



# THE DAILY CHRONICLE

SATURDAY, APRIL 10, 2021

## On This Date

**1815** – The Mount Tambora volcano in Indonesia began erupting. The largest volcanic eruption in recorded history, it spewed so much ash that it caused the “Year Without a Summer” in North America and Europe.

**1912** – The *Titanic* set off on her maiden voyage. After the 920 passengers boarded, the ship began its route along the Irish coast before meeting with disaster near Newfoundland.

**1948** – General Dwight D. Eisenhower stood by an earlier report in which he said that a professional soldier should not seek high political office. Only four years later, Ike was elected president of the United States.



## Daily Trivia

The Kodak Brownie box camera sold for \$1.00 in 1900. It produced 2¼-square pictures and introduced snapshots to the masses.

## Quote of the Day

“Get all the education you can, then add the learning.”

~ *Jack Miner*

## Happy Birthday!

**Jack Miner** (1865–1944) was born in Ohio but moved to Kingsville, Ontario, at age 13. Through his writings and lecture tours, Miner became internationally recognized



as one of the fathers of wildlife conservation. Miner was a pioneer in the practice of bird banding, and he founded his bird sanctuary so that migratory Canada geese would have a place to return. In 1947, the House of Commons established the National Wildlife Week Act in honor of the famous “bird man.” The Kingsville Migration Festival annually celebrates his legacy.