Bundick Could Get As Many As 62 Arson Trials

Story and photo by Linda Cicoira

Most local residents refer to the string of crimes that plagued Accomack between October 2012 and March 2013 as an “arson spree.” But that label does not accurately describe the incidents in legal terms, according to a ruling made late last week by Judge Glen A. Tyler of Accomack Circuit Court.

On Friday, Tyler found each of the remaining 62 counts of deliberately setting fires filed against arsonist Tonya Susan Bundick to be unconnected – “not based on the same act or transaction.” He wrote, “There is no common scheme or plan.”

With this declaration, the judge thereby denied Commonwealth’s Attorney Gary Agar his request to conduct a single trial for all the remaining allegations and opened the door for there to be 62 separate proceedings.

Insiders say they doubt that will occur. Agar did not return a call for comment by press time.

But if there were that many trials and they were all moved to Virginia Beach for juries there to hear the evidence (as was the case in Bundick’s first trial), about 1,860 prospective jurors would be needed if 30 are called for each case.

“We can certainly accommodate that,” Mike Davy, Virginia Beach Circuit Court’s administrator, said Wednesday. “We’ll do what we have to do.” Davy said his court calls between 8,000 and 9,000 people in for jury duty each year and could easily handle the Bundick cases if they were heard in different months since that is the period each jury serves.

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Bundick was tried in Virginia Beach in January on a count of arson and conspiracy to commit that crime. Just after the jury heard all the evidence in those cases, Bundick changed her plea to no contest and was convicted. She will be sentenced for the offenses in Accomack Circuit Court, but until that happens, Teresa Handy, that court’s criminal deputy, said costs involved would not be accessed.

Tyler concluded that the cases are unconnected after considering arguments from both Agar and defense attorney Allan Zaleski and after reviewing the interrogation and testimony of Charles Robert Smith III, also known as Charlie Applegate, Bundick’s fiancé and co-conspirator.

For those first two cases, charges against Bundick were discussed collectively when Tyler granted her a change of venue, the legal term for moving a trial to a new location. At that time, the judge decided it would be hard to find prospective jurors in Accomack or Northampton County who aren’t relatives or friends of victims, police officers or firefighters associated with all the arsons. He noted that at least 1,000 families were affected. “There is no one on the Eastern Shore who does not know” someone “heavily involved for many months,” Tyler said.

The recent decision also was made because Agar and Zaleski have not agreed to the number of trials that will be conducted. It has not been determined what Bundick

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By Ron West

Managing stormwater runoff is more of an issue in some areas of Northampton County than in others. While stormwater is well absorbed in some places, elsewhere it washes silt and other unwanted bi-products into adjacent waterways.

On Monday, Northampton supervisors discussed the option now available to them, to act on behalf of the state Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) with respect to stormwater management.

Northampton Zoning Administrator Melissa Kellam presented a draft ordinance for the board to consider. Kellam said that depending on the amount of soil disturbed, stormwater management could cost a homebuilder between $1,500 and $3,000.

The board agreed to advertise for a public hearing on the ordinance to be held at its session May 13.

The supervisors reviewed the Six-Year Road Plan for the county, which provides the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) with a list of roadways that the county wishes to build or rebuild. At present, the next roadway to be built will run from the area of Bayshore Concrete, past the Bay Creek community, and exit onto Stone Road, which connects to Lankford Highway. VDOT representative Tony Gibson noted that the $6.4 million needed for the project has been fully funded and he expects to see the proposed drawings for it reach Richmond in the coming months. Actual construction might not begin for another year or two.

The board reviewed a request to use Federal Emergency Management Agency funding to elevate a home that is at risk for flood damage. The property, located at 11115 Red Bank Rd., belongs to Betty Lou Stevens. The work would be completed by Logan’s House Moving & Repairs of Onley for $34,000. A second contract with Bill Power (Shell Builders) would drive pilings for a foundation for $75,000.

Supervisor Granville Hogg stated his opposition to spending the FEMA funding for the project because the cost of the project would be higher than the current value of the house. While he said he supports the idea of saving homes from flood damage, the fact that this home has such a low assessed value makes it difficult for him to support spending federal to do so.

Board Chairman Larry LeMond noted that Oyster-area homeowners who had their homes raised to prevent flood damage would disagree with the contention that a home’s cash value should be the sole determining factor on spending funds to save it.

The board voted 4-0-1, with Hogg abstaining, to support the request.

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Home Intruder Faces Life Sentences

Story and photo by Linda Cicoira
A Maryland woman with ties to the Eastern Shore of Virginia could face more than two life terms in prison for her part in a fatal home invasion in Sanford last summer.

Lamesha Cropper, 26, of Salisbury, Md., a member of the National Guard who was hospitalized after being shot by the homeowner during the incident, pleaded guilty Thursday in Accomack Circuit Court to armed burglary, robbery and use of a firearm in a robbery. The last offense carries a mandatory three-year-prison term.

Cropper answered questions posed by Judge W. Revell Lewis with a firm, “Yes, Sir” or “No, Sir,” depending on the query. “She is remorseful judge,” her lawyer, Eric Korslund, said during the proceeding, noting that she had no prior convictions.

Lewis accepted the pleas and ordered a presentence report. An August sentencing was tentatively scheduled.

Deputy Commonwealth’s Attorney Matthew Brenner presented a summary of the evidence. He said Cropper and three others — Titus Lyons Floyd, 19, of Mappsville, Leon O’Bryan Crippen, 22, of Chesser Road in Temperanceville, and Master Caine Wesley Jr., 23, of Nelsonia — broke into the Marsh Market Road home between 9 and 9:45 p.m. Aug. 28, 2013, and demanded money from the five occupants. A sixth man was in the bathroom when the break-in occurred and managed to escape out a window and call police.

The four had bandanas or shirts covering their faces, said Brenner. The victims recognized two of the intruders’ voices. The residence was ransacked and at some point, Cropper struck a victim in the face, there was shooting from both sides and money and guns were taken, the prosecutor said.

Wesley died from gunshot wounds to the torso. He and Cropper were found in a vehicle parked at Corner Mart in Temperanceville several miles from the crime scene. She was taken to a Maryland hospital for treatment and later extradited back to Virginia to stand trial.

Brenner said Cropper was interviewed several times, first at the hospital. She finally admitted what occurred but at first said she had gone to the Sanford house to pick up Crippen, who is her cousin. She claimed she was in the wrong place at the wrong time, he said.

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Smith told police Bundick was not only involved in the crimes, but she directed them. Smith said the spree started with revenge graffiti that he and Bundick spray-painted across roads, signs and buildings in the county. Those scrawls escalated to arsons, with Bundick setting the first of nearly six-dozen fires and him taking over the job because she almost got caught, Smith claimed.

He said the fire-starting excursions always included a trip to Walmart in Onley.

“Nobody else has been with us,” Smith said. “I stay on the phone with her the whole time. Basically when I got to them (the sites), I’d call her or she’d call me unless we got stuck where we couldn’t get a signal.” Then he would wait for a horn to blow, he said.

“Never once did we ride around and look” for houses to burn, Smith told police. “We rode around looking for where the cops were.” However, later in the video, he confessed that on the last night, he wanted to set fire to an old building near State Police barracks. Bundick chose the place on Airport Drive, which was fire number 67 in the list of charges against Smith and the one for which they were caught.

“More than likely she’s going to pin this all on me and I’m fine with that,” he said. “I could have stopped from day one,” he laughed. He blamed the fire at Leatherbury United Methodist Church in Deep Creek on Bundick.

Asked why a church was chosen, Smith replied, “Your guess is as good as mine. I honestly do not know ... I wasn’t the mastermind of this... trust me I would have been busted” sooner.

The judge said that requests for a change of venue are premature.

The overall costs of the arson cases are adding up but officials don’t have a total. There’s the price of housing an inmate. Jail Supervisor Lt. Billy Jo Tarr at the Accomac facility said a recent report shows the cost at $50.89 for a county inmate based on a daily population of 101 inmates per day, the 2013 figure. That takes into consideration salaried employees, food, medical care, inmate programs and transportation, said Tarr.

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Todd Godwin said it cost his department $306 for fuel and mileage for Bundick’s first trial. The salary expense was $1,034.24 or $517.12 per day.

If there were 62 trials and each lasted for two days, the total would come to about $24,800. That does not include motions and hearings held on different days.

Handy said a court-appointed lawyer gets $445 per felony for the class of charges against Bundick. That’s $27,590 for 62. In addition, the first lawyer who was appointed for Bundick billed for $3,276. The fixed felony fee for the court is $375 per felony or $239 and $277.

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All that doesn’t take into consideration the costs for district court where two of the charges were heard, the doctor who evaluated Bundick and Smith, the investigation itself, the damage to the structures, State Police, transportation of witnesses, issuing subpoenas and on and on.

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By Linda Cicoira

Northampton Circuit Court

A Naxwassadox man who was accused of biting off the finger of his rival and then swallowing it was acquitted Monday in Northampton Circuit Court of malicious wounding.

Judge W. Revell Lewis called it a “most confusing” case. He was “not convinced beyond a reasonable doubt” that Leo Jeffrey Burton, 44, of Franktown Road committed the crime against James Edwards of Lankford Highway in Naxwassadox.

Judge Lewis was “troubled” by Edwards’ behavior. “I’m unable to recognize why he didn’t go (directly) to the (nearby) hospital” after being injured. “I don’t know if I know what happened.”

Both men seemed to agree they were interested in the same woman, 52-year-old Melissa Lenora Brickhouse.


Edwards said that during the ensuing fight, Burton “caught my finger in his mouth” and later Burton told him, “You’ll never find your finger because I swallowed it.”

Burton testified that he “never made a statement about swallowing his finger. He was too strong. He just had me on the ground.”

Commonwealth’s Attorney Bruce Jones said it was obvious Burton had bitten Edwards. “We know he suffered a serious injury,” said Jones. “Did he go somewhere and sever his finger?” he rhetorically asked. “No.”

In another case, Vashon Jarron Robinson, 38, of Virginia Beach was sentenced to eight years on each of two counts of possession with intent to distribute cocaine. All but nine months of the sentence will be suspended after Robinson completes a diversion program. The crimes occurred in October 2012.

Shamane Denise Stephens, 42, of Norfolk was sentenced for embezzling more than $200 from her job at Cape Charles Post Office between June 1 and Nov. 16, 2012, to five years, with all but five days suspended.

Fifteen years was the term given to Princeton Howard Bragg, 29, of Cheriton for possession with intent to distribute cocaine. He was given five years for possession of a gun by a felon. Judge Lewis suspended all but two years and six months of the term.

Rykeem Lamar Jones, 19, of Commonwealth Street in Exmore was sentenced for unlawful wounding of Shanice Foster on March 3 to five years, with all but 12 months suspended. For violating a protective order, Jones received six months, with five suspended, the same sentence he got for obstructing justice. The terms were set to run consecutively, giving Jones a year and two months to serve. Foster was treated at the local hospital for a stab wound to the right calf, according to court records.

Erica Nicole Ellerbe, 21, of Craddockville and Karen Nicole Duncan, 21, of Upshur Neck Road of Quinby were sentenced to three years each for burglary, grand larceny and felony theft with intent to sell. All but three months of the terms was suspended. Restitution was ordered. The crimes involved incidents at the home of Roy and Bonnie James of Exmore on Jan. 24, 2013.

Troy Earnest Moses, 43, of Cape Charles was sentenced for a third or subsequent offense of petty larceny, which is a felony, to five years, with all but four months suspended. The crime occurred on Nov. 13, 2014, at Dollar General in Exmore.

Laverne Ethel Manley, 51, of Cheriton pleaded guilty to two counts of forgery and two counts of passing bad checks, occurring Sept. 24, 2013. The case was continued pending completion of a presentence report.

Northampton District Court

A Cape Charles man is being held without bond in Eastern Shore Regional Jail on charges of possession with intent to distribute heroin and eluding police, according to records filed in Northampton General District Court.

Antonio (Tony) Mandell Morris, 44, of Knights Lane in Cape Charles is accused of committing the crimes on April 24. The drug count, which would be a second offense, allows the “presumption against bond,” the records state.

In another case, Bolton Barron Downing III, 38, of Magotha Road in Townsend was charged with felony hit and run in connection with a traffic accident last Sunday at Cherrystone that involved an injury. Downing also is accused of DWI, which is a misdemeanor.

According to records, Downing told police “he was driving and didn’t see the vehicle that he struck.”

Secured bond was set at $500. A summons also was issued for refusing to take a sobriety test.

Accomack District Court

A Bloxom man will not be prosecuted on drug offenses for which he was charged in late February, according to Accomack General District Court.

Dennis Samuel, 27, of Payne Road was charged with possession of a Schedule I or II drug with intent to manufacture or sell it, and possession of a firearm when in possession of an illegal drug, both occurring Feb. 28.

The prosecutor decided not to go forward with the case on April 23. No reason was disclosed.

Valice Ray Harmon, 31, of Raymond Townsend Lane of Horntown was charged with brandishing and possessing or transporting a firearm by a felon on April 22. Sam Castiglia of the Accomac County Sheriff’s Office investigated.

Glen Lee Williams, 59, of Mary N. Smith Road in Accomac was sentenced to 6 months in jail for petty larceny, a misdemeanor. He was initially charged with passing a bad check for more than $200, which is a felony. The crime occurred on Aug. 3, 2013.

Preston Vanness Townsend, 34, of Raymond Townsend Lane in Horntown was charged on April 22 with two counts of possessing a firearm after being convicted of a felony. Secured bond was set at $4,000. Castiglia investigated. A June preliminary hearing was scheduled.

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‘Spring Clean’ Next Saturday

Accomack County’s “Spring Clean” will be held Saturday, May 10.

The county will waive landfill tipping fees for residential waste and recyclable materials brought in that day. The waiver does not apply to businesses or for-hire waste haulers. The landfill and transfer station will be open May 10 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

E-cycling, hosted by TFC recycling at Fisher’s Corner Convenience Center in Parksley from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., will accept anything with a cord with the exception of TV and computer monitors.

Household hazardous wastes — including residential and yard waste, construction and demolition debris, tires, used motor oil, scrap metal and car batteries — will be collected at Fisher’s Corner, Make-mie Park and convenience centers, and Birdsnest Convenience Center in Northampton County from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Paint, pesticides and asbestos will not be accepted.

Participants can dispose of up to 50 pounds of hazardous waste for free, as funds allow. Interested parties are encouraged to arrive early to ensure a spot.

For questions, call Accomack County Public Works at 787-1468 or 824-0020.

Rain Barrel Workshop

The Chesapeake Bay Foundation (CBF) will host a free rain-barrel workshop Saturday, May 10, from 4 to 5 p.m., at the Historic Onancock School.

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COMMUNITY NOTES

The Chincoteague Island Arts Organization, Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce, and Town of Chincoteague will welcome the return of Misty’s hoofprints to the new sidewalk outside Island Theatre and showcase recent renovations to the 1946 Art Deco landmark beginning at 6 p.m. Thursday, May 8.

The evening will begin with the unveiling of the newly-replaced hoofprints by members of the Beebe family. The hoofprints were cast in cement by Misty herself in 1961 on the night the movie “Misty of Chincoteague” debuted simultaneously in Hollywood and Chincoteague.

An open house of the newly-renovated Island Theatre will follow. Thanks to a challenge grant from the Richmond-based Cabell Foundation, the theater now has a silver screen that can show 3D films and a flexible stage that can be used for a variety of community events.

There will be a slide show featuring old and new photographs of the historic building. Local citizens will have the opportunity to relate their memories of the island or their recollections from the filming of the movie. The event will feature live music and door prizes.

Cape Charles Rotary Club will sponsor a public forum for all Cape Charles mayoral and town council candidates Sunday, May 4, at 3 p.m. at the Palace Theater in Cape Charles.

Commitments to participate have been received from most candidates. The moderator will be Wayne Bell. This will be the first such forum hosted by Cape Charles Rotary Club.

Historic tall ships will again grace Cape Charles Town Harbor, at the third annual Tall Ships At Cape Charles Festival June 14-15 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Kalmar Nyckel and Lynx will conduct three-hour sails on the Chesapeake Bay beginning June 12 and continuing through the weekend. For reservations and events schedules, visit www.tallshipscapecharles.com.

The tall ships also will open their decks for public tours during the June 14 and 15 festival weekend.

Cheriton Moves To Change Polling Site AFTER Tuesday’s Elections

By Ron West

Cheriton Town Council conducted a public hearing last week on a request by the American Legion Post on Bayside Road that it no longer be used as a polling site.

A new location less than 100 yards away, at Cheriton U.M. Church social hall on Bayside Road, has been offered. The change met with no opposition and was approved by council. If approved by the county registrar’s office, it will take effect after local elections next week.

Council agreed to advertise for removal of the structure at 21236 Mill St., which has been deemed unsafe. Council must notify the owner and the public. Council agreed to investigate the cheapest method of removing the structure.

Councilman Greg Hardesty, who represents Cheriton on the Public Service Authority, reported that it is investigating alternatives for disposition of wastewater that would be pumped from the proposed pipeline in the area. The Bayview wastewater site is being studied as an alternative to pumping to the Cape Charles facility, if that location is too expensive or if it is not approved by Cape Charles Town Council.

In a final action of the evening, Lee Goldman, director of Pacific Atlantic Professional Academy (PAPA), made an unsolicited offer to purchase 2.99 acres of town property. The site, directly behind Cheriton Fire Station, is being rented to PAPA for a marine training facility.

Goldman said she had contracts to provide fire training as well as other shipboard training for merchant mariners. She noted that a pending government contract requires PAPA to own the facility, which is assessed for approximately $50,000.

Council agreed to schedule a public hearing on the proposal.

Cape Charles Increases Its Transient-Occupancy Tax

By Ron West

Following a public hearing, Cape Charles Town Council voted last week to increase the town Transient-Occupancy Tax from 3 percent to 3.7 percent. The tax is assessed on those who stay in local lodgings.

Donna Kohler spoke of the value of the proceeds that were used to promote tourism to the town. She estimated that the increase would add just over $1 per night for those who would stay in a local facility and urged council to continue earmarking part of the fee to the Tourism Commission.

Bruce and Carol Evans agreed.

Dorie Southern said it would be better to delay the effective date from the proposed July 1, 2014, until Jan. 1, 2015, as some of those who rent properties already have signed contracts with the renters. Consequently, any increase would be a cost to the property owners.

Mayor Dora Sullivan supported changing the effective date to Jan. 1, 2015.

Councilman Frank Wendell suggested that some property owners might not be remitting the tax proceeds to the town from their rentals and asked that the treasurer compile a list of those who are and are not in compliance.

Following additional discussion, council approved 3-2 the increase, to take effect Jan. 1, of 2015. (Councilmen Chris Bannon and Wendell voting against).

Council next tackled the challenge of naming the former library, which will become the new meeting hall for the town. The structure dates to 1901 when it was First Presbyterian Church. In 1926, the building was sold to Northampton County Memorial Library for $5,000 and opened later that year in honor of the veterans of World War I. By 2008, the name had been changed to Cape Charles Memorial Library. Council considered a number of names, settling on Cape Charles Civic Center. If the final work is completed in time, council hopes to hold its May session there.

Council agreed to award an annual town contract to Eastern Shore Landscape Management, Inc. for $44,956.

Public Service Authority representative Bob Panek reported that officials of Riverside Health Systems have stated that they have no intention of closing the wastewater facility in Nassawadox when the hospital moves to the Onley-Onancock area.

Town Planning Director Rob Testerman reported that the Cape Charles and Northampton County planning commissions held a joint session to review the Historic Town Entrance Overlay update. He said one of the changes being considered by the county is to revise the zoning of the area along Lankford Highway near the Cape Charles traffic signal, removing the Town Edge designation. The area would revert to its former zoning designation that could be a mix of residential, commercial, and agricultural zones. Testerman said his office would continue to be in contact with county planners and would report back to Cape Charles Planning Commission and Town Council regarding any changes.

Wendell expressed his concern over any commercial development along Lankford Highway, noting that it could harm commercial interests within Cape Charles.

Sullivan announced that Gov. Terry McAuliffe would attend the grand opening of the new Cape Charles Yacht Center on May 15. That was the date of council’s next monthly session, which has been rescheduled for May 22.
**Awards**

**Marriages**

**Births**

**Posts**

**New Arrivals**

• a son, born to Cheniece Bibbins of New Church April 22
• a daughter, born to Taylor Johnson and Stephen Gardner of Hallwood April 23
• a son, born to Samanatha and Matthew Martin of Cape Charles April 24

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**Moore and Stokes Make Eagle Scout**

Boy Scout Troop 300, sponsored by Parksley Volunteer Fire Company has two new Eagle Scouts, Durwood Moore Jr. and Garrett Stokes.

This is the highest achievement that a boy can receive in the scouting program. He must have a documented record of leadership skills and required skills.

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**AHS BETA Club Fares Well in Competition**

Representing Arcadia High School's BETA Club at the state convention in Richmond this spring were (from left): front row - Kelli Burford, Kristina Dedicatoria, Logan Godwin, Y'Sheka Corbin, Aquarius Ross, Sierra Bass, and Alexis Kellam; back row - Durwood Moore, Matt Simko, Cecilia Baker (sponsor), Leslie Parks (co-sponsor), Cierra Jennestreet, Dalton McDaniel, and Evan Grove. Those winning awards at the state level for art and photography were Sierra Bass, Alexis Kellam, and Dalton McDaniel. Kellam will compete on the national level in June in the on-site colored pencil drawing category.

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**Migratory Bird Day Logo Winners Announced; Event Is May 10**

Ron Grangier of Princess Anne, Md., is the winner of the Bird Logo Art Contest for the second year in a row for the 20th Annual International Migratory Bird Day Celebration that will be held on Saturday, May 10, at Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge. This marks the third-time win for Grangier as he won in 2008 and 2013.

Edward Itter of Pasenda, Md., came in second with his drawing of a wood duck in the nest with her ducklings, and Tracey Taylor Arvidson of Keller captured third with her drawing of a great egret.

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**Hair Art Salon**

Welcome Jenny & Sahra

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Melfa Woman Dies

Mrs. Betty Grace Hopkins Turllington, 83, of Melfa passed away Monday, April 28, 2014, at Arcadia Nursing and Rehab Center in Parksley.

The daughter of the late William C. and Emma Massey Hopkins, she graduated from Northampton High School, and Northampton-Accomack Memorial School of Nursing, which included a six-month affiliation at the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond. Mrs. Turllington was a member of Melfa United Methodist Church and a past member of the Virginia Nurses’ Association, the American Cancer Society, and the Woman’s Club of Accomack County.

Mrs. Turllington was predeceased by her husband, George Thomas “G.T.” Turlington Jr.; two brothers, William C. Hopkins Jr., and Joseph Lee Hopkins; and a sister, Elsie Hopkins Baker. Survivors include her children, Cynthia T. Crockett (and husband, Gene) of Wachapreague, George Thomas Turlington III of Virginia Beach, Va., and Steven H. Turlington (and wife, Glenda) of Melfa; grandchildren, George Martin Turlington, Robert J. Price (and wife, Beth), and Amie P. Booker; brother, Robert T. Hopkins; and great-grandchildren, Brianna, Isabella and Emma.

Graveside services will be conducted today, May 2, at 11 a.m. at Fairview Lawn Cemetery in Onancock, with Rev. Albert L. Crockett officiating.

Memorial donations may be made to Arcadia Nursing and Rehab Center Activity Department, P.O. Box 97, Nelsonia, VA 23414; or Melfa United Methodist Church, c/o Phil Lewis, P.O. Box 298, Melfa, VA 23410. Memory tributes may be shared with the family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Hermitage Resident Dies

Mrs. Elsie Dize Scott, 86, wife of the late James Eugene Scott and a resident of Tasley, passed away at the Hermitage on the Eastern Shore in Onancock Wednesday, April 30, 2014.

A memorial service will be conducted at the Hermitage, Monday, May 5, at 2 p.m., with Pastor Robert Fletcher officiating. Flowers will be accepted for the memorial service.

A full obituary will be in the next edition of the Eastern Shore Post.

Memory tributes may be shared at www.williamsfuneralhomes.com

Arrangements were made by Williams-Onancock Funeral Home.

Obituaries can be faxed to the Eastern Shore Post at 789-7681 or e-mailed to editor@easternshorepost.com
Property Transactions

- From Vincent Sarro
  To Chincoteague Bay Trails End Association, Inc.
  Lot 204, Unit 1, Trails End
  For $7,635

- From Clinton Davis
  To Rural Integrity Land, LLC
  Pennyville parcel
  For $28,000

- From Special Commissioner James Elliott and Lisa and Barkley Wilson
  To Howard and Daniel Wheaton and Henry Conklin
  Chincoteague parcel
  For $10,500

- From Thomas Dix and Grace Mears
  To Charles Essig and Joyce Gerritsen
  2 lots in Parksley
  For $77,000

- From Elizabeth Billett
  To Rory and Christina Smith
  Lot 295A, Oyster Bay
  For $30,000

- From John Boorman & Elizabeth Billett
  To Rory and Christina Smith
  Lot 295, Oyster Bay
  For $65,000

- From Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation
  To Karen Kalinock and Everett Jones
  Lot 2, Section 6, Captain’s Cove
  For $42,001

- From Norman and Marie Billie
  To Mark Ward
  Property in Mappsville
  For $175,000

- From Pierson Group, Inc.
  To Alvin and Romaine Mapp
  Painter parcel
  For $259,761

- From Rubin and Sharon Hughes
  To Lawrence and Pamela Lewis
  Lot 97, Unit 4, Trails End
  For $7,000

- From Albert and Lynne Vanhauter
  To John and Linda Chalupa,
  Ashley Harris, Brandon Hopkins and Amanda Morgan
  Lots 112 and 328, Unit 3, Trails End
  For $29,000

- From Dickie and Ricky Williams
  To Michaela Palmer
  Chesconnessex parcel
  For $9,500

- From Janet Kamps, Beulah and Jerry Callaway, Stephanie Byers and Kristin Wainwright
  To David Van De Graaff and Christy Sander
  Wachapreague parcel
  For $30,000

- From Sheila Turner, James Parks, Shelley Allen, Tandy Brooks, Samuel Cooper, William Fosque, Willie Hope, John Matthews, Leander Roberts, Betty Savage and Barbara White; trustees of Macedonia AME Church
  To Commonwealth of Virginia
  Parcel 105, for road improvements
  For $17,694

- From Nationstar Mortgage, LLC
  To Lepoldo Bonilla
  Onancock parcel
  For $47,000

- From Madeline Hope
  To Commonwealth of Virginia
  Parcel 066, for road improvements
  For $10,316

- From Thomas and Gladys Collins
  To Wilson Cropp II
  Property near Eastville
  For $900

- From Richard Spreder
  To Janet Rieben
  16504 Holland Ct. in Eastville
  For $68,500.

- From Betty and Winford Hickman
  To Specialty Supportive Housing Group
  Property in Hare Valley
  For $5,000.

- From Parsons Holding VA, LLC
  To Paul Brandt
  Property in Oyster
  For $115,000

- From Southern Bank and Trust Co.
  To the John S. Waller Family LP
  Lot 90 at Bay Creek
  For $36,250

- From Carol Bowers
  To Owen Davies
  5297 Mams Way in Cape Charles
  For $45,000

- From Suzanne Kubota
  To Nottingham Clams, Inc.
  13200 Parting Creek Rd, Willis Wharf
  For $45,000

- From Natalie Gregor
  To Melody and Robert Copper
  Property in Wilsonia Neck, Machipongo
  For $25,000

- From Lisa and Pepi Stahlmann
  To David and Margaret Henderson
  Property in Cape Charles
  For $29,500

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Health Matters

RSMH Salutes Its Volunteers

During the 85 years of service to the Eastern Shore’s community hospital, volunteers have played a significant role in improving the experience for patients, families, and staff. Indeed, it was through the volunteers of the Northampton-Accomack Memorial Hospital Auxiliary that funds were raised for the construction of the very first hospital which opened in 1928.

Riverside Shore Memorial Hospital recently saluted its team of more than 30 volunteers who support the hospital’s operations and patients. The hospital’s volunteer program dates to 1958.

“Our community and our patients benefit from the program because our dedicated volunteers are noted for their interaction with patients and families, bringing a personal touch to people who are often in stressful situations,” said Ruthellen Lovett, Riverside Shore Memorial’s volunteer services manager. “Volunteers are the first people our patients and visitors see when they enter the hospital, and they always go the extra mile in what they do.”

Volunteers are also an important part of the Riverside Care Difference, a systemwide commitment to maintaining high levels of safety, quality, service, and satisfaction.

In addition, the auxiliary-run Althea Shelton Carousel Gift Shop just off the hospital’s lobby is staffed completely by volunteers, and 100 percent of its profits are earmarked by the auxiliary for hospital improvements, including education for team members, new equipment, amenities in the hospital’s public spaces, and investment in future capital needs.

As much as the community benefits from the volunteer program, the volunteers themselves find benefit too — most name the satisfaction of helping someone in a time of need as their motivation.

Peggy Robinson, who has donated more than 10,000 hours in 40 years,
says, “I feel like I’m contributing and helping, and I enjoy people. I get to see a lot of people who I wouldn’t see ordinarily.”

And for some, volunteering is an opportunity to learn new skills or gain experience. Robinson says, “As long as I can work the computer, and they like what I’m doing, I’m going to stay.”

Riverside officials say they value the contributions of volunteers for the personal touch they bring to patients through the information desk, wheeling patients out for discharge, as chaplains, delivering flowers, and working with older patients to keep them oriented to their surroundings. No matter where they work, hospital volunteers directly impact patient care, freeing up hospital staff to focus on the clinical needs of patients.

The hospital could always use more volunteers, according to Lovett. To volunteer, call the hospital at 414-8756.

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- **10 a.m.** - *Duplicate Bridge* - Sage Diner, Onley - 442-2474
- **12:30 p.m.** - *Science & Philosophy Seminar: Cold Fusion* - ESCC, Melfa
- **5-8 p.m.** - *Station 1 Pizza Night* - Firehouse St., New Church - $8/lge. cheese or pepperoni
- **6 p.m.** - *Celebrate Recovery Group mtg.* - Family Life Center, Onancock - Meal: $6/single or $10/family
- **7 p.m.** - *Life Teach Series* - Rachel/Leah Covenant Ministries Center - 787-2486
- **7:30 p.m.** - *AA mtg.* - Town Hall, Exmore
- **7:30 p.m.** - *Bingo* (doors open at 6:30 p.m.) - Exmore Moose Lodge, Belle Haven

### Saturday, May 3

- **noon-4 p.m.** - *Chincoteague Seafood Festival* - Tom’s Cove Park, 8128 Beebe Road, Chincoteague - tickets/$40 - 336-6161
- **7 a.m.-1 p.m.** - *Yard Sale & Family Fun Day* - Melfa Fire & Rescue, 28328 Hatton St. - food, fun & games - 710-3754 - yard sale spaces still available
- **8 a.m.** - *Pungoteague Community Church Self-Help Center Indoor Yard Sale & Chicken Dinner Sale (Dinner sales begin at 11 a.m.)* - church social hall, 15346 Pungoteague Rd. - dinners/$8 or 8-piece box/$14
- **9 a.m.** - *Zumba Class* - Chincoteague YMCA - $5 - 336-3535
- **9:30 a.m.** - *Mary N. Smith Alumni Assn. mtg.* - Mary N. Smith High School, Accomac
- **9:30 a.m.** - *E.S. Cancer Support Group mtg.* - Sage Diner, Onley - 787-3982
- **9:30 a.m.** - *Prayer Breakfast* - Holy Lighthouse Church, Cheriton
- **10 a.m.-4 p.m.** - *Fraternal Order of Police BBQ Fundraiser* - Edwards Sealfood, parking area, Onley
- **noon & 7:30 p.m.** - *AA mtg.* - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
- **2 p.m.** - *Firemen’s Parade* - Pocomoke, from 8th Street to Market Street
- **5 p.m.** - *Hat Program* - First Baptist Church, Mappsville
- **7:30 p.m.** - *Bingo* - Eastville Vol. Fire Co.

### Monday, May 5

- **9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.** - *Cindo de Mayo Open House* - Food Bank Community Thrift Store, Tasley - 1/2-price on everything in store (exc. jewelry & golf balls)
- **10 a.m.** - *TOPS mtg.* - Market Street UMC, Onancock - 787-3635
- **11 a.m.** - *Northampton Chapter AARP mtg.* - Cheriton Rescue Squad
- **noon** - *AA mtg.* - St. Peter’s Catholic Church, Onley
- **5-6 p.m.** - *Al-Anon mtg.* - Market St. UMC, Onancock
- **6 p.m.** - *Central Shore Lions Club mtg.* - Sage Diner, Onley
- **6 p.m.** - *Bingo* - Elks Lodge, Tasley
- **6:30 p.m.** - *Cub Scout Pack 300 mtg.* - Grace UMC, Parksley

### Tuesday, May 6

- **7:45 a.m.** - *Kiwanis Club of Accomack mtg.* - Sage Diner, Onley
- **11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.** - *Debedeavon Toastmasters’ mtg.* - NASA/Wallops Base - Call Owen at 824-1941 for base access
- **2 p.m.** - *Children’s Story Hour* - E.S. Public Library, Accomac
- **4 p.m.** - *Arts & Crafts Time* - Cape Charles Memorial Library
- **5:30-6:30 p.m.** - *Free Meals for the Hungry* - Epworth UMC, Exmore - 442-6391
- **6-7 p.m.** - *Prayer Line Open* - Call 665-7403 or 387-7021 or 894-1521 w/prayer requests
- **7 p.m.** - *AA & Al-Anon mtgs.* - RSMH, Nassawadox
- **7:30 p.m.** - *Spring Revival (May 7-9)* - Shiloh Baptist Church, 31559 Boston Rd., Pungoteague - 442-2739
- **7:30 p.m.** - *Bingo* - Painter VFC

### Wednesday, May 7

- **10:30 a.m.** - *Children’s Story Hour* - library, Accomac
- **2 p.m.** - *Children’s Story Hour* - library, Nassawadox
- **4 p.m.** - *Chess Club* - Cape Charles Memorial Library - all ages & levels welcome
- **6 p.m.** - *TOPS VA-550 mtg.* - Zion Baptist Church, Parksley - 787-2903

- **9 a.m.** - *Al-Anon mtg.* - St. Andrew’s Catholic Church, Chincoteague
- **10 a.m.** - *Bingo* - Accomack Sr. Village, Onancock - 787-3900
- **5 p.m.** - *AA mtg.* - St. James Episcopal Church, Accomac
- **5:30 p.m.** - *Onancock Business & Civic Assn. mtg.* - Naomi Makemie Presbyterian Church, Onancock
- **5:30 p.m.** - *TOPS mtg.* - Belle Haven Presbyterian Church - 442-9776
- **6 p.m.** - *Rachel Leah Ministries* - 787-2486
- **6 p.m.** - *Bingo* - Pocomoke Elks, next to YMCA
- **6:30-8:30 p.m.** - *GED Class* - ESCC, Class A-51, Melfa
- **7 p.m.** - *Vietnam Veterans’ E.S. Chapter 614 mtg.* - Chapter Bldg., 25534 Main St., Onley
- **7 p.m.** - *Narcotics Anon. mtg.* - Jerusalem Baptist Church, Temperanceville
- **7:30 p.m.** - *Al-Anon mtg.* - Atlantic UMC - 824-5386
- **7:30 p.m.** - *Bingo* - smoke free - Cheriton VFC
- **7:30 p.m.** - *AA mtg.* - Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Onancock
- **7:30 p.m.** - *Central Masonic Lodge mtg.*
**Weekly SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ★★

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One of a Kind - Trade-Ins

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The real winner this spring sports season on the Shore is the weather. Rainy, cold weather has forced numerous cancellations of baseball, softball and soccer contests, leaving the district schedule in a shambles.

Monday’s soccer games were played in a cold drizzle, then the Nandua and Northampton softball teams finally met this season in a game played Tuesday in weather more suitable for ducks.

“It’s been an awful headache,” said Northampton athletic director Dr. Rich Wilfong. “I’ve never seen a spring like this. It’s not just the rain, it’s the cold.”

Nandua Athletic Director Gary Reese said it’s the worst he has ever seen. “It’s prolonged rain over a period of time.”

The dreary weather started early in the spring and has continued to date. Chincoteague went three weeks between its season baseball opener and its second game of the season. Chincoteague coach Will Thompson said, “We were so anxious to play against someone other than ourselves due to weather.”

“Non-district games, like the baseball tournament games don’t count for seedings in conference games, as regular season games do, so canceling the tournament is not a major consequence.”

For the latest Shore District schedule, go to easternshoredistrictva.org

On the Tyler Webb watch, the 2009 Northampton graduate has four saves in his first month as a Tampa Bay Yankee in the Class A Advanced Florida League.

Last Wednesday, Webb retired all six batters he faced in the eighth and ninth, striking out two.

The 6’6” lefty has a 2.77 earned run average in 13 innings. What’s most impressive about his numbers is that he has struck out 17 batters while walking only one. Batters are hitting only .152 against him, and even more important in this age of specialists, left-handed batters are hitting a measly .125 against him.

Webb, the son of Kirk and Kristen Webb of Nassawadox, was the career appearance leader at the University of South Carolina, where he pitched on two national championship teams with a runner-up finish a third year.

He was drafted in the 10th round by the New York Yankees following his senior season.

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Last spring I did a column on two local junior athletes making an impact far beyond the Shore.

Hunter Taylor, a baseball player at Nandua, and Preston Richardson, a track athlete at Broadwater, have lived up to their promise and have futures well beyond Shore playing fields.

Taylor signed a baseball scholarship with powerhouse University of South Carolina and now professional scouts are following the 6’0”, 190-pound catcher.

Taylor is a defensive standout and against the lefty Heenan, third best on the team.

Richardson is obliterating most of his competition in both the discus and shot put, last week winning the discus by over 10 feet with a throw of 166-06 against the best high-school competition in Virginia. He took second in the shot put with a personal best 57-03.

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Huntington native Tyler Webb has been re-
Chamber Golf Tourney Now Set for May 9

The Eastern Shore of Virginia Chamber of Commerce golf tournament has been rescheduled for Friday, May 9, due to weather conditions.

The tournament will tee off at 1 p.m. at Eastern Shore Yacht and Country Club after an 11 a.m. registration and lunch, which begins at 11:30 a.m.

The entry fee is $100 per golfer, which includes, greens fees, cart, lunch, on-course beverages and the awards reception.

To enter, send name and address with handicap to Eastern Shore of Virginia Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 460, Melfa, VA 23410.

For more information, call 787-2460 or email info@esvachamber.org

Great Bay Run in Cape Charles June 21

The second annual Great Bay Run in Cape Charles will take place on Saturday, June 21.

The 5K road race and one-mile run/walk will begin and end at Aqua Restaurant in town. The races will begin at 8:30 a.m.

The mission of the event is to bring a competitive and fun racing experience to the Eastern Shore, while also generating money for worthwhile causes.

Proceeds from this year’s race will benefit Boys and Girls Clubs of the Eastern Shore and the race director’s cross country and track and field teams at Broadwater Academy.

Entry fees are $25 for the 5K race and $10 for the one-mile run/walk until May 21 when prices go up.

For more information on the race and to preregister, visit the Great Bay Run in Cape Charles Facebook page.

Run for the Animals Held

The 3rd Annual Run For The Animals Half Marathon and 10K was held Sunday, April 6, at the Historic Onancock School. There were 159 registrants from ages 8 to 80 from five states.

The post-race celebration included live music by Black Elvis and lunch courtesy of Tammy & Johnny’s and Bizzotto’s

Over $5,600 was raised and supported the following local animal organizations: $4,100 for Eastern Shore SPCA, $500 for Eastern Shore Animal Control, $500 for Eastern Shore Spay Organization, and $500 to Animal People of the Eastern Shore

10K winners were: Michael Barea, 26, from Exmore with a time of 44:02 in the men’s division and Beth Coulman, 39, from Accomac with a time of 50:41 in the women’s division.

Half-marathon winners were Michael Demko, 38, from Virginia Beach, Va., with a time of 1:23:39 for the men and Kristen Herring, 35, from Newport News, Va., with a time of 1:33:08 for the women.

Go to www.runfortheanimals.com for photos by Pete and Barb Hall and Larry Baxter and more information on this year’s race and next year’s event.

Race organizers would like to thank all the participants, volunteers, fund-
Warriors Top Jackets in Match of District Unbeatens

Nandua Wins Easily

The Nandua softballers had six players with three hits each in a 15-0 win over Arcadia last Thursday.

Chandler Davis and Amanda Baylis collected four RBIs each with their three hits, including a homer by Davis and two doubles by Baylis, while Kimberly Wert had two RBIs with her three hits.

Michaela Wescott had a pair of doubles among her three hits, while Tyra Bjorlo had one double among her three hits. Caroline Harvie scored a team-high four runs after reaching base safely three times on hits.

All told, the Lady Warriors erupted for 21 hits while Emily Justis held Arcadia to a single hit by Sarah Jones. Justis also struck out four in the five-inning game.

Nandua scored five runs in each of the first two innings, with Davis' round tripper coming in the second to take a commanding 10-0 lead.

Chincoteague Wins Two in Baseball; Nandua Romps

Chincoteague capped a 16-6 home baseball win over Northampton Thursday with Corey Riefler's five RBIs on three hits, including a double and triple.

Dylan Mason was 3 for 3, including a double, and had four RBIs. Miles Libertino was 2 for 3 with a double and three RBIs. Joe Thornton was 2 for 4 with a pair of RBIs.

Collin Derrickson, Mason Marshall and Spence White each had a hit as the Ponies banged out 13 hits.

Alex McGee earned the win on the mound, allowing seven hits in 5.1 innings while striking out four with no walkers. Trey Fisher relieved and struck out one in getting the final two outs.

For Northampton, Cody Johnson had a three-run homer, Josh Outten and Nick Lewis were 3 for 3, and Will Carsten and KeAndre Ames each had a hit.

“Bats and strong pitching led to our win,” said Chincoteague coach Will Thompson. “It was a great home win for us.”

Ponies Blank Firebirds

Chincoteague blanked Arcadia 7-0 at home Monday as Cory Riefler threw a two-hit shutout with 11 strikeouts while walking four. Riefler and Miles Libertino each had two RBIs and Dylan Mason and Joe Thornton had two hits each to lead the Pony offense.

Collin Derrickson had a single and two stolen bases while Mason Marshall, Spencer White and Trey Fisher each had a single and stolen base.

“Riefler was a bulldog on the mound today,” said Pony coach Will Thompson. “No errors in the field was huge also.”

Nandua Routs Arcadia

Nandua easily dispatched Arcadia 23-5 Tuesday at Oak Hall on the baseball diamond as Hunter Taylor, Derek Bjorlo and Jake Guy each homered for the Warriors.

Sophomore leadoff hitter Hunter Hickman went 4 for 5 and scored four times while getting four RBIs.

Bjorlo drove in five runs with a double in addition to his homer. Guy and Taylor also had doubles and four and three RBIs, respectively.

Evan McGregor had three hits and Jakorah Parker added two hits as the Warriors banged out 18 hits.

Guy pitched three innings to get the win, allowing one hit. Trevor Wessells finished up, allowing five runs on three hits.

The Warriors scored eight runs in the second inning to increase their lead to 11-0 and added four in the third and eight more in the fourth.

Nandua is now 6-3.
Northampton edged Nandua 1-0 in girls’ soccer last Thursday at the Warrior field.

Northampton had more than 20 shots on goal, but Nandua goalie Taylor Haynes made several nice stops, and the Lady Jackets had some shots that barely missed before Madisen Lewis finally netted a goal on a cross from Taylor Webb almost eight minutes into the second half.

“I am pleased with how the girls’ played,” said Northampton coach Tabi Webb, “I feel we dominated play, but sometimes the score does not reflect that.”

Nandua coach Dana Wright said, “I thought we played a great game and are much improved from our first season last year. I was very proud of them all.”

Earlier in the week, Northampton had blasted 4A Lake Taylor 8-1. Taylor Webb had two goals and two assists, Lewis scored two goals, Cecilia Cruz, Ashlyn Arnold, Kennedy Webb and Erica Head each scored one goal, and Meghan Walpole had an assist.

“Our defense was challenged in this game and our keeper had four saves, but our offense was just working seamlessly,” said Coach Webb.

Nandua beat Central Sussex of Delaware 1-0 Tuesday night at home on a Cherith Ferguson goal with 6:16 remaining in the first half. Good defensive play made the goal stand up for the remainder of the game.

“Cherith played a great game,” said Coach Wright, “and the team played great even though the weather was not the best.”

Nandua’s Ryan Wright advances the ball against Central Sussex.

Warriors, Jackets Win Soccer Tilts

Nandua steamrolled Arcadia 9-0 in soccer Monday night at Onley.

David Wright scored two goals three minutes apart on assists from Elmis Mayorga to give the Warriors an early 2-0 lead. David Pacifi then added a goal before Mayorga tallied on an assist from Wright for a 4-0 Warrior lead.

Mayorga was to add two more goals, with Christian Tinoco, Kevin Perez and Seth Lewis getting a goal each. Pacifi also had two assists, while Neri Marquez and Jean Louis had one each.

Northampton stopped Arcadia 4-0 in soccer Monday night in a game played at Eastville under rainy skies.

Omar Cruz opened the scoring for the Jackets with an assist from Jesus Maldonado. Ediel Carranza then scored off a bobble from the Arcadia keeper before Vincent Cusimano scored from a rebound from the goalie off a free kick attempt. Maldonado finished the scoring with an assist from Cruz.

Wednesday’s Northampton-Nandua game was canceled due to bad weather.

Jacket Netters Sweep

The Northampton girls tennis team swept its singles and doubles matches against Washington High School last Thursday.

No. 1 seed Sara Head won her match 9-7 after being down 5-1 early in the match.

Also winning their matches were Angela Head (8-1), Olivia Boswell (8-4), Haley Potts (8-1), Sarah Gildo (8-1) and Claudia Fernandez (8-3).

Winning double matches were Sara and Angela Head (8-3), Olivia Boswell and Haley Potts (8-4), and Sara Gildo and Claudia Fernandez (8-1).
Broadwater made an outstanding showing at the Milestat.com Elite Track Classic in Richmond, finishing sixth among 80 teams. The meet is the largest track and field meet in Virginia, and only athletes who met the elite qualifying standards compete.

“This was by far and away the best performance we’ve ever had in a meet of this caliber,” said Broadwater track coach Eric Hack.

All of Broadwater’s 30 points were earned by Preston Richardson and Wesley Shrieves, allowing the Vikings to beat out numerous 5A and 6A schools and some of the top private and prep programs in the state.

Fork Union won the meet with 59 points, followed by Atlee, Lee-Davis, Cosby and Hermitage.

Richardson won the discus with a throw of 164-06 to beat the second-place throw by over 10 feet, topping 40 other competitors. He also threw a personal best 57-03 in the shot to take second place to Cosby’s Tyler Powell, who threw 57-11.25.

Shrieves jumped a school-record 22 feet to place third to Issac Perrigan of Abingdon, who leaped 22-05.25. He also jumped 5-10 in the high jump to place fifth to the winning height of 6-04 by Highland Springs’ Tyquan Rowley. Shrieves finished just outside of the scoring with a triple jump of 41-02.75.

Other highlights of the meet, according to Coach Hack, included Frank Long tying his school record 9-6 in the pole vault, Adam Bowen setting a new school record in the 200-meter in 23:28 to place just outside of the scoring position, and Nick Gomer tying his personal best in the 1600-meter (5:04.39) and becoming the first BA runner to make a track meet at Wicomico County Stadium on April 23.

Chaffins set school records in the high jump (5-0), long jump (15-11.5) triple jump (30-2) and a personal best in the 100-meter hurdles (18 seconds). She now qualifies for the ACSI Northeast Regional track meet in Stroudsburg, Pa., which includes schools from Rhode Island to Virginia.
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THE COUNTY OF ACCOMACK, VIRGINIA

CIVIL CASE NO. 14CL109

vs.

BENJAMIN C. PITTS

MERCEDES WHARTON

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 in Lee District, Accomack County, Virginia, fronting 60 ft. on the road leading from Tasley to Onancock, and designated as parcel no. 08500A000005600.

standing in the name of Benjamin C. Pitts, pursuant to Section 58.1-3967 of the Code of Virginia.

And an affidavit having been filed that due diligence has been used to determine whether Benjamin C. Pitts is living, or if deceased, to ascertain the names and location of all of his heirs, devisees and successors in title; that there are or may be other persons having an interest in the real estate forming the subject matter of this suit, whose names and last post office addresses are unknown, namely, the heirs, devisees and successors in title of Benjamin C. Pitts; and that Mercedes Wharton is a nonresident of the state of Virginia, whose last known post office address is 996 Park Avenue, Huntington, KY 11743.

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 May 13, 2014 at 9:30 a.m., in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court for the County of Accomack, Virginia, and do what may be necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

ENTER: This 21st day of April, 2014
Nancy-Jo Revell, Deputy Clerk

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JAMES W. ELLIOTT, p.q.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Zoning Appeals of the Town of Chincoteague will hold a public hearing on May 8, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers located at 6150 Community Drive to receive public comments and views on the following zoning matter.

Appeal 14-05-1 A request from Oyster Museum, Inc., 7125 Maddox Blvd., for a variance from Article 4, section 4.7.27 (1) of the zoning ordinance of the Town of Chincoteague. The applicant wishes to place a 20’ x 50’ pavilion on said property. The structure would be placed 0’ from the east lot line and 0’ from the northern lot line. Current zoning requires the structure be placed no closer than 5’ from said lot lines. The property is located in C-3 Corridor Commercial.

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NOTICE OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE SALE
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By virtue of the power and authority contained in a Deed of Trust dated October 19, 2005, and recorded at Instrument Number 200507029 in the Clerk’s Office for the Circuit Court for Accomack County, VA, securing a loan which was originally $263,000.00. The appointed SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE, Commonwealth Trustees, LLC will offer for sale at public auction at main entrance of the Accomack County Circuit Court, located at 23316 Courthouse Avenue on:

May 29, 2014 at 2:30 PM

improved real property, with an abbreviated legal description of

All that certain lot or parcel of land, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in the Town of Onancock, Accomack County, Virginia, containing 18,529.48 square feet (0.43 of an acre), more or less, which said lot or parcel of real estate is more particularly shown and described on that certain plat of survey entitled “Location Survey for Jeanette Rogers” dated July 17, 1997, prepared by John H. Plummer & Assoc., Inc., which said plat is attached to and made a part of the deed dated September 4, 1997, from George W. Cherrix, Jr., and Sandra G. Cherrix to Grace Jeanette Rogers, recorded in the Accomack County circuit court clerk’s office on September 11, 1997, in Deed Book 749 at page 481.

It being the same real estate that was conveyed to Grace Jeanette Rogers and Jack E. Sturgis, Jr., husband and wife, from Grace Jeanette Rogers dated May 15, 2003, and recorded in the aforesaid Clerk’s Office on May 15, 2003, as document control number 200303325, and as more fully described in the aforesaid Deed of Trust.

TERMS OF SALE: The property will be sold “AS IS,” WITHOUT REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY OF ANY KIND AND SUBJECT TO conditions, restrictions, reservations, easements, rights of way, and all other matters of record taking priority over the Deed of Trust to be announced at the time of sale. A deposit of $24,000.00, or 10% of the sale price, whichever is lower, in cash or cashier’s check payable to the SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE will be required at the time of sale. The balance of the purchase price, with interest at the rate contained in the Deed of Trust Note from the date of sale to the date said funds are received in the office of the SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE, will be due within fifteen (15) days of sale. In the event of default by the successful bidder, the entire deposit shall be forfeited and applied to the costs and expenses of sale and Substitute Trustee’s fee. All other public charges or assessments, including water/sewer charges, whether incurred prior to or after the sale, and all other costs incident to settlement to be paid by the purchaser. In the event taxes, any other public charges have been advanced, a credit will be due to the seller, to be adjusted from the date of sale at the time of settlement. Purchaser agrees to pay the Seller’s attorneys at settlement, a fee of $445.00 for review of the settlement documents.

Additional terms will be announced at the time of sale and the successful bidder will be required to execute and deliver to the Substitute Trustees a memorandum or contract of the sale at the conclusion of bidding.

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I t all began many years ago, quite by accident. Triggered by the need to control a suspected mouse population at the office, our business acquired two kittens who lived on-premise. In time, they attracted a friend, whom I adopted and named Punkin. My first real pet.

I had a cat!
And because he needed an ally, I brought home Brandy.

I had cats!

Seven years ago, I received a dog for my birthday. Luke was a Benji look-alike, scrappy and ingenious when it came to escaping the yard.

I had cats and a dog!!

Luke slept companionably in a crate by my bed and often accompanied me to the office. But one evening after about six weeks, Luke attacked and pretty much tried to eat me; the only legacy he left me was 50 stitches.

I had cats.

Having been bitten by three dogs over the years, I began to fear that I emitted some kind of pheromone which stimulated canine appetites for me.

And so I had cats.

Though I could appreciate the attributes of a fine dog, I didn’t think anyone could blame me for not feeling capable of calmly being alone with one.

I had only cats.

That is until I began to share lodging with beautiful Nikki.

I had cats and a dog again!

The sweetest of black Labs, she would bound happily to greet me. I began to learn the joy of unconditional dog love. No one ever could fear Nikki’s smiling soft mouth or shy away from her gray muzzle. She and I spent many calm moments together. At 13, Nikki was a retired waterfowl hunter, happiest on a boat or in the water — yet content enough just to be among people.

But last week, Nikki’s age got the best of her — and us.

Sadly, I have only cats again.

Speaker Offers Clarification

Dear Editor:

I would like to clarify a few things about my appearance in the State of the Shore story, reported by Ron West in the April 18th edition of the Post.

First, I never asked Sen. Lynwood Lewis about getting back the old school in Cape Charles. I told him that I am a member of Old School Cape Charles and that we had asked him and Del. Rob Bloxom to patron legislation to protect other communities’ historic assets — in particular schools.

He acknowledged that he had spoken to me for 45 minutes one day on the matter. Actually, a group of us had a conference call with him. As a group we pointed out, both to Sen. Lewis and when he was a delegate) and Del. Bloxom, that public assets are being taken by unscrupulous developers who then ask for tax credits for their projects. Taxpayers get hit on both ends.

Second, Sen. Lewis said that nothing illegal was done by the town or the developer when Town Council sold our school for $10. Apparently he forgot that about two years ago, we sent him a laundry list of possible misbehavior on the part of the town and the developer.

Third, we asked him to task the Department of Historic Resources (DHR) with answering questions about the effect of the tax-credit program on public historic assets. He did not send the questions to the DHR. We checked.

Mr. West did not know the context of the question that I asked, and Sen. Lewis steered it in a direction to confuse him. If he is interested, Old School Cape Charles would be happy to give him a full report on what brought forth my question to Sen. Lewis.

Old School Cape Charles applauds the residents of Onancock who worked together to save their town’s historic old school. Other communities on the Shore have not been so fortunate. One only needs ride down Seaside Road to Capeville to see the dilapidated school there or drive by the old Rosenwald School by the new Cape Charles sewage treatment plant to see what private developers can do with these old buildings.

Dorie Southern, via email

War Dead’s Photos Sought

Dear Editor:

In November 2012, the Vietnam Veterans’ Memorial Fund broke ground on a new Education Center to be built directly across the street from the memorial in Washington, D.C.

In addition to a history of America’s conflicts and exhibits on the Vietnam War, the Education Center will include a digital wall of photographs. The Faces Never Forgotten program is an attempt to put a face with each of the 58,286 names carved into the polished black granite memorial.

The following eight names on the memorial, for which photos are being sought, have been identified as having Eastern Shore hometowns: Willie Lee James of Cape Charles, Willie T. Brickhouse Jr. of Eastville, Ralph Henry Reid of Belle Haven, William David Wessells of Acomac, James Williams of Bloxom, Warren Lee Scanlan Jr. of Exmore, Curtis Ray Patton and Edmund Bagwel Scarborough.

Anyone with a picture of any of these men is asked to submit it. Information on submitting a photo can be found at http://vvmf.org/faces-never-forgotten.

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