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JULY 29

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1618



Sir Walter Raleigh is beheaded in England under a sentence brought against him 15 years earlier for conspiracy against King James I.



Q: What settlement did he found in North Carolina?



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1901



Leon Czolgosz, a Polish anarchist, is electrocuted for the assassination of this President on September 6th. The President didn't die until September 14th.



Q: What President?



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1923



After over 400 years of rule by the Ottoman Turks, this country is formally declared a republic.



Q: What country?



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1927



Russian archeologist Peter Kozloff discovers the tomb of this Mongolian warrior in the Gobi Desert, a claim that is still in dispute today.



Q: *What Mongolian warrior?*



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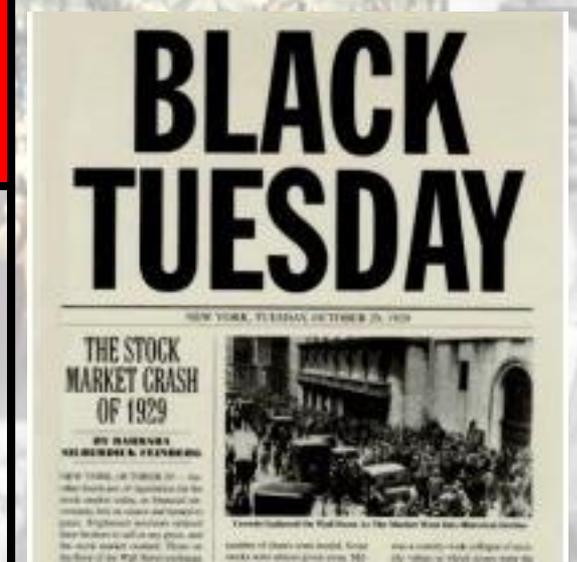
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1929



Known as “Black Tuesday”, Wall Street loses \$74 billion. The crisis began October 24th, but this catapults the U.S. into the Great Depression.



Q: What "crashed"?



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1956



In response to Egypt taking back the Suez Canal and barring Israeli shipping on it, Israel attacks Egypt, beginning the Suez Canal Crisis.



Q: What 2 countries helped Israel?



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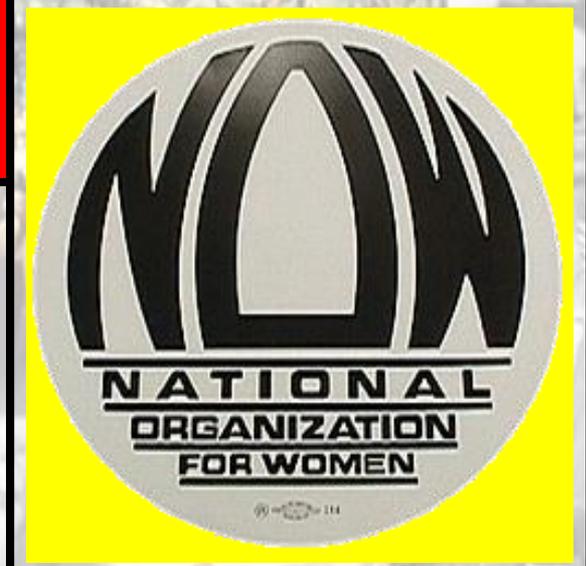
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1966



The National Organization for Women (NOW) is founded. Today, it is the largest feminist organization in the world.

Q: Who became the first female Vice President?



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1988



This Celtic singer starts a three-week run at #1 on the *Billboard* Hot 100 with her song "Orinoco Flow". It is her first song to top the charts.



Q: What Celtic singer?



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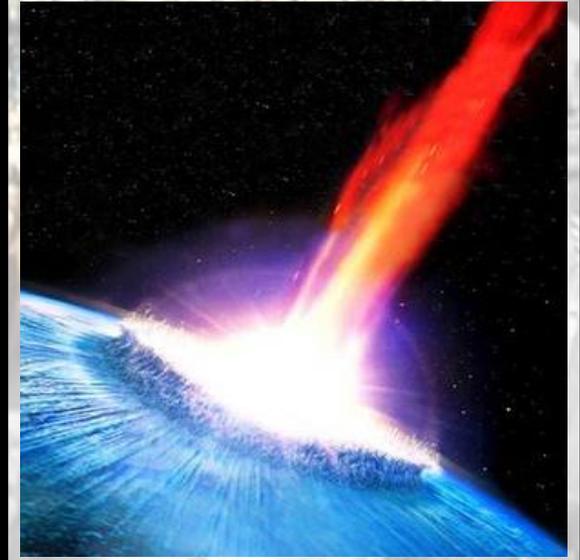
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1991



The American spacecraft *Galileo* makes its closest approach to *951 Gaspra*, becoming the first probe to visit an asteroid.



Q: What's the difference between asteroid/meteor?



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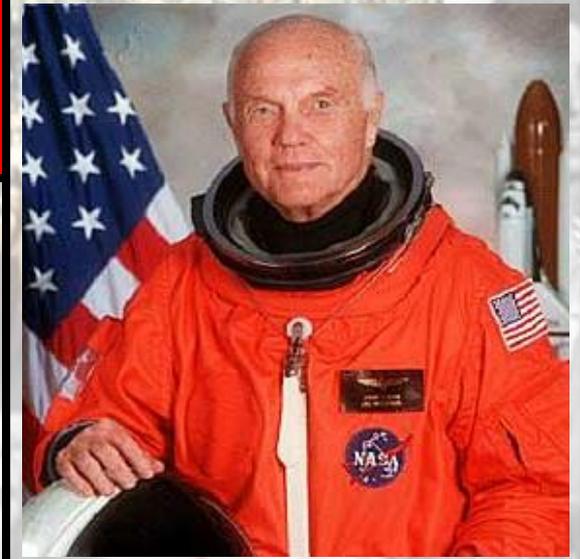
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1998



Almost 4 decades after he became the first American to orbit the Earth, this man is launched into space again at age 77.



Q: What astronaut?



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Today is...



National Hermit 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!

