

20th Century Quiz

1900	R of M	Relief - Mafeking
1901	D of QV	Death - Queen Victoria
1902	Knighting of ACD - writer of H of the B	Arthur Conan Doyle - Hound - Baskervilles
1903	EP starts the S M	Emily (Emiline) Pankhurst - Suffragette Movement
1904	TR is the US P	Teddy Roosevelt - United States President
1905	AE develops T of R	Albert Einstein - Theory - Relativity
1906	E in SF	Earthquake - San Francisco
1907	RBP launches the B S M	Robert Baden Powell - Boy Scout Movement
1908	O G held in L	Olympic Games - London
1909	LB flies across the E C	Louis Bleriot - English Channel
1910	Death of KES	King Edward Seventh
1911	RA reaches S P	Roald Amundsen - South Pole
1912	S of T	Sinking - Titanic
1913	ED killed by KH at E	Emily Davidson - Kings Horse - Epsom
1914	AFF murdered in S	Archduke Franz Ferdinand - Sarajevo (Serbia)
1915	S of the L	Sinking - Lusitania
1916	B of J	Battle - Jutland
1917	US D W on G	United States Declares War - Germany
1918	E of TN & family	Execution - Tsar Nicholas
1919	JD becomes H C of W	Jack Dempsey - Heavyweight Champion - World
1920	P begins in US	Prohibition - United States
1921	IFS declared	Irish Free State
1922	TT discovered	Tutenkhamen's Tomb
1923	O of WS	Opening - Wembley Stadium (Wireless Studio & Waterloo Station accepted)
1924	RM becomes 1st L PM	Ramsay MacDonald - Labour Prime Minister
1925	C declared a BC	Cyprus - British Colony
1926	JLB invents the T	John Logie Baird - Television
1927	CL flew in the S of SL	Charles Lindbergh - Spirit of Saint Louis
1928	AF discovers P	Alexander Fleming - Penicillin
1929	W S C	Wall Street Crash
1930	AJ flew from L to A	Amy Johnson - London - Australia
1931	AC arrested	Al Capone
1932	SHB opened	Sidney Harbour Bridge
1933	HL in B B controversy	Harold Larwood in Bodyline Bowling
1934	B&C killed by Police	Bonnie & Clyde
1935	T M P H S L introduced	Thirty Mile per Hour Speed Limit
1936	A of EE	Abdication - Edward Eighth (Accession of Edward Eighth accepted)
1937	FW invents the J E	Frank Whittle - Jet Engine
1938	OW broadcasts the W of the W	Orson Wells - War of the Worlds
1939	G I P	Germany invades Poland (Prague accepted)
1940	B of B	Battle - Britain
1941	J attacks PH	Japan - Pearl Harbour
1942	O founded	Oxfam
1943	IDW on G	Italy Declares War on Germany
1944	D D L	D Day Landings
1945	A B dropped	Atomic Bomb
1946	Opening of LA	London Airport
1947	PE marries PM	Princess Elizabeth - Philip Mountbatten
1948	MG assassinated	Mahatma Gandhi
1949	GO writes N E F	George Orwell writes Nineteen Eighty Four

History Quiz

1950	The A begins on radio	Archers
1951	F of B	Festival - Britain
1952	Death of KGS	King George Sixth
1953	Climbing of ME	Mount Everest
1954	RB runs a M in under F M	Roger Bannister - four minute mile
1955	RE is last W to be H	Ruth Ellis - Woman - Hanged
1956	S C	Suez Crisis
1957	Ist S in O	Ist Satellite - Orbit
1958	EP drafted	Elvis Presley
1959	M M on sale	Mini Minor
1960	PM marries AAJ	Princess Margaret - Anthony Armstrong Jones
1961	F cease to be L T	Farthings - Legal Tender
1962	DN is Ist JB film	Doctor No - James Bond
1963	G T R	Great Train Robbery
1964	B of PE	Birth of Prince Edward
1965	S of M stars JA	Sound of Music - Julie Andrews
1966	A D	Aberfan Disaster
1967	FCS around the W	Francis Chichester
1968	MLK assassinated	Martin Luther King
1969	C makes its F F	Concorde - First Flight
1970	V A reduced to E	Voting Age - Eighteen
1971	D	Decimalisation
1972	SJ opened	Spaghetti Junction
1973	UK joins CM	United Kingdom - Common Market
1974	A win E S C	ABBA - Eurovision Song Contest
1975	CC knighted	Charlie Chaplin (Colin Cowdrey accepted)
1976	C W ends between B and I	Cod War - Britain - Iceland
1977	D of EP	Death - Elvis Presley
1978	F T T B	First Test Tube Baby
1979	MT becomes PM	Margaret Thatcher becomes Prime Minister
1980	JL assassinated	John Lennon
1981	BM dies	Bob Marley
1982	F W	Falklands War
1983	NK leads L P	Neil Kinnock - Labour Party
1984	T&D win O G M	Torvil & Dean - Olympic Gold Medal
1985	L A	Live Aid
1986	C D	Challenger Disaster (Chernobyl Disaster accepted)
1987	H of FE sinks	Herald of Free Enterprise
1988	P A D	Panam Air Disaster (Pakistan Arms Dump & Piper Alpha Disaster accepted)
1989	B W falls	Berlin Wall
1990	NM released	Nelson Mandela
1991	G W	Gulf War
1992	BH & FH die	Bennie Hill & Frankie Howerd
1993	B P opened to public	Buckingham Palace
1994	NM is W I C C	Nigel Mansell - World Indy Car Champion
1995	EC attacks a fan	Eric Cantona
1996	DH is F O C	Damon Hill - formula One Champion
1997	D of D P of W	Death of Diana Princess of Wales
1998	G F A signed	Good Friday Agreement
1999	JD murdered	Jill Dando