

GHOST AUTO EXPLAINED BY SUTTER FARMER

Fred Dahling, Sutter County grower and radio student, believes he has solved the insistent reports given out by autoists that a "ghost automobile" is to be frequently observed by night travelers approaching "death curve" on the state highway near Lomo. While the majority of those to whom the ghost automobile story was recited took no credence in it, Dahling set to work to fathom it.

Dahling observed that the railroad track which runs past death curve is intersected by an irrigation ditch just above the curve. To his mind the converging rails and the water of the irrigation ditch form a sort of mirage in which is reflected the automobile driven by the parties who have observed the ghost automobile on approaching the curve.

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