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# **WILSON BETTER** AFTER SPENDING **RESTFUL NIGHT**

Dr. Grayson Pronounces His Condition More Favorable in Bulletin

HE CONTINUES CHEERFUL

Though Becoming Restless Because of Confinement; Specialists Called

By Associated Press. Washington, Oct. 4.-President Wilson's condition was more favorable early to-day, the President having had a good night's rest, said a bulletin issued at 10.50 o'clock this morning by Dr. Grayson.

The bulletin follows: The bulletin follows:
White House, Oct. 4, 10.50 A.
M.—"The President had a good
night's rest and his condition
is more favorable.
(Signed) "GRAYSON."

The President's temperature and pulse are normal and the President said to be cheerful, though becoming somewhat restless about be-

Specialists Called Two specialists who have examined the President before were summoned to Washington to-day. They were Dr. F. X. Dercum, neurologist, and Dr. George De Schweinitz, an eye specialist, both of Philadelphia. They were to have a consultation with Dr. Grayson and Drs. Stitt and Ruffin, of this city, who have been assisting the President's physician dent's physician.

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After holding a consultation of more than an hour, Drs. Dercum, Ruffin and Stitt left the White House at 1 o'clock but made no announcement. It was understood, unofficially, however, that the President continued to rest comfortably during the forenoon.

Dr. Grayson remained at the White House where Dr. De Schweinitz was to examine the President's daughters are at the White House and are permitted to visit their father occasionally. William G. McAdoo, the President's son-in-law, called at the White House this morning but did not see the President.

Eyes Good

Examination of the President's eyes by Dr. De Schweinitz diclosed that his sight was as good as it was at the last examination six months ago.

Admiral Grayson left the White

Admiral Grayson left the Wh House at 1.30 p. m. He said was satisfied with both the result he consultation and the examinati conducted by the eye specialist. Ti President was resting comfortable he said and there was no change his condition over that disclosed the forenoon bulletin.

### Risks Injury to **Expedite Delivery of** Medicine For Wilson

By Associated Press.

Boston, Oct. 4.—John Purcell, mail dispatcher at the South postal station, risked possible injury and the displeasure of trainmen when he held up the Federal Express to Washington to expedite the delivery of a package of medicine for President Wilson last night. Standing between the tracks and waving his arms, he brought the train to a sudden stop just as it was leaving the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad yards. His brief explanations to the engineer were accepted and the train resumed its journey two minutes late.

It was disclosed to-day that Purcell had received the package from a messenger, who shouted "Medicine for the President" as he deached its

cell had received the package from a messenger, who shouted "Medicine for the President" as he dashed into the mailroom. The express was then pulling out of the trainshed, and Purcell grabbed the parcel, ran across the network of yard tracks and posted himself in the glare of the oncoming engine's headlight. The parcel was addressed to Admiral Grayson and marked "Urgent. Special Delivery."

## Cabinet Meeting May Provide For Absence

Lansing will preside. meeting was regarded in Washington as significant. lieved the Cabinet will take up the question of meeting the situation lieved the Cabinet will take up the question of meeting the situation created by the President's illness, which, it is believed, will require his absence from official duties for an extended period.

The call for the meeting stated that the Cabinet would arrange for the coming labor conference and other matters requiring attention.

### TO OFFER PRAYERS

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 4. — Bishop-elect
Charles S. Burch, of the New York
diocese of the Protestant Episcopal
Church, announced to-day that special prayers would be offered in all
the churches of the diocese to-morrow for the speedy recovery of President Wilson.

# THE WEATHER

Harrisburg and Vicinity: Fair to-night. Sunday unsettled. Not much change in temperature. Eastern Pennsylvania: Fair to-night. Sunday unsettled. Mild temperature. Gentle variable winds.

### Speaking of Red-Blooded Americanism



# DAVENPORT SETS **EXAMPLE TOWARD**

Well-Known Restaurant Man Gives \$40 For Two Who Were in Service

### THE LAST SHOT

Harrisburg, beginning Monday, fires its last shot of the war. In an effort to construct a suffable memorial—one that will endure for all time, subscriptions will be taken at the rate of \$20 for each of the city's veterans the proceeds to go toward paying for the memorial.

This memorial will be built at the Thirteenth street end of the State street bridge.

State street bridge.

These subscriptions are not "up to" families of the veterans. These familes gave their men folks. It is now the duty of Harrisburg's 80,000 population to see to it that the manliness of the veterans is perpetuated in the form of the memorial planned.

The campaign opens Monday morning. There will be no solicitors. Public spirited citizens must solicit themselves; and their subscriptions are receivable at Chamber of Commerce headquarters.

Frank Davenport, well known caof the President terer, this morning set an example for Harrisburg employers when he

[Continued on Page 2.]

## Blockade of Fiume Lifted, According to

Rome, Oct. 4.—Orders that the blockade of Fiume be lifted have been issued by the government, and Italian authorities ir the vicinity of Fiume have received an order to allow mail and foodstuffs to pass into the city, according to the Epoca. The military blockade against the solders and civilians entering the city is all that is now being enforced, according to the newspaper, which says the decision was taken after the government had examined and discussed a protest from the Fiume National Council.

Venice, Oct. 4.—The sterager the steamer trizes and that—he also takes stens to to come to the steamer trizes and that—he also takes stens to face of unity patrolmen and detectives.

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# RAGGED EDGE HAS BIG MEN AT PLAY

MEMORIAL FUND Country Place of Colonel M. C. Kennedy, Near Fayetteville, Attracts Prominent Guests; City Leaders Make Trip

Down at Colonel Moorhead C. Kennedy's beautiful country place at Ragsed Edge, near Fayetteville, today, big political leaders and railroad and businessmen of the state are gathered in an outing, the like of which is not duplicated in Pennsylvania. Ragged Edge is so named because the home of Colonel Kennedy is on the edge of a hill. Surrounding it are spacious grounds, hundreds of trees, a babbling brook and quite near the famed Conococheague creek stocked with bass, pickerel and sunfish. Altogether it is such a place one seldom comes up to in a lifetime. Colonel Kennedy, before the railroads were

# ATTACK ACTION OF PA. POLICE

In Resolutions to Governor Condemn "Unwarranted Acts" in Steel Strike

Pittsburgh, Oct. 4. - Warning Governor Sproul that there is a pos-sibility of other labor organizations total number of arrests, show a re-Washington, Oct. 4.—A special called at Chamber of Commerce head-Cabinet meeting has been called at quarters and subscribed \$40 toward the White House for Monday morn-ing at 11 o'clock, at which Secre-erected at the Hill end of the new because of alleged "unwarranted" during the quarter-year erected at the Hill end of the new because of alleged "unwarranted State street bridge. Mr. Davenport's acts" of State Police, county and lorestaurant had two men in service acts" of State Police, county and lo- lowing the inception of wartime cal authorities, representatives of prohibition. lodges of the Brotherhood of Raildistrict have forwarded to the Governor a resolution asking him to exercise the powers of his office "to they did last year, while but a third

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The trainment shows the second fly contest the bid by the Harrisburg Civic Club this summer were decided to-day when the flies were measured. First place to the first three months of a system the flies were measured. First price, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Sigmund, 317 Maclay street; second prize, \$5-gold piece, was awarded to Harry Si

# BROTHERHOODS LESS CRIME FOR POLICE AND THE **DAUPHIN COURTS**

Decrease in Three Months Is One-Third With Liquor Under the Ban

Cases held for court in sessions of city police court together with the during the quarter-year period fol-

Presiding magistrates in the city police court held a third fewer persons for trial by jury in the Dauphin county criminal court during July, August and September than Reports in Rome bring about cessation of these atrocast many arrests were made during that period by city patrolmen and

The reason for this remarkable decrease in the business of the city police department is the diminution in the sale of alcoholic beverages. Crime of every sort has shown a marked decrease since July 1, authorities at police headquarters say. During the first three months of wartime prohibition, but 34 persons were held in police court for jury trial. During the same period of last year, an even half hundred of persons were either sent to jail or held under bail for criminal sessions of court.

# FOSTER TELLS OF HIS CHANGE IN VIEWPOINT

Confronted With Writings He Asks That Newspapermen Be Barred

GOMPERS THEN STEPS IN Declares Papers Can't Print Much Worst About Him; Fear Soviet Operation

Washington, Oct. 4 .- William Z. Foster, secretary of the general committee conducting the steel strike, when confronted late yesterday before the Senate labor committee with his writings advocating various forms of revolutionary so-

chairman of the board of the United States Steel Corporation and a number of steel workers, the Committee word to transfer its laughty into the field at and around Pittsburgh. The dates and arrangements for the trip will be announced after Chairman Kenyon has conferred with members of the Committee who were absent to-day.

Conditions Satisfactory

Four high-paid steel mill workers who are opposed to the present strike were heard to-day. They said the walkout was unnecessary and that conditions in the steel mills [Continued on Page 2.]

Burglar's Glass Cutter,
Long Unused, Comes in Handy For Workman

Harrisburg police to-day found use for part of a set of burglar tools. A compar, bits and ilminest furnished the needed instrument, furnished the needed instrument is not tools and the needed instrument, furnished the

By Associated Press.

Elizabeth, N. J., Oct. 4.—
Scores of persons were injured, most of them slightly, when five cars of a Pennsylvania railroad left the rails and fell on their sides just as the train pulled out of the South Elizabeth station to-day. Fourteen of the injured were taken to hospitals. There were approximately 425 persons in the five cars and the accident produced a serious panic as the imprisoned men and women tried to force their way out of the windows. A number of persons were hurt in this struggle. One of the cars overturned on the bridge, 30 feet above the ground and was practically balanced over the edge of the structure. A broken rail is said to have caused the

### **Bishop McDevitt Directs** That Catholics Send Up Prayers For President

Prayers for President Wilson and the United States will be said to-morrow at all masses in the Catholic churches of the Harrisburg Diocese, in accordance with a request issued to-day by Philip R. McDevitt, bishop of the diocese. Churches in eleven districts were notified.

### Maclay Street Lad Wins First Fly-Swatting Prize

# WHITE SOX ARE HOPING TO EVEN SERIES TODAY

But Reds, Stung by Shut-Out Do Not Believe They Will Again Run Into Pitching Like Kerr Handed Out; Crowds Form During Night

Cincinnati

Chicago

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Occasional Rains

By Associated Pres

Washington, Oct. 4.—Weather predictions for the week begin-ning Monday: North and Middle Atlantic States, occasional rains

Atlantic States, occasional rain first part, generally fair thereaf ter, normal temperature.

James A. Stranahan Is

By Associated Press.
Comiskey Park, Chicago, Oct. 4.—
Typical baseball weather was in vogue here again to-day, as two hours before the Cincinnati Reds and Chicago.

various forms of revolutionary socialism, declared under a grilling
fire of questions that his views had
changed. How much they had
changed. Foster declined to tell the
Senators, unless they excluded newspaper correspondents from the room
while he did it. This the committee
did not do.

Going to Pittsburgh
Having heard representatives of
organized labor, Eibert H. Gary,
chairman of the board of the United
States Steel Corporation and a number of steel workers, the Committee
voted to transfer its inquiry into the

to-day, but it was generally believed that Cicotte would be sent back to face the Reds who drove him from the box in the first game at Cincinnati and either Reuther or "Hod" Eller would be the Red's moundsman. Cicotte, who said that he was uncinnati, told Manager Gleason he again was ready to start against the National League champions.

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Following is the probable lineup for today: ing order.
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Chicago

Weaver, 3b.
Jackson, 1.f.
Felsh, c.f.
Gandil, 1b.
Risberg, s.s.
Schalk, c.

### Burglar Who Looted City Store Is Captured 3

# **LEGION SCORES** DE VALERA AND NATION'S FOES

Resolution of Soldiers Repudiates Self-Styled President o fIrish Republic

FIRM AGAINST ENEMIES Would Have Punishment Most

> Severe Against Native-Born Slacker

Going firmly on record in faor of law and order, insisting that there be no relaxation in the punishment of alien enemies and no attempt made to condone their crimes or change their status, denouncing Eamon de Valera, self-styled president of the Irish republic as a draft dodger and disloyal to the Allies, the American Legion cantonment ended its first convention in this city to-day. The closing session was held in Chestnut

Street Auditorium.

Suddenly Stricken III

James A. Stranahan, one of the oldest members of the Dauphin county bar, and former deputy attorney general, became ill suddenly yesterday afternoon at his office in North Market Square, he was taken to his home in Pine street, and is confined to bed. Physicians report that his condition is slightly improved to-day.

Music House Employes

Urge Daylight Saving

Continuance of the daylight saving law in Hartsburg, if not nationally, is favored by the employes of C. M. Sigler, Inc., music dealers, according to a statement sent to-day to the Harrisburg Telegraph. Practically every employe of the music store is included on the petition.

Street Auditorium.

Chairman G. W. Carr, of the Resolutions committee, submitted 42 resolutions, 16 of which had been reported in negatively. The more important ones are summarized as follows:

The resolution urging a Congressional investigation of alleged cruelations that the state of the cantonment. Congressmen and sand adapted with great acciain by the cantonment. Congressmen and Stands For Law and Order Another important action taken up was the resolution which said through misleading reports circulated. The Legion will not participate in disputes between capital and labor, but it will and does stand understood through misleading reports circulated. The Legion will not participate in disputes between capital and labor, but it will and does stand understood through misleading reports circulated. The Legion will not participate in disputes between capital and labor, but it will and does stand understood through misleading reports circulated. The Legion will not participate in disputes between capital and and and and and states to enlisted men was received and and stapped confined to enlisted and adapted with great acciaint by the cantonment. Congressmen and the canton of the summarized and adapted with great acciaint by the cantonment. Congressmen and the canton of the calculations.

### FLIER REPORTED FALLEN

Harrisburg.-Harrisburg Motor Club at a menthly meeting last evening filed objections to alleged auto cratic methods of local traffic officers,

### AMERICAN FREIGHTER RUNS AGROUND

New York.—The American freight steamship Passaid Bridge, from Rasrio and Montevideo for New ashore off Barnegat on the New Jersey coast. The Passaic Bridge, 3,658 tons, is owned by the United States Shipping Board and under operation of the Ward Line. A wireless message from the captain of the ship received to his assistance, said that the sea was calm and the ship was in no immediate danger. The cargo consists of

### MERCHANT UNDER ARREST

Harrisburg .- Harry Smith, merchant, of 1001 -North Sixth street, is being given a hearing in police court on the charge of having violated the anti-forestalling ordinance. He is charged with having purchased for resale, apples, corn, etc., in the Broad street market to-day.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

John D. Troy and Clara Rudy. Harrisburg: David D. Snavely and Laura M. Miller, Harrisbur; William Freed, Canton, Ohlo, and Mary E. Howard, York; staips R. Yontz, Elizabethtown, and Emma E. Knouse, Hershey; Haymond E. Hoover, Enola, and Tilla M. Albright. Harrisburg; William E. Mumma, Lititz, and Anna C. Wertman, Hummelatown.