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4004 BC



According to the 17th Century Archbishop James Ussher in Ireland, the _____ was created today, a Sunday... at 9:00am.

Q: What was created?



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42 BC



The leading conspirator in the assassination of Julius Caesar commits suicide after his defeat at the Second Battle of Philippi in Macedonia.



Q: What conspirator?



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1641



In Ireland, Catholics under Felim O'Neill of Kinard rise up and massacre 40,000-100,000 men, women, and children of this religious denomination.

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of all Ireland*



Q: What denomination?



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1783



Virginia frees the enslaved soldiers that fought for it during the American Revolution. Over 5,000 enslaved fought for the Patriots across all 13 colonies.



Q: Why does Virginia secede during Civil War?



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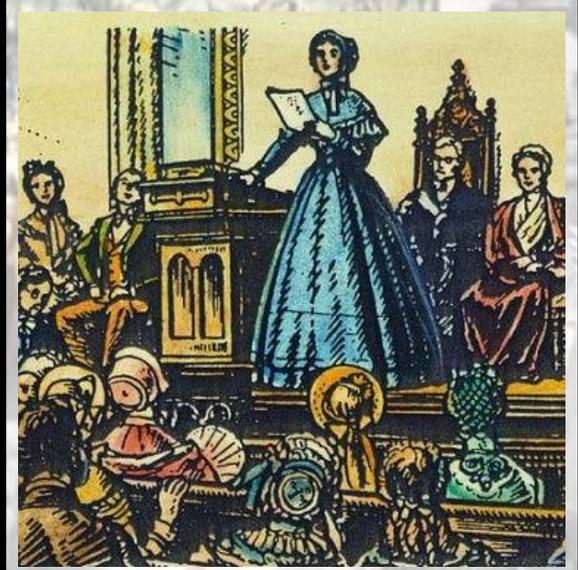
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1850



Suffragist organizers hold the first-ever National Women's Rights Convention in Worcester, MA. Over 1,000 delegates from 11 (of 31) states attend.



Q: *What convention was the 1st to push for suffrage?*



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1855



In opposition to the fraudulently elected pro-slavery legislature of this state, “Free-State” forces set up a govt. in Topeka. Raids and massacres soon follow.



Q: *What state?*



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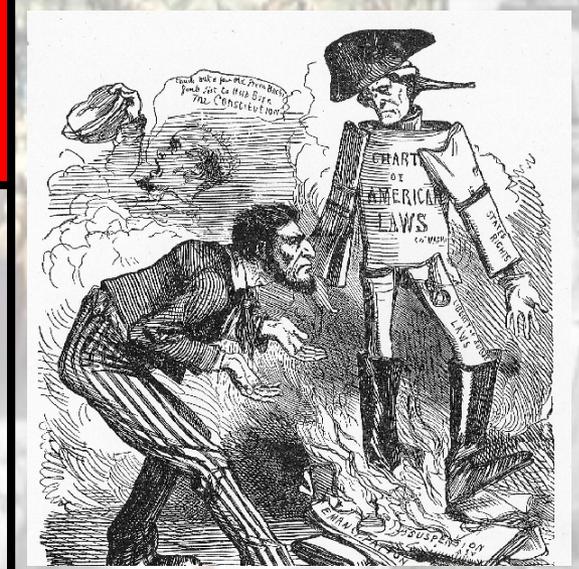
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1861



During the Civil War and amid fears of rebellion in Maryland that might endanger DC, Lincoln suspends the *writ of habeas corpus* for military cases.



Q: *What is habeas corpus?*



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1941



During World War II, over 19,000 Jews are burned alive by Romanian and Nazi troops in Odessa, Ukraine. Another 10,000 are killed the next day.



Q: What country was the Ukraine part of in 1941?



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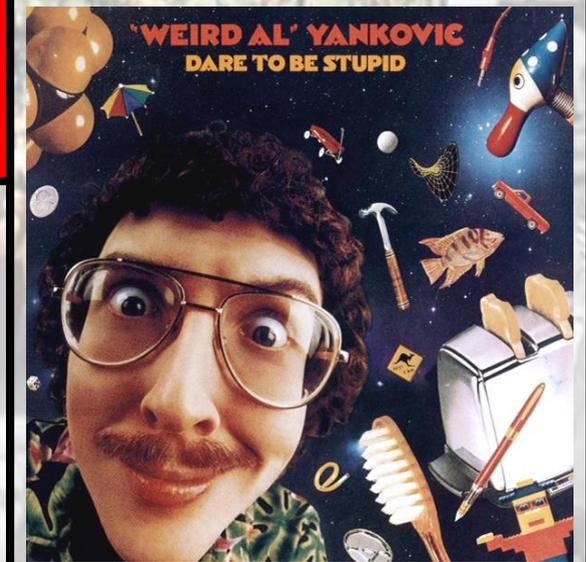
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1959



Alfred “Weird Al” Yankovic is born in Downey, California. He is best known for playing the accordion and writing parodies of popular songs.



Q: *What is a “parody”?*



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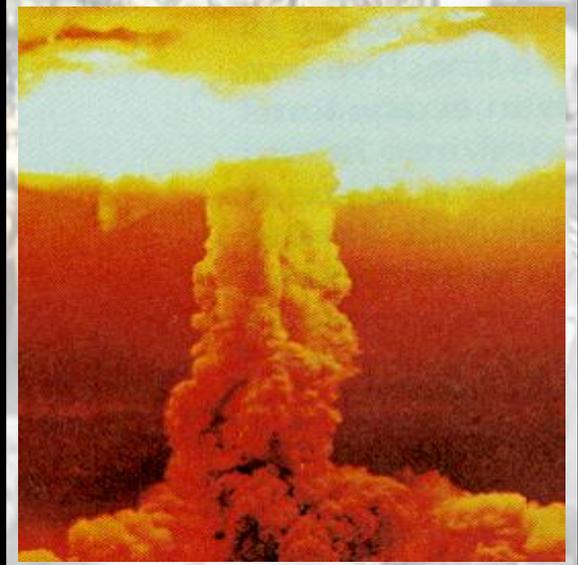


1962



During the Cuban Missile Crisis, the U.S. is authorized to use armed force to prevent the shipment of more Soviet offensive weapons to Cuba.

Q: What is an "offensive" weapon?



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1983



Trucks filled with explosives (driven by suicide bombers) crash into 2 Marine barracks in Beirut. The attacks kill 241 U.S. and 58 French soldiers.

Q: In what country is the city of Beirut?



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Today is...



National TV Talk Show Host 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!

