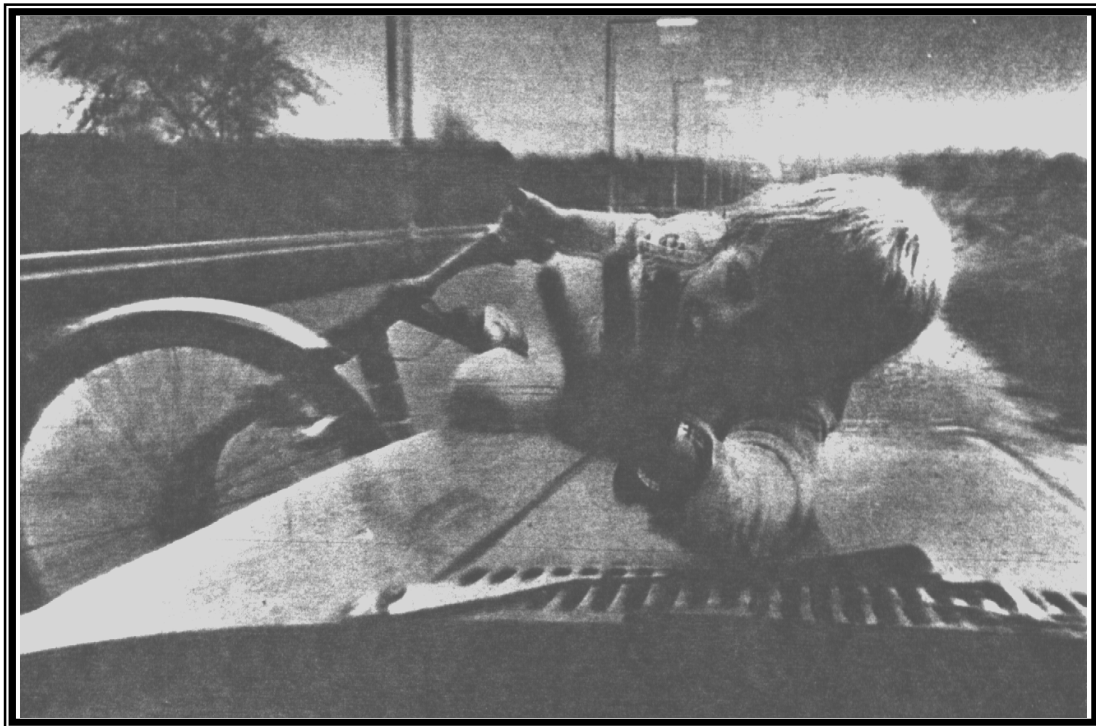


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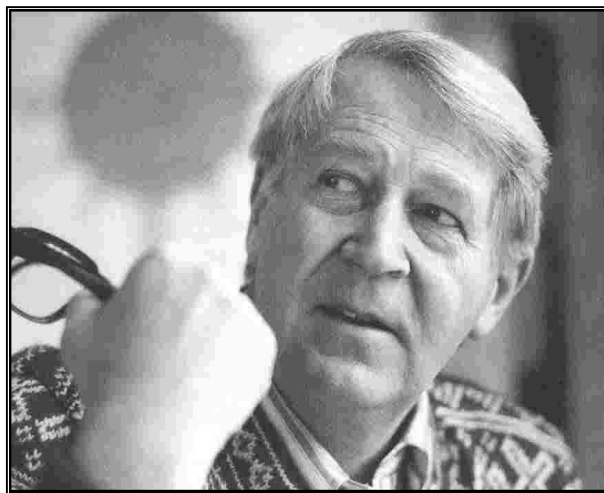
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" Road traffic accidents are one of the biggest causes of death in the highly motorized countries and they tend to affect the younger members of the population and particularly young males. It is of vital importance that we, as ophthalmologists, should keep this problem under close review so that we can play our part in reducing this form of mortality and of morbidity".

A G Cross (1966)



Jørgen B. Dalgaard (1918-2002) in memoriam.

To my three children Jakob, Thomas and Ditte; to the thankful memory of my parents, and to the honored memory of the late professor dr. med. Jørgen B. Dalgaard, The Institute of Forensic Medicine, University of Aarhus, Denmark in appreciation of his legendary and inspiring pioneer work for Danish traffic-medicine.

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