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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

MAY 10

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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# 1775



During the Revolution, Ethan Allen, Benedict Arnold, and 83 “Green Mountain Boys” capture this British fort in NY. They do so without firing any shots.



*Q: What British fort?*



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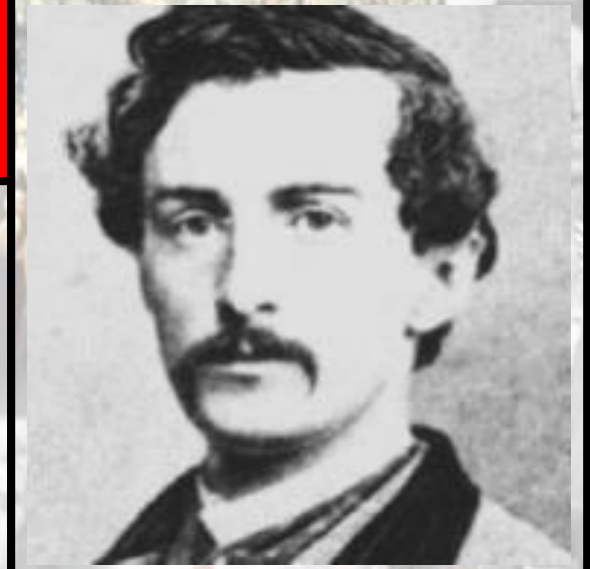
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# 1838



This American actor is born in Bel Air, Maryland. He later assassinates President Lincoln on April 14, 1865.



Q: *What American actor?*



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**1863**



**Thomas J. "Stonewall" Jackson  
dies of pneumonia after losing  
his arm when his own troops  
fired on him at the Battle of  
Chancellorsville 8 days earlier.**



**Q: *Why was he nicknamed  
"Stonewall"?***



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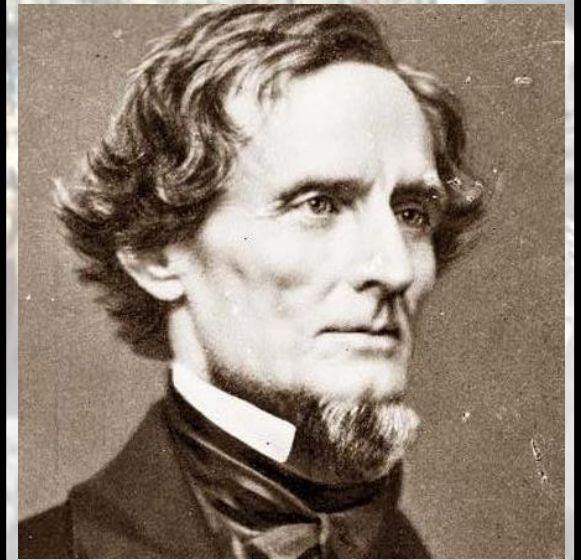
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# 1865



The President of the C.S.A. and his wife are captured in Georgia. Dressed in his wife's shawl, he defends himself saying he was sick and wearing it for warmth.



Q: *What C.S.A. President?*



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# 1869



A golden spike is driven into the ground in Utah where the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads meet. It completes the first transcontinental railroad.



*Q: What immigrants built most of the railroad?*



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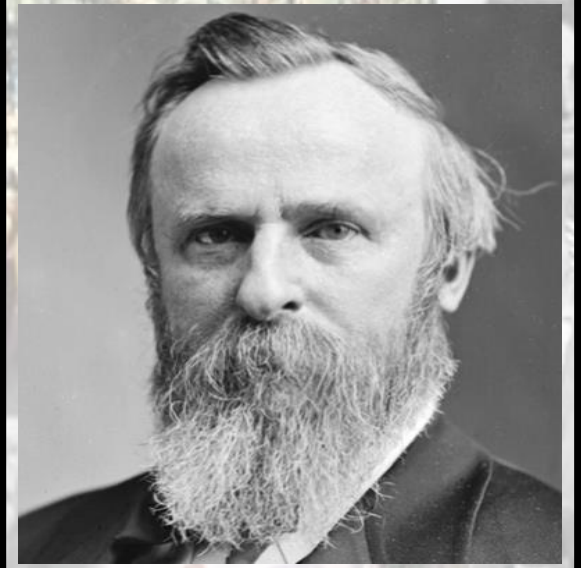
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# 1877



This President has the White House's first telephone installed. The White House's phone number, at that time, was... 1.



Q: *What President?*





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## 1940



**Neville Chamberlain, the British P.M. that tried to “appease” Hitler by giving him the Sudetenland in Czech. is asked to step down by King George VI.**



*Q: What man gladly fills the position as P.M.?*



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# 1986



British pop duo Pet Shop Boys, the most successful duo in UK history, hit #1 on the *Billboard* Hot 100 with their synthpop song “West End Girls”.



Q: *What is synthpop?*



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# 1994



This man is sworn in as the first  
black president of South Africa.  
He served until 1999.



Q: *What man?*



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# 1996



The 3<sup>rd</sup> day of the “Blizzard of ‘96” drops 3 feet of snow in the northeast and takes the lives of 100 people trapped in the freak storm.

*Q: When is Ohio's snowiest month?*



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## Today is...



### National "Stay Up All Night" 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!*

