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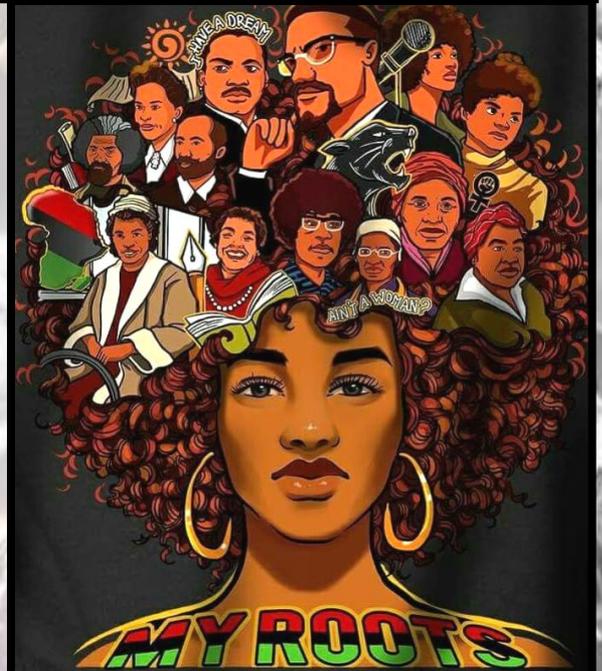
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## What is Black History Month?

In **February 1926**, black historian Dr. Carter G. Woodson organized the celebration of “Negro History Week” during the second week of February in honor of the birthdays of Frederick Douglass and Abraham Lincoln. The week-long celebration grew in popularity, and by the early **1970s**, it expanded to include the entire month.



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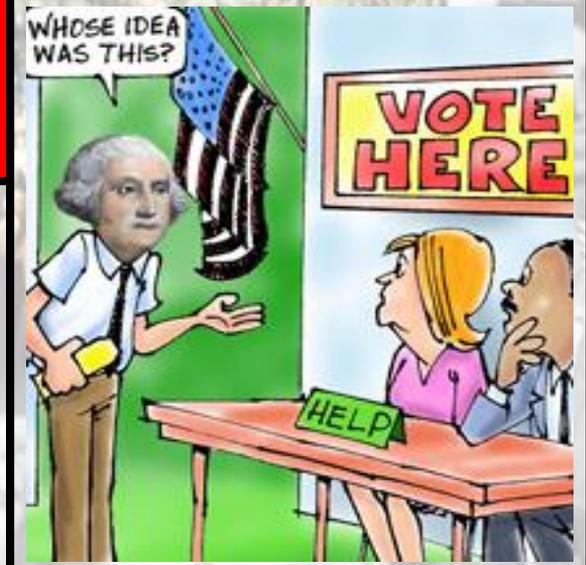
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# 1789



This man is unanimously elected the first U.S. President by all 69 Presidential Electors. He is re-elected to a second term on the same day in 1792.



Q: *What man?*



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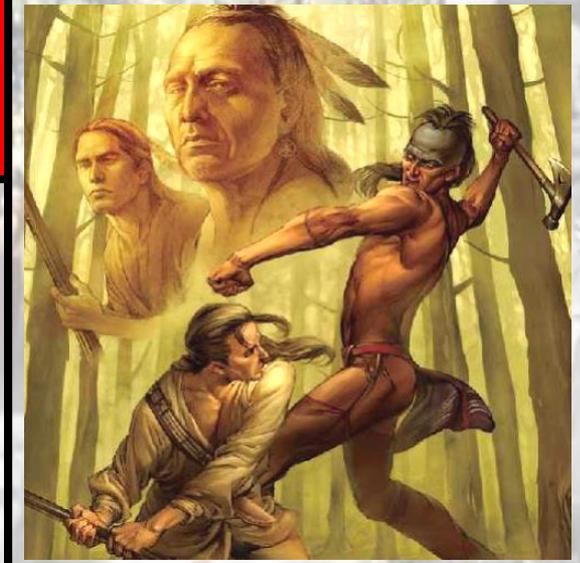
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# 1826



James Fennimore Cooper's frontier story is published. It tells a tale about an "adopted" Indian named Hawkeye and his role during the F&I War.



Q: *What frontier story?*



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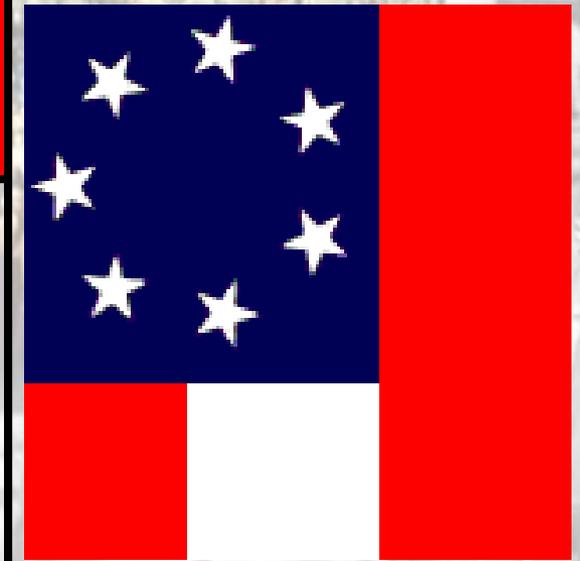
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# 1861



In Montgomery, Alabama, delegates from South Carolina, Mississippi, Florida, Alabama, Georgia, and Louisiana convene to establish this new country.



Q: *What new country?*



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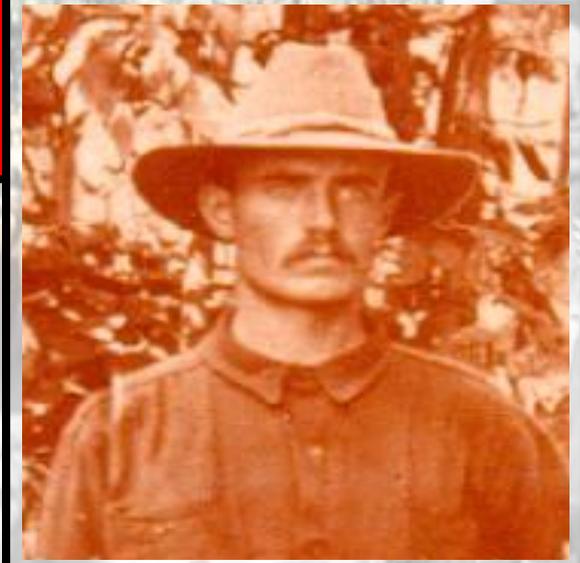
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# 1899



U.S. troops and Filipinos near Manila begin fighting, sparking the Philippine-American War. Dr. Hartnell's Great-Great Uncle Earl Clinton Ward was KIA.



*Q: Where are the  
Philippines?*



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# 1902



Charles Lindbergh, who becomes the first person to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean in 1927, is born in Detroit, Michigan.

Q: *What was the name of his plane?*



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# 1913



The future Civil Rights leader that refused to give up her seat to a white man, which started the Montgomery Bus Boycott, is born in Tuskegee, Alabama.



Q: *What leader?*



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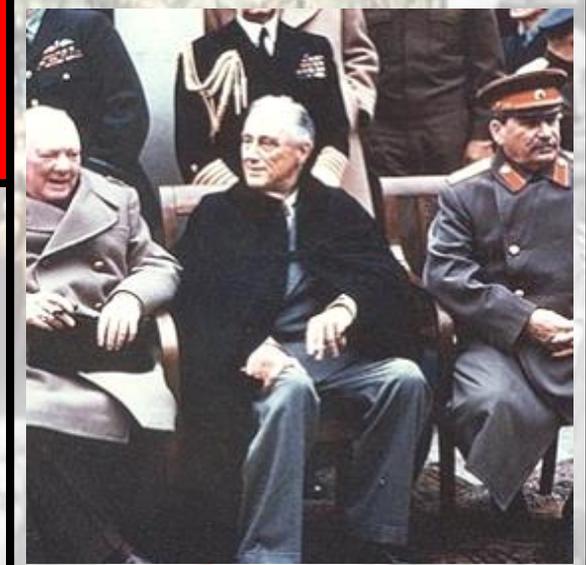
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# 1945



The Yalta Conference begins with the leaders of the U.S., Britain, and the U.S.S.R. present. They discuss how to divide Germany after WWII.



Q: *What 3 leaders?*



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# 1965



**“You’ve Lost That Lovin’ Feelin’”**  
by The Righteous Brothers hits  
**#1** on the *Billboard* Hot 100. It  
was the most played song of the  
20<sup>th</sup> Century.

**Q:** *What 1986 movie helped  
with its popularity?*



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# 2004



This on-line “social network” is launched from Mark Zuckerberg’s Harvard dorm room. At its peak, it was worth \$1 trillion and had 3B users.



Q: *What “social network”?*



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# 2007



This man becomes the first black head coach to win a Super Bowl when his Indianapolis Colts defeat the Chicago Bears 29-17 in Super Bowl XLI.



Q: *What black head coach?*



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## Today is...



### National Sweater 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  
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*Happy Birthday to you!*

