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TITLE:- RAIL SMASH.

Picture:- A terrible affair indeed. ... One of the finest railway trains in the world dashing Northwards on its usual splendid daily run, and then - disaster. ... In less --

--then than it takes to tell the whole train was a mass of wreckage.

Coaches were overturned and smashed, many of their occupants being stricken to death instantaneously. ... A terrible thing ! ...

The Scottish Amateur Football Association team had a miraculous escape. ... They were in one of the telescoped coaches, but came through without a scratch. ... The engine driver and --

fireman lost their lives. .. Here is the battered engine. .. One man, a chef --

--was pinned under the wreckage for twenty-one hours before he was found. .. But it was too late ! Despite this tragedy --

--we should remember that the efficiency of the rail services in this country is such that not more than one life in 100,000,000 is ever lost.