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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

MAY 14

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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1796



British physician Edward Jenner injects the cowpox virus in his 8-year-old son. Six weeks later, he injects his son with another deadly virus. His son lives.

Q: Doing all this, what vaccine did he create?



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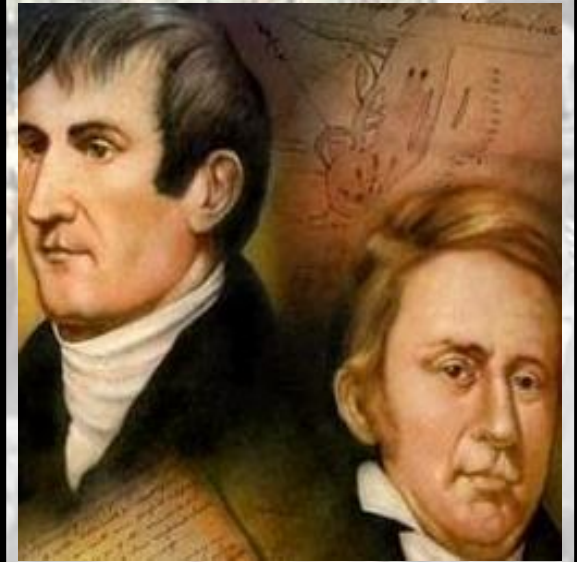
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1804



One year after the U.S. buys Louisiana, these 2 men leave St. Louis, Missouri to explore the Northwest from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean.



Q: *What 2 men?*



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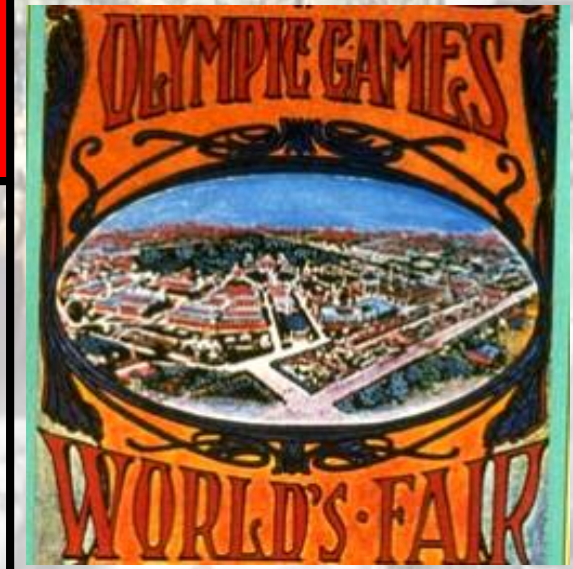
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1904



The United States hosts its first
Olympic Games.



Q: *In what city were the
games held?*



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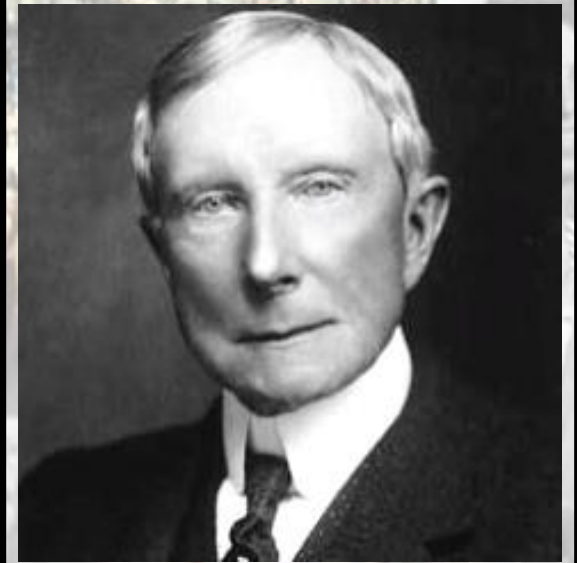
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1914



John D. Rockefeller, a philanthropist who made his fortune from oil, gives \$100 M (which is \$2.3 trillion today) to a foundation that bears his name.



Q: What is a philanthropist?



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1944



This American motion picture director and producer is born in Modesto, CA. His movies included 6 *Star War* films and 5 *Indiana Jones* movies.



Q: *What director?*



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1948



In Tel Aviv, the first Jewish state in over 2,000 years is officially declared. Because the land was taken from Palestine, fighting breaks out the same day.



Q: What Jewish state?



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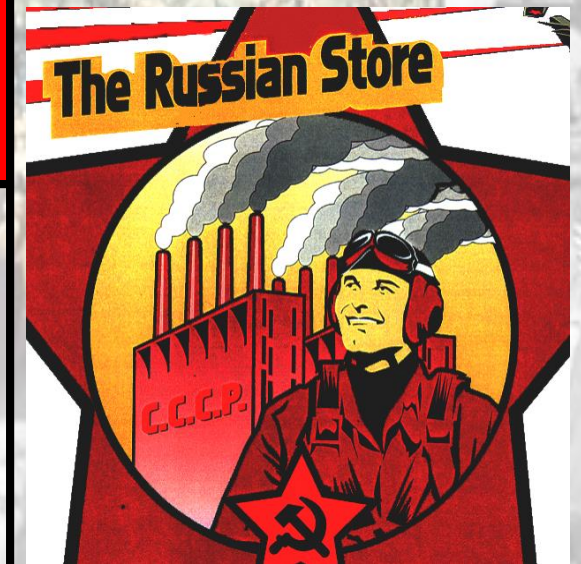


1955



The Warsaw Pact is signed by 7 communist countries in Europe (including the Soviet Union), creating a military alliance in opposition to NATO.

Q: What does NATO stand for?



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1973



NASA launches *Skylab*, the first American space station.



Q: *For what do we use space stations?*



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1998



One of the most popular TV sitcoms of all time airs its 180th (and final) episode. It remains emblematic of the 1990s and was a “*show about nothing*”.



Q: *What TV sitcom?*



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2006



This rock band's ninth album, *Stadium Arcadium*, is released and goes on to win 5 Grammys. "Dani California" would be the album's biggest hit.



Q: *What rock band?*



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Today is...



National Chicken Dance Day

Just in case you needed an extra reason to celebrate!

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Birthdays



Is it your birthday?

If so, see Dr. Hartnell for
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Happy Birthday to you!

