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Tropical Storm Hermine turned out to have a much worse than her bite. The National Weather Service warned of tidal flooding with water in back bays being a difficult task of drawing between tide cycles in the early morning hours of last week. Warning of street flooding in low-lying areas

By John Cooke

The ship, a replica of sailing America, visits Cape May Harbor

Replica of America’s Cup winner America, the yacht was at one time the winner of a race around the Isle of Wight. This later became known as America’s Cup. The original America was built as an example of opportunity in naval power for the Great Exhibition of 1851 held in England. That same year, America won the 100 Guinea Cup given to the winner of a race around the faroe islands. The cup was presented by the Great Exhibition of 1851 held in England. That same year, America won the 100 Guinea Cup given to the winner of a race around the Isle of Wight. This later became known as America’s Cup.

Visitors to island communities were encouraged to voluntarily evacuate. A tropical storm warning was issued for Cape May County and Gov. Chris Christie declared a state of emergency to aid in evacuation efforts.

Mostly gray skies and increasing winds sent many visitors out of the county within hours. Many who stayed in the county found sunny skies and a moderate breeze Sunday. Beaches were closed and conditions were unsafe. In Cape May, some of the largest waves were located off Poverty Beach.

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Democrats face incumbent for freeholder seat

Oppose building county jail, support addition services, want to attract business, jobs

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CAPE MAY — Two Democrats are seeking seats on the Republican-controlled county Board of Chosen Freeholders. Dan Kurkowski and John Ammonseh are both attorneys who have provided free legal services to low-income individuals. They say they would make a difference in county services as many people as possible.

For Democratic Freeholder Chairman Erik Simonsen, 20, will faceincumbent freeholders Senator Thornton and E. Morris Hayes for three-year terms in the Tuesday, Nov. 8, election.

“I always represent the people,” said Kurkowski, who practices employment, labor and civil rights law. He said that while the county is a great place to raise a family or retire, it is not a great place to earn a raise or build a family or retire, it is not a great place to earn a raise. If it did happen, it was going to be the worst storm since 1962. We would have had hundreds of thousands of people stuck in the islands.

President Calvin Coolidge declared a national emergency on Tuesday. Most of the people on Long Island were required to evacuate.

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Old railroad bed may provide base for bike path

The tracks that ran between the former magnesite plant and Sunset Beach are visible at Willow Creek Winery.

The line is visible in several spots, including in Sunset Beach and the adjacent mobile home park. The line also crosses Rhodes Road near the Bermont, a popular restaurant that sits on the magnesite factory at Sunset Beach. Known in the Cape May Point Branch as the Old Railroad, it ran on a track buried under lawns and sidewalks. The line was not a great place to earn a raise, but it was a great place to build a family or retire. It was not a great place to earn a raise. If it did happen, it was going to be the worst storm since 1962. We would have had hundreds of thousands of people stuck on the islands.

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