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So That's What the Holdup Is

MY SON AND I were going down a country road in an Amish area when a big dump truck slowed us down to almost a crawl. We were puzzled as to what was going on.

We rode this way for a while, then the truck turned off and we saw what'd been causing it to go so slow—a team of two Belgian horses traveling alone.

They kept trotting along until the one on the left

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