Stop Me If Youâ€™re Heard This One

Description

It sounds like a cute commercial, but it was realâ€¦on Rush on Monday of this week. The last three sentences are a keeper as a set:

> Story #6: Wrecking Ball Snaps Loose, Wreaks Havoc
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> RUSH: By the way, imagine this. Youâ€™re walking along, minding your own business â€" youâ€™re in Meadville, Pennsylvania â€" and all of a sudden, no, itâ€™s not an airplane crashing into your sidewalk. A wrecking ball is rolling down the sidewalk in the street right at you! A 1500-pound, three-feet wide wrecking ball broke loose of a crane cable, rolled nearly a mile downhill. Imagine youâ€™re out walking and you just hear this thing and you turn around and say, â€œWhoa! What is this?â€• It mashed more than a dozen vehicles, and it injured three people â€œas it bounced from curb to curb across the street, and slammed into the back of a car stopped at an intersection. That force caused a chain reaction with two other cars at the traffic light. The driver, an Allegheny college junior, said he thought a car had hit him when his back windshield exploded. The wrecking ball finally came to lest in the trunk of a car and pushed it nearly 20 feet.â€•
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> I want to know what kind of car has a trunk big enough to handle a 1500-pound wrecking ball. Well, itâ€™s three feet wide. Ah, itâ€™d probably fit in a Prius. Do Priuses have trunks, or is that where the battery is? I have no clue. â€œWorkers had been using the wrecking ball to demolish part of a library at Allegheny College when the cable snapped.â€• Actually, you should have seen this: a whole bunch of people were running after this wrecking ball like crazy. They werenâ€™t trying to stop it. They were trial lawyers throwing out business cards like confetti all over the place.

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Iâ€™m sure some insurance agent is contemplating a new career right about now.

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