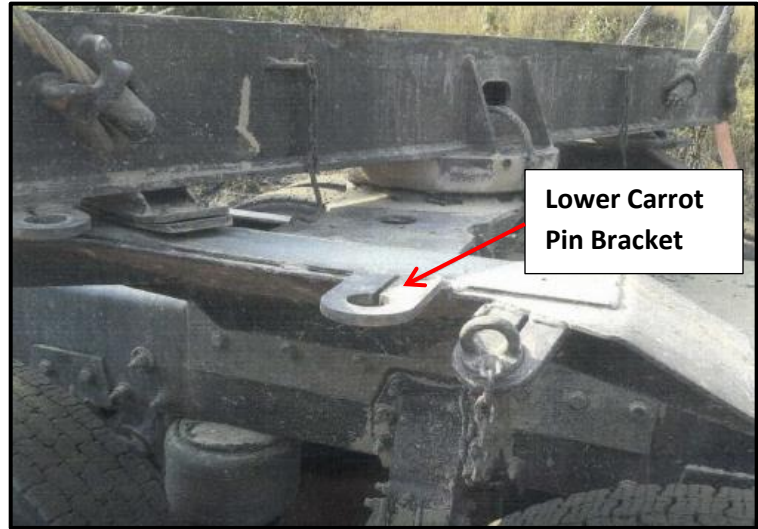


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Carrot Pin Bracket Strikes Public Vehicle On Highway



Summary:

A logging truck driver heard the sound of a blown tire, and pulled over. While inspecting the tire, the driver of a public vehicle approached the logging truck to explain that a piece of metal had flown off the logging truck, and broke through the hood of the vehicle on the driver's side. Upon further investigation, the logging truck driver discovered that a carrot pin bracket was missing off the forward bunk.

Further Information & Suggestions:

- Remove the carrot pin from the bracket while the truck is loaded.
- Complete pre & post trip inspections on logging trucks, and correct identified issues.
- Schedule routine maintenance inspections to inspect all welds, including carrot pin welds.

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