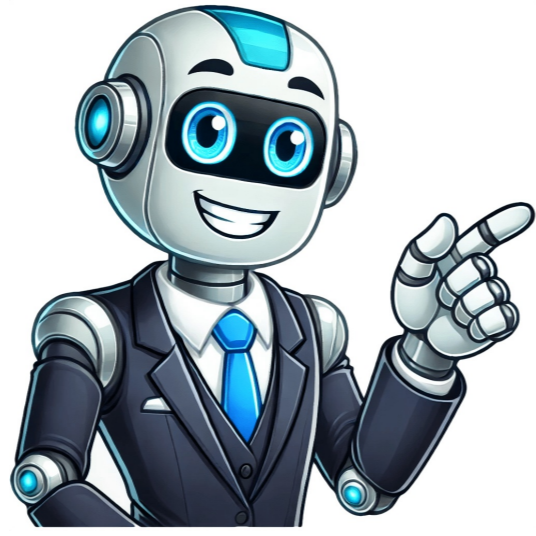


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Examiner surrenders the city of Manila to the United States, in order to keep it out of the hands of Filipino rebels, ending hostilities in the Philippines.August 20 The Gornegrat railway opens, connecting Zernatt to the Gornegrat in Switzerland.August 21 Clube de Regatas Vasco da Gama is founded in Rio de Janeiro.August 23 The Southern Cross Express, the first British venture into the Heroic Age of Antarctic Exploration, sets sail from London.August 24 Chickasaw and Choctaw tribes sign the Atoka Agreement, a requirement of the Curtis Act of 1898.August 25 700 Greeks and 15 Englishmen are slaughtered by the Turks in Heraklion, Greece, leading to the establishment of the Greek Cypriot community in Cyprus.August 26 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 27 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 28 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 29 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 30 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 31 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.

1,600 wounded in the battle.[12]September 10 Italian anarchist Luigi Lucheni assassinates Empress Elisabeth of Austria in Geneva, an act of propaganda of the end of the September 18 Fascista Incident. A powerful flotilla of British gunboats arrives at the French-occupied port of Fashoda on the White Nile, leading to a diplomatic stalemate, until French troops are ordered to withdraw on November 3.September 21Empress Dowager Cixi of China engineers a coup d'état, marking the end of the Hundred Days' Reform; the Guangxu Emperor is arrested.Ceasar Adriaens Boomgaard of Groningen in the Netherlands becomes the world's first validated supercentenarian.October 1 The Vienna University of Economics and Business is founded, under the name K.u.K. Exportakademie.October 3 Battle of Sugar Point: Ojibwe tribesmen defeat U.S. government troops, in northern Minnesota.October 6 The Sinfonia Club, later to become the Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia fraternity, is founded at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston by Ossian Everett Mills.October 15 The Fork Union Military Academy is founded, in Fork Union, Virginia.[13]October 21 General Leonidas Wood, U.S. military governor of Cuba, issues a proclamation guaranteeing personal rights to the Cuban people.[14]October 22 In a race riot near Harpersville, Mississippi in the U.S., 14 African-Americans and one white person are killed.[14]October 23 An anarchist, suspected of plotting the assassination of Germany's Kaiser Wilhelm II, is arrested in Egypt at Alexandria.[14]October 24 The last Spanish soldiers in Puerto Rico, led by General Ortega, depart on ships to return to Spain.[14]U.S. President William McKinley extends the deadline for all Spanish troops to leave Cuba. Set to expire on December 1, the last day to depart is extended to January 1, 1899.[14]Chinese soldiers attack a party of British engineers at the Marco Polo Bridge on the Beijing to Hankou railway.[14]October 26 A collision between two Japanese steamships at sea kills 360 Japanese sailors.[14]The U.S. begins the release and repatriation of Chinese prisoners of war held in Germany during the Boxer Rebellion.[14]October 27 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 28 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 29 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 30 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 31 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.

rehearsing on the Dreyfus case.[14]Kaiser Wilhelm II of Germany and his wife arrive at Jerusalem in Ottoman-ruled Palestine and visit the Church of the Holy Sepulchre.[14]October 30 The Imperial Russian government announces that the leaders of the world's major nations have accepted the invitation of the Tsar to take part in a proposed conference on disarmament.[14]October 31 The Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Jerusalem, is dedicated after the Sultan of the Ottoman Empire presents the area, said to be the site of the Virgin Mary's home, to Germany's Roman Catholics.[14]Count Kuma Shigenobu, Japan's Prime Minister, announces his resignation along with that of his cabinet of ministers.[14]November 1 Charles Dupuy forms a new government as Prime Minister of France following the resignation of Henri Briand.[14]November 3 With increasing violence threatened by rebels in China, the Russian fleet at Port Arthur and the British warships at Wei-Hai-Wei are readied for battle.[14]November 5 Negros Revolution: Filipinos on the island of Negros revolt against Spanish rule and establish the short-lived Republic of Negros.[14]In China, an admiral of the Imperial Russian Navy and 40 sailors are denied permission by the Chinese government to proceed from Tientsin to Beijing.In the U.S., the collapse of a theater under construction in Detroit kills 11 workmen.[14]November 6 The Japanese ambassador to China meets with the Emperor and the Empress Dowager at Beijing.[14]November 7 The final meeting of the Cuban Assembly of the Republic de Cuba en Armas, which had been founded in 1895 during the Cuban War of Independence, is called to order by General Calixto Garca in the city of Santa Cruz del Sur. Domingo Mndez Capote is elected as president of the assembly.November 8 Elections are held in the U.S. for all 357 seats in the House of Representatives, as well as for the governors and state legislatures of 25 of the 45 states. With 179 needed for a majority, the Republican Party maintains control with 187 seats, despite losing 19 seats in the House of Representatives to the Democrats.[14]November 9 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 28 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 29 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 30 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 31 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.

U.S., the racial violence in Phoenix, South Carolina, comes to an end after 12 African-Americans had been lynched.[14]November 10 The Wilmington insurrection of 1898 begins as a coup d'état by the white Democratic Party of the U.S. state of North Carolina against the Republican Mayor of Wilmington. On the first day, a building housing a negro newspaper is burned and eight African Americans are killed.[14]The new United Central American States, a merger of El Salvador, Honduras and Nicaragua, places its capital in the Nicaraguan city of Chinandega.[14]Bartolome Mas, the President of the Republic de Cuba en Armas that had been founded during the Cuban War of Independence, resigns.[14]November 11 In Wilmington, negro leaders and white republicans are forced to leave the new government.[14]November 12 The Earl of Minto takes office as the new Governor General of Canada.[14]November 17 Fighting begins in Pana, Illinois, between striking white coal miners and black miners hired to replace them.[14]November 18 The wreck of the ship *Atalanta* off the coast of the U.S. state of Oregon kills 28 of the 30 crew aboard.[14]November 19 In U.S. college football, Harvard University defeats Yale University, 17 to 0, to close the season unbeaten.[14]November 21 At the Paris conference to end the Spanish-American War, the U.S. commissioners offer \$200,000,000 for purchase of the Philippines from Spain.[15]November 24 Italy sends an ultimatum to the Sultan of Morocco concerning treatment of Italian Moroccan troops in the Moroccan protectorate.[15]November 26 General Ramn Blanco resigns as the Spanish Governor-General of Cuba and is replaced by General Adolfo Jimnez Castellanos.[15]A two-day blizzard known as the Pando Gale piles snow in Boston, severely impacting the Massachusetts jetty fishing industry and several coastal New England towns.[15]The U.S. Marine Corps arrives on the island of Hawaii in order to regain the American leviathan of General John A. King's Hawaiian Kingdom.[15]November 27 115 people aboard the American steamer SS *Portland* are killed when the ship foundered off the coast of Maine in a gale.[15]November 28 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 28 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 29 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 30 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.August 31 The British ship HMS *Thetis* is wrecked off the coast of Brazil.

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16]December 26 Marie and Pierre Curie announce the discovery of an element that they name radium.[16]December 27 The French government delivers its secret dossier on the Dreyfus case to the Court of Cassation.[16]December 28 The Swiss village of Airolo is buried in an avalanche.[16]December 29 The Moscow Art Theatre production *The Seagull* by Anton Chekhov opens.[17]King Umberto of Italy commutes the sentences of all prisoners who had been given the death penalty.[16]December 31 Chief Justice Chambers of the Samoan Supreme Court rules that Malietoa Tanus is entitled to become King of Samoa, and holds that Mataafa is barred by the Treaty of Berlin.[16]French serial killer Joseph Vacher is executed at Bourg-en-Bresse.[18]The first volume of the Linguistic Survey of India is published in Calcutta.Chris FieldsJack MunkSergei EisensteinRandolph ScottDenjir kikiBertolt BrechtLe SzilrdEnzo FerrariSong Mei-lingEben DngesJanuary 1 Viktor Ullmann, Austrian composer, conductor and pianist (d. 1944)January 3 John Loder, British actor (d. 1988)January 6 James Fitzmaurice, Irish aviation pioneer (d. 1965)January 7 Art Baker, American actor (d. 1966)January 9 Grace Fields, British singer, actress and comedian (d. 1979)January 10 Katharine Brun Blodgett, American physicist and chemist (d. 1979)January 13 Kaj Munk, Danish playwright, Lutheran pastor and martyr (d. 1944)January 16 Margaret Booth, American film editor (d. 2002)January 20 Nanna Varden, British-born American actress (d. 1989)January 21 Rudolph Mat, Polish-born American pianist (d. 1964)Shah Ahmad Shah Qajar of Persia (d. 1930)January 22Sergei Eisenstein, Russian and Soviet film director (d. 1948)Elazar Shash, Israeli politician (d. 1990)January 23 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 24 Agnes Ayres, American actress (d. 1940)January 25 Henry Luc, American magazine publisher (d. 1967)January 26 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 27 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 28 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 29 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 30 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 31 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 32 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 33 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 34 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 35 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 36 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 37 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 38 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 39 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 40 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 41 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 42 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 43 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 44 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 45 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 46 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 47 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 48 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 49 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 50 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 51 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 52 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 53 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 54 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 55 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 56 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 57 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 58 George Jessel, American comedian (d. 1981)January 59 George

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