

MARKETS

The Associated Press

Wall Street NEW YORK — Stocks finished mixed Wednesday after consumer prices showed a larger-than-expected increase in January...

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 48.23, or 0.38 percent, to 12,738.41. Broader stock indicators were narrowly mixed. The Standard & Poor's 500 index fell 2.05, or 0.14 percent...

The stock report after the close of markets Wednesday:

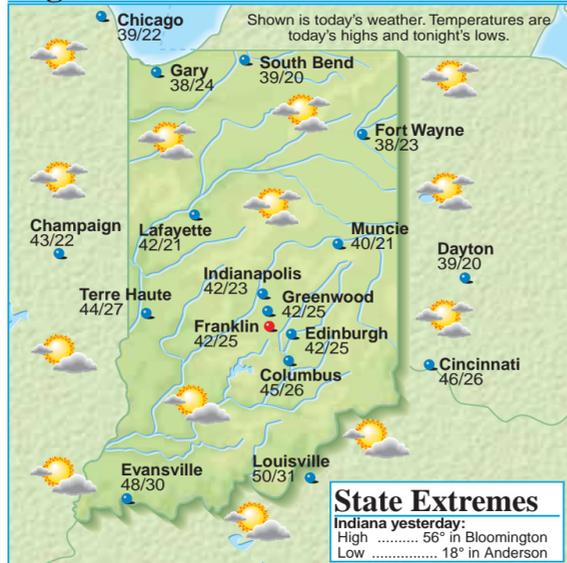
Table with columns: price, change -x. Lists various companies like AES Group, AT&T Corp, Alcoa, etc.

WEATHER

AccuWeather® five-day forecast for Johnson County

Five-day forecast cards for Today, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, and Monday with weather icons and temperature ranges.

Regional weather



Regional summary

Indianapolis/Greenwood: Windy today with clouds and sun. Winds gradually subsiding tonight. Some sunshine giving way to clouds tomorrow.

Today in weather history

On Feb. 22, 1980, Toledo, Ohio, was shrouded in fog for the seventh consecutive day. Fog is common in many parts of the country when winter snow melts.

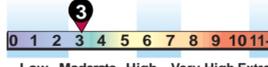
Regional cities

Table listing weather for various regional cities including Chicago, Indianapolis, and Louisville with high/low and precipitation data.

Sun and moon

Sunrise today 7:28 a.m. Sunset tonight 6:28 p.m. Moonrise today 10:00 a.m. Moonset today none

AccuWeather UV Index™



Weather Trivia™

What is the more common name for a silver thaw?

Wind Chill Today

How cold it feels based on temperature and wind speed. 8 a.m. 28° Noon 33° 4 p.m. 36°

Heating Degree Days

Index of energy consumption indicating how many degrees the average temperature was below 65 degrees for the day with negative values counting as zero

Yesterday 31 Month to date 1026 Normal month to date 741

Weekly temperatures



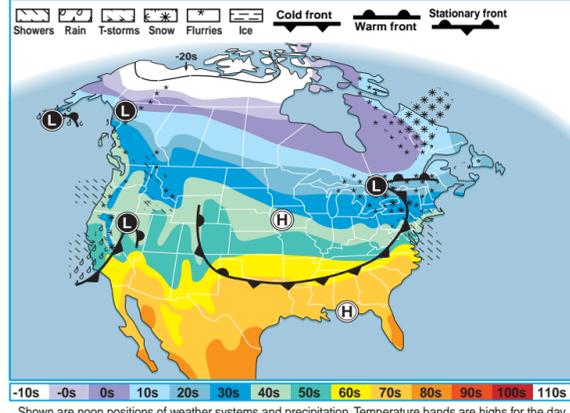
River stages

Table showing river stages for White River and White River (East Fork) at various stations.

AccuWeather.com Almanac

Forecasts and graphics provided by AccuWeather, Inc. ©2007 Statistics for Indianapolis through 5 p.m. yesterday. Temperature High 47° Low 21° Normal high 42° Normal low 24° Record high 68° in 1930 Record low -4° in 1963

National weather today



National cities

Table listing weather for various national cities including Albany, Atlanta, Baltimore, Boston, Buffalo, Burlington, etc.

Advertisement for heating, air conditioning, plumbing, and drain cleaning services with contact information.

Jury begins deliberating in Libby trial • Dining

By MICHAEL J. SNIFFEN THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON

Jurors deliberated Wednesday without reaching a verdict on whether former White House aide Lewis "Scooter" Libby obstructed the investigation into who leaked the identity of a CIA operative married to a prominent Iraq war critic.



LIBBY

The jurors include a former Washington Post reporter; an MIT-trained economist, a retired math teacher, a former museum curator, a law firm accountant, a Web architect and several retired or current federal workers.

for the CIA from Cheney on June 11. But he said that amid the press of war issues and other national security concerns he forgot that and was surprised to learn it from NBC Washington bureau chief Tim Russert on July 10 or 11.

ment officials testified they either told Libby about Plame's job or discussed it with him between June 11 and July 10 or 11. Walton explained to the jurors that they must weigh the truth of several different statements by Libby in the various courts.

Prosecco argued that Libby concocted lies to make his discussions of Plame with reporters appear to be innocent gossip so that he would not risk losing his job for giving them classified information without authorization.

in the Indianapolis area and wants to locate south, Delaney said. The upscale restaurant includes pool tables and big-screen televisions to show sporting events and is open late, according to restaurant Web site www.tentcorp.com.

Plan

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Northwestern University. "You've got 50 or 60 years of lottery payments, but you've used it in the first couple of years." Elsewhere around the country, Chicago in 2005 signed a 99-year lease of its 7.8-mile Skyway toll road for \$1.83 billion, and Illinois Gov. Rod Blagojevich is one of several governors proposing to lease their state lotteries.

siders to run welfare operations. "Doing nothing is not an option," said Pennsylvania Gov. Ed Rendell, who is considering leasing the Pennsylvania Turnpike to a private operator to help pay for \$1.7 billion in transportation improvements.

problems after hiring a company to manage welfare operations. "You have to be open to the possibility that things won't go as well as planned," said Celia Hagert of the Center for Public Policy Priorities, author of a report criticizing Texas' welfare changes.

for disabilities that include autism, seizures and fetal alcohol syndrome. One received \$77,000 in Medicaid-funded services last year. "If one of my kids lost Medicaid, we would go under. I'd have to sell my home," Bledsoe said.

Some Indiana lawmakers are demanding more say over the signing of big outsourcing deals. "This governor should remember that he is a guest in the people's house," said House Speaker Pat Bauer, a Democrat. "He doesn't have the right to come in and sell off all the furniture."

Crofton owns eight Ruby Tuesday restaurants in central Indiana, including the one next to Edinburg Premium Outlets mall. At least three new restaurants are slated to open in the Greenwood Park Mall's new lifestyle center.

Readjust

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The first seven months of Lavery's tour were spent 10 miles from the border with Pakistan. His job was to maintain a support station that soldiers passed through on their way to and from dangerous missions. "We provided them with a hot shower and a warm bed, even if

it was just in a tent," he said. Threats of bomb attacks loomed outside the base, and he was confined to the three-mile by one-mile post most of the time, he said. His second position was at a more central location, with a base operated by the New Zealand military.

budgeting the U.S. funds spent for reconstruction. Lavery was able to leave more often and see the fruits of his labor, such as visiting a local orphanage. His wife arranged for toys to be sent over at Christmas time for the children. The children at the orphanage didn't celebrate the holiday, but the soldiers had a real Christmas morning watching them play with the toys, he said.

seven schools, a hospital, almost 100 miles of roads, 26 wells, hydroelectric plants and solar light receptors. He put nearly \$6 million to use rebuilding Afghan infrastructure, he said. "I feel really good knowing we really accomplished something while I was over there," he said.

diers and with the local contractors who built and maintained sewers and did cleaning work on the bases. "I came to know who to trust and who would do the best work. They became like my friends," he said.

LOTTERY

Here are the winning numbers selected Wednesday in the Hoosier Lottery: Daily Three MIDDAY: 1-7-5. Daily Four MIDDAY: 6-0-6-4. Lucky Five MIDDAY: 4-7-9-13-23.

Project

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lifetime," said Andy Dietrich, a spokesman with the Indiana Department of Transportation. "In nine months, we'll have a brand-new road that will last us another 35 years." The six-mile stretch of highway is the most heavily traveled

section of road in the state, Dietrich said. More than 180,000 motorists use the highway daily. Crews will replace pavement, widen shoulders and replace 28 bridge decks. They'll tear up and rebuild the roads from scratch. The 7-foot shoulders will be widened to 14 feet to allow stalled cars to safely pull off.

The \$175 million repair, called Super 70, will be the largest single-season construction project ever undertaken by INDOT, Dietrich said. The state wants to complete the project in a single year because of the widespread inconvenience it will cause, he said. The city will adjust the timing of traffic lights to lessen the crush, officials said.

hour traffic. They'll keep three westbound lanes and two east-bound lanes open in the morning and reverse it in the afternoon. The crews will work on the westbound side from March through July and the eastbound side from July through November. The state will ban most tractor-trailers from the highway because the lanes will be narrow, Dietrich said.

improved to handle increased traffic. Some finishing work will carry into 2008, with a few scattered lane closures after 6 on weeknights. The road will be entirely reconstructed over Sherman Drive. The highway now runs under Sherman. The project includes new signs, lighting and pavement marking. INDOT has created a Web site with updates on the project, www.super70.in.gov.

CORRECTION

Preview night for the Friends of the Johnson County Library's used book sale will take place from 4 to 8:30 p.m. today at the Franklin Branch. The time was incorrect in Tuesday's Daily Journal.