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Shore Residents Are a Vanishing Breed

By Linda Cicoira

Election redistricting measures just got even more complicated. Newly released 2010 U.S. Census figures show a population drop of 13.4 percent, or 5,141 people, for Accomack County since 2000.

The bureau said Accomack had 38,305 residents in 2000. But county officials questioned those figures, saying they were too high. Accomack used 34,488 as a total population when completing redistricting work in 2001. The efforts were approved by the U.S Justice Department. Since then the figure also was used for planning.

Now the census shows a population of 33,164, or 3.8 percent, compared to the figure Accomack

The number of people living in Northampton County decreased by 5.4 percent, or 704, in the last 10 years.

Commenting on the Redistricting Dataset for Virginia released last Thursday by the Census Bureau, Accomack GIS Coordinator Tom Brockenbrough wrote County Administrator Steve Miner, "The numbers do not look good for Accomack. It will take me some time to fully drill down the data to have a more composite look at what this will mean for redistricting. ... At this point I have some great reservations about the accuracy of the numbers. We had a dramatic overcount in 2000. I think we've now got a serious under-count."

Brockenbrough, who also serves as Accomack's interim planning director, noted that if the county continues to use nine election districts, the ideal number in each would be 3,685 residents.

"Generally, election districts must be within 95 percent to 105

percent of the ideal population to be considered an acceptable size after the redistricting process (3,501 - 3,869)," he continued. "At present, five districts meet the criteria - Districts 3, 4, 6, 8 and 9. Two districts need to gain additional residents to meet the threshold - Districts 1 and 7 - and two districts need to lose residents to keep from being too large - Districts 2 and 5."

Two charts were sent to each of the supervisors regarding election district and town populations.

The information shows Election District 1, which is comprised of Chincoteague and is represented by Supervisor Wanda Thornton, as going from 3,906 residents to 2,941 or a drop of 24.7 percent in the past 10 years.

Election District 2, which is Supervisor Ron Wolff's territory, had 4,023 residents in 2000 and has climbed to 4,763, according to the figures. The hike represents 18.4 percent.

Supervisor Grayson Chesser represents Election District 3. It has dropped in population, according to these figures, by 6.8 percent, from 3,868 to 3,605.

Election District 4, which is Supervisor Sandra Hart Mears' territory, had 3,693 residents in 2000 and has dropped by 0.9 percent to

Supervisor Jack Gray represents Election District 5, which has grown by 2.4 percent. In 2000, figures show the district had 3,996, compared to 4,090 in 2010.

Former Sheriff Robert Crockett represents District 6. He was recently appointed by the board to fill the unexpired term of Steve

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Heart to Heart Photo by Linda Cicoira

Bill and Mary Rose Lazenby of Atlantic (above) will celebrate their 55th Valentine's Day as husband and wife next week. She met him when she worked at the soda shop in Melfa. "I thought he was cute so I asked him out. I invited him to a sock hop," said Mrs. Lazenby. "I've been happy ever since," said Mr. Lazenby. "I'm proud of you. I really am." The couple have four children, eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. (See Valentine survey story on Page 12,)

McCaleb Resigns as Supervisor

By Linda Cicoira

Accomack County District 9 Supervisor Phil McCaleb of Craddockville resigned from office this week, effective today.

"It is with heavy heart that I tender this resignation due to health reasons," he wrote in a letter to Chairman Donald Hart dated Tuesday.

McCaleb said Wednesday, "I have prostate cancer. While I probably could continue to serve out my term, I felt that both the people of my district and myself would pay a potential high price

if I stayed on. It is likely that I will be leaving the Shore for treatment and who knows the side effects, time and distractions I would face. While I have found the work as a member of the board to be fascinating, and frustrating, it needs or demands more time and focus than I am able to give the job, as well as making a living."

McCaleb requested that the board appoint Wesley Edwards of Belle Haven to fill the seat.

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Red Cross A Shore Thing

By Ron West

After two years without a presence on the Eastern Shore, the American Red Cross again will provide direct support locally.

John Culp, executive director for the Lower Shore Chapter of the Red Cross, told the Northampton County Board of Supervisors that the Salisbury office now will provide service to Accomack and Northampton counties. From time to time, the Red Cross has had offices in one or both counties on the Shore, but budget and manpower issues resulted in the office located in Belle Haven closing. For a time, the services provided by the Red Cross were coming out of Baltimore. Culp stated that the Lower Shore Chapter agreed to assume support for the Eastern Shore beginning this year.

Culp noted that providing services for the Eastern Shore will pose a financial burden for the Lower Shore Chapter in that it had not been factored in to the 2011 budget. As a result, he hoped that local residents and possibly the local governments would be forthcoming with donations.

School Superintendent Dr. Richard Bowmaster provided an update on the Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) for the next several years. According to Dr. Bowmaster, the CIP includes approximately \$9 million for improvements to the three county schools.

Psychiatrist Dr. John Ogram, addressed the lack of long-term care for county residents suffering from mental and substance abuse issues now that Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital no longer offers this service. Dr. Ogram urged the supervisors to press Riverside to consider resuming such care locally.

Area resident David Kabler reported that Indian Town Park is seeing record interest from the public. Kabler said that the Parks and Recreation Department wants to add an additional two weeks to its summer program for young people.

Tom Murray and Doug McMinn gave the supervisors their perspectives on the status of aquaculture in the county. Murray noted that the Eastern Shore is the largest producer of hard-shell clams on the East Coast, with 90 percent

from Northampton County. He said the industry has an annual production valued at \$50 million, with approximately \$9 million of that going into the wages of the 380 plus workers.

McMinn noted the value of the farmed oyster industry to the Shore stating that oysters can bring in an average of 25 cents each, thus providing a good income for anyone willing to invest the time and energy in the industry.

Supervisor Oliver Bennett asked what a person would need in order to get started in aquaculture. McMinn replied that it could be as simple as having a small skiff and a way to access the water. He continued by saying that the farming of oysters was poised to equal the harvesting of native stocks seen in years past but that have been on a decline for the past half-century.

Following a public hearing, the supervisors agreed to support a request by Eastern Shore Rural Health, the World Health Institute, and the Eastern Shore Area Agency of Aging/Community Action Agency to be given tax-exempt status.

The board also approved a request by Delsea Energy to erect a meteorological tower (MET) to gather data on wind speed and direction, on the condition that it have bird diverters as well as acoustic bat detectors.

Supervisors Tankard and Murray gave an update regarding the move of Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital to an area near Accomac. Tankard cited the additional financial costs that would be incurred by Northampton Emergency Medical Services (EMS) agencies, including the need for additional equipment and staffing. "If (the hospital) goes to the Accomac area, the new line for moving patients south to a Hampton Roads hospital will be located just south of Eastville," Tankard said. He noted the need to encourage Riverside to consider an emergency facility to fill the gap in medical care for county residents once the Nassawadox facility is closed.

Supervisor Sam Long Jr. noted that factoring in the added distance, the period from receiving a call to reaching the hospital could exceed an hour.



Gupid's Gonguest

Navy Ensign Elizabeth Mangier and Marine Maj. L. Lee Omps, now of Onancock, were married Feb. 14, 1989, in Eatontown, N.J.

Plea Made for New Hospital

By Linda Cicoira

Census figures are a big part of Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital's plea for a Certificate of Public Need (CPN) to move its facility to Accomack.

The CPN application states, "In order for the hospital to survive in this changing healthcare environment, it needs to move to an area where the hospital can build a completely new physical plant, both inpatient and outpatient components can be cost efficient to operate; the hospital can be in a patient market, which contains an existing favorable demographic and third party pay or mix; and future population growth provides a more stable, as opposed to declining, patient census."

While the application cites a 48.9-acre parcel of land near Accomac, a hospital official recently said that could change in the next several weeks. The application identifies property "18 miles from the existing hospital site with a travel time of 22 minutes. While the property is currently zoned for agricultural use, Riverside has been assured by the Accomack County Administrator and County Planner that re-zoning will not be an issue. Travel to Sentara Bayside in Virginia Beach from the new site is estimated at 67 miles and to Peninsula Regional in Salisbury at 57 miles."

The U.S. Census Bureau's 2010 figures show a population drop of

3.8 percent in Accomack County compared to the total used by officials in 2000 and a 5.4 percent drop for Northampton County in the last 10 years.

The CPN application states, "Most of the numerical growth in the decade 2010 to 2020 is expected to occur in Accomack County, increasing some 1,940 persons, or 4.8 percent. Northampton County is estimated to increase by some 1,000 residents or 6.7 percent. Of significance, the population age 65 and over for both counties is projected to show dramatic percentage increases by 2016 over 2010."

"Nearly one out of every five residents on the Eastern Shore in 2016 will be age 65 and over. It should be noted that the age group 65 and over consumes at least four times more healthcare resources than those individuals under age 65. This high proportion of senior citizens is reflected in the percentage of inpatient days (2009) at Riverside Shore Memorial."

"The hospital ranks 11th of all 64 acute care hospitals in Virginia in combined Medicare and Medicaid as a percent of total gross patient revenue," the application states. "It is fourth among all Virginia acute care hospitals in the percent of bad debt expense. A significant part of this expense could probably be classified as charity care, given the economic circumstances of many Eastern Shore residents."

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•Have spark plugs checked and replaced if necessary. A vehicle can have four, six or eight spark plugs, which fire as many as three million times every 1,000 miles. This results in a lot of heat, electrical, and chemical erosion. A dirty spark plug also causes misfiring, which wastes fuel.

•Maintain the cooling system. A cooling system thermostat that causes the engine to run too cold will lower the fuel efficiency of a car by as much as one or two mpg. There also are improved radiator caps on the market today that allow the cooling system to operate at a higher temperature before boiling over, increasing the system's efficiency and reducing emissions.

In addition to proper vehicle maintenance, vehicles can be more fuel-efficient if tires are properly inflated and if drivers observe the speed limit, avoid aggressive driving and excessive idling, and adhere to an errand list to eliminate extra trips to the store for forgotten items.







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Grand Jury Indicts Several

By Linda Cicoira

A Maryland man was indicted Monday by an Accomack County Grand Jury on two robbery charges in connection with a September incident in Wattsville.

Denzel Maurice Timmons, 20, of Pocomoke was indicted on charges of robbing Carolyn Denise Hinmon and Bonnie Dennis, both of whom worked at Corner Mart Convenience Store. He also was indicted on charges of using a firearm in those crimes. Investigator R.E. Drummond of the Accomack County Sheriff's Office (ACSO) handled the cases.

Also indicted were:

•Isaac Sample Jr., 42, of Accomac, on a count of abducting Laneen Sample on Dec. 13, 2010. According to court records, "The accused went into a fit of rage and began to punch (Laneen Sample) in the face, threw her down on the floor and started kicking her ... grabbed her, pulled her back inside the house ... loaded the gun and advised, 'You're never leaving.' "Deputy Ed Perry of ACSO investigated.

 Bonnie Lou Thompson, 50, of Chincoteague, on a count of cocaine possession on Nov. 4, 2010.
 Chincoteague Sgt. K.A. Reese investigated.

 Amy Gladden Sturgis, 30, of Onancock, on a count of defrauding an innkeeper in Wachapreague on Oct. 28, 2010. Trooper J.M. Brasure investigated.

•Preston Lee Strand Jr., 17, of New Church, on a count of cluding a police officer on Dec. 1, 2010. He will be tried as an adult. Parksley Police Chief W.T. Carpenter investigated.

•Yolanda Osha Stines, 35, of Painter and Shakeva Matthews, 23, of Tasley, each on a count of possession of a cell phone by a prisoner on Nov. 17, 2010. ACSO Sgt. Anthony Bright investigated.

•Dijon Ryheem Smith, 18, of New Church, on a count of armed robbery of Shane Stambaugh and use of a firearm in the robbery, on Oct. 10, 2010. Deputy Patrick Lynn Coulter of ACSO investigated.

 Rachel Ann Sheppard, 30, of Onancock, on a count of assault and battery of a firefighter (Tyler Warren of Onancock Fire Department, who was answering a call) on Oct. 30, 2010. Onancock Police Chief Bryon Heaster and Officer B.K. Greer investigated.

 Carl Ray Murray III, 19, of Pungoteague, on a count of assault and battery of Deputy J.A. Campbell. The complaint was made by Campbell.

 Wykia Shanell James, 18, of Nassawadox, on three counts of forgery in November 2010 of \$950 in checks belonging to Anishka West. Onley Officer David Richardson investigated.

•Ivan Ibarra, 22, of Accomac, on a count of destruction of property (Elvia Sandoval's 2000 Dodge Neon) on Oct. 1, 2010. Onley Officers Richardson and J.E. Colbourne investigated.

 Devan Lemar Hinmon, 21, of Temperanceville, charged with eluding a police officer on Oct. 21, 2010. State Trooper D.N. Lawson investigated.

•Robbie O'Brian Harris Jr., 20, of Temperanceville, on a count of robbing Vernon West of money on Sept. 5, 2010. ACSO Deputy Thomas Adams investigated.

 William Harmon, 34, of Melfa on counts of possession of cocaine and possession of a firearm while in possession of a controlled substance. Trooper J.J. Renas investigated.

Shanikqua Menique Giddens,
 20, of Exmore, on a count of grand
 larceny on Oct. 20, 2010. Deputy
 Zach Widgeon investigated.

•Myron Hezzell Edwards, 46, of Melfa, on a count of receiving stolen property (electronics and tools) on Oct. 30, 2010. Widgeon investigated.

 Clyde Edward Dean Jr., 34, of West Point, Va., on a count of grand larceny of property belonging to Jay R. Aigner between June 1 and 30, 2010. Drummond investigated.

•Rykese Ja'Quan Brown, 20, of Parksley, charged with a third offense of DUI within five years, on Oct. 8, 2010. Deputy E.J. Long of ACSO investigated.

Kelsey Elizabeth Bottone, 24,
 Belle Haven, on two counts of credit-card larceny on Oct. 23, 2010.
 Trooper B.E. Lewis investigated.

•Tracie Lynne Bailey, 36, of Chincoteague, on a count of stealing checks belonging to Charma and David Birch between May 25 and June 1, 2010. Chincoteague Police Capt. R.K. Fisher investigated.

 Fred Nathaniel Turlington, 39, of Melfa, on a count of assault and battery of a police officer (Deputy Campbell) on Nov. 25.



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Exmore Reviews Policies for Filling Council Seats

By Ron West

Exmore Town Council continues to revise the town charter to bring it in line with recent General Assembly actions.

One area of interest defines policies surrounding the filling of vacant seats on Council. Prior to 2010, such vacancies were filled by Council appointment. In 2010 the Virginia General Assembly enacted changes that could require a special election to fill a vacant seat.

One additional change proposed by Exmore Town Council would require a sitting member who wishes to run for mayor to resign from Council, thus leaving a vacancy that would need to be filled by election.

Once Town Council refines its recommendations on changes to the charter, it will conduct a public hearing for citizen input. Any proposed changes to the charter must be approved by the General Assembly; thus, it would be more than a year before any such changes would be in place.

Interim Town Manager Arthur Miles gave an update on the Public Service Authority (PSA) and efforts of the Project Management Team (PMT) to move forward with the proposed regional wastewater project.

Miles said there is still a need for additional volunteers to get surveys completed regarding the public's interest in connecting to the system once it is in place. According to Miles, just over 200 surveys have been completed, with several hundred more needed. Most sur- . what to do with a small portion of veys thus far indicate an interest in connecting to the system.

A grant being sought by the PSA/PMT calls for either an 80 percent interest in voluntary hookups by the public or putting a mandatory hookup requirement in place. Miles said Nassawadox Town Council has voiced opposition to a mandatory hookup. Other towns have not conducted a vote on the requirement and are still seeking surveys by the public in an effort to demonstrate the required 80 percent interest in hooking up to the regional system.

Councilman Dave Scanlan expressed concern over what the monthly rate might be for those who connect to the regional system. That topic also has been a stumbling block for other towns in the county, as many citizens with a working septic system do not want an additional monthly fee. Until it is known how many customers will be hooked to a system, it is difficult to determine what the monthly fee would be.

Council reviewed proposals on property east of the town center currently known as the Doughty Property. Members of Council were less than enthusiastic about spending money to purchase the property, given the limited resources of the town. Miles said one issue of concern is that there is no clear title available and that to get one would require a survey of the property. No final decision was made.

In other business, Miles said the town is still waiting for a letter of approval by ANEC to burn derelict homes on Gladstone Lane. In a related area. Miles said that he is seeking parties interested in the demolition of several houses in various parts of the town. He is proposing that the affected property owners' share in the cost of equipment rental needed to complete the job. Once the homes have been demolished, it would still be the owners' responsibility to remove the debris.

Mayor Billy Moore Jr. announced that there is an opening on the town's Planning Commission. He urged anyone interested in becoming involved in the future of the town to apply at the Town Office for consideration for the position by Council.

Accomack County Deputy Arrested on 10 Misdemeanor Counts

Accomack Deputy Sheriff Jerry Spencer Tarr was charged with 10 counts of petit larceny (shoplifting) by Virginia State Police Special Agent P.A. Compton Monday.

Tarr, 45, came under investigation early this year, when Petroleum Marketing Group (PMG) contacted the State Police to investigate an alleged larceny at Corner Mart Convenience store in Chincoteague. Petroleum Marketing Group and its employees identified Tarr on 10 occasions on video surveillance stealing several Five Hour Energy Drinks.

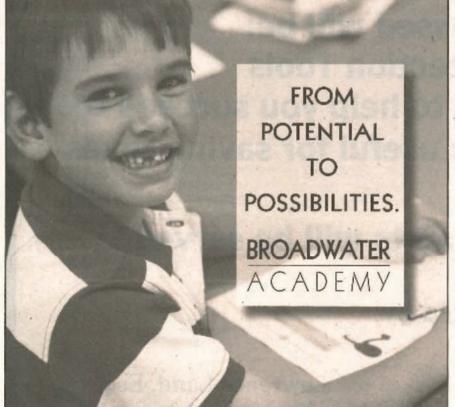
According to court records, Laura McDowell, district manager of the store, "personally viewed the DVD surveillance video and identified Jerry Tarr" as the person who stole Five Hour Energy Drinks in January and February 2011.

He is accused of stealing two drinks on Jan. 19, 2011; three on Jan. 20; two on Jan. 21; one on Jan. 25; one on Jan. 26; one on January 27, three on Jan. 29; four on Jan. 30; two on Jan. 31; and two on Feb. 1.

"The total amount of loss is \$78.26," Compton wrote.

Tarr was charged and released. according to State Police.

Sheriff Larry Giddens said Tarr, who had worked for his department for three months, resigned Monday. "He did a great job for us," said Giddens. "This is one of those things you can't explain. It's a sad time for us."



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Mallette, who resigned. Figures show that district had a 2 percent drop in population, from 3,659 residents to 3,587.

Election District 7, which is represented by Vice Chairwoman Laura Belle Gordy, went from 3,725 residents to 3,265, a decline of 11.8 percent.

The population of Election District 8, which is represented by Chairman Donald Hart, went down by 1.4 percent, from 3,725 to 3,671.

The population of Election District 9, which is represented by Supervisor Phil McCaleb, went down by 8.6 percent, from 3,917 to 3,582 residents.

Figures for towns were also released for 2010. Population is down for Accomac, Bloxom, Chincoteague, Hallwood, Melfa, Onancock, Painter, Saxis and Wachapreague.

Figures for Belle Haven, which is in both Accomack and North-ampton counties, were not included in Brockenbrough's letter. "The Census Bureau reports three numbers for Belle Haven — the Accomack portion, the Northampton portion and a total and I haven't yet been able to verify that I'm comparing numbers for a similar geography," wrote Brockenbrough.

In Accomac, the population was down by 5.1 percent, from 547 residents to 519. In Bloxom, it was down 3 percent, from 399 to 387. In Hallwood, it went down by 29 percent, from 290 to 206. Melfa's population dropped by 9.3 percent, from 450 residents to 408. Onancock's population declined by 17.2 percent, from 1,525 residents to 1,263. Painter went down by 6.9 percent, from 246 to 229 residents. Saxis went down 28.5 percent, from 337 to 241. Wachapreague's population went from 236 to 232 residents, a drop of 1.7 percent.

Population is up in Keller, Onley, Parksley and Tangier. In Keller, it went from 173 to 178, an increase of 2.9 percent. In Onley it went from 472 to 516, a hike of 9.3 percent. In Parksley, it went from 837 to 842, an increase of 0.6 percent and on Tangier Island it went from 604 to 727, an increase of 20.4 percent.

Mayor Billye D. Custis of Onley was surprised to hear the numbers for her town. "We had a whole lot (of census surveys) that were delivered to Onley that said Melfa," she said. "My whole street (Caroline) was wrong. The majority of West Main Street was wrong. There was someone on Maple that was wrong. Nobody gave me a satisfactory answer about how it was going to be handled."

She said population figures affect the amount of funding handed out by the state.

According to the state Department of Criminal Justice Web site, money for local police is distributed based on crime rates, population, population density and wel-

fare caseloads.

Onley expects to get more than \$11,000 for its police department. While there are 225 inhabited houses in the town, there are also more than 80 businesses and busy Lankford Highway. Custis said local sales tax is also returned based on school-age residents.

Other towns that will see police money are Cape Charles with \$26,076, Chincoteague with \$97,587, Exmore with \$31,049, Onancock with \$32,993, and Parksley with \$18,496.

According to the Virginia Public Asset Project's Web site (<u>vpap.org</u>), "based on the 2010 Census, the ideal population of each Congressional District will be 727,366 people." The district, which includes the Eastern Shore, is more than 10 percent below target.

Miner wrote to the supervisors last Friday. "Our population has dropped according to the census by some 5,100 persons. At first blush, I suspected a second bad census for us. The last one was high and this one, well, who knows. We had a lot of stories of people not counted. I will say that our 'loss' in population does seen incongruous with the interim numbers we have occasionally received, which showed us with very modest growth."

Supervisor Claims Census Reflects Several Errors

By Linda Cicoira

Accomack Supervisor Wanda Thornton of Chincoteague is joining forces with Chincoteague officials and staff to fix mistakes in the island's 2010 census.

"We had multiple complaints from people who said they weren't counted," said Thornton. "Some said they (census workers) came to their houses three times. It really is a messed-up thing ... just looking at it you'll know it isn't correct," she told Town Council Monday.

According to 2010 census figures, the population on Chincoteague Island is down by 24.7 percent compared with figures gathered in 2000, from 3,906 to 2.941 residents.

Thornton said there are 2,602 registered voters on the island and 420 students in the public schools. "Lots of people won't register to vote because they (incorrectly) think that means jury duty," she said. Voters and public-school students combined are more than what the census came up with and don't include children who are home-schooled or attend private schools, Thornton said. There is a similar situation with countywide results, she added.

The census shows Accomack with a population of 33,164 but Thornton said there are 22,000 registered voters in the county and that, combined with the number of students, shows the census figures are too low.

"We're going to have to do a lot of the work ourselves," she said, warning that not righting the wrong could result in losing state money for town road maintenance and a seat on the Accomack-Northampton Planning District Commission. "This could really be devastating for us," she told Council.

"We're just going to have to do our own count," she said. And the new figures would have to be proven. In 2000, Thornton said, it was easier to correct errors in the census, which showed 418 residents in Inlet View, where no one lived.

"The biggest increase was in Ron Wolff's District where they made a big mistake last time," said Thornton. She explained errors in those population figures also were corrected easily because they occurred at Trails End, which also did not have full-time residents

Both Inlet View and Trails End now do have some residents, she added. While the county corrected problems with the 2000 census, some figures are still wrong because the "information had already gone to print."

Thornton also commented that recent census figures for Tangier are wrong. In District 9 (the Painter/Belle Haven areas), she said, there were also complaints about residents not being counted. Thornton said the local census was performed by people from "across the bay" who do not "know the properties and the ins and outs of getting in touch with people" here.

Chincoteague Councilman John Howard said the biggest complaint was the fear residents had when strangers showed up on their property. "They felt very uncomfortable," Thornton agreed, adding, "They are geared to handling the cities."

The supervisor suggested that corrections be made by the street. Chincoteague Mayor Jack Tarr, who said the census workers missed all of Bunker Hill, noted that Chincoteague "was one of the few places that didn't get the mailing. They just came door-to-door."

In addition to a physical count, County Attorney Jon Poulson said the town could use personal property and water bills to show population.

Town Manager Robert Ritter also said errors in the census were made. He said of the 4,517 dwellings on the island, the census shows 69 percent are not occupied.

"We have a lot of unoccupied houses, but we don't have that many," said Thornton. "It's just another thing you have to spend your time and money on that should have been done right in the first place."

In other business, Chincoteague Council agreed to seek a federal grant for \$256,000 to buy new trolleys. After the old ones are sold, the cost to the town would be about \$12,000 if the grant is obtained and the state kicks in \$32,000.

Councilman Terry Howard wanted the town to urge owners of the Roxy Theater to change the name back to Island Theater, which it was for years in his youth. He said keeping the history is important and that the cost would be worth it.

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Andrew Ashby of Belle Haven was named to the Dean's List for the fall semester of 2010 at Old Dominion University. Ashby is an exercise science major in the Darden College of Education.

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Two Named to Dean's List

Melissa Gies and Courtney Williams, both of Onancock, are among 600 students named to the Dean's List for outstanding academic achievement during the fall 2010 semester at Longwood University.

To make the Dean's List, students must have a GPA between 3.5 and 3.99.

~ McCaleb ~

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"My request is that the ... board ... does whatever necessary to seat Mr. Edwards before the regular meeting of Feb. 16 so that the District 9 constituents will have continuous representation," McCaleb wrote.

"I am recommending Wes Edwards be appointed in my stead for one reason," McCaleb continued. "He is the best person for the job. I don't think Wes has missed a board meeting in the last five years. He is up to speed on all the issues before the board and has a good grasp of the various personalities of the board members and the various county employees. In other words, he will not have the 'learning curve' that made me feel so 'at sea' when I first went on the board. He is bright, a hard worker and he cares about Accomack County and its government."

Edwards, who was McCaleb's campaign manager, said he will pursue the supervisor's seat "now and in the November General Election."

McCaleb of McCaleb-Metzler Inc., an insurance firm in Belle Haven, is the second supervisor to resign in 2011. Former Sheriff Robert Crockett was appointed last month to fill the unexpired term of Steve Mallette, District 6 representative to the Board of Supervisors.

This was McCaleb's first term after beating out Reneta Major who was appointed after her mothcr, Supervisor Julia Major, died.

Hart said he hopes the quest for a new supervisor would follow the same course as when Crockett was appointed. In that case, a deadline was set for residents of the district to apply for the position. Then a selection meeting was held, during which the candidates could tell about themselves and others could voice their support. If the supervisors fail to appoint a new member, a circuit court judge would decide.

Hart said he is calling a special meeting for 5 p.m. Feb. 14 to address the issue.

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OBITUARIES

Perdue Security Guard Dies

Mr. Wayne Roger Baylis, 69, of Modest Town passed away Tuesday, Feb. 1, 2011, at Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital in Nassawadox.

Born in Huntington, Long Island, N.Y., he was a son of the late Clarence and Marjorie Frisch Baylis. Mr. Baylis was a security guard with Perdue Farms, Inc., and a former salesman for Frito Lay and Wise Potato Chips. Mr. Baylis served in the U.S. Army as a medic, and enjoyed gardening.

Survivors include his wife. Rosemary L. Baylis; children, Timothy Wayne Baylis (and wife, Jennifer) of Eastville, Tammy Baylis of Modest Town, Jeffery Roger Baylis (and wife, Jennifer) of Guilford, Jaime Baylis Meilhammer (and husband, Bruce Jr.) of Bonaire, Ga., and Christopher T. Baylis of Guilford; brother, Clarence Baylis Jr. (and wife, Donna) of Quinby; grandchildren, Courtney, Katlyn, Lindsey, Brittany and Chelsea; step-grandson, Craig; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by two brothers, Arthur Baylis and Donald Baylis.

Graveside services were conducted at Fairview Lawn Cemetery in Onancock Friday, Feb. 4, by Pastor Bobby Parks.

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Department, P.O. Box 132, Bloxom, VA 23308. Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by Williams-Parksley Funeral Home.

Tangier Resident Dies at Home

Mrs. Betty Crockett Mc-Mann, 78, of Tangier Island, went to be with the Lord Saturday, Feb. 5, 2011, at her home.

Born on Tangier Island, she was a daughter of the late Irene and Ray Crockett. A homemaker, she was a member of Swain Memorial United Methodist Church, where she was choir director, church treasurer and Bible School director.

Mrs. McMann is survived by her husband, Leon McMann; children and their spouses, Carlene and Rudy Shores, Nick and Laurie Mc-Mann. Irene and James Eskridge. and Carolyn and Jack Chandler; grandchildren, Jim, Jeff, James, Ashley, Nicholas, Josh, Joseph, Alese, Manjula, Devi, Bhagya, and Sreedevi; great-grandchildren, Andrew, Ayden, Priya and Lilly; sisters, Norma Dize (and husband, Pres), and Jerry Pruitt; and several nicces and nephews. She was preceded in death by an infant child: and a brother-in-law. Charlie

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Feb. 8, at Swain Memorial United Methodist Church on Tangier by Rev. Patricia Stover. Interment was in the family cemetery.

Donations in her memory may be made to Swain Memorial U.M. Church, Parsonage Fund, Tangier, VA 23440. To send condolences, visit www.bradshawandsonsfuneral home.com



Arrangements were made by Bradshaw & Sons Funeral Home in Crisfield, Md.

VDOT Retiree Passes Away

Mr. Edmund McDaniel Bedsworth Sr., 73, of Exmore, passed away Saturday, Feb. 5, 2011, at his residence.

A native of Exmore, he was the son of the late William Leonard Bedsworth and Marie Turner Bedsworth. Mr. Bedsworth was the assistant plant engineer of the frozen foods plant in Exmore until it closed in 1980 and then was a traffic signal technician for VDOT until his retirement in 2008. He was a member of Epworth United Methodist Church, past master of Broadwater Masonic Lodge 71 AF&AM, Northampton Chapter 2, and Exmore Moose Lodge 683.

Mr. Bedsworth is survived by his wife, Sally Black Bedsworth; children, Nancy Carol Bishop (and husband, Charles) of Troy, Va., and Edmund M. Bedsworth Jr. (and partner, D. Lawrence Tarazano) of Alexandria, Va.; sister, Marie B. Old of Chesapeake, Va.; brothers, Harry Leonard Bedsworth (and wife, Dolores) of Delray Beach, Fla., and Everette J. Bedsworth (and wife, Marilyn) of Cowpens, S.C. He was predeceased by a sister, Emily B. Simms.

A memorial service will be conducted Saturday, Feb. 12, at 2 p.m. at Epworth United Methodist Church by Pastor Ray McGarr.

Memorial donations may be sent to Epworth United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 488, Exmore, VA 23350; or to Hospice and Palliative Care of the Eastern Shore, 165 Market St., Suite 3, Onancock, VA 23417. Online condolences may be shared at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

Arrangements were made by Doughty Funeral Home, Exmore.

Former Bayshore Mkts. Manager Dies

Mr. Jerry Franklin Miles, 73, of Cape Charles passed away Saturday, Feb. 5, 2011, at Sentara Norfolk General Hospital.

A native of Parksley, he was the son of the late Ralph and Mabel Shrieves Miles. After graduating from Parksley High School, he played AAA Baseball for the Balti-

more Orioles. Mr. Miles was a manager of Bayshore Markets until retirement. He was a member of Grace United Methodist Church in Parksley and past president of Cape Charles Lions Club.

Mr. Miles is survived by his wife, Joyce Carpenter Miles; daughters, Sabra DeWitt of Cape Charles and Susie Bumann (and husband, Fred) of Chesapeake, Va.; grandchildren, Amy Jones (and husband, Will) of Exmore and Gabriel Bumann of Chesapeake; and great-granddaughter, Haleh Green of Exmore.

Funeral services will be conducted today, Feb. 11, at 2 p.m. at Doughty Funeral Home in Exmore by Dr. Charles Peterson. Interment will follow in Cape Charles Cemetery. Family will join friends one hour prior to the service.

Memorial donations may be sent to Cape Charles Lions Club, c/o Mr. Ronnie Crumb, P.O. Box 1287, Eastville, VA 23347; or to the SPCA Animal Shelter, P.O. Box 164, Onley, VA 23418. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

IDLIVER Proprietor Dies at Home

Mr. Robert Cabell Mapp, 66, of Belle Haven passed away Tuesday, Feb. 8, 2011, at his residence.

A native of Belle Haven, he was the son of the late Cabell W. and Louise Jones Mapp. Mr. Mapp was sole proprietor of IDLIVER and a member of Belle Haven Presbyterian Church and Exmore Moose Lodge 683.

Survivors include his children, Sydney W. Mapp of Edgewood, Md., James W. Mapp (and wife, Brandy) of Snellville, Ga., and Paula Mapp Grzymala (and husband, Marc) of Sugar Hill, Ga.; and nephew, David Adams of Norfolk, Va. Mr. Mapp was predeceased by a brother, Sidney A. Mapp; a twin sister, Lillian Mapp Adams Barber; and a nephew, Patrick Adams.

A graveside service will be conducted Saturday, Feb. 12, at 4 p.m. at Belle Haven Cemetery, with Pastor Joe McKnight officiating.

Memorial donations may be made to Exmore Moose Lodge 683, P.O. Box 1227, Exmore, VA 23350. Online condolences may be offered at www.doughtyfuneralhome.com

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Readers Put Their Hearts Into Valentine's Survey

By Linda Cicoira

Accomack and Northampton residents are gearing up for the big event. It's 72 hours until Valentine's Day!

Ive Chubb of Eastville said the perfect Valentine couple is Maryon and Stewart Womble of Cheriton. "Their kindness is endless. They are just lovely people in love."

Chubb is lucky that way, too. "My husband always makes Valentine's Day special," she wrote in response to an Eastern Shore Post email survey. "We go out to dinner and he always makes me feel special and loved." She said her worst Valentine's Day was "many years ago (when) I was in the military in Spain and all alone."

Cissy Hall of the Accomac area fondly remembers an Alabama tradition called "stomping." Kids and "stomped on the teenagers doorstep or porch, banged on door, hid card under doormat and ran to hide" on Valentine's Day. She said a gift of chocolate or flowers ... for special friends or someone you had a crush on. (They) stayed in the neighborhoods most often ... we

would ride our bikes for long distance stomping. As older teenagers we would drive. My parents' generation had this tradition too. (It is) fun to think about."

Richard Pearsall of Onancock said the perfect Valentine couple is "Iris and Willie Crockett, local icons in Onancock - still in love after five kids and many years."

Ron West of Machipongo said he knows how he won his wife's heart. "When Faye and I were in college, I did the usual thing of walking down to the lake on campus and carving our initials on a tree." Now he "bakes a Valentine's cake or other romantic item for Fave. I also try to bake supper for her."

Vicki Weiskopf of Chincoteague said her cousins, "age 88 and 92, are really the perfect Valentine's couple. Married 70 years, they still live independently and only think of the other. They still possess those qualities that first attracted them: compassion, dignity, and a sense of humor. They jokingly attribute their happiness to hearing loss' "!

Linda Mitchell of Melfa nominated Allen and Trish Underwood as the perfect Valentine couple. They live in the same area and are celebrating their 19th anniversary today. "Two great kids. Wonderful, wonderful people," she said.

Mitchell isn't a stranger to love either. She's been winning the heart of her husband by cooking lots of "fine candlelit dinners." Valentine's Day is "always great with my husband and has never been bad ever." Her husband usually rewards her with Godiva chocolates.

Sandy Storherr of Willis Wharf said Edward and Beverly Stetar of

Exmore are the perfect Valentines. "After all these years and their medical problems, they hug and kiss and hold hands at every chance. They are the first ones to come and help a friend or even a stranger. Ed and Bev also are the workers behind putting out the Salvation Army kettles and counting the monev each year in Northampton County. Plus taking care of the Angel Trees and seeing that everyone that can be helped is helped. They both have hearts of solid gold."

Storherr knows these things because she was born on Valentine's Day, And she's a sender of Valentines. "I have 12 already written. I love to give gifts and cards on my birthday," she said.

Jennifer Simpson of Exmore said, "Cooking up a killer meal" is "the way to a man's heart." Her best Valentine's Day "was 1999 when my husband and I started. going out. The worst was when I did not have someone special, it's miserable to be alone on Valentine's, especially when all your friends have someone."

Kimberlee Ormsby of Onancock said her parents, who live at Wintergreen, in Virginia, are the perfect couple. "They have been married for 54 years. In July of 2010, their home burned to the ground. They escaped through their bedroom window, but nothing of the home or their valuables was saved. My father has always adored my mother and she has loved him through 30 years in the Air Force, which involved moving every three years, and government bureaucracy. After the fire, my father has become even more attached to my

mother. The most recent heartfelt story is my mother telling me that at night he wakes up and just touches her. He doesn't mean to wake her, but he just wants to know she is there beside him and safe. I love that story."

The best Valentine's Day for Ormsby was when her husband took her out for a romantic dinner. They drove "home holding hands after many, many years of marriage. The worst was long before my husband and I were married. We broke up and did not spend Valentine's Day together."

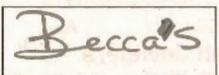
Still, she says she and her man don't usually make a big deal about the day. "I really just want my husband to say Happy Valentine's Day."

Nancy Galati of Belle Haven said her parents are the best couple: "Evelyn and Richard Lewis (of Cheriton) because they've been married 60 + years!"

Candy Williams of Exmore said the way to win someone's heart is "41 years of marriage, three children and six grandchildren!! Cooking, cleaning, work and taking care of the home all that time for better or worse!"

She named "Carole and Skip" as a great couple "because he always makes her feel like a queen ... they are such Christian examples of how couples should live together in peace and harmony."

Allison Pike, a high-school student from Cape Charles, said, "I think the perfect Valentine couple are my parents, Roger and Jeanine! I choose them because they are so loving and they think of others before themselves and they al-



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Barbara Miles of Gargatha named Jean and Billy Davis as Valentine couple. "They are a perfect image of relying on God and faith in each other to get through the hard times and still be the best of friends. Marriage is not easy, but they have a strong faith in the Lord and He has blessed them. Jean is so well-known for her directorship of the Food Bank and all the ways it has been improved throughout the years. Strong sense of family and values that never waiver. They have had sorrowful times and joyful times. They model themselves as God's servants in all they do. It is a pleasure to know them."

Miles said her best Valentine's Day was "cruising the Caribbean ... and of course the diamonds that went with it! Worst was not worth remembering ... love of family is all that is ever needed."

Erin Hall of Cheriton said, "My best and worst Valentine's Days were actually the same day. When I was in high school I used to get flowers delivered at school every year from my father. When I started dating, I expected that I would get flowers at school from my boyfriend, too. Valentine's Day came ... and ... the school day ended without the usual call from the office to come pick up my delivery, and crushed, disheartened, and even a little mad. I left school and headed to my boyfriend's house. There I visited with him briefly, but, seeing that he neither had a Valentine's Day gift for me nor seemed to be aware that the day even existed, I stormed out to my car and went home in a rage. At home I found my room strewn with roses of every hue, plush animals and cards of humor and romance. It was the worst and best Valentine's Day because my boyfriend had taken such care, yet I had been such a ..., well, you know."

"I talk to my high-school Valentine every day when I see my husband. We have been together for 10½ years and very little has changed about the way we love," Hall said.

Ed Kehrig of Jamesville said, "Every day is Valentine's Day at my house. My wife is my queen and gets treated as such all year long."

Angie H. Crutchley of Onancock said her life is the perfect Valen-

tine. "I choose myself and my husband Doug" as the Valentine couple. "Two weirder human beings couldn't have been more

perfectly matched. If there is a fate, and I believe there is, it brought us together to live the rest of our disturbed lives together!"

"The best was when we didn't have much money and made each other love letters," Crutchley said. I ... put his on the refrigerator

where it stays to this day, much to his embarrassment. I try to force a celebration. Seven years together and I still hear the same manufactured speech about how Valentine's Day is just propaganda from the Hallmark company." She wants to celebrate with diamonds.

Accomack Schools Oppose PE Bill

By Linda Cicoira

Accomack school officials informally voiced their disapproval last week of Virginia House Bill 1644, which requires an average of at least 150 hours of physical education per week for public school students in grades K-8 and similar goals for high school students.

Superintendent Rick Bull said, "They're always saying it's budget neutral. It's not budget neutral." In order to offer that much physical education, Bull said, 20 minutes would have to be added to the school day, or art, music or library would have to be cut.

As it is, he said, some students start their day on the school bus as early as 6:45 a.m. and end it as late as 4:45 p.m. Other after-school activities lengthen the day beyond that.

The bill is scheduled to be heard in the Senate and Education and Health's Public Education Subcommittee on Monday, Feb. 14. If approved it would go into effect beginning with the 2014-15 term.

Supervisor Wolff Announces Meeting

Supervisor Ron Wolff will hold his monthly Election District 2 constituents' meeting at 7 p.m. Feb. 14 at his restaurant in Atlantic County Attorney Mark Taylor will discuss dealing with changes in the Wallops Transmission Corridor.







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FRIDAY FEB. 11

★9 a.m. & 1:30 p.m. -Heart Failure Update - Shore Cardio, Nassawadox - 414-0178

★10:30 a.m. - Duplicate Bridge - Sage Restaurant, Onley - 442-2474 ★6 p.m. - Celebrate Recovery Group mtg. - Family Life Center, Onancock -Simple Meal: \$6/person or \$10/family ★7 p.m. - Life Teach Series - Rachel/ Leah Covenant Ministries Center -

787-2486

★7 p.m. - Northampton Idol -

Northampton High School, Eastville - \$5 ★7 p.m. - NA mtg. - Adventist Community Center, Exmore

★7:30 p.m. - AA mtg. - Downing Methodist Church, Oak Hall ★7:30 p.m. - Texas Hold'em Tourna-

ment - Parksley VFC

SATURDAY FEB. 12

★8 a.m.-noon - Farmer's Market -Downtown Park, Main St., Chincoteague

★9 a.m. - Zumba Class - sponsored

by Chincoteague YMCA - Senior Center, Chincoteague - \$5 *9-11 a.m. - Free Coat Closet - Onley UMC - 787-4155

★9 a.m.-1 p.m. - Breastfeeding & Infant Care - RSMH, Nassawadox - 414-8764

★10 a.m.-2 p.m. - Free HIV/AIDS Testing - Transformation Community Development Corporation, 32170 Seaside Rd., Keller - 787-1139

★noon - Habitat for Humanity February Freeze: Dip in the Chesapeake - Cape Charles Beach Front

*noon - AA & Al-Anon mtgs. - Holy Trinity Church, Onancock

★6 p.m. - Valentine Dinner - Bethel Baptist Church, Franktown - \$5 donation - 757-350-0796

*7 p.m. - Johnny Goodtimes (Jerome Nottingham) hosts

Quizzo - Aqua, Cape Charles

★7 p.m. - Bingo - Atlantic Vol. Fire Co.
★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.

MONDAY FEB. 14 ★9 a.m. - Al-Anon mtg. - UMC Fellowship House, Chincoteague
★9 a.m. - TOPS mtg. - Market Street UMC, Onancock

★9:30-11:30 a.m. - GED class - Head Start, Accomac - 787-1760

★10:30-11:30 a.m. - Moms In Touch Int'l Prayer Group mtg. - Cape Charles Baptist Church

★5-6 p.m. - Al-Anon mtg. - Market St. UMC, Onancock

★5:15 p.m. - Friends of Northampton Memorial Library mtg. - library, Cape Charles

★7 p.m. - Multiple Sclerosis Support Group - Hampton Inn & Suites, Exmore

★7 p.m. - AA mtg. - Christ Episcopal Church, Eastville

★6 p.m. - Bingo - Elks Lodge, Tasley

★6:30 p.m. - Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg. - Grace UMC, Parksley

WEDNESDAY FEB. 16

★Manicure Proceeds to go to Reese Coffin Trust for Entire Month of February -Tangled Salon & Spa. Exmore

★7:45 a.m. - Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg. - Sage Restaurant, Onley

★8 a.m.-noon - Farmers' Market - Downtown Park, Chincoteague

★9:30-11:30 a.m. - GED Class - Head Start Ctr., Accomac-787-1760 ★9:30-noon - Congressman Scott Rigell's Staff to Meet with Constituents - Eastville

★10 a.m.-noon - Accomack AARP mtg. - Sunrise Restaurant, Onley - Maj. Todd Godwin will be speaker

★10:30 a.m. - Duplicate Bridge - Sage Diner, Exmore - 442-2474

★10:30 a.m.-noon - Hospice Grief Support Prgm. - Swain Memorial Sunday School Bldg., Tangier - 787-3310

★11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. - Debedeavon Toastmasters mtg. - at NASA Wallops Base - Call Terry at 757-824-1133 for base access ★2 p.m. - Children's Story Hour - Public Library, Accomac

*2 p.m. - Children's Story Hour - Public Library, Accomac *2 p.m. - E.S. Brain Injury Survivors Exercise & Support Group mtg. - Belle Haven- 442-9334

★3:15 p.m. - Arts & Crafts Time - Cape Charles Library ★6:30 p.m. - E.S. Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 62 mtg. -

Yellow Duck, Exmore - 442-5916

*7 p.m. - Man to Man Prostate Cancer Support Group mtg. - Riverside Shore Cancer Ctr., Nassawadox

★7 p.m. - AA & Al-Anon mtgs. - RSMH, Nassawadox ★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - Painter Vol. Fire Co., Painter

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SUNDAY FEB. 13

★10 a.m.-5 p.m. -Salisbury Coin Club Show - Salisbury Moose Lodge

#654 - 410-742-4721

★2 p.m. - Jasper & Heavenly Wings - New Allen Memorial AME, Franktown

★2:30 p.m. - Bingo - Vietnam Veterans' Bldg., Main St., Onley ★7 p.m. - The Reunion Quartet - Central Baptist Church, Onley

★7:30 p.m. - AA mtg. - Fellowship House, Chincoteague

TUESDAY FEB. 15

★10 a.m. - Bingo - Accomack Sr. Village, Onancock - 787-3900 ★noon - Church Women United mtg. - Naomi Makemie Presbyter-

ian Church, Onancock - bring sandwich

★1-2:30 p.m. - Hospice Grief Support Prgm. - 509 Randolph Ave., Cape Charles - 787-3310

★4:15 p.m. - TOPS weigh-in (prgm. @ 5) - Belle Haven Presbyterian- 442-3984

★6 p.m. - Rachel Leah Ministries - 787-2486

★6 p.m. - Bingo - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA

★6-9 p.m. - Beginning Beckeeping - Barrier Island Center, Machipongo

★6:30-8:30 p.m. - GED Class - Classroom A-51, ESCC, Melfa

★7 p.m. - Northampton County Democratic Committee mtg. - American Legion Post 400, Eastville

★7 p.m. - Narcotics Anonymous mtg. - Jerusalem Baptist, Temperanceville

★7:30 p.m. - Bingo - smoke free - Cheriton VFC ★7:30 p.m. - AA mtg. - Atlantic Methodist Church ★7:30 p.m. - Al-Anon meeting - Atlantic UMC -824-5386



THURSDAY FEB. 17

★10 a.m.-4 p.m. - **Blood Drive** - Northampton High School, Eastville

★11 a.m. - Children's Story Hour - Public Library, Accomac

★2 p.m. - Children's Story Hour - North. Library, Nassawadox

★5 p.m. - TOPS mtg. - Baptist Bible Church, Accomac

★6 p.m. - TOPS mtg. - Cape Charles Rescue Squad bldg., Cheriton

★6:30 p.m. - Kiwanis of Chincoteague mtg. - St. Andrew's Catholic

★6:30- 8:30 p.m. - GED Class - Classroom A-51, ESCC

★6:30- 9 p.m. - 50/50 Bingo Night - Parksley VFC

★7 p.m. - Free Seminar - Coastal Research Center, Oyster - 331-1246

★7 p.m. - Narcotics Anonymous mtg. - Painter Garrisons UMC



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Announcements

Dog Found:

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during our time
of loss.

Thank you, The Harris Family

The family of Pete Richardson would like to thank each and every one for their visits, flowers, food and prayers while he was ill and since his passing. Special thanks to the Chincoteague Vol. Fire Co., the ambulance crew, the Ladies' Auxiliary, and the Greenbackville Fire Co. for the ladder truck. The outpouring of love and compassion shown to our family during this trying time showed how much "Pete" touched peoples' lives. He will be sorely missed. There are no words to express our gratitude.

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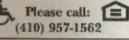
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Legal Ads

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff CIVIL CASE NO. 10-266

VS.

CLARASTINE D. SPADY IRVIN SPADY BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is to enforce the lien of the Plaintiff for delinquent taxes against certain real estate described as follows:

All that parcel of land at Cheapside, Northampton County, Virginia, being 112 ft. on the North, 78 ft. on the East, 90 ft. on the South and 64 ft. on the West and designated as parcel no. 0105A-0A-BLK-00-067.

LESS and EXCEPT a conveyance recorded in Deed Book 166, page 242.

standing in the names of Clarastine D. Spady and Irvin Spady, pursuant to Section 58.1-3967 of the Code of Virginia. And an affidavit having been filed that due

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Irvin Spady, whose last known post office address is 27587 Blueberry Drive, Cape Charles, VA. It is ORDERED that this Order be published

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before February 25th, 2011, at 12:00 p.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 27th day of January, 2011 Traci L. Johnson, Clerk

I ask for this: JAMES W. ELLIOTT, p.q. Attorney at Law P.O. Box 1410 7100 U.S. Route 17 Yorktown, VA 23692 (757)898-7000

Legals Ads (Cont'd.)

Eastern Shore Mini Storage- Auction Saturday February 19, 2011 21012 Fairgrounds Rd., Onancock, VA location at 10 A.M.

#O0321 in the name of Jery Buell #O0245 in the name of Tangela Collins #O0246 in the name of Nicolas Longnecker #O0235 in the name of LaToya Palmer #O0337 in the name of Jennifer Paskill #O056D in the name of Heather Sahin Cash & Carry INVITATION TO BID/RFP

Sealed bids are invited for interested firms to submit proposals for DDC upgrades to the HVAC system at Kiptopeke Elementary School (KES) with options to add Occohanock Elementary School (OES) and Northampton High School, County of Northampton, Virginia.

Sealed bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on February 18, 2011 with bid openings at 2:15 p.m. Send bids directly to Mr. Chris Truckner, Northampton County Public Schools, 7207 Young Street, Machipongo, Virginia 23405, marked SEALED BIDS. Any proposals received after the deadline will be rejected. Bid packets may be obtained from Northampton County Public Schools Central Office. For further information, contact Mr. Chris Truckner at (757)678-5151 ext. 7001.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive informalities. Procedure for withdrawal of a bid due to error is that described in Section 2.2-4330 of the Code of Virginia. VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff CIVIL CASE NO. 10-255

VS.

LESTER ERIC HOUSE
WILLIAM LEE HOUSE
LARRY THOMAS HOUSE
GERALDINE COLLICK
LIONELL DAVID HOUSE
LAWRENCE RANDOLPH HOUSE
LINWOOD LEE HOUSE
LAVERNE RAE HOUSE
GWENDOLYN HOUSE
S. MCCALISTER

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is to enforce the lien of the Plaintiff for delinquent taxes against certain real estate described as follows:

All that parcel of land near Shadyside, Northampton County, Virginia, being 1.00 acre, more or less, and designated as parcel no. 00049-0A-BLK-00-142.

standing in the names of Lester Eric House, William Lee House, Larry Thomas House, Geraldine Collick, Lionell David House, Lawrence Randolph House, Linwood Lee House, Laverne Rae House and Gwendolyn House, pursuant to Section 58.1-3967 of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Lester Eric House, whose last known post office address is 10151 Silas Court, Apartment 5, Nassawadox, VA 23413; that William Lee House is known post office address is 1447 North Hirst Street, Philadelphia, PA 19151; that Larry Thomas House is a nonresident of the state of Virginia, whose last known post office address is 249 Brannon Road SE, Atlanta, GA 30316; that Geraldine Collick is a nonresident of the state of Virginia, whose last known post office address is 2818 Old Welsh Road, Willow Grove, PA 19090; that Lionell David House is a nonresident of the state of Virginia, whose last known post office address is 25 Mohawk Trail, Burlington, NJ 08016; that Lawrence Randolph House is a nonresident of the state of Virginia, whose last known post office address is 1413 Ridgewood Drive, Atlanta, GA; that Linwood Lee House is a nonresident of the state of Virginia, whose last known post office address is 607 Simpson Avenue, Ocean City, NJ 08226; and that Laverne Rae House and Gwendolyn House are nonresidents of the state of Virginia, both having a last known post office

address of Green Street, Atlantic City, NJ.

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before March 8th, 2011, at 12:00 p.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 8th day of February, 2011 Traci L. Johnson, Clerk

I ask for this: JAMES W. ELLIOTT, p.q. Attorney at Law P.O. Box 1410 7100 U.S. Route 17 Yorktown, VA 23692 (757)898-7000

VIRGINIA: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NORTHAMPTON

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

Plaintiff CIVIL CASE NO. 10-245

vs.

FRANK SCERBO, III MICHAEL A. SCERBO

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The object of this suit is to enforce the lien of the Plaintiff for delinquent taxes against certain real estate described as follows:

All that parcel of land on the west side of Kingston Avenue, near Cape Charles, Northampton County, Virginia, being Lot 27, and designated as parcel no. 0090A-01-BLK-00-027.

standing in the names of Frank Scerbo, III and

Michael A. Scerbo, pursuant to Section 58.1-3967 of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to ascertain the location of Frank Scerbo, III and Michael A. Scerbo, both having a last known post office address of 22500 Renders Lane, Cape Charles, VA 23310. It is ORDERED that this Order be published

It is ORDERED that this Order be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Eastern Shore Post and that the parties named herein appear on or before March 8th, 2011, at 12:00 p.m. in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Northampton, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 8th day of February, 2011 Traci L. Johnson, Clerk

I ask for this: JAMES W. ELLIOTT, p.q. Attorney at Law P.O. Box 1410 7100 U.S. Route 17 Yorktown, VA 23692 (757)898-7000

TRUSTEE'S SALE 8478 Sugarhill Lane Hallwood, Virginia 23359

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust dated August 25, 2008, recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Accomack, VA as Instrument No. 200804522, securing a note drawn in the original sum of \$109,924.00, the undersigned Substitute Trustee, will offer for public sale at the front of the building housing the Circuit Court of the COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VA located at 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomack, Virginia 23301-0126 on February 16, 2011 at 4:00 pm, the property described in said deed of trust, located at the above address and briefly described as: Parcel 1, Village of Sanford, containing 1/2 acres, more or less. The property and the improvements thereon will be sold "AS IS" and without representation or warranties of any kind. The sale is subject to all liens, encum-brances, conditions, casements and restrictions, if any, superior to the mentioned deed of trust and lawfully affecting the property. Neither the Substitute Trustee nor the holder of the note secured by the deed of trust will deliver possession of the property to the successful bidder. The purchaser at the sale will be required to pay all closing costs. Real estate taxes, water/sewer fees and other

public charges will be prorated as of the date of sale. The risk of loss or damage to the property passes to the purchaser immediately upon the conclusion of the Substitute Trustee's sale. Terms: CASH or certified funds. A bidder's deposit of \$10,761.00 or 10% of successful bid, whichever is lower, will be required with the balance of the sale price to be paid within 15 days at the office of the Substitute Trustee. Purchaser agrees to pay the Seller's attorneys at settlement, a fee of \$295.00 for review of the settlement documents. Time is of the essence as to the closing date and the payment of the purchase price. If payment of the balance does not occur within fifteen days of the sale date, the deposit will be forfeited. If the Substitute Trustee is unable to convey good and marketable title, the purchaser's sole remedy in law or equity shall be limited to the refund of the deposit to the purchaser. Additional terms may be announced at the sale. Pursuant to the Federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, we advise you that this firm is a debt collector and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. For informa-tion contact: Abby Moynihan, Esquire, McCabe, Weisberg & Conway, LLC 301-490-3361 for Surety Trustees, LLC, 4021 University Drive, Suite 202, Fairfax, VA 22030.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Northampton, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, March 1, 2011, at the Northampton County Circuit Courthouse, 5229 The Hornes, Eastville, VA 23347 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

PARCEL A: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs JAMES H. DILLARD MAP NO. 00105-0A-BLK-00-044

All that parcel of land in the neighborhood of Capeville, Northampton County, Virginia, bounded North by Clara Townsend; East by a roadway separating the land hereby conveyed from the lands of the heirs of H. S. Knight and others; South by Alonzo Fitchett and West by Ellen Parsons estate, said lot fronting 68 ft., more or less, on the roadway separating said land from the lands of the heirs of H. S. Knight, deceased and others and extending back between parallel lines a distance of 210 ft. more or less.

PARCEL B: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs INABELLE FINLEY MAP NO. 084C2-0A-BKLK-00-058

All that parcel of land in the Town of Cheriton, Northampton County, Virginia, commonly known as the "Nim Scott" lot, containing 0.50 acre, more or less, and bounded North by Stoakley lands; West by James Green; South by Verleader Elsner and East by W. F. Rolley

PARCEL C: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs ETHEL JOHNSON GREEN MAP NO. 084C2-0A-BLK-00-059

All that parcel of land at Cheriton,
Northampton County, Virginia, bounded North by
Emma W. Stoakley; East by heirs of Theressa Wood;
South by a certain 14 ft. land leading to Virginia
State Route 639 and West by William Edmund
Bagwell. Said lot extending in a straight line for 55
ft. and extending in parallel lines approximately 43 ft.

PARCEL D: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs THOMAS W. FRANCIS MAP NO. 0040B-0A-BLK-00-015

All that parcel of land near Treherneville, Northampton County, Virginia, being 5.00 acres, more or less, bounded North by lands of Ada Collins; East by William T. Garrett; South by Treherneville crossroad and West by Ada Collins.

LESS and EXCEPT conveyances as recorded in Deed Book 149, page 578; Deed Book 150, page 135; Deed Book 156, page 298; Deed Book 164, page 117; Deed Book 164, page 682 and Deed Book 189, page 614. The remaining parcel being shown as 3.00 acres on the County Land Records.

PARCEL E: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs LOUIS HENDERSON MAP NO. 00068-0A-BLK-00-080

All that parcel of land on the North side of Simpkins Siding Cross Road; near Eastville, Northampton County, Virginia, being 70 yds. on the Simpkins Siding Cross Road, and extending back between parallel lines a distance of 70 yds. and bounded North, East and West by J. Bernard Murdock and on the South by the Simpkins Siding Cross Road.

PARCEL F: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs ELLEN JACKSON MAP NO. 0091B-04-BLK-00-008B

All that parcel of land near Fairview, near Seaview, Northampton County, Virginia, being 0.4565 acre, more or less, being the easterly half of Lot 8 upon a map of "H. H. Adams' Property, Fairview, Virginia", recorded in Plat Book 5, page 10.

PARCEL G: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs EDWARD KATES, JR. MAP NO. 0040B-09-BLK-00-023G

All that parcel of land near Birdsnest,
Northampton County, Virginia, beginning at the
southeast corner of the lands of Major Smith on U. S.
Route 13 and extending westerly adjoining the lands
of Frank Parsons, Jr., to the lands of Bessie Cherry;
thence Northerly along the lands of Bessie Cherry
110 ft.; thence Easterly 150 ft; thence Southerly
along U. S. Route 13 110 ft. to the point of beginning.

PARCEL H: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs ARTHUR K. RATH MAP NO. 00090-05-BLK-00-010

All that parcel of land in the Town of Cape Charles, Capeville District, Northampton County, Virginia, shown as Lot 10 on a plat entitled "PLAT OF BAY CREEK AT CAPE CHARLES, PHASE K" and recorded in Map Book 28, pages 64-73.

PARCEL I: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs THE ROYAL BLUE CHRISTIAN WORKERS' ASSOCIATION, INC. MAP NO. 00010-0A-BLK-00-113

All that parcel of land situate at Exmore, Northampton County, Virginia, being 14.00 acres, more or less, being bounded North and West by George Tankard; East by George Stevens; South by C. J. Prettyman and shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 5, page 122.

PARCEL J: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs THE ROYAL BLUE CHRISTIAN WORKERS' ASSOCIATION, INC. MAP NO. 00010-0A-BLK-00-113A

All that parcel of land situate at Exmore, Northampton County, Virginia, being 1.00 acre, more or less, bounded North and West by George Tankard; East by George Stevens and South by C. J. Prettyman and shown on a plat recorded in Plat Book 5, page 122.

PARCEL K: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs CHARLES SAMSON MAP NO. 00113-0A-BLK-00-027

All that parcel of land in the neighborhood of Townsend, Northampton County, Virginia, being 1.00 acre, more or less, bounded North by James Griffith; East by L. A. Belote; South by Benjamin Trower and West by Nathaniel Moses

PARCEL L: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs SASHA CORP. MAP NO. 0084I-02-BLK-00-115

All that parcel of land near Cape Charles, Capeville District, Northampton County, Virginia, being Lot 115 on a plat entitled, "KING'S CREEK LANDING PHASE III recorded in Plat Book 33, pages 9-19.

PARCEL M: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs BRUCE A. SATCHELL MAP NO. 00030-0A-BLK-00-054A

All that parcel of land near Birdsnest, Northampton County, Virginia, being 100 ft by 200 ft. and bounded East by Garrett Sanderson and John W. Sanderson; North by Herman W. Joynes; West by Jacob Giddens and South by Herman Joynes.

PARCEL N: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs MILDRED SCARBOROUGH MAP NO. 00020-0A-BLK-00-010

All that parcel of land being 0.25 acre, more or less, near Nassawadox, Northampton County, Virginia, bounded by Annic Lee Collins and Kate Collins and by the County road leading from Nassawadox to Holly Grove Farm.

PARCEL O: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs 21st CENTURY INVESTMENT CORPORATION MAP NO. 00021-01-BLK-00-002B

All that parcel of land near Nassawadox,
Franktown District, Northampton County, Virginia,
being 1.00 acrc, more or less, shown as Tract 2B on a
plat entitled "SURVEY OF PROPERTY OF HARRY,
C. JOYNES (DEC) & EMMA JOYNES NEAR NASSAWADOX FRANKTOWN DISTRICT NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA" and recorded in Plat
book 27, page 69.

PARCEL P: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY vs 21st CENTURY INVESTMENT CORPORATION MAP NO. 00112-0A-BLK-00-071

All that parcel of land near Townsend, Capeville District, Northampton County, Virginia, being 5.00 acres, more or less, bounded North by the Chesapeake Bay Bridge & Tunnel District; East by John O. Morris and South by Cedar Grove Crossroad.

The terms of sale shall be cash or a deposit of 25% of the bid price with the balance due in ten days. Additional terms will be announced at the sale.

Each sale shall be subject to confirmation by the Court.

JAMES W. ELLIOTT Special Commissioner 7100 U. S. Route 17 Yorktown, VA 23692 (757) 898-7000 www.vataxsale.com

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to Decrees of the Circuit Court of the County of Accomack, Virginia entered in the cases specified herein, the following real estate will be sold at public auction on Thursday, February 24, 2011, at the Accomack County Circuit Courthouse, 23316 Courthouse Avenue, Accomac, VA 23301 at 12:00 p.m., to-wit:

PARCEL A: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs JOHN J. BECK, JR. MAP NO. 005A90100008600

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 86, Section 18, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

PARCEL B: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs ADA COLLINS BELL MAP NO. 08700A0000112A0

All that parcel of land near Pastoria, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded on the Northeast by the lands of Mrs. Mary D. Ayers; Southeast by Leah B. Collins; Southwest by Robert L. Smith and Northwest by the center of a ditch separating the land herein from the land of the said Mary D. Ayers.

PARCEL C: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs BENJAMIN F. CUSTIS MAP NO. 092A0A000004700

All that parcel of land near Savageville, Accomack County, Virginia, bounded South by a lane leading from the land of James Belton to the Savageville-Onancock State Highway for 60 ft.; East by Alfred and Hattie L. Stratton 40 ft.; North by Alfred and Hattie L. Stratton 60 ft. and West by James Belote.

PARCEL D: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs EMMA PARKER DAVIS MAP NO. 10100A000005200

All that parcel of land near the Town of Keller, Accomack County, Virginia, being 0.1667 acre, more or less, bounded West by Mollie Walker for 115 ft.; North by Arthur B. Nicolls for 50 ft.; East by Arthur B. Nicolls for 115 ft. and South by a certain public road leading from Hollies Church to Grangeville for 50 ft.

PARCEL E: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs GERMAN J. DEL TORO MAP NO. 005A90300014600

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 146, Section 16, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

PARCEL F: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs WILFORD L. DENNISON MAP NO. 005A10100052400

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 524, Section 1, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

PARCEL G: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs ERSIN L. DOMANGUE MAP NO. 029A10200000000

All that parcel of land near Horntown, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 3, Unit 3, Sheet 7, Chincoteague Bay Trails End.

PARCEL H: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs HELEN RAY HANDSHAW MAP NO. 102B002C0000600

All that parcel of land in the Town of Melfa, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 6, Block C on a plat recorded in Plat book 3, page 77.

PARCEL I: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs KATHERYN R. HELTZEL MAP NO. 005A90200012800

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 128, Section 17, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

PARCEL J: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs JAMES JOHNSON MAP NO. 013A00100000300

All that parcel of land on the road leading from New Church to Horntown, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, shown as Lot 3 on a plat dated the 18th day of December, 1948 and made part of a cer tain deed dated the 3rd day of March, 1949 from Rutherford B. Wharton to Braddock N. Harman, Jr. and bounded North by Milton Bodley; East by Lot 4; South by State road and West by Braddock N. Harman, Jr.

PARCEL K: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs DOYLE T. LANGHAM MAP NO. 029A10100021400

All that parcel of land near Horntown, Atlantic District,
Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 214, Unit 1, Sheet 1, Chincoteague
Bay Trails End.

PARCEL L: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs DAVID MASON MAP NO. 055A0050005000

All that parcel of land near Mappsville, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 50 on a plat described as "Uniontown Accomac Co., Va., Lots for sale by Eastern Shore Building and Loan Association, Inc., Accomac, Va.", being 40 ft. by 120 ft. bounded North by Douglass Street; East by Lot 51; South by an alley and West by Lot 49.

PARCEL M: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs LENA MATTHEWS MAP NO. 055A00500002400

All that parcel of land near Mappsville, Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 24 on a plat attached to a deed from S. D. Outlaw to D. Mason dated June 18, 1938.

PARCEL N: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs IDELLA D. MCINNESS. MAP NO. 05400A000002800

All that parcel of land situate on the County road leading from Mears to Hallwood, Metompkin District, Accomack County, Virginia, beginning at the center of a certain ditch on the southeast corner of said lot, thence northerly along State Highway 145 ft. to a point; thence westerly for 160 ft. to a point; thence southerly to the center of a certain ditch; thence along the center of said ditch southeast to the point of beginning and bounded East by aforesaid County road; South by a ditch separating this land from the Young property and West and North by Drummond.

PARCEL O: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs VIOLA L. NEILSON MAP NO. 005A30100168700

All that parcel of land in Accomack County, Virginia, being Lot 1687, Section 3, Captain's Cove Subdivision.

PARCEL P: ACCOMACK COUNTY vs HARRISON J. SAVAGE, JR. MAP NO. 02800A000005800

All that parcel of land near the Village of Atlantic, Atlantic District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting 70 ft. on the State Highway leading from the Village of Atlantic to the Village of Wattsville, and running back 125 ft., bounded South by State Highway; East by LaurenceDickerson; and North and West by Hilda T. Revell.

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Assateague Beach	L 7:53 a.m.	L 8:52 a.m.	L 9:53 a.m.	L 10:53 a.m.	L 11:49 a.m.	L 12:40 p.m.	L 1:28 p.m.
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Chincoteague Channel	L 7:55 a.m.	L 8:54 a.m.	L 9:55 a.m.	L 10:55 a.m.	L 11:51 a.m.	L 12:42 p.m.	L 1:30 p.m.
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Gargatha	L 8:23 a.m.	L 9:22 a.m.	L 10:23 a.m.	L 11:23 a.m.	L 12:19 p.m.	L 1:10 p.m.	L 1:58 p.m.
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Machipongo Inlet	L 7:57 a.m.	L 8:56 a.m.	L 9:57 a.m.	L 10:57 a.m.	L 11:53 a.m.	L 12:44 p.m.	L 1:32 p.m.
Bayside	H 5:19 p.m.	H 6:04 a.m.	H 7:08 a.m.	H 8:12 a.m.	H 9:13 a.m.	H 10:07 a.m.	H 10:58 a.m
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By Linda Cicoira

bought myself a treadmill and I'm using it! Yippee! By the time this column is in the newspaper I will be on my 13th straight day of mile walking. My calves are firm. And the rest of me might follow some day. I have high hopes.

It's opened up a whole new world. I'm watching morning television now. That's right, this night owl is dragging herself out of bed 10 minutes earlier than usual. I finally understand what some of my coworkers are talking about — early news.

Last week I was able to debate whether giving hot sauce to a child is a proper form of punishment. I've kept up with happenings in Egypt and with Lindsay Lohan. And I now know that tater tots are less fattening than French fries.

The treadmill is set up in the middle of the living room so I can't easily ignore it. It has a fold-up conveyor belt that keeps Finnegan, one of my cats, from pretending he's in a cartoon and flipping around and around and around.

A friend hinted that using the machine late at night is not good for you. She's one of those early risers who put evil thoughts in my head about late-night exercise. Now I'm stuck with the morning routine.

It's not all bad. I can walk for the first 10 minutes before I even realize that my legs are killing me. I'm still asleep! The second 10 minutes allow me to comprehend some of "The Today Show." I love Matt Lauer! Then I check e-mail, eat breakfast, shower, dress and dash out the door in an effort to make it to work on time. Ain't life grand?

Exercise has got to work. I'm not much for dieting. In 2010, I gave up chocolate for a month and added five pounds to my already not ideal weight. It's not right. It's not fair. So, of course, now I'm eating chocolate again. It's my favorite food.

But I don't drink soda or eat beef. I'm allergic to the latter. I'm not getting any younger and I've got to do something to match my 24-year-old attitude with my 52year-old body.

"I really wish you the best with it," my husband says about the treadmill endeavor. Lloyd is giving me eight weeks. He thinks after that the exercise equipment will evolve into a work of art to be admired but not touched. He's planning on buying special tract lighting to illuminate the sculpture.

And he's a skinny person who thinks he's fat!

Uh! I'll show him. I will make it to eight weeks and a day! And possibly longer!

Now he's laughing. He says I should start designing an advertisement for the future treadmill sale. Lloyd thinks he's using psychology on me. He thinks by saying that, he will make me strong. The man knows I am stubborn.

Is it wrong of me to wish he'd gain a few pounds, too? OK, yes it is.

But wouldn't it be nice of him to get up early and cheer me on? I think so. Then again, next thing you know he'll be hogging the television remote in the morning. Then I'll have to get up even earlier so I can be ahead of the game. Or I could hide it before I go to bed

Isn't it bad enough that for the first time in 25 years he picked the winning Super Bowl team? Yeah. Oh Happy Valentine's Day. Yippee.

Post Office Mail

Trash Ruins Beauty of Eastern Shore

Dear Editor:

Thanks to Linda Cicoira for her excellent article regarding the trash problem here in Accomack County. Many people here speak of living on the Shore as living in paradise. If trash, garbage, debris and deteriorating buildings make them happy, then they would be in total bliss living on top of an urban landfill or in some urban ghetto.

Often I have out-of-state visitors who comment on the beauty of the marshes and coastline, but never fail to add another comment on the garbage and debris along the highways and byways and the rundown condition of many of the buildings.

I recently was picking up litter in the form of beer and soda cans, plastic bottles and fast-food containers at Gargatha Landing. A gentleman watching me from his parked car commented. "Ain't that there just awful how those people from out of state throw their trash around?" He suggested those responsible were fishermen from out-of-state. I said I didn't think the problem was limited to "out of staters." He uttered a grunt which I was unable to interpret and pulled away. While backing out, he threw a coffee cup from Royal Farms and an empty cigarette pack out the car window. I guess his idea of trash is different from mine. I think "Toss the Trash" should be listed as one of the local recreation activities along with hunting, fishing, bird watching and boating.

Robert A. Dodge Jr., Gargatha Landing

Miner Successfully Takes On Wannabe Reporter Nowak

Dear Editor:

OOPS, a reply by an informed, articulate and honest public servant — Steve Miner — trumps a vitriolic, biased screed by Cheryl Nowak, legendary hater of all Accomack government.

Truth cleaned your clock again.

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R.D. McDowell, Pungoteague

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