

# Distracted Driving



The first documented case of distracted driving occurred on June 6, 1959, when an engineer named Oolong accidentally put his locomotive in forward instead of reverse, causing extensive damage to the infrastructure of Flotsam's Mistake, Missouri. Oolong readily admitted to enjoying a nice, hot bath while operating his vehicle. But when the mayor tried to make him pay for the damage, he learned just how powerful Oolong's boss, the Santa Fe Railroad, was. In the end, the only charge municipal officials could make stick to the engineer was disrespecting a No Parking Zone.