

The Vowwaerts prints a letter from a member of the Reichstag, asserting

that the government is drawing up a bill asking for more than \$100,000,000 for strategic purposes, especially for military railways and stock.

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<p><b>LAMP BURNERS LANTERNS and LANTERN GLOBES PAINTS OILS LEADS</b></p>	<p>New shipment of <b>MOLASSES</b> just arrived Prices Right</p>	<p><b>LAMP BURNERS LANTERNS and LANTERN GLOBES PAINTS OILS LEADS</b></p>	<p><b>TINNED PINEAPPLE</b> and <b>APRICOTS</b></p>	<p>Table <b>KNIVES AND FORKS</b></p>	<p><b>KERO OIL LINSEED OIL AXES, STOVES TINWARE</b></p>
<p><b>HORSE HARNESS and TRACES</b></p>	<p><b>BEEF, IRON &amp; WINE SLOAN'S LINIMENT F.P.U. LINIMENT PAIN RELIEVER</b></p>	<p><b>RAISINS CURRANTS</b></p>	<p><b>Wool Cards</b></p>	<p>Pocket <b>KNIVES AND SCISSORS</b></p>	<p><b>HORSE HARNESS and TRACES</b></p>

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