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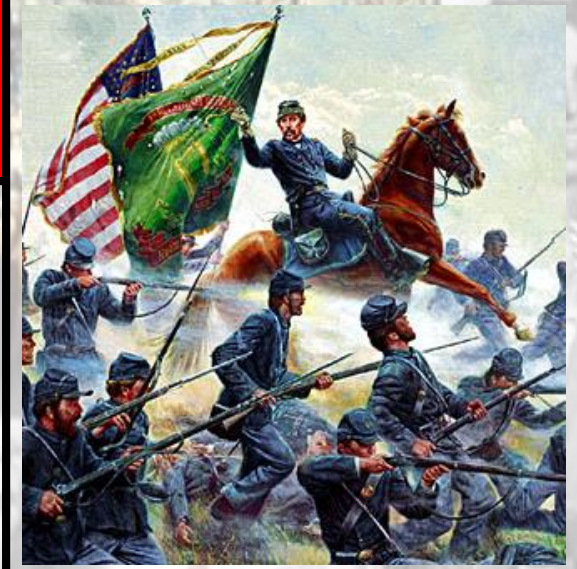
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1863



General Orders #100, which sets rules for the treatment of wounded soldiers, prisoners... and even battle flags... is released during this U.S. war.



Q: What U.S. war?



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1898



**Spain declares war on the U.S.
The U.S., in turn, declares war
on Spain the following day and
wins the war by August 12th...
of the same year.**

***Q: Why did the U.S. easily
defeat Spain?***



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1901



An 8-team American League begins 24 years after the N.L.; teams in Buffalo, Chicago, KC, Cleveland, Detroit, Indianapolis, Milwaukee, and Minneapolis.



Q: Which of these cities no longer have teams?



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1915



The Armenian Genocide begins as the Ottoman Empire starts exterminating its minority Armenian subjects. Over 2 million Armenians are killed.



Q: What religion are the Turks and Armenians?



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1916



Irish nationalists, rebelling against this country's rule, seize buildings in Dublin and proclaim Ireland an independent republic during the Easter Rebellion.



Q: What country were the Irish fighting?



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1941



Barbra Streisand is born in Brooklyn, NY. Recording since 1965, she has sold 145 million records, making her the best-selling female artist... ever.

Q: Which President had her on his "Enemies List"?



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1961



Charles Weedon Westover begins a 4-week run at #1 on the *Billboard* Hot 100 when “Runaway” takes the top spot.



Q: *By what name was he better known?*



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1980



A rescue attempt of the 52 remaining U.S. hostages in Iran fails when an American plane collides with a helicopter in the Iranian desert, killing 8 soldiers.



Q: Who was President at the time?



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1981



This company releases its very first personal computer. Its success soon leads competitors to clone the machine.

Q: What company?



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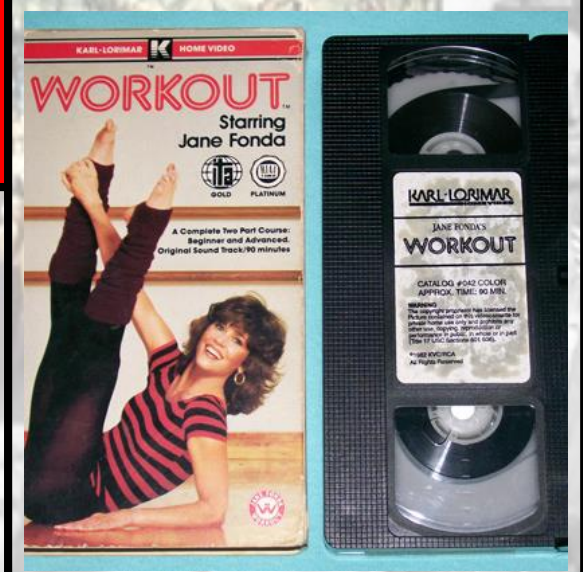
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1982



Actress Jane Fonda releases her first *Workout* video on VHS. This video is credited with launching the popularity of home video entertainment.



Q: *What do the letters "VHS" mean?*



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Today is...



National Pigs in a Blanket 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
your official Birthday Pencil!

Happy Birthday to you!

