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TRAIN SMASH IN U.S.A. :- Many thoroughbred
horses killed in rail crash near Lexington.
-Missouri-

Picture :- The driving rain storm, speeding train, the
broken rail, --

--and a tragedy that affected the whole American racing
world.

The train was on its way from Kansas City to the--
--International Exhibition in Chicago, and some of the
finest horses in--
--the country were being transported. Their car happened
to be near--
--the engine, so their destruction was inevitable, otherwise
they might--
--have been saved. Fourteen cars in all were wrecked,
including an exhibition carriage--
--and other vehicles intended for the show. A sad end for
these noble beasts !