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SEA AND RAIL DISASTERS

After rescuing the crew of the Collier "Student Prince" the coastguards of Fire Island go down to the sea again to watch the vessels fight with the raging seas. She was bound for Halifax when she was driven hard aground in a howling gale. Stuck fast to a sand bar nothing can stop her breaking up in the wind whipped surf. So another veteran of the high seas meets her end. Further west along the bank of the Ohio River tragedy comes to a Pittsburgh-Cleveland train. While travelling at a mile a minute the engine hit a loosened rail and took a header into the river. The cars rolled over and over before they plunged into the stream, but the fatal casualties were remarkably few, five passengers were killed and a hundred and fourteen injured.