

Still steaming: Crank her up and

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Tom Marshall, president of the Friends of Auburn Heights Preserve, and his wife Ruth and friends tour Chesapeake City. Marshall owns 12 steam cars and hosted the tour. The steam cars started out in Yorklyn, Del., on Tuesday morning and drove to Chesapeake City for lunch and shopping and headed back to Yorklyn in the afternoon. Auburn Heights is a Victorian country estate that's home to a large collection of operating steam automobiles. The cars, including famed Stanley Steamers, are 80 to 105 years old, and are still powered by boilers and steam engines, though they do have occasion to break down — as Marshall finds out (left).