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### POOR PRINCETON MOTOR LOGIC

The vision of Princeton University seems to have narrowed since Woodrow Wilson dropped the reins. President John Grier Hibben now trying to sound the death knell of the automobile for college undergraduates. While the professor feels that no legislative action should be taken, he would have parents discourage the use of the automobile by their sons, believing that the value of "simplicity in living and the elimination of unnecessary luxuries" should be implanted in the youthful mind. It is a pretty fallacy, but one that will not take root in the thinking mind. The automobile is not an unnecessary luxury today. It is as much a part of life as the safety razor. It is a necessity. It permits the workman to live in God's fresh air instead of being housed in the sweltering tenements of the cities. It gives forty league boots to the farmer, and provides recreation to the hardworked farmer's wife; it brings the conveniences of the towns to the doors of the villages, and carries the product of the country freshly to the mouths of the undernourished childlike of the nation. College students cannot begin too soon to know what the automobile means to civilization, to commerce, to health and to life, and the best way to know the automobile and to sense its blessings and its dangers is to own and operate one. The few days of youthful joy riding and hilarity soon pass; indeed, it is doubtful if anything is more calculated to bring the harum scarum youth to his senses quicker than a motor car. If the college trains the mind to analysis as it properly should, then the student can have no better influence than his professors and his little car. The appreciation of simplicity does not mean a dilligence to submit to the inconveniences of the dark ages. Fancy in the days of Martha Washington if the girls had been frowned on because they liked to own electric washing machines. Let us hope the day will soon come when everyone will own a car. Prof. Hibben should not throw sand in the gears.

### RETIREMENT AT 3-SCORE

Secretary of the Navy Denby advocates the retirement of naval officers at the age of 60 instead of 64 as at present, and he has drafted a bill for introduction in Congress that will amend the law to that effect. It is a wise change. If the personnel of the Navy is to be cut down, it is better to cut off the older officers than to deny commissions to the younger graduates of the Naval Academy.

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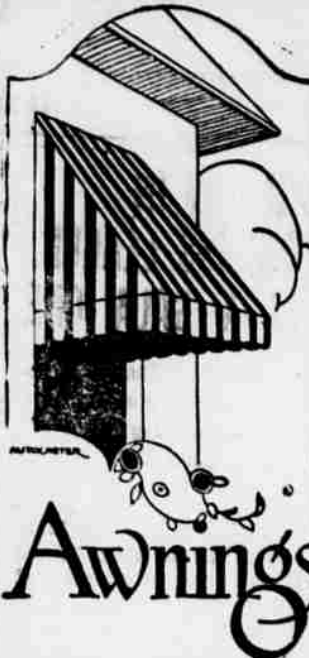
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ed the District Conference of the M. E. Church, South, at Paris. Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Sult and two daughters were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sparks, at Morgan. Mrs. J. A. Collins and son, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gault at Washington last week. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Grover, of Carlisle, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cracraft. Miss Wenonah Sult came from Millersburg to spend the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Sult. Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Swarts and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wiggins and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wiggins. G. P. Swarts of this place and Miss Italia Wheatley, of Winchester, O., were married in Maysville Wednesday. The bride was a former resident of this place. They are at home at the groom's farm. E. L. Donovan and Miss Vivian Bramel were married in Maysville Saturday by Rev. O. C. Seavers. The bride is our popular school teacher in the primary room. The Easter program given by the M. E. Sunday school was enjoyed by a large audience Sunday morning. The meeting in progress at the M. E. church is being attended by appreciative audiences. The chair with J. L. Henson, of Germantown, as leader, makes fine music. The M. E. Church, South, of this place and the Shannon church are in revival services at Shannon. Rev. Howard, of Germantown, is assisting the pastor, Rev. Howard, of this place.

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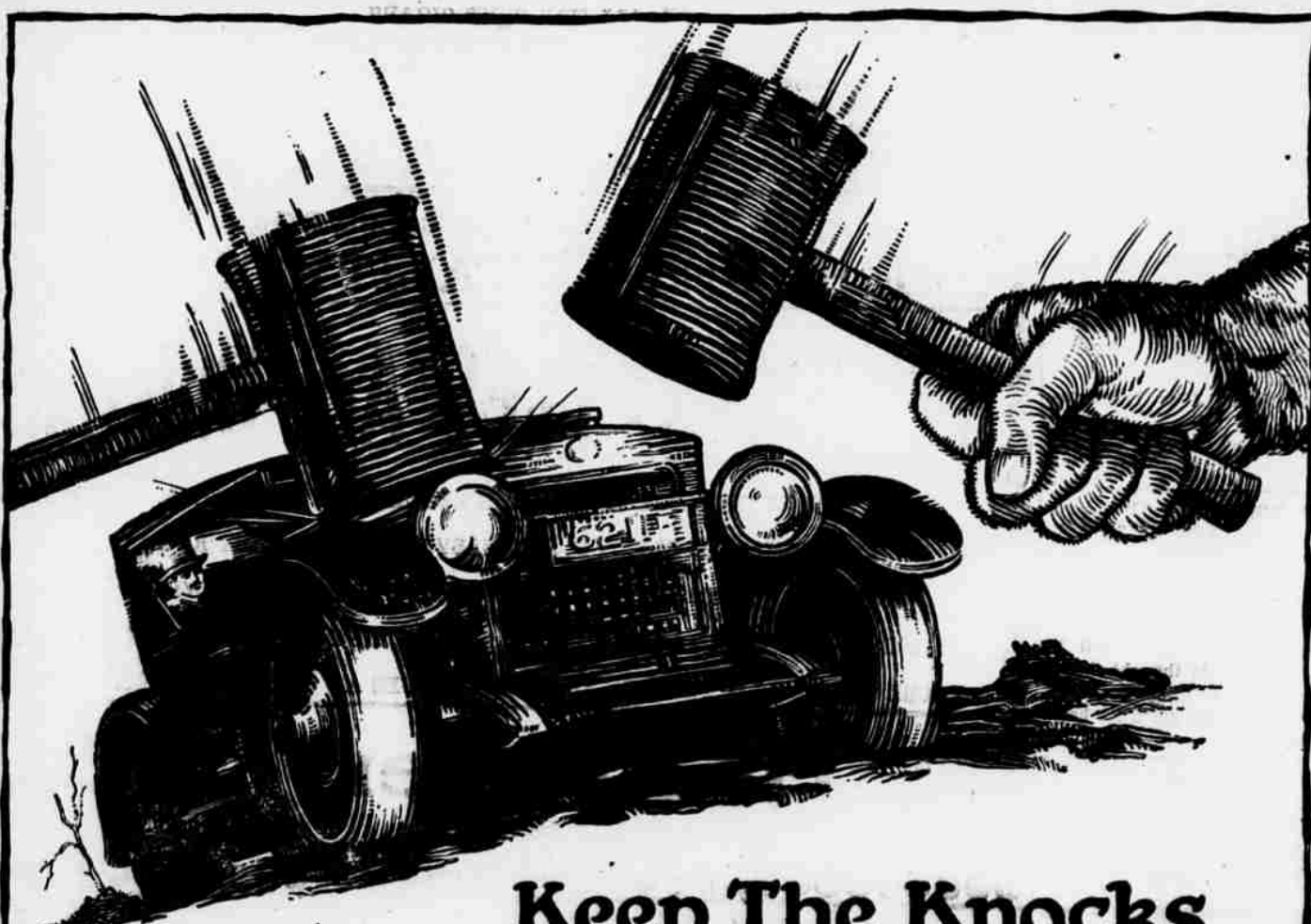
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