

Cheap Sugar, How Long? Mother's Milk \$1 an Ounce. Two Studying Ghosts. The Dance Demon.

Scientific gentlemen announce a process for making pure white sugar from corn, at four cents a pound. That ought to be very good for a few weeks.

If you want cheap sugar, get rid of the kind of government that has given you the dear sugar. This is not a guaranty, by any means, that a Republican Administration would do any better, but it MIGHT, and you know that the Democratic Administration WONT.

Many babies too young to talk would be interested in this news, if they could be interested in anything.

Here and there you find efficiency even in after-the-war "let down."

Not one of these husbands and wives would ask for divorce if they knew how interesting every man and woman really is.

Men and women are ghosts, clad for a moment in solid flesh, dwelling far apart. Each should welcome the chance to study some other ghost at close range, even a dull or slightly unfaithful ghost.

William Robbins, a young farmer in Iowa, and his wife lost their baby, Vivian Constance Robbins, one year old. It was buried. Mr. and Mrs. Robbins believe in spiritualism, and prayed constantly that the baby might be returned.

But now comes a photograph of Mr. Robbins, holding his baby tight. He has been told by a medium that the baby may die September 14, which is today.

The Rev. Dr. Straton, enemy of "mixed dancing," takes virtue seriously, as clergymen should. With photographs to illustrate his rebukes, he says, pointing to a young man and woman dancing close together, "No human being could maintain philosophic calm in the circumstances of the dance pictured here."

That is true. But, Dr. Straton, the dance was invented to relieve human beings of the dreadful monotony of philosophical calm. People want to forget philosophy, they want to forget the calm that is stagnation of the nerves. They want to give their brains a rest and their bodies air, so they dance.

WEATHER: Fair tonight and tomorrow. Moderate temperature. Breeze, cool. Moderate westerly wind. Temperature at 8 o'clock, 62 degrees.

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THREE CENTS EVERYWHERE.

KUEHLING TRIES TO ESCAPE

HENDRICK PUT ON D. C. BOARD

Broker Named Commissioner by President—Will Take Oath Soon.

LONG A RESIDENT HERE Graduated From Law School and Then Engaged in Business.

J. Thilman Hendrick, Washington banker and broker, has been appointed District Commissioner by President Wilson.

It is believed, however, that as Mr. Hendrick is in the city and ready to take the oath of office, and Miss Boardman, the other appointee, is in Maine and not expected in Washington until September 24, Mr. Hendrick will succeed Mr. Brownlow.

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NO FRIEND MOURNS OVER OLIVE'S BODY

Pathetic Cortège of Once Lovely Actress Moves to Church Without Escort.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—The body of Miss Olive Thomas, beautiful young American motion picture actress, who died from bichloride of mercury poisoning, was removed after a long conference with the Holy Trinity Church this afternoon and will remain there until it is sent to the United States for burial.

PICKFORD IN LONDON AT MEMORIAL SERVICE

LONDON, Sept. 14.—Jack Pickford, husband of Olive Thomas, the movie star who died in Paris Friday from mercurial poisoning, came here from the French capital by airplane to attend the memorial services held for his wife in the Farm Street Church.

TODAY

philosophic calm. David danced before the Ark, and there is nothing to indicate that he was calm while he danced. He was excited, and very much excited.

J. THILMAN HENDRICK, Washington stock broker and banker, who has been named District Commissioner to succeed Commissioner Louis Brownlow, resigned.



HARDING SEES PERIL IN JAPAN

Tells Californians U. S. Owes Pacific Coast Protection From Undesirable Aliens.

MARION, Ohio, Sept. 14.—Recognizing that there exists between the United States and Japan a friction over the immigration question which might lead to grave consequences, Senator Warren G. Harding promised a group of Californians today that the Federal Government would stand behind the Pacific coast States in every measure consistent with national honor designed to help solve their problem.

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FRIEND OF OLIVE IS POISONED, RECOVERS

Damary Easton, Actress, Takes Creosote by Mistake in New York Home.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Damary Easton, twenty-five, former chorus girl and movie actress, was taken to Bellevue Hospital early yesterday morning, having swallowed creosote by mistake. Later in the day she was removed to her home here.

It was said at the apartment that the woman is the wife of Jacques Bustanoby, former restaurateur. On January 28 last Bustanoby appeared in a Baltimore court and offered to marry the actress, who was seeking to regain her daughter, Marjorie, eleven, after a long separation.

VETS TO BACK \$1-DAY BONUS

Convention Will Indorse Plan Fostered by Times and Other Hearst Papers.

ENCAMPMENT PROGRAM

TODAY. Afternoon— Rifle matches at Camp Sims, Congress Heights, 6:30 p. m.—Grand parade of veterans, including guards of all foreign embassies.

TOMORROW. 9 a. m.—Business session, Central High School.

3 p. m.—Sightseeing tour of the city and Arlington.

The bonus plan for world war soldiers, providing a dollar a day for every day in service and an extra compensation for time spent overseas, will be endorsed by the Veterans of Foreign Wars at their national encampment here, probably at tomorrow's session.

BACKED BY TIMES. This is the plan for which the Washington Times and the other Hearst newspapers have worked and fought for many months.

Members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Association this morning expressed appreciation of the work which has been done by the Hearst newspapers in behalf of the bonus.

APPRECIATE ASSISTANCE. This morning's business session of the veterans, in the auditorium of Central High School, resolved itself into an ovation for Robert Woodside, of Pittsburgh, chief of staff, as possible successor to F. Warner Carling, of Kansas City, commander-in-chief, who has refused a third term.

GETS GREAT OVATION. This morning's session was interrupted frequently by cries of "Woodside," followed by cheers. When the chief of staff appeared on the platform to give his annual report, he was unable to proceed for a minute or two because of the cheering.

Jack Singer, of Jersey City, present (Continued on Page 13, Column 1.)

DE VALERA SAYS HEARST'S FIGHT HELPS WORLD

BOSTON, Sept. 14.—"The whole world is profiting from the activity of the Hearst newspapers in advancing the Irish cause," President Eamon De Valera declared yesterday.

WOMEN VOTE LEAGUE DOWN

Sweeping Republican Victory in Maine Attributed to Suffrage Ballot.

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 14.—Women of Maine, the vanguard of those who will vote in the Presidential election, have placed their stamp of disapproval on the League of Nations.

Turning out in enormous numbers, the new voters in this "barometer" State joined with the men and swamped candidates in the State election who espoused President Wilson's foreign policies.

GET NEARLY EVERY OFFICE. Frederick H. Parkhurst, of Bangor, Republican candidate for governor, who defeated Bertrand G. McIntyre, Democrat, by more than 66,000, declared today that "the voters of Maine resent the autocratic and un-American administration that the Democrats have given us during the last seven years; it is equally an indorsement of Harding and Coolidge who will be elected in November."

Republicans won practically every office. The governorship, the rest of the State ticket, all four seats in Congress, the entire State senate, and ten seats in the State house of representatives fell to Republicans.

Political sharps today said the latest figures showed that it was the new women voters who had swung the State Republican on the eve of a Presidential election by a majority that they staggered the Republicans themselves. They pointed to the governorship figures, which read: "Returns from 587 out of 632 election precincts in the State gave Parkhurst (Republican), 132,475; McIntyre (Democrat), 68,154; Republican plurality, 64,321."

LAST ELECTION FIGURES. These same precincts in the last Presidential year, 1916, gave Milliken (Republican), 79,278; Curtis (Democrat), 65,573; Republican plurality, 13,705.

Lewisohn, Biddeford, and Waterville were faithful to the Democrats and McIntyre won in these cities by small majorities. In Augusta, the Republicans gained nearly 1,000 votes over their total of four years ago. In Brewer the G. O. P. ticket gained 500 votes and in Calais won by a plurality of more than 6,000. In 1916 this (Continued on Page 13, Column 1.)

CHAPLIN JESTS AT THREATS OF WIFE

Famous Film Comedian Says Suit Will Not Mar Good Time in New York.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Charlie Chaplin was in no mood for throwing meringue pies today. He had laid away his working clothes, including mustache and trick cane, and was engaged in the serious pursuit of a divorce suit.

Chaplin's attorney said: "I know of no law under which Mrs. Chaplin could claim 50 per cent. of the property owned by her husband. Mrs. Chaplin might sue for alimony, but with an income of \$1,500 or more she certainly is not in want."

'ALREADY ELECTED' COOLIDGE WIRES HARDING

BOSTON, Sept. 14.—"You are already elected," was the gist of a telegram sent to Senator Harding by Governor Coolidge today after reading of the Republican landslide in Maine.

Prisoner Removes Panel of Cell Door With a Spoon

ROY HARPER KUEHLING (in light suit) talking with his attorney, Edmund Carrington, at the Morgue yesterday, while the inquest over the body of his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Viger Kuehling, who was drowned in the Potomac last Wednesday, was in progress.



BABY DRANK BOOZE, PLAN TO FORCE BOOTLEGGERS TO EAT

Hammond, Ind., Sept. 14.—Mike Draggill has a baby which will be a husky woman some day. Since May, Mike says, she has consumed at least two jugs of moonshine, besides getting an occasional nip from her mother's private bottle of kimmel.

Two Irish women from Cork, who gave the names of Miss Williams and Miss Jordan, attempted to force their way into Brixton jail by sliding down a drain pipe, after they had been refused permission to enter the gates. The police intervened.

McSwiney passed a bad night in the Brixton jail infirmary, but his mind was active early this morning. The Rev. Father Dominic, personal spiritual adviser to the lord mayor, said that McSwiney was restless and suffered considerable pain.

THIS PILED ON THE BABY the responsibility of drinking a jug of liquor in about ten days. Judge Klotz was plainly skeptical. He decided Mike should pay \$50 and costs.

BIRTHPLACE OF CARSON IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

BELFAST, Sept. 14.—Castle Lambert House, in Athlery, County Galway, where Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster Unionist leader, was born, was burned yesterday.

BRITISH RAID VESSEL; AMMUNITION SEIZED

CORK, Sept. 14.—Military police raided the ship Mason City at her pier today, seizing a revolver and a quantity of ammunition in the engine room.

FOIL KUEHLING IN ATTEMPT TO GAIN FREEDOM

Dressed and Ready to Flee When Officer Discovers Him.

CORONER'S JURY FREES HIM

Arrested Again and Grand Jury is Now Hearing Evidence in Tragedy.

After having been exonerated by a coroner's jury of responsibility for the death by drowning of his wife, Gertrude Viger Kuehling, a Detroit heiress to a \$1,000,000 estate, Roy Harper Kuehling, held by the police in connection with the woman's death, made a daring attempt to escape from his cell room at the Tenth precinct police station at 4 o'clock this morning.

That Kuehling did not make good his escape was due to Station House Clerk Norris W. Jones, who was reporting for duty, and who discovered that Kuehling was fully dressed and was about to crawl through an opening he had made in the door of his cell room.

JOKE, SAYS KUEHLING.

"It's all a joke," said Kuehling, excitedly, when the officer seized him and threw him back in the cellroom. "I could have gotten away if I had wanted to." Kuehling, following his exoneration by the coroner's jury last night, was taken to the police station to be held for the action of the Federal grand jury, which today is receiving testimony from persons who are said to have knowledge of threats the prisoner made against his wife before she was drowned.

HELD IN WITNESS ROOM.

He was not placed in an ordinary cell, but detained in what is known as a "witness room." The room has a barred window for light and ventilation and also has a barred opening through which the inmate may talk to friends and receive food. Kuehling was placed in this room before the coroner's jury had brought its verdict, exonerating him of blame for the death of Mrs. Kuehling. He ate a light supper, and at 10 o'clock took off his clothing and laid on a bed in the room.

FIRST TRIED WINDOW.

Investigation showed Kuehling first attempted to free himself through the barred window. He had removed the wire screen, used as a protection against flies and mosquitoes, but found he could not elude the police through this window.

Then, using a tin spoon, provided him with his supper, and which he did not return to the officer who served him with the meal, Kuehling removed tacks from the molding of the panel of the door of his cell room. The molding released, (Continued on Page 2, Column 1.)