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Rain tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature; increasing northeast winds.

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DEMOCRACY IN FINAL TEST, SAYS WILSON'S MESSAGE
America Is Destined to Lead in Fight for Justice to Nations, President Tells Congress

ROPER WILL STUDY COURTS IN CHICAGO IN BUDGET BATTLE

Councilman Plans to Lay Information Before Legislature in Effort to Cut Jobs
SAYS BROWN WILL RUN CITY IF POWER IS NOT CURBED

Showing Their Colors in Municipal Court Fight

These councilmen, administration men looked to for support of the Mayor's policies, defeated an effort to pare the Municipal Court budget and cut extravagance in that organization, steps sincerely desired by Mayor Moore.

Undismayed by the defeat of his amendment which sought to reduce the army of employees of the Municipal Court, Councilman William W. Roper here Friday for Chicago to study the municipal court system in that city.

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Wallace Hawkins, Shrewd Embezzler at 15, Astounds by His Adult Views on Life and Economics—Other Boy Thief Flippant

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Meets Representatives of Mild Reservationists and Irreconcilables
SELECTIONS FOR CABINET POSTS CONSIDERED

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IMMIGRATION BILL UP

House Adopts Rule Limiting Debate to Four Hours
Washington, Dec. 7.—(By A. P.)—The House rules committee reported today a special rule limiting to four hours debate on the Johnson bill to prohibit immigration for a two-year period.



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