

# RETONGA HAS KEPT HIM FIT, SAYS N. C. MAN

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Hundreds of grateful men and women throughout North Carolina are praising Retonga. Among the latest is Mr. J. C. Wallace, Sr., expert machinist for the Whitin Machine Works, who resides at the Piedmont Hotel, Charlotte, who states:

"My trouble seemed to be what we used to call auto-intoxication. I had no appetite, and at times I felt so weakened and high strung it looked like I would cave in completely. My tongue was badly coated and I would go for days at a time without wanting a bite. Everything tasted so much alike I could not have told one meat from another. I was practically a slave to laxatives. I felt so miserable and all-in that I hardly see how I kept going.

"Retonga gave me such remarkable relief that I was soon feeling better than in years. Ever since then I have taken a little Retonga each Spring and Fall, and I feel fine. Every time I hear anyone speak of suffering from acid indigestion, sluggish elimination, or feeling jittery and run-down, I

# STATE COLLEGE ANSWERS TIMELY FARM QUESTIONS

QUESTION—Is there such a thing as a white blueberry?

ANSWER—According to E. B. Morrow, research associate professor of Horticulture at State College, most so-called white blueberries are usually pinkish white rather than pure white. They are relatively rare, and in his observations, he states that he has only found one which was collected near the Bluff Park on the Blue Ridge Parkway some years ago. There has also been some heard of and found in the vicinity of Magnolia, N. C.

White blueberries are of no particular interest commercially, but they might be of some value in studying the inheritance in blueberry crosses. The simplest way to put it, he states, is to say they are probably similar to the Albino in the human race and probably just as rare in occurrence.

QUESTION—What causes the early dropping of tomato blossoms?

ANSWER—There have been considerable requests for this question to the Horticulture Department at State College, and M. E. Gardner, head of the department, attributes the early droppings of blossoms this year to excessively dry, hot weather when some of the earlier plants were blooming.

If you have not noticed any recovery of your plants since the weather became more seasonable, you may write to the Horticulture department for additional information.

QUESTION—How can I control cockroaches with the use of DDT?

ANSWER—Spray with a 5 per cent oil or dust with 10 per cent and runways, paying close attention to loose baseboards and moldings, under and around sinks, in and behind cupboards, dark stor-

age cabinets, etc. According to James T. Conner, Extension Entomologist at State

College, DDT may not be more effective than other recommended materials for cockroaches and at

# HEREFORD BRINGS WORLD'S HIGHEST PRICE



Grand Champion "Rollo" brings world's highest price paid by C. R. Rew, Manufacturer of Gem Dandy Electric Churns (upper right) at Birmingham Annual Fat Stock Show. The steer was donated to the Cancer Drive by Rev. Pictured above center is 4-H Club member J. Lee Alley, who exhibited the steer, receiving a kiss from his mother, as Gene Autry, who auctioned the steer, looks on.

Grand Champion of the Birmingham, Alabama Annual Fat Stock Show set a world record price for polled Hereford steers, according to announcement made by H. I. Herbert, editor and publisher of International Polled Hereford Magazine.

Grand Champion "Rollo" brought \$5.05 on the auction block. Previous world record was more than \$4.00. The world's highest price was paid by C. R. Rew, President,

Alabama Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of Gem Dandy Electric Butter Churns for farm use. The steer was donated to the Cancer Drive by Rew, who is known as the "Churn King."

"Rollo" was exhibited by 4-H Club members J. Lee and Lawrence Alley of Midway, Bullock County, Ala. The total price, \$5,373.20, will be used by the boys for a college education.

# DDT SUGGESTIONS GIVEN IN BULLETIN

"DDT and Suggestions for Its Use", a new bulletin just issued by the State College Extension Service is now available for general distribution.

Prepared by James T. Conner, Jr., Extension Entomologist at State College, the bulletin contains many helpful suggestions to the farmer or housewife for combating insects affecting man and animals, as well as vegetable and field crops. Since there are different treatments recommended for different insects and pests, the bulletin contains recommended treatments for most common insects.

Since research in DDT is still in the experimental stage, there are certain "don'ts" which must be observed in the use of the substance. These have been included in the bulletin as safety precautions to the many people who use DDT.

Other important items such as DDT effects on plants, beneficial insects, and health factors involved in its use as well as various mixtures for a solution of a certain strength are also given.

Free copies of the publication

Just seventy-two hours may be expected before results are noticed. Repeated applications at regular intervals over a period of several months may be necessary for complete control.

# Local Agent Temporarily Supplies Canton Office

Mr. Herbert Gibson, Southern Railway agent in Sylva, is temporarily relieving Mr. F. W. West in the Canton office of the Southern. Mr. West is taking a forced absence because of illness.

Mr. J. W. Crawford, agent of Addie, is supplying for Mr. Gibson in the Sylva office.

are available from the Agricultural Editor, State College Station, Raleigh. Requests should be made for "DDT and Suggestions for Its Use" (Revised) Extension Circular No. 291.

# ST JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Schedule of Masses  
Andrews, 2nd Sunday, 8 a. m.  
Bryson City, every Sunday, 8 a. m.  
Canton, 5th Sunday, 8 a. m.  
Cherokee, 3rd Sunday, 8 a. m.  
Fontana Village, every Sun., 11 a. m.  
Franklin, every Sunday, 8 a. m.  
Highlands, every Sunday, 11 a. m.  
Murphy, 1st Sunday, 8 a. m.  
Sylva, 4th Sunday, 8 a. m.  
Rev. A. F. Rohrbacher, Pastor

# Singing Convention At Locust Field Church

The monthly singing convention of the Savannah district will meet with the Locust Field Baptist church on Sunday, July 27, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The public is invited, and all singers are asked to come and take part on the program.

# EYES EXAMINED

# Glasses Fitted

DR. ALDEN C. DOWNS

will examine eyes and fit glasses in Sylva at the Carolina Hotel Friday, Aug. 1, from 9 o'clock to 4 o'clock.

If you have eye trouble or don't see well you should consult Dr. Downs on above date.

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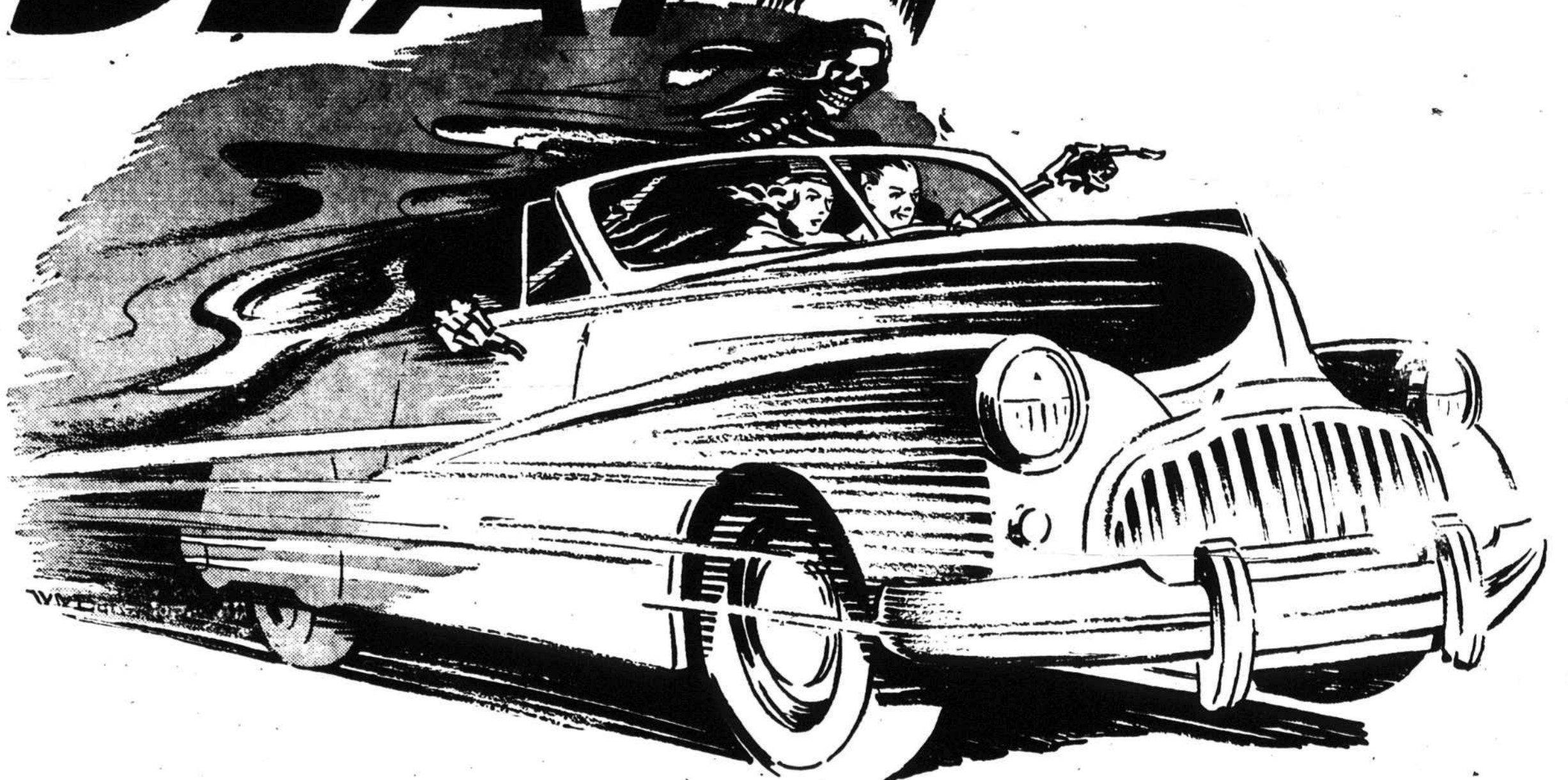
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Last year, 33,500 persons—drivers, riders and pedestrians—died in automobile accidents. That's about one death every fifteen minutes. More than a million were injured, many of them maimed or crippled for life. This year the toll will be even greater, approaching an all-time high of 40,000 deaths—unless you, Mr. and Mrs. Driver, call off this daily rendezvous with Death.

You can do your part to help stop this highway slaughter by personally striving for an accident-free record. Drive carefully at all times. Be considerate of other drivers and pedestrians. Gauge your speed to highway conditions and traffic requirements.

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