

**11.—Passengers, Employees and Others Killed or Injured on Steam Railways, 1939-48**

NOTE.—Figures for 1919-38 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1922-23 edition.

Year	Passengers		Employees		Others <sup>1</sup>		Totals	
	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1939.....	1	362	58	5,170	240	583	299	6,115
1940.....	6	378	59	6,231	235	606	300	7,215
1941.....	10	652	106	7,999	287	895	403	9,546
1942.....	44	779	120	10,008	279	743	443	11,530
1943.....	9	546	130	12,667	202	706	341	13,919
1944.....	8	562	103	13,187	242	630	353	14,379
1945.....	10	499	98	13,147	246	705	354	14,351
1946.....	3	526	105	11,406	219	706	327	12,638
1947.....	35	464	103	10,620	262	755	400	11,839
1948.....	15	351	99	9,980	271	825	385	11,156

<sup>1</sup> Includes trespassers walking along tracks, stealing rides, etc., and persons crossing tracks at level crossings.

These accidents include all those in which railway trains were involved and accidents on railway property. The classification of accidents used in the Dominion Bureau of Statistics vital statistics treats collisions between motor-vehicles and trains as motor-vehicle accidents; provincial statistics also class them as motor-vehicle accidents and, consequently, adjustments should be made when compiling total accidental deaths of all kinds or comparing results of accidents of different kinds, such as train and motor-vehicle.

**12.—Persons Killed or Injured on Steam Railways, 1946-48**

Class of Person and Description of Accident	Accidents resulting from Movement of Trains, Locomotives or Cars					
	1946		1947		1948	
	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured	Killed	Injured
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Class of Person—</b>						
Passengers.....	2	349	34	355	15	284
Employees.....	90	2,844	77	2,963	76	2,906
Trespassers.....	89	94	95	89	103	74
Non-trespassers.....	123	469	163	524	157	551
Postal clerks, expressmen, etc.....	—	24	—	53	1	26
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>3,780</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>3,984</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>3,841</b>
<b>Description of Accidents (Employees and Passengers only)—</b>						
Coupling and uncoupling.....	6	120	1	173	6	146
Collisions.....	32	229	41	249	29	223
Derailments.....	5	56	5	71	11	44
Locomotives or cars breaking down.....	—	3	4	4	—	1
Falling from trains or cars.....	3	123	10	101	7	139
Getting on or off trains.....	1	632	4	655	6	734
Struck by trains, etc.....	26	53	23	48	25	56
Overhead and other obstruction.....	1	30	3	32	—	36
Other causes.....	13	1,947	20	1,955	7	1,811
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>3,193</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>3,318</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>3,190</b>
	<b>All Other Accidents</b>					
<b>Class of Person—</b>						
Stationmen.....	3	1,300	1	1,246	—	897
Shopmen.....	3	3,115	10	2,963	8	2,720
Trackmen.....	7	2,828	5	2,550	9	2,594
Other employees.....	2	1,319	10	898	6	863
Passengers.....	1	177	1	109	—	67
Others.....	7	119	4	59	10	174
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>8,858</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>7,855</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>7,315</b>