NORTHWEST

BRIEFLY

Troutdale buys gun

used in 2014 school

nearly \$4,000 for the rifle

used in last year's deadly

return the weapon to the shooter's brother.

killed Reynolds High

brother.

school shooting, rather than

Freshman Jared Padgett

classmate Emilio Hoffman,

then himself, with an AR-15

rifle he stole from his older

The brother, Lucas

Padgett, went to court this

summer, asking a judge to

order the city to return his

property. The city argued that

the weapon and other items

must be held as evidence in

case a charge is ever filed.

However, the district

couldn't be prosecuted for

a locked container.

attorney's office said almost

a year ago that Lucas Padgett

allowing his brother to access

the rifle, because he kept it in

The City Council, on Oct. 13, agreed to pay the

brother \$3,950 for the rifle,

"Understanding the

emotional trauma that both

families have been through,

the city of Troutdale reached

out to Lucas Padgett to seek

a compromise that would be

and help continue the healing

tragedy," Mayor Doug Daoust

The release said the city,

Padgett's attorney, Shawn

said in a statement Tuesday.

at the appropriate time, will

request an order for "final

disposition of the property."

Kollie, told The Oregonian

that the city contacted him

shortly after the judge ruled

"People have wildly

varying opinions on guns," Kollie said. "The thing that

made the difference in this

case is that it was undisputed

that items were stolen. If you

steal my car and get a DUII,

(the police) don't get to keep

last month.

my car.'

acceptable to all involved

process of this terrible

the Hoffman and Padgett

recovered at the scene.

ammunition and other items

PORTLAND (AP) — The city of Troutdale has paid

shooting

Madras hospital to send births to other hospitals until 2016

MADRAS (AP) - A hospital in Madras will continue to send mothers to Redmond or Bend for delivery until early 2016 due to a continued shortage of nurses trained in obstetrics.

The Bulletin reports that St. Charles Madras CEO Jeanie Gentry says the temporary moratorium was supposed to last one month and end in August, but had to be extended. She says four nurses are scheduled to complete their OB training in December, with the hospital expecting to resume deliveries in January.

The hospital needs to have 10 nurses trained in obstetrics on its roster and two working at all times to ensure safe deliveries. Gentry says when deliveries stopped July 10, it was because two OB nurses left the hospital.

Corvallis considers additional portable toilets

CORVALLIS (AP) - An Oregon city is considering adding additional portable toilets to stop public defecation.

The Corvallis Gazette-Times reports that a Corvallis City Council Committee is recommending that the city add more portable toilets along the Willamette River to stop the problem.

One would be placed at the entrance to Riverfront Commemorative Park and the second would be just south of downtown.

The full council will consider the

recommendation on Nov. 2. A homeless shelter also installed a portable toilet behind its men's shelter on Wednesday. Corvallis Housing First built a wooden structure around the toilet to make it more aesthetically pleasing.

Corrections

The East Oregonian works hard to be accurate and sincerely regrets any errors. If you notice a mistake in the paper, please call 541-966-0818.



Hello gov'nor

A papiermâché Kate Brown attends a tea party with the Eugene Raging Grannies inside the Governors ceremonial office during a protest to speak out against the Jordan Cove Liquefied Natural Gas export facility and Pacific Connector Gas Pipeline at the Oregon Capitol, Monday in Salem.

CenturyLink penalized for 2013 San Juan outage

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP) — Washington state utility regulators have announced a penalty for CenturyLink related to a 10-day service outage in November 2013 in the San Juan Islands.

The utility will have to give customer credits totaling \$271,000, pay a fine of at least \$50,000 and do nearly \$3 million in infrastructure repairs and improvements.

The Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission announced the settlement agreement on Tuesday.

A 2014 state investigation found the 10-day service outage resulted from a severed underwater fiber cable that separated the Friday Harbor switch from the CenturyLink network. The investigation also found that the company violated state laws and rules related to major outages and requirements for communicating outage information to the public.

The company could face a higher fine if he does not fulfill other requirements of the agreement, including rules about communicating with customers about outages.

In a statement, CenturyLink said technicians worked "day and night" to restore service to the islands and that it was reviewing the commission's order because it contained things that were "over and above" the settlement agreement.

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Court revives prison worker's wrongful-firing lawsuit

PORTLAND (AP) — The state Court of Appeals has kept alive a lawsuit filed by a former MacLaren Youth Correctional Facility employee who was fired after telling Oregon State Police he thought he had been poisoned on the job.

The Oregon Youth Authority fired Tim Hall in 2011, at least in part for filing a false report. Hall and his attorney, Kevin Lafky, said the dismissal was in retaliation for Hall's complaints about assaults at the youth prison in Woodburn.

Youth Authority Oregon spokeswoman Ann Snyder said the agency does not comment on issues involving human resources. In court documents, the Youth Authority said Hall also violated its drug-free workplace policy and provided false or misleading information to management during an investigation and pre-dismissal meeting.

Hall was hired in 2000 and supervised young offenders. He brought a sealed bottle of sweetened water to the visiting center during a shift on Dec. 22, 2010, and noticed nothing strange after taking a few sips.

He left the bottle when his job took him to another part of the building. When he returned, he took another drink and felt a hard substance, which he believed to be a dissolving pill. Hall showed the bottle to three other employees who thought there might be something in the liquid

Hall said he later felt dizzy and went to Salem Hospital, where a urine sample tested positive for barbiturates. He filed the police report shortly after.

Surveillance video proved that no one tampered with the bottle and Hall later acknowledged that a prescription medication he took for migraine headaches contained barbiturates.

A trial judge dismissed Hall's claim of wrongful termination, agreeing with the Oregon Youth Authority that the report of criminal activity was unreasonable.

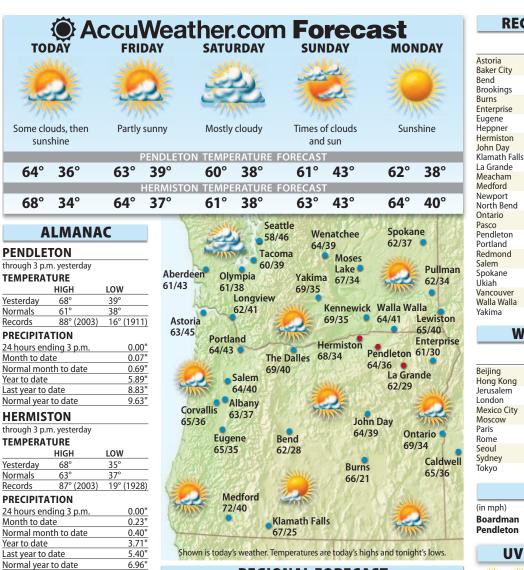
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Coastal Oregon: Partly sunny today. Mainly clear tonight. Times of clouds and sun tomorrow.

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Western Washington: Some sun today; fog during the morning. Areas of fog late tonight.

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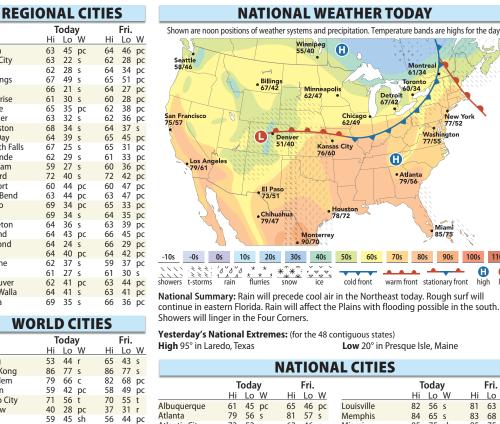
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Yesterday's National Extremes: (for the 48 contiguous states) Low 20° in Presque Isle, Maine

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ber, the greater the need for eye and skin protection.

0-2, Low

8-10, Very High;

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REGIONAL FORECAST

Eastern Washington: Sunny across the south, the Idaho border and in the mountains today; sun in north and central parts and toward the Cascades. Cascades: Partly sunny today. Clear to partly cloudy tonight. Times of clouds and sun tomorrow

Northern California: Partly sunny today; pleasant in central parts. Mainly clear tonight.