over the years and liked it so much they decided to settle here when it was time for Joe to retire. He was a systems analyst for the Department of Agriculture at that time.

Their three children, Steve, Jay and JoAnn are still in the Washington area. It's not so far away that they cannot see them often.

Whereas they enjoy the beach and all it has to offer and Sara enjoys her needlework, they are both looking forward to finding new things to do. All this free time will not be wasted.

MARY KORFF

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Some very trashy folks have gotten Winston Seale upset. Winston, who does such a top-notch job of directing operations at the PKS Situm, says the trashy characters mentioned have been bundling up their household garbage in plastic bags and depositing it in the trash cans at the Situm. This places an unnecessary burden on Winston's helpers who have to tote the garbage out to the street for the garbage truck to pick up. Winston says if it were garbage picked up on the beach he would be the first to applaud, but that the garbage he is complaining about is definitely of the household variety that has no business in the Situm's cans.

Pine Knoll Shores Women's Club will meet Friday, September 28, at 10 a.m. at the Town Hall. Members will discuss North Carolina inheritance tax laws. Guest speakers will be John May and Barbara Allen, both from the Wachovia Bank Trust Department in Greenville. Mr. May is head of that department. This program continues and amplifies the information presented by Connie Reim of the Morehead office of Wachovia when she spoke at the June meeting. Husbands are invited to attend this month's program.

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22 August, 1984

Editor:

Your August report on the shopping center proposal is utterly biased.

The SHORE LINE reads: "Brock...pointed out no representative of Nature Conservancy had contacted him with regard to acquiring the site by purchase or otherwise".

THE EDITOR

This simply is not the case. Fred Annand, the N.C.Nature Conservancy's Director of Acquisition and Stewardship, made many calls to Brock's office over a period of several weeks. Those calls went unanswered. Pine Knoll Shores resident "Pete" Peterson also made repeated efforts in behalf of the Nature Conservancy to contact Brock. Peterson's enquiries were likewise ignored.

This was all brought out at the August 8 "Pretty Committee" meeting. Were you there? Why did you print only Brock's statement, and ignore the refutation of that statement?

Most importantly, why did your account of the August 17 meeting only include the developer's "explanation" of the shopping center? Pertinent questions regarding the project's advisability were raised at the meeting. Your report ignored these questions, but somehow managed to find space for Don Brock's praise of the plan as one of the "best in Eastern North Carolina".

So much for the SHORE LINE's objectivity. Perhaps you will do me the courtesy, this time, of printing my letter. That courtesy has not been extended to me in the past

Sincerely.

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