

DEATH TOLL PAST YEAR

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600 roads affected in east and middle states.
Political: United States senate ratified new treaty with Japan.
Political: House approved fortification of Panama canal, appropriating \$3,000,000.
Obituary: Frederick Spielhagen, old school novelist, in Berlin; aged 82.
Obituary: Sam Walter Foss, poet and lecturer, in Cambridge, Mass.; aged 53.
Political: Resolution to elect United States senators by direct vote of the people lost in senate by 4 votes.

MARCH

Convention: Southern commercial congress met at Atlanta.
Obituary: Ellen Wade Colfax, widow of Vice President Schuyler Colfax, at South Bend, Ind.; aged 72.
Fire: Minneapolis, Minn.; loss nearly \$100,000 by the burning of the Syndicate block.
Aviation: Lieut. Bague of France flew over Mediterranean from Antibes, 15 miles from Nice, to island of Gorgona, off Italy, 125 miles, record to date for overseas flight.
Political: President Taft accepted resignation of Richard A. Ballinger as secretary of the interior; Walter L. Fisher of Chicago appointed.
Army and Navy: 19,000 United States soldiers, 15 vessels and 2,000 marines ordered to the Mexican border and garrisoned for military warfare.

Obituary: Rear Admiral J. C. Fremont, U. S. N., son of the late Gen. J. C. Fremont, U. S. A., (The Pathfinder), at Boston; aged 62.
Mexico: 30 federalists and 7 municipal guards killed in battle with rebels near Artega.
Judicial: United States supreme court affirmed constitutionality of the corporation tax.
Disaster: 13 killed under falling walls in Nashville, Tenn.

Obituary: W. D. Bloxham, ex-governor of Florida, at Tallahassee; aged 76.
Frank Work, capitalist, famous lover of horses, who never entered an automobile, in New York city; aged 53.
Aviation: First aero war message delivered at San Antonio, Tex., by Lieut. Ben D. Foulis, U. S. A., who flew 54 miles in 48 minutes.
Mexico: Insurrectos' "Decree No. 13" guaranteed protection to lives and interests of foreigners then in Mexico and reimbursements for losses "as soon as the triumph of the provisional government will have become recognized by the capture of Mexico City."

Personal: Col. Roosevelt opened great Arizona dam bearing his name.
Obituary: Ernest Crofts, R. A., noted painter and keeper of Royal academy, London; aged 64.
Sporting: Teddy Tetzlaff in Lozier car established four world's records at Los Angeles, beating Ralph de Palma, driving a Fiat; 100 mile race finished in 1 hour 14 minutes 29 1/5 seconds.
Battleship: Texas, of Santiago bay fame, sunk by high explosive projectiles in test.
Fire: At Benton, Pa., loss \$200,000 by the burning of a distilling plant.

Obituary: Col. Charles F. Lincoln, cousin of Abraham Lincoln and long connected with federal diplomatic and departmental services, at El Reno, Okla.
Fire: Leavenworth county (Kan.) courthouse; loss \$100,000.
Aviation: Louis Breguet carried 11 passengers two miles in monoplane in France, breaking record to date.
Aviation: Roger Sommer, French biplaneist, broke Breguet's "aerobus" record; carried 12 passengers.
Shipwreck: British Columbia steamer sunk in gale off Vancouver island; 26 lost.

Fire Horror: 146 lost lives in fire at 23-29 Washington place, New York.
Railroad Accident: Atlantic Coast line Dixie Flier wrecked near Ocala, Fla.; killed.
Fire: Nearly \$1,000,000 loss in Minneapolis.
Obituary: Brig. Gen. Ira J. Bloomfield, civil war hero, at Montevista, Colo.; aged 76.
Gen. Hamilton S. Hawkins, veteran of the civil and Spanish-American wars, at Glen Springs, N. Y.; aged 78.

Cyclone: Pennsylvania and New Jersey swept by devastating windstorm extending to North Carolina; St. Lawrence, Pa., practically destroyed.
Aviation: Lieut. Eriar, with passenger, flew in biplane from near Berlin to Hamburg, 140 miles, in 8 hours 30 minutes.
Sporting: C. M. Daniels set new world's swimming record, 2 1/2 for 200 meters in tank at Pittsburgh.
Fire: \$1,000,000 loss at capitol building, Albany, N. Y.

Obituary: Sir Casper Purdon Clarke, former director of Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, in London; aged 65.
Sporting: Bob Burman drove autocar 20 miles in 13 minutes 11 1/2 seconds (31.06 miles an hour, a record) at Pablo Beach, Fla.
Political: James Aloysius O'Gorman, supreme court justice, elected senator from New York.
Sporting: Louis Disbrow at Pablo Beach, Fla., made world auto marks: 50 miles, 37 minutes 23.30 seconds; 200 miles, 2 hours 34 minutes 12 seconds; 250 miles (no previous time for this straightaway, recorded), 8 hours 14 minutes 55 seconds.

Obituary: Otto Ringling, circus man, in New York city; aged 52.
APRIL.
Obituary: Martin Grelf, lyric poet of modern Germany, at Kufstein, Austria-Hungary; aged 72.
Sporting: Oxford won 65th annual boat race from Cambridge, breaking Oxford-Cambridge regatta records.
Personal: Carter H. Harrison elected mayor of Chicago for fifth time.
Political: 62d congress convened; Champ Clark speaker. American-Japanese commercial treaty ratified.

Disaster: 62 men and boys perished in the Pancast mine at Throop, Pa.; 128 lives lost in the Banner mines, Alabama.
Shipwreck: Steamer Iroquois foundered off Coal Island, British Columbia; 20 lives lost.
Obituary: Tom L. Johnson, former mayor of Cleveland, O., noted for his fight for cent railroad fares, in Cleveland; aged 66.
Sporting: National and American league baseball season opened.
Cyclone: Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas and Oklahoma storm-swept; 40 killed, over 300 injured; loss in St. Louis over \$2,000,000.

Obituary: William Keith, landscape painter, at Berkeley, Cal.; aged 72.
Obituary: Denman Thompson, the actor, at West Swaney, N. H.; aged 73.
George Cary Eggleston, author, in New York city; aged 71.
Personal: President accepted resignation of Dr. David Jayne Hill, ambassador to Germany.
Mexico: The 6th United States cavalry ordered by president to protect Americans along Mexican border.
Sporting: P. Krimmel won national gymnastic championship, 147.70 points, in New York. William Quail ran 10 miles

in 51 minutes 53 1/2 seconds in New York; new world's indoor record.
Mexico: Rebels repulsed federalists striving to recapture Agua Prieta. Bullets wounded Americans in Douglas, Ariz.
Convention: National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution in Washington.
Shipwreck: Spanish steamer San Fernando sank off Flapisterre, Spain; 21 drowned.
Personal: Mrs. Matthew T. Scott of Illinois elected president general of National D. A. R.
Obituary: Rear Admiral Richard Inch, U. S. N., retired, at Washington; aged 67.
Harry Penn, artist who made first gift book illustrations produced in this country, at Montclair, N. J.; aged 72.
Sporting: Americans lost deciding international chess match, 6 games to 4; British players won Newnes cup.
Auto Record: Bob Burman did mile in 25.40 seconds, lowering own world's record, 23.12 made day previous. He also beat Barney Oldfield's 2 mile record on same course; time 51.23 seconds.
Sporting: Alfred Shrubbs of England ran 10 miles in 61 minutes 4 seconds, beating Quail's (American) record of 51 minutes 53 1/2 seconds, at Metropolitan rink, New York.

Political: Taft's proposed Anglo-American arbitration treaty unanimously ratified in the Guildhall, London.
Fire: \$2,500,000 loss in Bangor, Me.; 2 dead; business part practically wiped out.
MAY.
1. Naval: The Conqueror, England's 20th Dreadnought, launched.
Convention: Sons of the American Revolution, in Louisville.
2. Political: House of commons voted to curtail house of lords' powers.
Obituary: John Henry Vanderpoel, noted painter and art instructor, in Chicago; aged 64.
Susan P. Fowler, reformer, one of the original "bloomer brigade" organized in 1854, at Vineland, N. J.; aged 87.

Sporting: Zeus, 3-year-old, set new track record at Pimlico by running 7 furlongs in 1:28.
Convention: National peace conference opened at Baltimore by President Taft.
Sporting: William Quail, American distance runner, won world's 15 mile championship in New York, defeating Tom Longboat; time 1 hour 22 minutes 52 3/5 seconds.
Obituary: Mrs. Winfield Scott Hancock, widow of the noted general, near Memphis, Tenn.

China: Cabinet form of government adopted, with Prince Ching premier.
England: First court in King George V. held at Buckingham palace.
Obituary: Col. Thomas Wentworth Higginson, author, historian and soldier, at Cambridge, Mass.; aged 87.
Aviation Disaster: Lieut. J. E. M. Kelly, United States signal corps, killed at San Antonio, Tex.
Mexican Revolution: Juarez was surrendered to the insurgents after several hours' fighting; losses 180 killed, 250 wounded; Madero established provisional capital.

Personal: King George and Queen Mary opened festival of empire at Crystal Palace, London, their first public ceremony and first of coronation festivities.
Convention: International Institute of Agriculture assembly in Rome.
Standard Oil Case: United States supreme court ordered dissolution of Standard Oil company within six months.
Aviation: Speed records with and without a passenger twice beaten in monoplane flights at Rheims. Henry Weymann, American, flew 93.5 miles an hour and Lieut. Fequant, French, 101 miles an hour.

Conventions: United Confederate Veterans' reunion at Little Rock, Ark. Order of the Founders and Patriots of America in Philadelphia.
Fire: \$1,000,000 loss at Portland, Me.
Obituary: W. B. Baker, ex-congressman and father of rural free delivery, at Aberdeen, Md.; aged 71.
Convention: General assembly of Presbyterian church at Atlantic City, N. J.
Sporting: Miss Dorothy Campbell, American, won woman's golf championship of Great Britain.

Naval: Great Britain's first "naval" airship launched.
Obituary: Frederick P. Vinton, noted portrait painter, in Boston; aged 65.
Mexico: Peace agreement between government and insurgents signed.
Aviation Disaster: Henri Maurice Bertheaux, French minister of war, killed and A. E. E. Monis, premier, hurt when monoplane plunged into crowd at Bordeaux, France.
Political: Henry L. Stimson took oath as secretary of war, succeeding Jacob M. Dickinson, who resigned on the 12th.

New York Public Library: New York city's \$9,000,000 public library dedicated and opened.
Political: House of representatives voted to admit Arizona and New Mexico to statehood.
Fire: Chesterville, original home of George Wythe, signer of the Declaration of Independence and said to have been oldest residence in America, burned at Hampton, Va.
Convention: Congress on international arbitration, Lake Mohonk, N. Y.
Political: Porfirio Diaz resigned as president of Mexico.

Navy: Battleship Wyoming, largest in United States navy, launched at Philadelphia.
Aviation: Lieut. Menard, French aviator, set mark by flying with passenger 373 miles in 9 hours 15 minutes in France.
Aviation: Pierre Vedrines finished first in the Paris to Madrid race, winning \$30,000 in prizes.
Personal: Ex-President Diaz left Mexico secretly and embarked at Vera Cruz for Spain.

Fire: Dreamland, Coney Island's largest amusement park, destroyed, loss \$2,000,000.
Sporting: Martin J. Sheridan threw discus 141 feet 4 1/2 inches, beating his 130 record nearly 2 feet.
The Courts: Supreme court found American Tobacco company guilty of violating Sherman anti-trust act and ordered corporation to dissolve unless reorganized.
Railroad Accident: Collision on the C. B. and Q. near McCook, Neb.; 14 killed.

Obituary: W. S. Gilbert, dramatic author and librettist, who wrote "Pinafore," "Patience," the "Mikado" and other favorites, in London; aged 75.
Sporting: Ray Harroun won 500 mile international auto sweepstakes at Indianapolis; time 6 hours 41.8 minutes.
L. Kohlenstein, Finnish runner, made American record for 20 miles at New York; time 1 hour 57 minutes 35 seconds.
Sporting: Sunstar won the English Derby.
JUNE.
1. Sporting: American team defeated English in first match for international polo cup at Meadow Brook, N. Y.; score 4 1/2 goals to 3.

Sporting: H. H. Hilton of Liverpool won the British amateur golf championship by 4 up and 3 to play at Prestwick, Scotland.
Storm: Heavy wind and rain storm swept over northern and central Ohio; many deaths; estimated loss \$3,000,000.
Railroads: \$23,750,000 terminal, world's second largest for use of one railroad, opened in Chicago by Chicago and Northwestern.
Obituary: Edward Harrigan, famous old time actor and playwright, in New York; aged 65.
Mexico: Francisco I. Madero, director

of Mexico, entered Mexico City, the populace showering him with flowers.
Earthquake: Mexico shaken; deaths estimated from 300 to 1,500.
Obituary: Rear Admiral E. D. Roble, U. S. N., retired, veteran who was with Perry in Japan in 1853, in Washington; aged 80.
Sporting: American players won second and decisive international polo match at Meadow Brook, N. Y., defeating English team 4 to 3 1/2.
Obituary: Carrie Nation, temperance champion, in Leavenworth; aged 64.
10-11. Notable electric storm on the Atlantic coast, centering at New York.
Sporting: Alcantara II. won the Prix du Jockey Club race, known as the French Derby, over the Chantilly course.

Convention: International Woman Suffrage alliance in Stockholm; Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt (American) re-elected president.
Flag Day: Tablet unveiled in Philadelphia to Betsy Ross, who made first American flag.
Fire: \$1,000,000 damage in St. Louis manufacturing center.
Obituary: Edward Shippen, rear admiral U. S. N., retired, at Chestnut Hill, Pa.; aged 83.
Prof. Hiram Corson, noted author and educator, at Ithaca, N. Y.; aged 83.

Personal: Gen. Diaz, the self exiled ex-president of Mexico, reached St. Paul.
Sporting: Martin J. Sheridan hurled the discus 141 feet 5 1/2 inches, beating his May record by nearly 2 feet, at Paterson, N. J.
Aviation Disaster: Capt. Princetau, M. Le Martin and M. Lendron, French aviators, killed and two injured in Paris to London race.

Obituary: James Proctor Knott, ex-governor of Kentucky and noted civil war character, at Lebanon, Ky.; aged 82.
Personal: President and Mrs. Taft entertained on silver wedding anniversary.
Political: United States recognized republic of Portugal.
The Maine: First remains recovered from wrecked battleship.
Centennial: Hundredth anniversary of cotton weaving at Fall River, Mass., celebrated.

Coronation: King George gave state banquet. Shakespeare ball in Albert hall, London.
The Olympic: White Star liner reached New York on first trip westward; time 5 days 15 hours 42 minutes.
2. Coronation: King George V. crowned in Westminster abbey; John Hays Hammond represented United States as special ambassador.
Obituary: Rear Admiral Charles S. Norton, U. S. N., at Westfield, N. J.; aged 76.

Anniversaries: The Society of Friends (orthodox) commemorated its 25th yearly meeting at Providence, R. I. Centennial of Venezuela's independence celebrated.
Coronation: Imposing international naval review in honor of the king at Portsmouth.
Explosion: 17 killed by a boiler explosion on the Mississippi steamer St. Joseph at Berkeley Landing, Mo.
Sporting: Grand Prix de Paris won by Marquis de Ganay's As d'Attout.

Obituary: Paul de Longpre, noted painter of flowers, at Hollywood, Cal.; aged 56.
Naval: Russia's first Dreadnought, the Sevastopol, launched.
Sporting: Harry Vardon won English open golf championship at Sandwich, England.
JULY.
1. Heat Wave: Beginning of a spell of intense heat throughout the northern and eastern states.
Fire: Business part of West Salem, Wis.; loss \$500,000.

Obituary: Eugene F. Ware, soldier and poet, at Colorado Springs; aged 70.
Heat Wave: Thermometer 103 in New York, 106 in Topeka; hottest July 4th known in New York.
6. Heat: Fifth day of deadly heat wave in east and middle west.
Convention: Christian Endeavorers at Atlantic City, N. J.
Political: United States, Great Britain, Japan and Russia signed treaty for preservation of the fur seal.

Obituary: Gen. Clement A. Evans, ex-commander United Confederate Veterans, at Atlanta, Ga.; aged 77.
Shipwreck: The Pacific Coast liner Santa Rosa stranded near Point Arguello, Cal.; 30 lost.
Personal: King George V. and Queen Mary welcomed on first visit to Dublin as sovereigns.
Conventions: Elks grand lodge at Atlantic City, N. J. National Educational association in San Francisco.

Train Wreck: Federal express, Washington to Boston, crashed down embankment at Bridgeport, Conn.; 12 killed, 50 hurt.
Convention: Mystic Shrine in Rochester, N. Y.
Fire: Osoda and Ausable, Mich., practically destroyed.
Aviation: Harry N. Atwood reached Washington, having flown from Boston, 658 miles, winning a New York Times trophy and establishing a long distance American record.

Fire: South Waterboro, Me., burned; loss \$300,000.
Personal: Edward, eldest son of King George V., installed as Prince of Wales. Tablet to "Founder" William Penn unveiled in Church of All Hallows, London.
Naval: First cruiser for China's modern navy launched.
Mine Disaster: Explosion killed 21 at Sykesville, Pa.
Aviation: Oleslagers, Belgian aviator, made a world's record of an uninterrupted flight of 333 miles at Brussels; previous record held by Tabuteau, 362 miles.

Convention: International Order of Good Templars in Philadelphia.
Naval: The annual naval war game began off the New England coast.
Obituary: Charles Walter Stetson, noted artist, in Rome; aged 63.
Anniversary: 50th anniversary of first Bull Run battle celebrated at Manassas, Va.
Aviation: Marcel Lorian flew 454 miles, remaining aloft 2 hours 45 minutes, then a distance and duration record.

Political: Senate passed Canadian reciprocity bill, 63 to 27.
Heat: Most oppressive in Paris in 25 years; thermometer registered 104 in Berlin.
Conflagration: Fires in the Stamboul district of Constantinople caused a loss of \$5,000,000 and left 100,000 people homeless.
Obituary: W. E. M. Hicks, last survivor of Seminole war, at Flint, Tenn.; aged 87.
Political: President signed bill for reciprocity with Canada.
Aviation: Andre Beaumont won \$50,000 prize for circuit of Great Britain race of 1,010 miles; Vedrines second.

Storm: Typhoon and tidal wave destroyed 12,000 houses and 500 lives in Japan.
Haiti: Revolutionists in possession of all cities on island but the capital; United States warships ordered to patrol coast.
Aviation: St. Croix Johnstone stayed in air 4 hours 1 minute and a fraction, breaking American record to date.
Obituary: Edward M. Shepard, noted lawyer and Democratic leader, at Lake George, N. Y.; aged 61.

Railroad Accident: 16 killed and 30 injured.
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