Second pregnancy is too much for family asked for support

DEAR ABBY: My niece (age 25), despite numerous warnings against getting pregnant, deliberately did three years ago. This was a result of an affair with a man who is in a live-in relationship with another woman.

My niece ended up in the hospital and had to have some serious surgeries. She lost her job and moved in with my sister and her husband. She's working again, but she and her daughter still live with my sister because she doesn't earn enough to support them (and gets no help from the father). She has recently announced that she's pregnant again by this same man!

My sister says she feels compelled to support my niece because she is concerned about her grandchild(ren). How do the rest of us "opt out," without seeming mean or judgmental? I feel sorry for the strain this is putting on my sister, but she keeps asking family members to help out as she is only working part-time and her husband is on disability. I don't feel it is our responsibility to keep supporting this self-centered, irresponsible adult. HELP, please!

- AUNTIE NO MORE DEAR AUNTIE: Unless you and the rest of the family want to support your niece and all the children she may have, draw the line. Tell your sister that "the family" will chip in ONE MORE TIME, but the money must be used so she and her daughter can isn't putting me off, he



DEAR ABBY

consult a lawyer about how to compel the deadbeat dad to assume his responsibilities toward his children. There are also state child support enforcement agencies that can help her.

DEAR ABBY: I started dating my next-door neighbor two years ago. We have known each other for 17 years. We hit it off, and after about a month he was spending every night with me. He's 72 and retired; I'm 55 and work full time. We have a great relationship, but I feel he is stalling about marrying me.

In the beginning, he said if we were together after one year we would talk about selling one or both of our houses and having just one. It hasn't happened. I make his breakfast each morning. Then I go to work and he goes to his house. He comes back at lunch to let my dogs out. When I get home at 5, he comes over and I cook supper. (He does buy some groceries and will start dinner every once in a while.) He then stays until I leave for work the next day. And he's here every weekend, too. He does go home to shower.

I think after two years he should know whether he wants to marry me or not. His last divorce was 20 years ago, and mine was seven years ago. I love him, and he says he iust wishes I could be "patient." I think it's stupid to have two houses when he stays with me every night. I pay my own bills, and he pays his. Do you think I'm wasting my time with him?

— READY FOR CHANGE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

DEAR READY: Whether you are wasting your time remains to be seen. After two years I don't think you are being "impatient" to want a commitment from him. That's why you both need to have a serious, lay-it-on-the-line discussion about what your goals are. If marriage isn't one of his, he should let you know

Permanent daylight saving in Oregon? Gov says 'Hell yes.'

The Associated Press SALEM, Ore. - Oregon Gov. Kate Brown endorsed a movement to make daylight saving time

When asked if she was in favor of a proposal to abolish the time shift, the Democrat told reporters on Thursday: "Hell yes!" "I think everyone's done with the time change," she

added. Washington and California are also considering shifting to a permanent daylight saving time.

Any state law extending daylight saving time

would have to be approved by Congress.

Brown said this was one of the few issues where she agrees with President Donald Trump. The president tweeted earlier this week that daylight saving time year-round would be "O.K. with me!"

Colorado rescuers save trapped moose

The Associated Press

permanent.

KEYSTONE, Colo. Rescuers in Colorado hauled a bull moose to safety after it became trapped in a window well.

Summit Daily reported Sunday that rescuers tranquilized the animal Saturday night before attempting a rescue from the five-footdeep enclosure at a private home west of Denver.

Authorities say they erected a pulley system to lift the young male weighing between 800 and 1,000 pounds that may have been trying to avoid snowdrifts by walking close to the house.

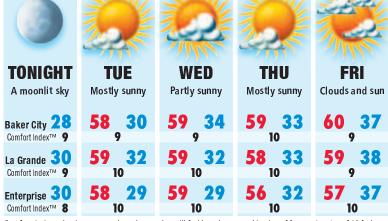
Colorado Parks and Wildlife personnel, local fire and emergency services and Keystone ski resort employees assisted in the rescue.

A parks spokesman says the operation took nearly six hours.

The moose returned without any injuries.



weather



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| TEMPERATURES | Baker City | La Grande | Elgin |
|---------------------|------------|-----------|-------|
| High Saturday | 56° | 53° | 52° |
| Low Saturday | 22° | 24° | 18° |
| PRECIPITATION (in | iches) | | |
| Saturday | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Month to date | 0.35 | 0.01 | 0.98 |
| Normal month to da | | 0.74 | 1.16 |
| Year to date | 2.81 | 4.16 | 10.87 |
| Normal year to date | 1.79 | 3,51 | 6.66 |

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| Lowest relative humidity | 35% |
| Afternoon wind | SSE at 6 to 12 mph |
| Hours of sunshine | 8.7 |
| Evapotranspiration | 0.11 |
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| Phillips Reservoir | 10% of capacity |
| Unity Reservoir | 41% of capacity |
| Owyhee Reservoir | 50% of capacity |
| McKay Reservoir | 61% of capacity |
| Wallowa Lake | 35% of capacity |
| Thief Valley Reservoir | 105% of capacity |
| STREAM FLOWS (through m | idnight Saturday) |

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| NATION (for the 48 | contiguous states) |
| High: 90° | Marathon, Fla. |
| Low: -16° | Antero Reservoir, Colo. |
| Wettest: 1.27" | Okeechobee, Fla. |
| OREGON | |
| High: 70° | Medford |
| Low: 14° | Sunriver |
| Wettest: none | |

WEATHER HISTORY

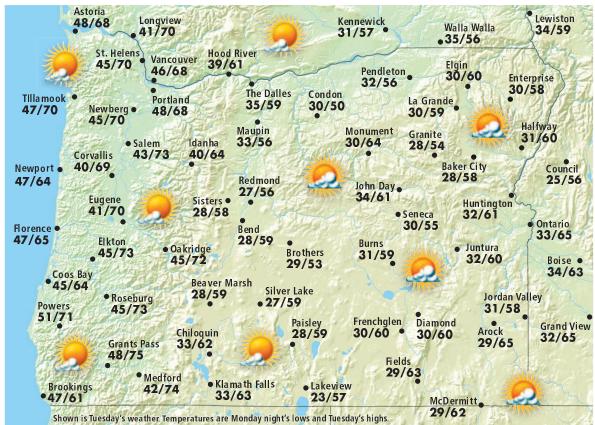
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| Sunset | 7 | :02 p.m. | 7:03 p.m |
| Moonrise | 4 | l:15 p.m. | 5:34 p.m |
| Moonset | 5 | :59 a.m. | 6:36 a.m |
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AROUND OREGON AND THE REGION

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REGIONAL CITIES

sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice

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| City | TUE. Hi/Lo/W | WED. Hi/Lo/W | City | TUE. Hi/Lo/W | WED. Hi/Lo/V |
| Astoria | 68/44/pc | 61/43/pc | Lewiston | 59/34/s | 62/39/ |
| Bend | 59/33/pc | 53/34/pc | Longview | 70/44/pc | 68/44/p |
| Boise | 63/38/pc | 64/40/pc | Meacham | 58/30/s | 58/31/p |
| Brookings | 61/47/c | 55/46/sh | Medford | 74/48/c | 59/45/ |
| Burns | 59/36/pc | 58/36/pc | Newport | 64/44/pc | 55/45/ |
| Coos Bay | 64/46/c | 54/45/c | Olympia | 72/39/s | 69/40/pd |
| Corvallis | 69/44/pc | 62/45/pc | Ontario | 65/34/s | 66/38/p |
| Council | 56/28/s | 58/31/pc | Pasco | 56/29/s | 62/34/p |
| Elgin | 60/32/s | 60/31/pc | Pendleton | 56/34/s | 61/37/p |
| Eugene | 70/46/pc | 61/45/c | Portland | 68/49/pc | 68/47/p |
| Hermiston | 58/34/s | 63/38/pc | Pow ers | 71/49/c | 56/47/sl |
| Hood River | 61/39/pc | 63/42/pc | Redmond | 56/34/pc | 57/33/pc |
| lmnaha | 64/31/s | 65/30/pc | Roseburg | 73/48/pc | 59/47/ |
| John Day | 61/36/pc | 60/34/pc | Salem | 73/47/pc | 65/47/p |
| Joseph | 58/30/s | 58/29/pc | Spokane | 57/33/s | 60/36/ |
| Kennewick | 57/32/s | 62/37/pc | The Dalles | 59/38/pc | 60/41/p |
| Klamath Falls | 63/39/pc | 51/36/c | Ukiah | 59/31/s | 57/31/p |
| Lakeview | 57/35/pc | 50/31/c | Walla Walla | 56/39/s | 60/42/p |
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