

CAMERAS AID ROAD SAFETY

Car accidents were numerous as usual on the eve of the Mind That Child campaign. Paramount cameramen on the scene soon after these ^{week-end} crashes secured timely pictures underlining the fact that 764 children were killed last year.

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Total deaths on the road ^{exceeded} ~~were~~ 5500; total casualties ~~were~~ well over a quarter-million.

Dutch ~~traffic~~ police-cars incorporate cameras in an experimental evidence-gathering campaign. The police know that in ~~road~~ road accidents ^{over} no one is to blame; ~~it's~~ it's always the other man.

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²⁰ cameras, ⁵⁰ With flashlight headlamps for night, ^{So small film photography of 1/2 length} ~~are being~~ tried out. When they see reckless driving ⁴ ~~the police~~ switch on the camera. Out of the dark room comes clear proof. As the speed of the overtaking offender was equalled by the following police car, a picture of whose own speedometer is ingeniously ~~included~~ included in the photograph, the driver hasn't a leg to stand on. When it's dark the electronic flashlight in the headlamp comes into use. In case all this seems to be too one-sided motorists can point out that, given the right kind of roads, the accident problem would largely take care of itself.... Meanwhile, alas, every picture tells a story.

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