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Westchester First

COUNTERFEIT BILL TO CLURB WALKING COURAGEOUS GIRLS MOVIE INSPIRATION

The Yonkers police have warned business men and other residents of that city to be on their guard against a counterfeit currency that has been put into circulation there. Inasmuch as several of these counterfeit bills have already turned up in Yonkers, it behooves the rest of the county to be on their guard.

Westchester's Y. M. C. A. roster grows under the leadership of the new long, New Rochelle, which has been without a Y. M. C. A. building for some time now, the organization is launching a campaign today to raise funds for the building of a new Y. M. C. A. building of around \$100,000.

Col. Francis P. Spies of Mount Vernon addressed the Port Chester Rotarians on the subject, "Tombstones and Their Inscriptions." The newspaper account which we have of the work out of plan for promotion of the idea.

In these days, when people do so much riding and so little walking, it seems strange to hear of any movement to discourage walking. The Westchester County Grand Jurors has called upon Commissioner of Public Welfare George Werner to curb the walking activities of the inmates of the County Home at East Nyack.

The girls of the College of New Rochelle are entitled to credit for the time spent in walking. They displayed the other morning when they broke out in the streets just as they were assembling for mass. There were no hysterics and no wild shrieks.

There is no telling what might be the result of the police which were so excited and started a stampede. At such times it is better to take much to produce a state of panic and the consequences are usually serious. If cool heads were needed they are needed when things like that happen.

Our Westchester County mayors apparently are not disposed just yet to resign. It is highly probable that they did not respond very eagerly to the invitation to tender their resignation from the Armonk flying field. Time will come no doubt when it will be dangerous to extend such invitations unless you really want

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Sotter's parachute landed in a tree and he was uninjured. Meadows' plane fell behind in the crash and the garage at the Vermaas House from

RESERVE SAYS 35% INCREASE IN 4 MONTHS

TAX RECEIVER OF HARRISON IS UNDER FIRE

Mrs. Angela Fowler Charges Irregularities in Unger's Office—Complains to Attorney General

The South View Construction Company of White Plains has purchased the last unimproved inside plot on the westerly side of Mamaroneck avenue, between Post road and Quarropas street, it was learned today.

Contracts were signed last night in the office of Clark, Class & Davis, with Robert V. Clark, attorney, appearing for Edward J. Dresner, president of the construction company.

The plot, 50 by 100, was sold on January 22th by John F. Grae to the Westchester First National Bank, which is to erect a building of 20,000 square feet at that time.

In the opinion of the Board of Public Health, the consideration is not revealed, but it is learned on four months to the transaction reported to discuss the matter today.

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Political Opposition For All Will Run Challenger To Face Fight

GEORGE A. SLATER Picks up battle rage flung into political arena by Millard.

CHARLES D. MILLARD Announces he will try for Surrogate Bench in 1930.

BENJAMIN I. TAYLOR Democratic Supervisor will be opposed by "strong Republican"

Port Chester—The political rage of battle which Superior Charles D. Millard of Tarrytown, flung into the arena Thursday in the announcement of his candidacy for surrogate in 1930, was met boldly here by Surrogate George A. Slater who announced at his home that he would certainly be a candidate next year for re-election.

Slater, an attorney, said: "I shall be a candidate next year for re-election as surrogate," declared the Port Chester politician.

The issue between the two popular Republicans today, each with a long office-holding record behind him, was drawn yesterday in the publication of the action of the Greenburgh Republican town committee on Wednesday night in unanimously endorsing Millard, a former chairman of the Westchester County Bar Association, as the Republican nomination for surrogate next year when the second term of Surrogate Slater expires.

Is Emphatic Questioned by the Port Chester Daily News, Surrogate Slater was emphatic in his determination to seek re-election. Asked if he had any objection to the endorsement of the Greenburgh committee, Surrogate Slater said he had declined to characterize the action directly as premature.

"Just what are you going to do about it?" he was asked. "Nothing at present," replied the surrogate. "I haven't had time to think much about it and my work as surrogate will preclude any political campaign on my part this year."

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Late News Dispatches

By Direct United Press Wire

London, May 18 (UP)—A Shanghai dispatch to the Daily Mail today said Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek, head of the nationalist government, has ordered an ultimatum demanding Marshal Feng Yuxiang cease all military preparations.

Washington, May 18 (UP)—Eastern trunkline railroads asked the Interstate Commerce Commission today for special permission to put into effect on one day's notice emergency rate reductions on wheat flour shipped from Lake Erie ports to the Atlantic seaboard.

London, May 18 (UP)—The Prince of Wales, proving his wisdom, paired with Walter Hagen instead of playing against the British open champion, and the two best Sir Philip Shotton and Aubrey Boomer, two up today, according to reports here according to the reports the match was played at the Swinley Club.

New York, May 18 (UP)—An hour's firing test will mark the final touch preparatory to the flight from New York to Paris on Monday of the French, Bernard Menopon which will carry the world's first atomic engine, built by J. J. Rene Levevre and Jean Assolant. The flyers plan to start from Roosevelt Field, New York, and the weather bureau reports that all is clear over the Atlantic Ocean.

Hong Kong, May 18 (UP)—Chinese airplanes flew over Wuchow, held by Cantonese forces, today intending to bomb the wireless station. It is reported that the nearness of residence, reports received here said. The American military attaché at Canton, Mr. J. H. Wuchow, from Canton at full speed, but evacuation of Wuchow was not believed necessary as yet.

New York, May 18 (UP)—After announcement by the management of the Hotel Riviera in Chicago that three more cracked ice and ginger ale would be served to guests of their room, Mr. J. H. Wuchow there that prohibition administrator Maurice Campbell had asked New York hotel men to act similarly.

Pikeville, Ky. May 18 (UP)—The toll in the war to end huge traffic in Happy Hollow, famous as a boozing center in Eastern Kentucky, stood at eleven today, with the death of Bruce Little.

New York, May 18 (UP)—With a record of swindling activities since 1900, George E. Billings, 54, of 426 East Fifty-Eighth street, New York, was convicted yesterday to serve a term of three months in the county jail on a charge of defrauding a man of \$2. Billings was the head of a diamond selling company which is alleged to have obtained, almost \$250,000 through its systems of defrauding investors.

White Plains Wins Over Jolly in 37 Hole Play

Judge Tompkins and Wife Celebrating 40th Anniversary

Supreme Court Justice Arthur S. Tompkins and Mrs. Tompkins, Nyack, are today celebrating their fortieth wedding anniversary. Other justices of the ninth judicial district of which Westchester is a part, as well as the many friends of the Justice and his wife, will seek a change of venue to the Nyack house.

The fortieth wedding anniversary is officially listed as a "ruby anniversary" but Supreme Court Justice Arthur S. Tompkins, in his special term the first part of the week in Orange County, in a judicial conference to take an anniversary vacation.

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