

OUT OF THE VAULT

Arlington relocation work unearths ancient 'god'

Hermiston resident John Estes was working on the relocation of the city of Arlington in May 1963 when a piece of heavy equipment he was using started giving him trouble. Angry, Estes picked up what he thought was a rock to throw at the machine in frustration. Just before it left his hand, Estes took another look at it and, fortunately, had second thoughts. The "rock" turned out to be a tiny depiction of an ancient Aztec god of wind, sky and water. The original statue, Estes found after doing some research, was six feet tall and made of solid gold.

But the little Aztec god wasn't Estes' first find. In 1954 he was digging near The Dalles on another relocation project and unearthed what the Smithsonian Institute thought was an Indian chief's grave, containing a 250-year-old ceremonial hatchet made from pipestone. One side of the hatchet showed an "Indian calendar" and a Spanish gaucho, while the other side depicted a symbolic map of the rivers. Estes learned about the hatchet from a book "as big as the front end of my car."

Estes said in an interview that one collector offered to finance a college education, including a doctoral degree, for one of his children in exchange for the hatchet. Estes turned him down.

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The unusual thing about Estes' find was its location — 75 feet down in the top of a mountain. Also found in the same area were camel bones, part of an elephant and a huge tusk thought to have come from a prehistoric mammoth. The finds were carbon-dated at Oregon State University in Corvallis to around 12,000 years old.

DAYS GONE BY

100 Years Ago

From the East Oregonian May 13-14, 1917

Saturday evening about 6:30 a cloudburst occurred between Adams and Helix along Greasewood canyon and did considerable damage, according to word sent in by Charles Gerking, well known Greasewood farmer. A considerable acreage of grain was badly washed and bottom lands were overflowed. The water rushed down Greasewood canyon in such great volume that the bridge near the mouth was overflowed. Wild Horse creek was sufficiently wide and deep to carry the extra volume of water save in a few places where the banks were low. Greasewood empties into Wild Horse just this side of the Sam Thompson ranch at Blakely station.

50 Years Ago

From the East Oregonian May 13-14, 1967

Pendleton's National Guardsmen will be "wiped out" by a simulated atomic bomb the third week in June. But before the 57 citizen soldiers of Company B meet their fate in a dusty, hot central

Washington valley, they will have put up a brave fight as members of an aggressor force trying to take Ft. Lewis and Seattle. The actual action of the four-day simulated battle will take place in an 18-mile-long valley between Umtanum and Yakima ridges at Yakima Firing Center, Capt. Arthur Marsh, Pendleton, commander of Company B, said Friday.

25 Years Ago

From the East Oregonian May 13-14, 1992

Salmon dinners will be served Saturday to raise funds for Daniel Jim of Pendleton to compete in the Paralympic Games at Barcelona, Spain. Jim has qualified for the U.S. National Disabled Volleyball Team annually since 1989. A Yakima Indian, he works as executive secretary for the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation. Saturday's benefit will help cover Jim's airfare and registration for the national volleyball tryouts July 21-25 in Atlanta. Then he expects to attend the training camp in Nashville, Tenn., and the Paralympic Games from Sept. 1-14.

ODDS & ENDS



AP Photo/Michael Dwyer, File This 2014 file photo shows a Wendy's restaurant in Providence, R.I. A Twitter plea from a Nevada teen for a year free chicken nuggets from Wendy's became the most retweeted tweet of all time on May 9.

Teen's plea for free Wendy's nuggets sets retweet record

RENO, Nev. (AP) — A Twitter plea from a Nevada teen for a year of free chicken nuggets from Wendy's is now the most retweeted post of all time.

On Tuesday with more than 3.4 million retweets, Twitter confirmed the record to The Associated Press on Tuesday. Dublin, Ohio-based Wendy's says Wilkerson has earned the nuggets despite not hitting the 18 million mark.

Carter Wilkerson asked the fast food chain on Twitter last month how many retweets it would take for him to get free nuggets for a year. Wendy's replied, "18 million."

Wilkerson appeared on DeGeneres' show last month. She gave him a year's worth of Ellen-branded underwear and a television, but threatened to take the gifts back if he passed her.

Wilkerson's screenshot of the exchange has moved past Ellen DeGeneres' viral tweet from the 2014 Oscars

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THE LOGIC PUZZLE THAT MAKES YOU SMARTER.

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8+		4-	6	24X	
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1-		5-			

RULES

- Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 6 without repeating.
- The numbers within the heavily outlined boxes, called cages, must combine using the given operation (in any order) to produce the target numbers in the top-left corner.
- Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.

7 LITTLE WORDS

Find the 7 words to match the 7 clues. The numbers in parentheses represent the number of letters in each solution. Each letter combination can be used only once, but all letter combinations will be necessary to complete the puzzle.

CLUES

- loud excitement (10)
- excited state of agitation (6)
- sprightly and animated (9)
- overly excited (7)
- thrill-seeker's activity (9)
- excite into action (9)
- exciting others (10)

SOLUTIONS

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Today's Answers: 1. HULLBALOO 2. DITHER 3. MERCURIAL 4. PSYCHED 5. SKYDIVING 6. GALVANIZE 7. INFECTIOUS

Sunday Morning

STATION	6 AM	6:30	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30
FOX	11 KFFX	11 Paid	Paid	Hatched	Ag PhD	Fox News Sunday	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid
KPTV	3	Fox News Sunday	Good Day Oregon						Whack	In Depth	Paid	Paid
CBS	19 KEPR	2 Paid	Measure	CBS Sunday Morning (N)		Face the Nation	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Measure	Paid
KOIN	19	Paid	Paid	CBS Sunday Morning (N)		Face the Nation	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	Tapping In	
NBC	25 KNDU	6	Sunday Today (N)	Wake Up	Champ (N)	Meet the Press (N)	Paid	Paid	Paid	Paid	PGA Golf	
KGW	8	KGW News at Sunrise						Meet the Press (N)	Paid	Paid	PGA Golf	
ABC	42 KVEW	4	Family A.	Matter	GMA/Sunday	This Week		GoodNews Homeown.	LatNation	Latino	Military M.	Count
KATU	5	GMA/Sunday		KATU News This Morning		Your Voice, Your Vote	Measure	This Week			Paid	Count
PBS	31 KTNW		Sid	Jet Go!	Sesame St. W.World	SplashB.	C.George	Antiques Roadshow	Inside Olympia		The Impact	ToCont (N)
OPB	59	13	:05 Peg Cat	:35 T.Edison	Mr. Rogers	Arthur	Thomas	Bob Build	Steves'	Travels	Nova	

AFTERNOON

STATION	12 PM	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
FOX	11 KFFX	11	Paid	Paid	FX '86, Act) Bryan Brown.		Bones		Friends	Modern	LivDream	Modern
KPTV	3	Paid	Paid	Great Sports Legends	Sports Gone Wild		FX Charlie's Angels		Drew Barrymore.		Paid	Paid
CBS	19 KEPR	2	Paid	Paid	PBR Bull Riding Last Cowboy Standing		Paid	Paid	Inside Ed.	Paid	Judge Judy	Judge Judy
KOIN	19	Cherry Blossom Fest.		PBR Bull Riding Last Cowboy Standing		Paid	Paid	Raw Travel	Ent. Tonight		KOIN	News
NBC	25 KNDU	6	PGA Golf The Players Championship Site: TPC Sawgrass -- Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. (L)			Xterra World		Paid	McCarver	Together	Middle	News
KGW	8	PGA Golf The Players Championship Site: TPC Sawgrass -- Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla. (L)				Paid	Measure	Outback	Wild Am.	Old House	News	News
ABC	42 KVEW	4	NBA Basketball Playoffs Houston vs San Antonio (L)						McCarver	Together	Middle	News
KATU	5	NBA Basketball Playoffs Houston vs San Antonio (L)							Wild Am.	Old House	News	News
PBS	31 KTNW		Columbia	Clos.Truth	Crowd and Cloud	Requiem		Call the Midwife	Nature		Wealth (N)	Newshour.
OPB	59	13	Great Performances			Requiem (N)		FocusEu.	W.Week	ToCont (N)	BBC News	CharlieR

EVENING

STATION	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
FOX	11 KFFX	11	Mike & Molly "Mike Likes Lasagna"	Two and a Half Men	Bob's Burgers "Aquaticism"	The Simpsons "Kamp Krustier"		The 66th Annual Miss USA Pageant Hopefuls from all 50 states and the District of Columbia compete for the 2017 crown. (N)	FOX News First at Ten	Person of Interest	Friends	
KPTV	3	2 Broke Girls	2 Broke Girls	Bob's Burgers	The Simpsons		The 66th Annual Miss USA Pageant (N)		10 O'Clock News	Sports Final	In Depth	
CBS	19 KEPR	2	CBS Weekend News	Action News at 6:30 p.m.	60 Minutes		NCIS: Los Angeles "Unleashed" (SF) (N)	Madam Secretary "Revelation" (N)	Elementary "Scrambled" (N)	Action News at 11:00 p.m.	Full Measure	
KOIN	19	KOIN Local 6 at 6	Weekend News	60 Minutes		NCIS: Los Angeles "Unleashed" (SF) (N)	Madam Secretary "Revelation" (N)	Elementary "Scrambled" (N)	KOIN 6 News/11	:35 Game On		
NBC	25 KNDU	6	Local News	Jeopardy!	Little Big Shots "Little Big Steppers"	Little Big Shots "Memory Lane" (SF) (N)	Chicago Justice "Tycoon" (N)	Shades of Blue "The Quality of Mercy" (N)	Local News	Paid Program		
KGW	8	Inside Edition	Straight Talk	Little Big Shots "Little Big Steppers"	Little Big Shots "Memory Lane" (SF) (N)	Chicago Justice "Tycoon" (N)	Shades of Blue "The Quality of Mercy" (N)	KGW News at 11	:35 Sports Sunday			
ABC	42 KVEW	4	The Chew (N)	The Insider Weekend	Once Upon a Time "The Final Battle Begins" (N)	Once Upon a Time "The Final Battle Part 1" Pt. 1 of 2 cont'd next (N)	Once Upon a Time "The Final Battle Part 2" (SF) Pt. 2 of 2 (N)	Match Game (N)	Castle "Deep Cover"			
KATU	5	KATU News at 6		Once Upon a Time "The Final Battle Begins" (N)	Once Upon a Time "The Final Battle Part 1" (N)	Once Upon a Time "The Final Battle Part 2" (SF) (N)	Match Game (N)	KATU News	:35 Castle			
PBS	31 KTNW		Precision "Time and Distance" 1/3	Requiem for My Mother	Call the Midwife (N)	Masterpiece Classic "King Charles III" (N)	Variety Studio: Actors on Actors					
OPB	59	13	Oregon Art Beat	Oregon Guide	Jacques Pepin's 80th Birthday Celebration	Call the Midwife (N)	Masterpiece Classic "King Charles III" (N)	Silk				

STATION	PEN	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
A&E	52	American Pickers "Urban Cowboys"	American Pickers "Motor City"	American Pickers "Bad Mother Shucker"	American Pickers "California Streaming"	American Pickers "Sicilian Standoff"	:05 American Pickers "Reverse the Curse"						
AMC	60	FX Twister	FX The Day After Tomorrow	A climatologist valiantly tries to save his son from a polar storm engulfing New York.	Badlands "Sting of the Scorpion's Tail"	Badlands "Nightingale Sings No More" (N)	Talking with Chris Hardwick (N)						
ANPL	24	River Monsters: En. (N)	River Monsters: En. (N)	RivMon Unhooked (N)	River Monsters (N)	:10 River Monsters	:10 River Monsters						
CMT	43	FX The Blind Side ('09, Spt) Tim McGraw, Sandra Bullock.	Broken Skull Challen	Broken Skull Challen	Broken Skull Challen	Broken Skull Challen							
CNBC	72	Madoff "Millions to Billions" 1/2 cont'd May 15	Madoff "Millions to Billions" 1/2 cont'd May 15	UnitedShadesAmerica	A. Bourdain "Laos" (N)	UnitedShadesAmerica	CNN Newsrroom						
CNN	68	A. Bourdain "Laos" (N)	UnitedShadesAmerica	UnitedShadesAmerica	A. Bourdain "Laos" (N)	UnitedShadesAmerica	CNN Newsrroom						
DISC	51	Naked "Shannon" (N)	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid XL (N)	Cooper's Treasure						
DISN	26	Call Style	Tangled	StuckMid	Andi Mack	Underc.	Bizaard.	FX Descendants ('15, Fam) Dove Cameron.	AndiMack	Bizaard.			
ESPN	33	MLB Baseball Houston Astros at New York Yankees (L)	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	SportsCenter						
ESPN2	34	30 for 30	Softball Selection (L)	E:60	ESPN FC (N)	MLB Baseball Houston vs N.Y. Yankees							
FNC	66	TuckerCarlsonTonight	Hannity	To Be Announced	TuckerCarlsonTonight	Hannity	Fox News Sunday						
FOOD	61	Guy's Grocery Games	Guy's Grocery Games	Guy's Game (N)	Iron Chef Gauntlet (N)	Iron Chef America	IronChef	IronChef					
FREE	32	FX Grease ('78, Mus) John Travolta.	:50 FX The Devil Wears Prada ('06, Com) Meryl Streep.	Truth/ Iliza									
FX	65	FX Guardians of the Galaxy	Chris Pratt.	FX Blackhat ('14, Act) Viola Davis, William Mapother, Chris Hemsworth.	FX Blackhat								
GOLF	88	Live from the PLAYERS	Comprehensive coverage surrounding the championship focusing on emerging storylines.										
GSN	76	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Fam. Feud	Newlywed	Newlywed	
HALL	87	FX Appetite for Love	FX Like Cats & Dogs (2017, Romance)	Good Witch (N)	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	G. Girls	
HGTV	62	Fixer Upper	Fixer Upper	Bargain	Bargain	Bargain	Bargain	Bargain	Bargain	Bargain	Bargain	Bargain	
HIST	50	Forged in Fire "Butterfly Swords"	Forged in Fire "Katar"	Forged in Fire "Judges' Pick" (N)	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	:05 Forged in Fire "Akratena"						
LIFE	29	FX Boyfriend Killer ('16, Thril) Patrick Muldoon.	FX The Good Nanny ('17, Thril) Briana Evigan.	Mary Kills People (N)	FX Deadly Sorority								
NICK	27	H.Danger	H.Danger	Thunder	Thunder	Game Shakers	FX Ice Age: Dawn of the Dinosaurs	Friends	Friends				
ROOT	37	Ship Shape	Destinat-ion Pol. (N)	Undeniable With Joe Buck "Michael Phelps"	MLB Baseball Seattle Mariners at Toronto Blue Jays Site: Rogers Centre -- Toronto, Ont.	Mariners	Mariners	Mariners	Mariners	All Access			
SPIKE	42	Bar Rescue "Yo-Ho-Ho and a Bottle of Dumb"	Bar Rescue "Characters Assassination"	Bar Rescue "Empty Pockets"	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Rescue	Bar Over Troubled Water	Bar Res. "I Know What You Did Last Summit"		
SYFY	67	FX Troy (2004, Action) Orlando Bloom, Eric Bana, Brad Pitt.	FX Maleficent ('14, Adv) Angelina Jolie.	FX Ghost Rider									
TBS	59	FX Into the Woods (2014, Fantasy) Anna Kendrick, Emily Blunt, Johnny Depp.	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Big Bang Theory	Angie Tribeca	Angie Tribeca	
TCM	56	FX I Remember Mama ('48, Dra) Irene Dunne.	FX Pockets of Miracles	A good-hearted gangster helps a street vendor fool her daughter and the girl's fiancé.	With a Kodak	FX Odd Obsession ('59, Dra) Machiko Kyō.							
TLC	49	Return to Amish "I Got You Abe" (N)	Return to Amish "Fun in the Shun" (N)										
TNT	57	FX Tammy ('14, Com) Melissa McCarthy.	FX The Help ('11, Dra) Viola Davis, Octavia Spencer, Emma Stone.										
UNI	21	Durmiendo	Noticiero	Al punto	El Chapo	Aqui y Ahora	Durmiendo	Noticiero					
USA	58	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	Modern	
WE	118	CSI: Miami "Rush"	CSI "Just Murdered"	CSI: Miami "Burned"	CSI "Kill Switch"	CSI "Born to Kill"	CSI "Dangerous Son"						
WGN		Blue Bloods	Blue Blood "Baggage"	Bones	Bones	P. Interest "Wingman"	Interest "Brotherhood"						
STZ ENC	644	FX The Game Plan	:25 FX Ice Age: The Meltdown	FX Tomorrowland ('15, Adv) Britt Robertson.	:15 FX Sabrina								
HBO	518	FX Sully	:50 FX Jason Bourne ('16, Act) Julia Stiles, Matt Damon.	The Leftovers (N)	Silicon (N)	Veep (N)	LastWeek	:40 Silicon					
HBO2	520	Bill Maher	Last Week	Animals.	FX Mamma Mia! Meryl Streep.	:50 FX Criminal Activities							
HBO3	521	Lights	:45 Boxing	:45 Making	FX Joy ('15, Com/Dra) Jennifer Lawrence.	:15 FX Forgetting Sarah Marshall							
MAX	549	:15 FX Dark Water	Jennifer Connelly.	FX Trapped	Charlize Theron.	:50 FX The Other Side of the Door	Movie						
SHOW	578	Guerrilla	Guerrilla	Guerrilla	Guerrilla (N)								