

Trivia

did you know that ...

Montpelier, Vermont is the only state capital without a McDonald's.

A cow gives nearly 200,000 glasses of milk in her lifetime.

A full moon is nine times brighter than a half moon.

The national anthem of Greece has 158 verses.

Two-thirds of the world's eggplant is grown in New Jersey.

In Kentucky, it is illegal to carry ice cream in your back pocket.

A cat uses its whiskers to determine if a space is too small to squeeze through.

Nepal is the only country that doesn't have a rectangular flag.

Camels chew in a figure 8 pattern.

The average life of a taste bud is 10 days.

1 in every 4 Americans has appeared on television at least once in their life.

Owls are the only birds that can see the color blue.

Cats have over 100 vocal sounds while dogs only have 10.

A lightning bolt generates temperatures 5 times hotter than those found on the sun's surface.

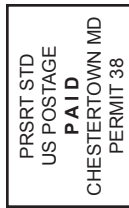
A lion's roar can be heard from 5 miles away.

An Olympic gold medal is required to contain 92.5% silver.

Every day, more money is printed for Monopoly sets than for the U.S. Treasury.

A rainbow can only occur when the sun is 40 degrees or less above the horizon.

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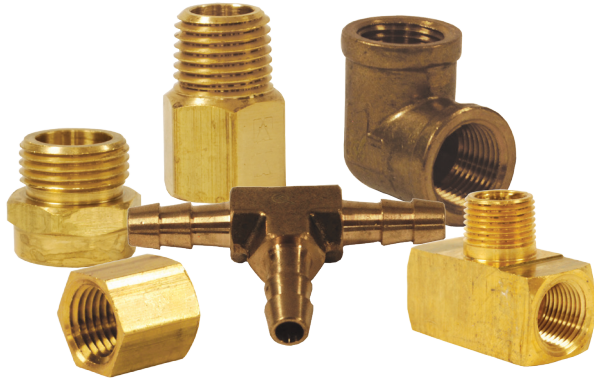
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Dates in History

1215 On June 15th, following a revolt by the English nobility against his rule, King John put his royal seal on the Magna Carta, or “Great Charter.” The document, essentially a peace treaty between John and his barons, guaranteed that the king would respect feudal rights and privileges, uphold the freedom of the church, and maintain the nation’s laws.

1774 On June 2nd, the British Parliament renewed the Quartering Act, allowing Redcoats to stay in private American homes if necessary. The Quartering Act, in conjunction with the Massachusetts Government Act, the Administration of Justice Act and the Boston Port Act, were known as the Coercive Acts. Disgusted by the colonist's throwing of 342 chests of tea into the Boston Harbor, the British Parliament quickly decided upon the Coercive Acts as a means of reasserting British control over the colonies and punishing Boston.

1948 On June 8th, a hand-built aluminum prototype labeled “No. 1” became the first vehicle to bear the name of one of the world’s leading luxury car manufacturers: Porsche.

1977 On June 20th, with a flip of a switch in Prudhoe Bay, crude oil from the nation’s largest oil field began flowing south down the trans-Alaska pipeline to the ice-free port of Valdez, Alaska. The steel pipeline, 48 inches in diameter, winds through 800 miles of Alaskan wilderness, crossing three Arctic mountain ranges and hundreds of rivers and streams.

(history.com)

On the Lighter Side

The old family physician took his son into partnership after the son got his M.D. The old doctor then went off on a two-week vacation, his first in years. When he got home, he asked his son if there had been any problems at the clinic. The son said no, everything went well. “In fact,” he said, “you know that rich old lady, Mrs. Ferguson? I cured her of her chronic indigestion.”

“Well. That’s fine,” said the old doctor. “But Mrs. Ferguson’s indigestion is what put you through medical school.”

A man and a woman are standing at the altar, about to be married, when the bride-to-be looks at her prospective groom and sees that he has a set of golf clubs with him.

“What on earth are you doing with those golf clubs in church?” she whispered.

He replied, “This isn’t going to take all afternoon, is it?”

The secretary was leaving the office when she saw the CEO standing by a shredder with a piece of paper in his hand. “Listen,” said the CEO, “this is a very important document. Can you make this thing work?” The secretary turned the machine on, inserted the paper, and pressed the start button. “Great,” said the CEO as his paper disappeared inside the machine. “I just need one copy.”

Q: What do you call a sheep with no legs?

A: A cloud!

Q: Why was the math book sad?

A: Because it had so many problems.

(exerted from *Pretty Good Joke Book*)