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ACCOMAC, VA., THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1963

shed into automobile of Mrs. Ella Plant, of Miami, Florida.

Woman Dies On

Troopers E. K. Mayhew and J.

S. Baird identified her as Mrs.

north to visit a daughter in New

York. The south bound tractor

wards, 45, of Savannah, Ga., who

hazardous three-lane highway.

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election of officers.

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this information has always been

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# Bridge-Tunnel Impact Study May Affect Highway Planning

University of Virginia, the study favorable and unfavorable to the of the possible impact of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel on the Eastern Shore will begin July 1 and continue through August.

Research workers from the University and about 12 Accomack and Northampton County residents will carry on questionnaire interviews of several thousand Eastern Shore residents. The questionnaires are expected to draw information buying trends.

by Robert C. Burton, highway right of way.

According to the Council, the will apply to local residents, not ment. to through travelers. The returns

Highway Department's plans to figure includes loss of plantings build a winding road in and a- and other items in addition to the round towns between Bayview and U. S. Rt. frontage land involved. Accomac will create an intolerable Those who have declined to actraffic hazard hope that results cept the Highway Department ofof the projected study are brought fers are located in Eastville and to the attention of the Virginia to the north and south of that Highway Commission.

#### Swimmer Drowns ern Shore Public Service Co. of Near Eastville

A man identified as Alfred Jefferson Wright, 21, Eastville was drowned in the Chesapeake near Eastville at about 6 p. m. Monday. Trooper D. L. Ross said that he and a companion, Clarence Arnold, were swimming at the Sand Hills when the drowning

Taylor, of Oyster, recovered the ed next Tuesday night and dem. It was located in a hole off In order to do this we are asking of Northampton County, has anto jail Saturday night. Sunday body hanging across the window Jefferies; Johnson-Nock Insurance newly-acquired property. The old

#### Melfa Carnival **Opens Friday Night**

The Melfa Volunteer Firemen will have as the opening of the 1963 Carnival a Beauty Contest sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary this Friday night, June 28th, at 9:00 p. m. A large crowd is expected to cheer these girls in the contest. The firemen have the grounds completed, rides set up, and many booths to entertain you. They are hoping this year will be bigger and better than any previous one. Also the Ladies Auxiliary is having a cake stand filled with lovely cakes and a cook stand where you can find drinks, sandwiches, and popcorn etc.

The Auxiliary will have as M.C. Mr. Robert Hutchinson from Parksley. Supplying the music will be Mrs. Beth Mason at the piano and Mr. John Eddie Churn at the drums. The judges are Mrs. Sarah Hann, Mr. Baker Dennis, and Mr. Stewart Guy.

The girls participating are as Continued from page 1

### Zip Code Numbers

Are Assigned Last week we carried the Zip Code numbers for several Shore post offices The Zip Code system will be put in effect on July 1st. The Zip Code number for the post office to which the letter is addressed will be put at the end of the last line in the address.

Addresses will read as usual ending with Accomac, Virginia and friends braved the storm to Eastern Shore District of the Consumers of the Cooperative. All

attend the Annual Meeting of the Methodist Church. Accomack-Northampton Electric A motion was made from the compiled but only given out to The Zip Code numbers for Easset up this week:

Cheriton, Va. - 23316 Craddockville, Va.-23341 Greenbush, Va. - 23357 Sanford, Va. - 23426 Hallwood, Va. - 23359

Shore's much-debated highway disseminated questionnaire spontraffic pattern is to be taken by sored by a group of Eastern Shore show a keen interest in results of a state research body beginning mayors almost 90 per cent of the study. They may learn which those questioned were in opposi- Eastern Shore shopping areas are According to announcement by tion to the Highway Department's most successful in attracting custhe Virginia Council of Highway plans. The questionnaire was car- tomers. Merchants in towns that Investigation and Research, at the ried around by town officials both are successfully drawing custo-

# **Blast State Offers** For Rights Of Way

Highways continues to encounter on traffic patterns and consumer resistance from land owners in dual highway addition to Rt. 13 the Eastville area whose property which curves to the west of Cheri-The research team is headed is being taken for a U. S. Rt. 13 ton between Cheriton and Cape

are refusing to accept the to the right and cuts through the er jack-knifed on the rain-slick questionnaires relating to traffic amounts offered by the Depart- residential part of Eastville, then three-lane Rt. 13 and smashed into ity.

A recent example revealed by present route at Kendall Grove. should indicate the amount of the Northampton County records the Rt. 13 intersection with the favorable opinion. Local observers who fear the Kendall Grove crossing. This

These citizens point to the purchase in June, 1962 by the Easta site for their office on U.S. Rt. 13 near Cape Charles as a more realistic price for dual highway frontage. The utility, which has the right of eminent domain,

#### Enterprise Office Closed July 4

The Peninsula Enterprise office will be closed on Thursday, July Two skin divers, Bill and Cliff 4th. The Enterprise will be printbody at about 8 p. livered early Wednesday morning. on July 4th.

The area involved is the new Charles, then follows the present heads on the rejoining of the her car.

The routing has been the subcrossing and re-crossing of U. S. is that of Thomas H. James and ject of considerable controversy Rt. 13 that will be created by his wife who have been offered with opposition in both Eastville the highway as it is presently \$3,470. for 1.20 acres of land at and Cheriton outweighing the



Deputy Sheriff Simpson

#### Deputy Sheriff

1st.

Co-op Members Brave Weather

Amid rain, thunder and light- was given by the Reverend R. H. Report. For the first time the

stration at seven o'clock and was May of 1962.

President, at 8:15. The invocation his report as given in the Annual

# Nassawadox Gets Cleanup

3-Lane Rt. 13 A 73 year old Florida woman Most white owners of property route for a few miles, then swings last Friday when a tractor trail- day night and discussed ways and means for improving the commun-

Trip to New York ends in tragedy at Exmore, when a tractor - trailer jackknifed and

Mayor Willard Henry reported that cleanup of weed grown lots, installations of trash containers

## trailer was driven by Arthur Ed- Hopeton Chicken

had been trucking vegetables on Vernon Northam and Thomas The accident happened at about Northam were placed under arrest p.m. at the south end of Exlast week-end charged with stealing chickens at the home of Mrs. more on a straight stretch of the Berkley Thornes at Hopeton. Mrs. Berkley Thornes called the Sher-Mrs. Plant's car was smashed iff's office last Saturday night off the road to the east and about 11:15 and announced that heavily damaged. She was taken someone was stealing her chickin the Exmore ambulance to Northens. Deputy Sheriffs Lewis and ampton - Accomack Memorial Bonniwell and Sheriff Adair Mat-Hospital, Nassawadox, where she thews went to the home. died at 4:40 p.m. of multiple in-

As Deputies Lewis and Bonnijuries. The truck driver suffered Mrs. Plant's body was taken to the B. D. Holland Funeral Home a third chicken behind his back. a charge of fraud. He was placed under arrest. Tom-Northam, who was with him, pulled away in his automobile which he deserted when he saw Sheriff Adair Matthews. It is re-There will be a meeting of the ported three more chicken were Friends of the Library" at the found hidden in the car.

for Friday of this week.

#### Dr. Clark Burton **Brown Graduate** In Dentistry

Brown, of North Buffalo Road, Orchard Park, N. J., received his from the School of Dentistry, Union Sunday, June 2nd. Dr. Brown the head killing him. Dottie D. Kellam, daughter of establishing his practice in Glou-

#### Parkers Creek Clearing Held Up

The clearing of the mouth of Parkers Creek, promised by the Associate Lay Atkinson Dredging Co. three weeks ago, had not been started as of Wednesday. A reiterated promise to begin the work has been made with today as the dead-Dr. Danna Still gives complete picture of growth of the Cooperative and what Cooperatives line. Members of the Board of Supervisors have been advised that additional steps may be taken if the Atkinson firm does not clear the creek mouth as promis-

#### ning, approximately 750 members Forrester, District Superintendent, Annual Report was mailed to all Library To Get \$4,846 For Books

The meeting opened with regis- at the last Annual Meeting - in noted that each year only about Library Board approved Monday a Church, Hopkins at the 9:30 a. m. a fourth of the consumers attend- total of \$182,000 in state aid worship service. called to order by W. R. Goffigon, Mr. Goffigon briefly reviewed ed the Annual Meeting and so grants to regional and local publlic libraries.

## town government met with a small suggestions that old shacks in the

ended her trip north at Exmore group of interested citizens Mon- town be torn down. Riley Porter Arrested For Fraud

Ella Plant, of Miami, driving and better car parking practices Camp, tried to work his flimflam as they were in such a hurry to tion; and Joseph F. Kaylor, as-

Thieves Arrested He went to Johnston's Pharmacy on Monday it would now be known teague Bridge and Beach Authorat Oak Hall and in a change making flim flam game secured \$5.00 from one of the clerks. Of- C. A. Nottingham ficers were notified while Bill Johnston followed him in his automobile and located him in Bob Gilliss' store at Chincoteague, Va., where he was trying the same game. It is reported that he also

Town Police Chief, Ebe Read 18th. The by-laws of the organiplaced him under arrest. Porter zation were drawn up and adoptis reported to have had a con- ed. well approached the home they federate with him but so far he met Vernon Northam, holding two has not been apprehended. The were elected. C. A. Nottingham office lot and building on U. S.

# Intruder Slain

hearing is set in the County Court Commonwealth's Attorney R. Northampton Insurance Agency, moval. Norris Bloxom and State Troop- Inc.; C. A. Nottingham; Lloyd P. ers Amadio and Baird answering Parrott; and Thomas Richardson. from the Eastern Shore Wednesthe call arrived at the house shortly after 9:30 o'clock Tuesday insurance company agents. Its ob-

woman was that Milbourne came in the insurance business on the super drug store on the new site. Mr. Clark Burton Brown, son to her home earlier in the even- Shore; and do all things consisof Mr. and Mrs. Andrew W. ing and attempted to break down tent with the public interests as the block of Rt. 13 involved is the front door. Being unsuccess- well as the interests of the mem- presently quite active. The old ful he went to the rear of the bers of the Association. Doctor of Dental Surgery degree house and tried to get in a window. She took up a brick to de- Loan Association versity of Buffalo, Buffalo, N. Y., fend her home and hit him over

is the husband of the former Miss Sheriff Matthews was notified inside the house.

A hearing is scheduled for the able on June 29th, 1963. Accomack County Court on Friday. No charges have been pre-

# Leader Addresses

Albert L. White, Jr., of Hampton, who is Associate Lay Leader of the Virginia Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, spoke last night at a meeting of which the Rev. Richard W. Buckingham is pastor. Eulas F. Justis the state penitentiary. is president of the club. The meeting was held at the parsonage.

On Sunday, June 30, 1963, Mr. The Eastern Shore Public White will be the guest speaker tern Shore post offices have been Cooperative held in Parksley on floor, duly seconded and carried those who attended the meeting. Library will receive \$4,846 in at the 11:00 a. m. worship service field of statutory burglary when ed his twin brother with a knife Thursday evening, June 20th, at to dispense with the reading of In planning for the Annual Meetstate aid book funds for the fiscal at Grace Church. He will also they got mixed up again with the so close to the heart it was quite the Minutes of the Meeting held ing many months ago, it was year beginning July 1. The State speak at Calvary Methodist law.

At a special evening service at

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#### By Udall

# No Plan Offered For Assateague

art L. Udall's visit to Assateague had previously expressed a de-Island on Monday met a hornet's sire to discuss the proposition nest at the Maryland end of the with them but the opportunity did island and the party stayed so long not present itself on Monday. there that it was so late getting Accompanying Udall from to the part of Assateague in Vir- Washingon on his inspection tour ginia that further than dining of Assateague were Sens. Daniel with the Virginians nothing was B. Brewster and J. Glenn Beall discussed. The party of Congress- and Reps Samuel N. Friedel. men were anxious to get back to Richard E. Langford, Clarence D. Washington for committee meet- Long, Rogers C. Morton and ings that afternoon.

The Chincoteague Volunteer land. Fire Co., Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce and Chincoteague rence Hammerman, chairman of Ruritan Club have endorsed the the Maryland Forest and Parks taking over of the beach by the Commission; Louis Goldstein, government as a national and Maryland comptroller; James state park. The Chincoteague- O'Donnell, director of Maryland Assateague Bridge Authority State Planning; George H. Hartmembers had prepared a state- zog Jr., associate director of the ment which they expected to pre- National Park Service; Dr. Ed-Riley Porter, transient laborer sent to Secretary Udall but did ward C. Crafts, director of the attached to the Mappsville Labor not get the opportunity to do so Federal Bureau of Outdoor Recreagame once too often last Saturday get back to Washington. So no sistant director of the Bureau of and is now in the county jail at one knows just where the Bridge Outdoor Recreation. Accomac awaiting a hearing of and Beach Authority stands, Had a flimflam making change game. they been given the opportunity man of the Chincoteague-Assa-

### Heads Eastern Shore Insurance Agents

The organizational meeting of the Eastern Shore of Virginia tried to work it at Earl's Grill. Independent Insurance Agents Deputy Sheriff Bob Tull and Association was held on June

Officers of the new Association chickens in front of himself and authorities are booking Porter on was elected President; Hyslop Rt. 13 to Lloyd J. Kellam, pro-Nock, Vice-President; and Wil-prietor of Lloyd's Drug Store. Chandler, Secretary-Treasliam

> By Brick Blows V. A. Chandler & Sons, Inc.; ton County records.
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> Dickinson-Lusk Insurance Agency; Lloyd's is presently in rented Carl Milboune, negro migrant Clyde Figgs; Hearne-Ballard In- property, owned

> This is an association of stock day afternoon and could not be jectives are to support right prin- It is authoritatively reported that The story told by the Williams ciples and oppose bad practices he expects to build a big modern

Lucias J. Kellam, President of retail use. and went there immediately and the Shore Savings and Loan Asfound Milbourne dead and his sociation, announced today that transaction, Mr. Young said that Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Kellam Jr., found Milbourne dead and his sociation, amounted the board of directors of The there had been considerable insill, trapped by a fallen window. Shore Savings and Loan Associa- terest in the site he and Mrs. His head was lying on a bed just tion have declared a 4% annual Young just sold. A northern group dividend on savings accounts pay- had discussed purchase of the

> ers in Accomac will complete its 13 is valuable because of the ferred and she has not been held. first fiscal year on June 30th, state's uncertain and long time

Carlton R. Sickles, all of Mary-

Also in the group were S. Law-

Mayor Robert N. Reed, chairity, welcomed Udall to the Chincoteague area and presented him with a gift certicate entitling him to a gallon of Tom's Cove oysters and 500 clams.

## Lloyds Buys **Exmore Land**

A major change in the business section of Exmore is indicated by

The property, about one-fourth acre, was sold by Mrs. Nina The members of the Association Young and J. Morris Young for are as follows: Percy C. Ayres; \$22,500, according to Northamp-

Vernon Northam was brought laborer, was found dead with his surance Agency, Inc., C. Everette a few hundred feet north of the the beach about 15 feet deep, they all advertisers and correspondents nounced the appointment of Alfred At this meeting there will be a morning Tom Northam was arrest-sill at the home of Mary Francis Agency; Prentice C. Kellam Inpost office building now is octo send us their copy on Monday W. Simpson, Jr., of Willis Wharf, report on the progress being made ed and brought to jail. Both were Byrd Williams at Withams, Va. surance Agency, Inc., McCaleb cupied by an automatic laundry. and don't forget to ring your Va., as Deputy Sheriff. Mr. Simp- on a new home for the Eastern admitted to bail on Sunday. A when Sheriff Adair Matthews, and Company, Inc.; L. H. Mears; The building is to be sold for re-

Mr. Kellam was reported away reached to confirm his exact plans.

Exmore residents point out that A&P building across the street is occupied by a needle trades factory. And adjoining is the prop-Pays 4% Dividend erty acquired by Harold A. Parks which is being modernized for

Commenting on the real estate land. Outsiders apparently believe Shore Savings with headquart- that property on the present Rt. plans for developing the highway.

# Methodist Men Bayford Twins Set For Encore In Pen

The Custis twins of Bayford, thews in the chest with a 22 calthe Methodist Men, at Grace well known in Northampton Coun- iber rifle. Matthews subsequently

Lester and David Elijah, aged 21, Daniel Lester.

alleged to have shot Troy Mat- shooting offense.

Methodist Church, Parksley, of ty police circles, apprently are hid in the woods and almost died about to end a brief respite from by bleeding before he was found. State Trooper Quinton Colburn The two Negro men, Daniel and other state officers arrested

were on parole from a term serv- Sometime previous to this ed for a mutual adventure in the David Elijah, it is alleged, nickserious. David Elijah is in jail Most recent of the cases is that awaiting trial on this charge. Alof Daniel Lester who. on Friday so in jail is his twin brother night at a home near Bayford, is Daniel Lester, charged with the