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One thoughtless moment that may mean a life-time of suffering. ~~Carelessness~~

Carelessness, too, opens the door to danger and death. ~~Careless~~

~~READ THE NEW HIGHWAY CODE - ^{Read the new} - ^{that is the advice of} ~~the~~~~
~~Minister of Transport, Mr Boyd Carpenter~~ "Highway Code" ~~Minister of Transport~~

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This safety drive co-incides with the Golden Jubilee of the Automobile Association ~~the pioneers of road travel~~. In 1909, the Association

^{how effectively} demonstrated ~~that~~ motor cars could transport troops, when their members conveyed a Guards Battalion from London to Hastings. A history-making event that forms part of the ~~Jubilee~~ celebrations.

Even "Old Bill" (one of the 1914 veterans) was on parade - though times don't seem to have changed at all.

~~As we look back to those early days of road transport - It is significant that in 1909 (when figures were first recorded) there were ~~only~~ 27,161~~

road casualties. The alarming 1954 total was 233,310. ~~That is a~~

~~staggering increase in the number of people killed and injured on our roads last year.~~

~~This terrible problem that cannot be dismissed by a shrug of the~~

^{YES,} ~~responsibility~~ The responsibility for road safety rests with us all....

~~It is our duty to do our best to prevent such accidents.~~
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WHEREVER YOU GO WALK, RIDE AND DRIVE WITH CARE.

