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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

MAY 08

AAPI HERITAGE MONTH



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## What is AAPI Heritage Month?

AAPI (Asian-American and Pacific Islander) Heritage Month is a celebration of Asians and Pacific Islanders. AAPI encompasses all of the Asian continent and the islands of Melanesia, Micronesia, and Polynesia. “Asian/Pacific American Heritage Week” was observed nationally from **May 4-11, 1979**. In **1990**, Congress expanded the observation to a month.



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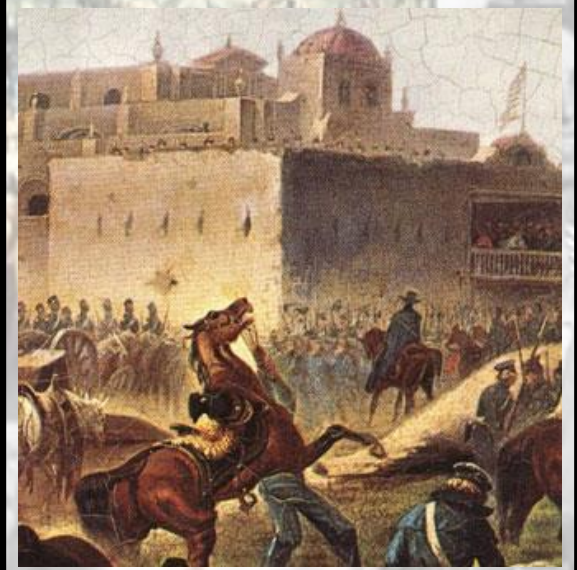
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# 1846



The U.S. wins the Battle of Palo Alto in Texas, protecting its newly annexed territory. Five days later, the U.S. declares war on this country.



Q: *What country?*





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# 1884



The future 33<sup>rd</sup> U.S. President is born in Lamar, Missouri. He is most remembered for approving the dropping of 2 atomic bombs on Japan to end World War II.



Q: *What U.S. President?*



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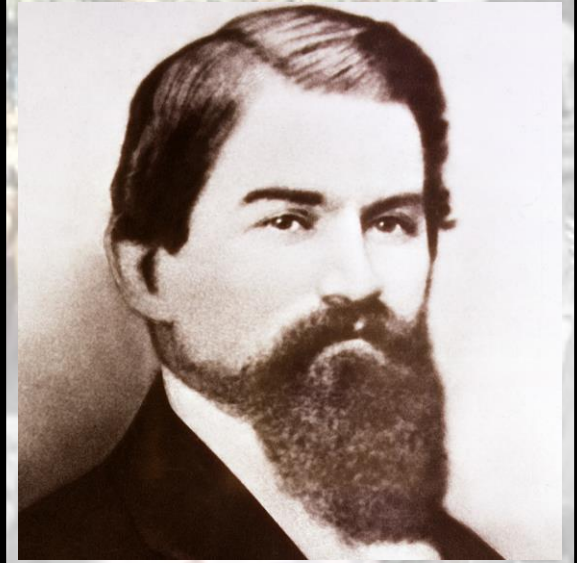
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# 1886



Dr. John S. Pemberton sells this medicinal elixir to Jacob's Pharmacy in Atlanta. He later sells the rights for \$2,300 (\$56K today) to a beverage company.



Q: *What company?*





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# 1933



The first police radio system, connecting headquarters to patrol cars and patrol cars to one another, is installed in Eastchester Township, NY.

Q: *What does "10-4" stand for?*



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# 1942



During WWII, the Battle of the Coral Sea ends in the Pacific between the U.S. and Japanese navies. During the battle, both navies NEVER see each other.



Q: *So... how was the fighting done?*





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# 1945



With the Nazi surrender a day before, World War II in Europe officially ends. Every year on this day, Europeans celebrate with parades and fireworks.

*Q: What is today also called?*





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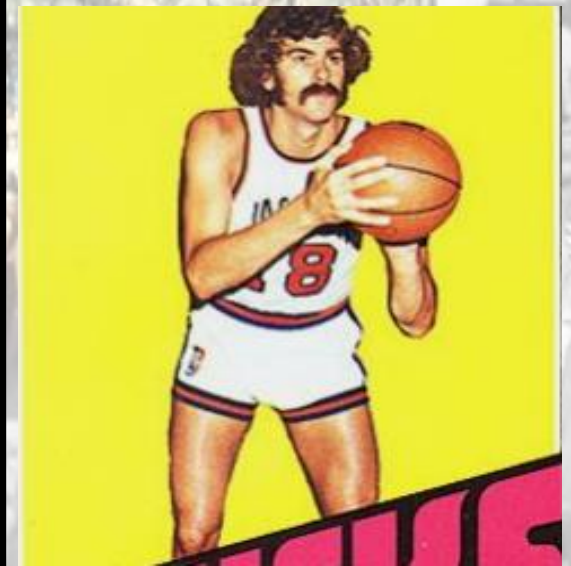


# 1970



The New York Knicks defeat the Los Angeles Lakers in the 7<sup>th</sup> game of the NBA Finals to win their first NBA Championship.

Q: *Why are they named the Knicks and Lakers?*



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# 1973



In South Dakota, 200 armed members of the American Indian Movement (AIM) surrender to Federal authorities, ending their 71-day siege of Wounded Knee.

*Q: Why did AIM select Wounded Knee?*





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# 1975



Latin singer Enrique Iglesias is born in Madrid, Spain. He has a record 14 #1s on the *Billboard* Dance charts, including his first U.S. #1 in 1999... "Bailamos".



Q: *What does "Bailamos" translate to in English?*



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# 1984



Citing fears for the safety of its athletes in an anti-communist environment, this country announces a boycott of the 1984 Summer Olympics in LA.

*Q: What country was afraid to go to LA?*



Games of the XXIIIrd Olympiad Los Angeles 1984





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## Today is...



### National Have A Coke Day

*Just in case you needed an extra reason to celebrate!*

# DID YOU KNOW ?



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**Birthdays**



**Is it your birthday?**

**If so, see Dr. Hartnell for  
your official Birthday Pencil!**

*Happy Birthday to you!*

