



Staff photos by E.J. Harris

Going, going, gone

The recent rapid rise in temperature has dramatically changed the appearance of the Umatilla River as it looked from the Main Street bridge in Pendleton on (from left) Wednesday at 3:05 p.m., Thursday at 4:24 p.m., and Friday at 12:41 p.m.

Portland Trump protesters burn flags; one shot in Seattle

PORTLAND (AP) — Police used incendiary devices to disperse a crowd in Portland and a man was shot and critically wounded in Seattle as protests Friday against the inauguration of President Donald Trump turned violent.

Seattle Police said they removed one person with a gunshot wound to the abdomen at a University of Washington demonstration against a far-right commentator. People in Seattle marching against Trump had just walked to the campus where the rally against Milo Yiannopoulos was taking place Friday evening. Yiannopoulos writes for right-wing Breitbart News and is known for leading a harassment campaign that resulted in a lifetime ban from Twitter.

Harborview Medical Center spokeswoman Susan Gregg said the man who was shot, believed to be in his early 20s, arrived at the hospital at 9 p.m. and that he was in surgery and in critical condition. No other details were immediately released.

In Portland police used “flash-bang” grenades and tear gas Friday night to disperse a rowdy crowd. Authorities said some people in the crowd — that at one point numbered in the thousands — threw rocks, bottles, flares and “unknown liquid” at officers. The city’s entertainment district was closed following the incident.

By about 9:25 p.m. the crowd dwindled to about few dozen around the city’s Pioneer Courthouse Square, where earlier a small group of protesters burned American flags.

At first the flag burners, many of them masked and clad in black,



Dave Killen/The Oregonian via AP

Police deploy a chemical irritant and flash bang grenades at the intersection of Southwest Morrison and 5th Avenue as a crowd marches through the streets of Portland, following Donald Trump’s presidential inauguration, Friday.

had trouble because of the rain, but using lighter fluid they torched at least half a dozen flags. An ember briefly fell on the jacket of one participant but the fire was quickly put out.

The crowd in Portland then marched through downtown. Later, police announced the protest had become unlawful after some were seen armed with clubs and sticks and were throwing unknown liquid at officers.

Police said five people were arrested during the evening protests in Portland. Earlier in the day, police arrested another man who was wanted in connection with a November protest-turned-riot. When Billy Ellison, 18, was arrested he had a torch, knife and gas mask, police said.

He was booked into jail on two

counts of interfering with public transportation.

Earlier in Seattle, protesters from Capitol Hill and Central District neighborhoods streamed downtown for an afternoon immigrant and refugee rights rally. Carrying signs that said “Fight Racism & Sexism” and “Resist Trump,” people from the earlier rallies met at Westlake Park downtown Friday afternoon.

People rallied and listened to speeches before resuming a march Friday evening, blocking traffic in some downtown areas.

About 200 protesters gathered on the Capitol steps in Olympia, carrying signs that included “Resist Trump” and “Not My President.” Later Olympia police reported that about 100 people marched through downtown, causing some traffic disruptions.

BRIEFLY

Man arrested after being found with missing Oregon teen

MEDFORD (AP) — A runaway teen has been found and the Northern California man she was with has been arrested on sex crime charges in southern Oregon.

The *Mail Tribune* reports that an Oregon State Police trooper was assisting disabled motorists near Ashland on Wednesday when he identified one of the motorists as a 13-year-old Grants Pass girl who had been reported missing.

Upon questioning, the 21-year-old Redding man who was with the girl admitted to police he knew the girl was only 13 when he engaged in sexual acts with her. Police say the pair met on an adult dating website.

The man faces four felony counts of sexual abuse and one count of unlawful sexual penetration.

OSU scientists sequence genome of beaver, school mascot

EUGENE, Ore. (AP) — Scientists at Oregon State University have sequenced the beaver genome thanks to a 2015 crowdfunding effort.

The *Register-Guard* reports that the funding drive raised \$20,001 from 103 donors. OSU used the money to pay for research on the genetic code of its mascot animal, the North American beaver.

The project used a blood sample from the 5-year-old beaver,

Filbert, who lives at the Portland Zoo. OSU researchers say they discovered that beavers have 26,200 genes, or about 33 percent more inheritable information than humans have.

OSU says the project was done in a spirit of fun but could also lead to scientific advances by providing insights into beaver populations, diseases and evolutionary history.

Ammon Bundy expected to testify at next Ore. standoff trial

PORTLAND (AP) — A judge will let Ammon Bundy testify in the upcoming trial of seven defendants charged in the armed occupation of the Malheur National Wildlife Refuge in Oregon.

The leader of last year’s takeover sits in a Nevada jail, awaiting trial on charges stemming from a 2014 standoff with federal agents at his father’s ranch.

U.S. District Judge Anna Brown said Friday she will work to ensure that Bundy is transferred to Portland to testify, but not if he argues the brief transfer will hurt his ability to prepare for his trial.

The *Oregonian*/OregonLive reports that Brown wants Bundy’s time on the witness stand limited to what’s necessary.

Bundy testified for three days at his trial in Portland last fall, when he and six co-defendants were acquitted of federal conspiracy and weapons charges.

The second trial stemming from the 41-day occupation begins Feb. 14.

Corrections

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TODAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
A rain or snow shower in spots	Showers of rain and snow; chilly	A little snow, mainly early	Partly sunny and cold	Partly sunny and quite cold
39° 31°	38° 25°	34° 25°	35° 19°	32° 18°

HERMISTON TEMPERATURE FORECAST

TODAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
36° 28°	38° 25°	34° 28°	36° 21°	31° 20°

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PENDLETON through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE HIGH LOW

Yesterday 44° 37°

Normals 42° 28°

Records 67° (1968) -18° (1930)

PRECIPITATION 24 hours ending 3 p.m. 0.01"

Month to date 1.33"

Normal month to date 1.00"

Year to date 1.33"

Last year to date 1.01"

Normal year to date 1.00"

HERMISTON through 3 p.m. yesterday

TEMPERATURE HIGH LOW

Yesterday 36° 22°

Normals 42° 29°

Records 60° (2010) -32° (1930)

PRECIPITATION 24 hours ending 3 p.m. 0.00"

Month to date 1.30"

Normal month to date 0.84"

Year to date 1.30"

Last year to date 0.79"

Normal year to date 0.84"

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise today 7:28 a.m.

Sunset tonight 4:46 p.m.

Moonrise today 1:50 a.m.

Moonset today 12:19 p.m.

New First Full Last

Jan 27 Feb 3 Feb 10 Feb 18

REGIONAL FORECAST

Coastal Oregon: Occasional rain today. Plenty of clouds and some additional rain at times tonight.

Eastern and Central Oregon: Mostly cloudy with a couple of showers of snow and low-elevation snow around.

Western Washington: Cloudy today with occasional rain. Mostly cloudy tonight with a brief shower or two.

Eastern Washington: Areas of fog this morning; otherwise, a little rain and snow south and all snow north.

Cascades: Snow at times today, accumulating 1-3 inches; snow level mostly near 2,500 feet.

Northern California: Rain today; however, a bit of snow in the interior mountains.

REGIONAL CITIES

	Today			Sun.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Astoria	50	41	r	51	39	r
Baker City	31	20	sf	30	17	sn
Bend	37	26	sn	38	21	sn
Brookings	49	42	r	49	41	r
Burns	31	11	sn	30	11	sn
Enterprise	33	24	c	33	21	sn
Eugene	48	38	r	48	34	r
Heppner	40	32	sf	39	24	c
Hermiston	36	28	c	38	25	c
John Day	39	31	sn	39	24	sn
Klamath Falls	38	29	sn	36	19	sn
La Grande	35	28	sf	34	22	sf
Meacham	34	26	sf	33	19	sf
Medford	48	37	r	48	31	r
Newport	50	42	r	50	40	r
North Bend	52	42	r	52	40	r
Ontario	33	18	sn	34	23	sn
Pasco	37	29	c	39	24	sn
Pendleton	39	31	pc	38	25	sn
Portland	44	36	r	46	35	r
Redmond	42	25	sn	41	20	sn
Salem	48	39	r	50	35	r
Spokane	36	25	sf	37	26	sn
Ukiah	37	27	sf	36	20	sn
Vancouver	44	38	r	47	35	r
Walla Walla	41	34	c	39	27	sn
Yakima	40	28	c	39	24	sn

WORLD CITIES

	Today			Sun.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Beijing	32	12	s	32	11	s
Hong Kong	67	56	s	67	57	s
Jerusalem	53	41	pc	53	39	pc
London	39	27	sh	43	29	sh
Mexico City	76	43	pc	74	42	s
Moscow	26	16	sn	33	28	sn
Paris	36	23	pc	39	25	s
Rome	58	43	pc	56	45	sh
Seoul	32	15	sf	26	10	s
Sydney	76	67	pc	79	69	s
Tokyo	52	38	s	55	35	s

WINDS

(in mph)	Today	Sunday
Boardman	NE 4-8	NNW 4-8
Pendleton	S 4-8	S 6-12

UV INDEX TODAY

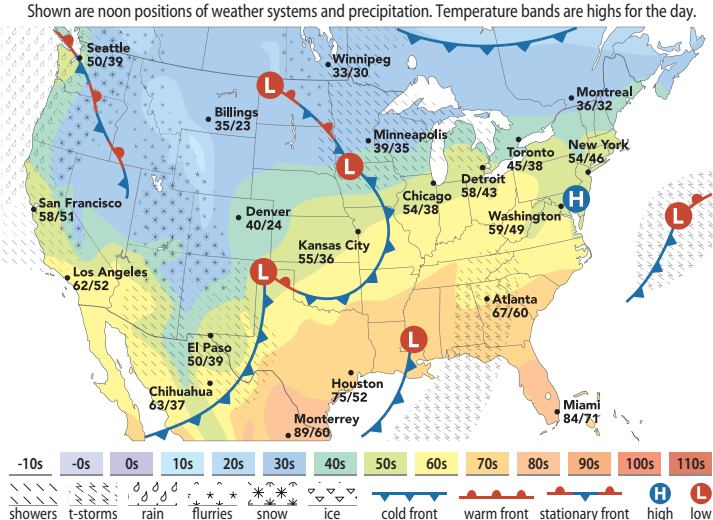
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8 a.m.	10 a.m.	Noon	2 p.m.	4 p.m.	6 p.m.
0-2, Low	3-5, Moderate	6-7, High	8-10, Very High	11+, Extreme	

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NATIONAL WEATHER TODAY

Shown are noon positions of weather systems and precipitation. Temperature bands are highs for the day.



National Summary: Rounds of severe storms will continue in the South, while showers dampen the Upper Midwest today. Heavy snow will fall over the southern Rockies as more heavy rain approaches the Pacific coast.

Yesterday's National Extremes: (for the 48 contiguous states)
High 86° in Fernandina Beach, Fla. Low -19° in Antero Reservoir, Colo.

NATIONAL CITIES

	Today			Sun.		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Albuquerque	42	25	c	45	31	pc
Atlanta	67	60	r	68	46	t
Atlanta City	52	45	pc	52	46	r
Baltimore	55	46	pc	53	46	r
Billings	35	23	pc	35	18	pc
Birmingham	68	58	r	62	48	t
Boise	38	29	c	38	27	c
Boston	51	39	pc	51	46	r
Charleston, SC	73	60	r	75	51	t
Chicago	69	51	c	61	46	r
Chicago	54	38	c	47	37	c
Cleveland	61	47	c	57	44	c
Dallas	72	46	sh	63	41	pc
Denver	40	24	pc	42	27	s
Detroit	58	43	c	52	40	c
El Paso	50	39	sh	55	37	s
Fairbanks	-15	-31	c	-25	-31	c
Fargo	38	33	c	38	28	c
Honolulu	79	68	sh	80	69	c
Houston	75	52	c	68	47	pc
Indianapolis	63	48	c	58	41	c
Jacksonville	79	62	t	78	50	t