

'Not going to be a victory lap' in Iraq, Obama says

President Barack Obama, ahead of tonight's speech, tells U.S. troops that "this has an opportunity to create a better future for Iraq and the U.S. is more secure."

Newsweek: Obama must sell a war without end
The war that made Obama president ends in a whimper
NYT: Five years later, an Iraqi mother comes face to face with her dead son



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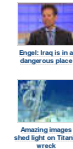
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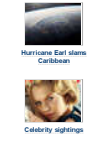
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The president prepares for an evening Oval Office address, marking the end of combat operations in Iraq. Why the administration isn't declaring victory or "mission accomplished."

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A surprise jump in consumer confidence Tuesday gave stocks a modest lift, but the gains were kept in check as investors remain cautious about the economy.

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In a new interview — conducted before she went to jail or rehab — Lindsay Lohan claims her wild days are behind her.

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'Dancing With the Stars' cast unveiled
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