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Recently, there was a most remarkable accident at the Don Bridge, Inverurie, when a van came in contact with the round pillar-a relic of the old Don bridge and the adjoining para-

The pillar was all but de-molished and part of the parapet dislodged.

The driver of the van was uninjured but the van had a burst tyre, damaged headlamp, door and wing.

Workmen from the Grampian Regional Council have carried out the restoration of the pillar and parapet and they deserve full marks for their effort. It really is a work of art.

That Got Away

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Great Success

The recent Bailies of Benachie Annual Summer Rally

was a great success.
Usually held at the back o' Bennachie, it was, this year, held in a large field at Esson's Croft car park, kindly lent by Mr McWilliam.

An estimated crowd of 600 turned up to be welcomed by Senior Bailie James McKay.

However, around 2 p.m., as the bailies and their friends were arriving, a tremendous thunder-plump hit the area and all they could do was sit in their cars or take what little shelter there was.

Then "Mr Weather Clerk" must have relented because by 3 p.m. when the rally was due to start, the sun came out and the sky was blue - one of the best afternoons for quite some time

There were many re-unions and the lovely hot bradies and other food were soon "de-molished" and the large com-pany enjoyed the appearance at the microphone of Maitland Mackie Esq., Lord Lieutenant of Aberdeenshire.

John Mearns from our "ain" area, one of Scotland's greatest entertainers, was present and other speakers were Mr Grant e arrived and the evergreen Dr D. Gordon, Past Senior Bennachie

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