

# THE DAILY CHRONICLE

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## On This Date

**1889** – The word *hamburger* first appeared in print in the *Walla Walla Union*, a newspaper from Walla Walla, Washington. The name comes from a German food called *hamburg steak*—which means “from Hamburg,” not that it contains ham.

**1914** – Henry Ford astonished the world by offering a \$5 per day minimum wage. Labor turnover dropped so much that he stopped bothering to measure it. To be eligible, workers needed to conduct their lives in a manner deemed appropriate by the “Sociological Department.”

**1961** – *Mister Ed*, the show about an intelligent, talking palomino horse, debuted on this day. The show was based on short stories by children’s author Walter R. Brooks.

## Did You Know?

Robert Duvall is a skilled tango dancer and owns tango studios in Argentina and in the United States.

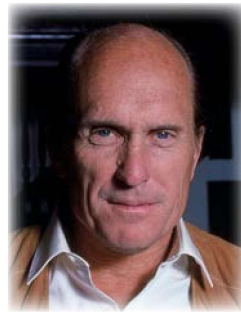
## Quote of the Day

“When I knew nothing,  
I thought I could  
do anything.”

~ *Robert Duvall*

## Happy Birthday!

**Robert Duvall**, born in 1931, is one of America’s finest actors, with a career spanning more than 70 years. Duvall studied in New York with fellow



struggling actors Gene Hackman and Dustin Hoffman before he rose to fame. His film credits include *To Kill a Mockingbird*

(1962), *True Grit* (1969), *The Godfather* (1972), *Apocalypse Now* (1979), *The Natural* (1984), and *Sling Blade* (1996). Duvall has seven Academy Award nominations, including a win for *Tender Mercies* (1983); he has also won four Golden Globes and two Primetime Emmy Awards. He lives with his wife Luciana in Virginia.