



TIMWIT by Tim Peckham

NEWS CONTINUED

protest - even spawning a "Boycott Oreo" Facebook page.

**Wreckage confirmed**

American military investigators say wreckage recently found on a glacier east of Anchorage, Alaska, belongs

to an Air Force cargo plane that crashed nearly 60 years ago. A Douglas C-124 Globemaster carrying 52 people was reported missing in November, 1952. Officials say debris was found spread over two acres more than 8 kilometres from the reported crash site.

**It's Friday!**

Can you believe how many award shows they have now? It seems like that have an award show for everything. They even have awards for commercials! The CLIO Awards is a whole show full of commercials. I taped it ... and then fast-forwarded through the whole thing!



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**Finalists set**

Italy will take on defending champion Spain in the final of the UEFA Euro 2012. The Italians - lead by a two goal performance by Mario Balotelli - held off Germany by a 2-1 score to advance to the final. Spain earned a spot with a 4-2 shootout win over Portugal.

**Davis selected**

The New Orleans Hornets did as expected - selecting Kentucky's Anthony Davis with the No. 1 overall pick in the NBA Draft yesterday. Davis, a 6-foot-10 power forward, averaged 14.2 points, 10.4 rebounds and had a school-record 186 blocks while leading the Wildcats to the national title.

**Quick extended**

The Los Angeles Kings have agreed to terms with goaltender Jonathan Quick on a 10-year contract extension. Quick backstopped the Kings to the NHL club's first Stanley Cup title in franchise history this season - collecting the Conn Smythe Trophy as playoff MVP along the way.

**Agreeable contract**

The Pittsburgh Penguins have agreed to a long-term contract extension with star forward Sidney Crosby. The 12-year, \$104.4-million US deal will keep Crosby with the club through the 2024-25 campaign. Crosby played just 22 regular-season games last season because of concussion-related injuries. He still manage to posted eight goals and 29 assists for 37 points during the regular season, then added three goals and five assists in six playoff games.

**Cap increased**

The National Hockey League has announced a salary cap increase of \$5.9 million to a total of \$70.2 million for the 2012-13 season. All 30 teams must spend at least \$54.2 million, with an adjusted midpoint of \$62.2 million.

**New deal**

The Columbus Blue Jackets have re-signed Russian defenceman Nikita Nikitin to a new deal. The 26-year-old blueliner, who was set to become a restricted free agent on July 1st, was acquired by the Jackets from the St. Louis Blues last November. He finished the season with a combined seven goals and 32 points in 61 games.

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**Briefly detained**

Rapper Snoop Dogg was briefly detained at Norway's Kjevik Airport after being found in possession of marijuana and a large sum of cash. Dogg, whose real name is Calvin Broadus, was given a fine - but won't face jail time because he was carrying less than the country's 15-gram maximum. Officials say the rapper cooperated fully with customs officials and paid the fine on-site.

**Tiger dies**

Thriller, a 13-year-old tiger that belonged to Michael Jackson when the entertainer lived at his Neverland estate, has passed away. The 170-kilogram tiger and brother Sabu lived at the ranch with Jackson until 2006 when the entertainer left for good. The big cats were then taken in by a wildlife preserve located near Los Angeles - while other Neverland animals, including giraffes, flamingos, orangutans, elephants and dozens of reptiles, were sent to other sanctuaries in other parts of the country.

**Played nemesis**

Character actress Doris Singleton has passed away at the age of 92. Singleton, who guested in a large number of both comedies and dramas during her 30-plus year career in television, is best remembered for her recurring role on I Love Lucy as Lucy's near-sighted neighbour and sometimes nemesis Carolyn Appleby.

**Passes away**

Veteran actor Don Grady has passed away at the age of 68. Grady played Robbie Douglas on the long-running 1960s hit series My Three Sons - which co-starred Fred MacMurray and William Demarest. He was also one of the Mickey Mouse Club's original Mouseketeers.

**Celebrating birthdays**

Musician Matthew Good (41); Actor Richard Lewis (63); The Love Boat star Fred Grandy (64); Actor Gary Busey (68)

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I know your works, and where you dwell, where Satan's throne is. —Revelation 2:13

THE BIBLE IN ONE YEAR:  
Psalms 106-108

When 33 miners were trapped in a Chilean mine deep under the earth's surface, I wonder if they felt totally lost and doomed to a slow and painful death. Imagine how they must have been filled with joy when they got a message from above that the rescue team knew exactly where they were and that the process of getting them out had already begun!

There are times in all of our lives when we feel like we're stuck in a really bad place. Anxious and alone, we despair that we are out of options and that no one understands where we really are in life. But in such moments we need to remember God's comforting words to the early Christians who were stuck in a world where Satan's presence dominated all that was around them: "I know . . . where you dwell" (Rev. 2:13). Their situation had not escaped the heavenly Father's notice. And as they were faithful to Him, He would sustain them until He rescued them and brought them safely home (v.17).

The fact that God knows where you are and that He is very much aware of the difficult situation you are in provides the confidence and strength needed to live for His glory. So be encouraged. Remember God's words of comfort. Help is on the way! —Joe Stowell  
*You know the struggles that we face, Lord. You know just what we need to endure them. Give us the confidence to trust You because of Your goodness and to walk by faith. Amen.*

Our greatest hope here below is help from God above.

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### The Last Call

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It seems only a while ago that Barry McGhie asked me to pen a triad of columns weekly for his paper, I agreed, not really thinking about how long it would last. I have been down this road with a few publications before. This one has been longer than any by at least a mile. You've been with me for more years and

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miles than a lot of modern marriages.

Barry has never mentioned how many spelling mistakes or grammatical errors he has corrected, but it would well exceed the number of columns times two so let's leave it at a couple thousand.

Several of you have asked what I am going to do now that I won't have a column to write. Well I saved my last couple of pay checks to buy a bike — one for the cottage. So I could tell you that I am going to work myself into shape, but why would I lie in my last effort on this page?

Truth is, it has been a lot of fun and I have enjoyed sharing a few incidents of my life with you. Thank you for reading and for the comments. They told me you were reading even if you didn't agree with me.

Turn out the lights, the party is over.

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### Announcement

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Barry & Marlene McGhie

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## ALLOWED TO PROCEED

The Supreme Court of Canada has decided to allow a class-action lawsuit against Canadian cellphone companies over system access fees to proceed. The \$19-billion action, which was launched in 2004 against some of the country's biggest wireless carriers, including Rogers, Telus and Bell Mobility, alleges the cellphone companies wrongfully collected access fees from customers. The lawsuit alleges that the carriers misled Canadian users into thinking the access fee - typically between \$6.95 and \$8.95 a month - was a fee by the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission, when in fact it was an just extra revenue stream for the cellphone companies.

### Law upheld

The U.S. Supreme Court has upheld U.S. President Barack Obama's controversial healthcare law - which requires uninsured Americans to purchase health insurance under threat of a financial penalty. The document also forces insurers to cover people with pre-existing medical conditions. The law, which seeks to cut skyrocketing health-care costs and extend health insurance to 30 million uninsured Americans, was challenged by officials in 26 states, led by Florida, who argued the White House overreached in its interpretation of the clause.

## NO Change

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### Falls short

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### Spawns controversy

Kraft Foods has landed itself in the middle of a cookie controversy after posting a photo of a rainbow gay pride Oreocookie on its Facebook page. The cookie, sporting neon colours, was created to send a message of Kraft's support of gay rights - however, the multi-layered treat has whipped up a storm of

### Seeking connection

Police in Montreal are seeking to make a connection between a recent attack on a patient in a city hospital and two earlier deaths at the same facility. Investigators suspect that Idelson Guerrier, a 31-year-old psychiatric patient at Notre Dame Hospital, may have killed two of his fellow patients and attempted to strangle a third before being caught.