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If it weren't for its financial worries and gang warfare very little news would be coming from Chicago.

If interested in helping Decatur go forward, attend the annual meeting of the Decatur Industrial Association tonight. A program of interest will come up for action and the members are urged to participate in the formation of it.

Mussolini played second fiddle when the Italian King's daughter was married to the Prince of Belgium, but not for long. The announcement has been made that the Italian Premier's daughter is engaged to be married to a nobleman and Mussolini saw to it that the official announcement came from his lips. The wedding will more than likely, equal in splendor, the recent ceremony between the Italian Princess and the Belgian Prince.

The road mileage of the world is figured at 7,805,629 miles, of which the United States is credited with more than three million miles, or nearly half. The United States is the only country that has more than 100,000 miles of road, Italy being second with 94,731 miles. No wonder America has three-fourths of all the automobiles in the world and those who travel the highways or visit the large cities wonder when more roads will be built. Road building in this country will continue to be one of the major undertakings for a score of years.

The debate on the wet and dry question continues in congress and many foolish remarks are made by the senators and representatives in debating the question. The other day in the heat of argument, Congressmen Beedy and Sprout, quoted Scripture in trying to make their point and one of them went so far as to say that "If Jesus were on earth today He would be a fanatical dry." What right have these congressmen to bring in the name of Christ and go so far as to express an opinion as to what He would do? It seems sacrilegious to us and those who do it should hold a higher reverence for Him when engaging in political debate and giving vent to personal feelings.

Federal approval has been given the architect's drawings for the George Rogers Clark memorial to be erected at Vincennes and work on the million-dollar structure will begin this spring. The memorial will honor the memory of the great American, who when the hour

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## TODAY'S CHUCKLE

Detroit.—John A. McGregor, special investigator for the Detroit divorce courts, has resigned. His wife has sued him for divorce alleging that when McGregor "investigated" cases, he always found it was the woman's fault.

Bordeaux.—While Antonin Filias was hunting, he shot an eagle with an eight-foot wing-spread. The hunter's dog, which sought to retrieve the bird, had one foot bitten off and Filias in turn was attacked. He despatched the eagle with a second shot.

seemed darkest, brought victory out of defeat in the battles against the Indians for the preservation of what was then known as the northwest territory. The edifice will be of Greek architecture design and besides honoring Clark, space will be given to immortalize in stone, Colonel Francis Vigo and Father Gibault, aides of the great general and who fought with him in saving valuable territory, now known as Indiana. The people of the state owe these heroic men and defenders of the early settler's home a perpetual place in history.

For several years the shade trees in Decatur have been affected by a moth, which seemingly does some damage to them. Entomologists advise the banding of the trees to prevent the climbing of the moth. The following advice is given: "For protection against the spring canker moth shade trees should be banded, entomologists warn tree lovers. Since the moths are on hand every year there is always present the danger of a heavy infestation and damage to shade trees, especially the elm, of which the moths are particularly fond. Several successive attacks of the canker moth will kill a weak tree and weaken even the stronger trees, making them susceptible to other pests such as borers. Shortly after Feb. 1 the adult moths emerge from their pupae cases in the ground. They are about a half an inch long and are gray in color. The males have wings, but fortunately the females do not and must crawl up the trunk of a tree to lay their clusters of eggs in the branches. These eggs hatch into larva, soon after the tree begins to leaf, and these pests feed upon the young leaves."

The world respects those who succeed in spite of adversity and handicaps which would crash the average person. This is because man knows how hard it is to rise to high attainments even when one is possessed of all the faculties and perfect mental and physical health. Great strength of character is required of those who must overcome seemingly insuperable obstacles before conquering failure. From earliest days the history of the world has been replete with such heroic figures who have overcome mental and physical ills that would have caused ordinary mortals to quit without a struggle. The story of how Demosthenes talked with his mouth full of pebbles to cure himself of stuttering and to become one of the greatest orators of all time is a part of the world's knowledge. There is the remarkable case of Helen Keller, born deaf, dumb and blind. Alexander Pope was so deformed as to be unable to walk and wrote his immortal poems which suffered excruciating pain. Milton and Homer were blind when they wrote some of their epic poems. Dr. Charles Steinmetz, the electrical wizard, had a dwarfed body and was a hunchback. Annette Kellerman, renowned for her physical beauty and as a swimmer, was an invalid as a girl, and Theodore Roosevelt was so weak and sickly as a child that he had to have private tutors. In these indomitable and resolute men and women there is inspiration for everyone.

## MODERN ETIQUETTE

By ROBERTA LEE  
U.P.

Q. When one is making an introduction, is the woman ever presented to a man?

A. No, unless to the President, or some other distinguished man.

Q. Is it good form for a guest to come down a half-hour or more before breakfast and sit in the library or drawing-room?

A. No, the considerate guest will remain in his home until breakfast is announced, then descend immediately.

Q. What should one do after a change of address?

A. Issue cards to all friends and acquaintances, and also notify the postal authorities.

## TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From the Daily Democrat File

Feb. 17—Knights of Pythias dedicate new home. City decorated and hundreds of visitors here. Parade, special music and addresses by W. R. Armstrong of Portland, Judge O. N. Heaton, Fort Wayne; David E. Smith and D. N. Erwin.

Four living affiliating charters

## —and the Worst is Yet to Come



## CONGRESS TODAY

—(U.P.) Senate

Continues tariff debate. Judiciary committee considers Wheeler resolution to investigate prohibition.

House  
Takes up first deficiency appropriation bill.

## IN MEMORY OF HENRY EITING

The Adams County Council of Adams county, Indiana, while in session, has learned with profound sorrow that Mr. Henry Eiting, a former member of this council, died at his home in this county, on February 13, 1930.

Mr. Eiting was first appointed a member of this council on May 8, 1917, and served continuously thereafter until March 21, 1928, when he resigned on account of ill health.

His death marks the passing of one of Adams county's good citizens; for seventy-seven years he had lived in the county, lending his aid, influence and endeavors toward making the community a better and happier place within which to live, and he lived to see the county develop from a swampy wooded land to one of the best and finest agricultural counties of the state.

During the years of his official services, his one idea and purpose was to do for the county that which in his opinion would be for the best interest of the people he endeavored to faithfully serve. His counsel and advice was always deeply appreciated.

Therefore, Be it resolved that we adopt this resolution as our last earthly tribute to Mr. Eiting, in grateful appreciation for all he stood for in private and official life and honor.

Read, approved and adopted, February 17, 1930.

M. Kirsch.  
Jim A. Hendricks,  
Everett Bantner,  
Wm. Baumgartner,  
August Conrad,  
Henry Dehner,  
James A. Kinney,  
Members of Adams  
County Council of  
Adams County.

Attest:

Albert Harlow,  
County Auditor.

Approved:

Henry B. Heller,  
County attorney.

French Girls Tailor

Paris, —(UP)—The smiling, plump little chatterbox, talking endlessly of trivialities and living on bon bons, that once personified the French woman, have forsaken her overstuffed drawing room sofa and is now out on the tennis court, the bridle path and the golf course. As a result the typical French woman of today is seven inches taller than the French woman of 1910, she's healthier, slimmer, and lighter—and she has plenty of "it."

## TAXES THREATEN RACES

Honkow, —(UP)—The future of Chinese pony racing which enjoyed a strong popularity under the militarist regime looks very dubious due to the heavy taxes imposed by the Nationalist government. The four racing clubs had flourished and prospered until a visitor was tempted to point out that while Hinkow complained of poverty and

Teepee, Brandyberry and Peterson installed cabinets for clothing in place of old shelves.

H. L. Conter and Charles Elzey are at West Baden for two days. Indiana is covered by the heaviest blanket of snow known in years.

## HOUSEHOLD SCRAPBOOK

By ROBERTA LEE  
Winter Excursion  
Weekend Over Washington's  
BirthdayFEBRUARY 21 and 22  
See Niagara in Sparkling Winter Dress. Mountains of Snow and Ice, Illuminated in Colors. Rainbows at Night.Round Trip Fare from  
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Wilted Vegetables

To freshen wilted vegetables, add a slice of lemon to a pan of water and soak the vegetables in it for about half hour. This is particularly effective for spinach, lettuce, and parsley.

Moths

Moths can be prevented by sprinkling the contents of closets and drawers with white clove. Many consider this better than camphor or cedar.

War Restrictions Lifted

Geneva, —(UP)—One of the last remaining relics of the Great War has been abolished by the League of Nations. This is the series of import and export restrictions which were imposed by the various nations during the war to prevent exportation of raw materials and manufactured articles necessary for them to carry on the conflict. As the years rolled by, and the regulations were not repealed world trade was seriously hampered.

Teeth Escape Crank

Fremont, O. —(UP)—Oliver Fought, employee of the city waterworks was struck squarely in the mouth while cranking his Ford. His right and left lower jawbones were broken but his teeth were undamaged. Fought's plate was found under the car following the accident.

luxuriant tropical vegetation, cocoanut palms, beach and blue waters in the town's beautiful bay. One can swim all day in the bay for no sharks threaten near the shore, and the swim is made doubly safe by the little groups of handsomest people of the

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