



THE DAILY CHRONICLE

SUNDAY, MAY 9, 2021



On This Date

1386 – England and Portugal signed the Treaty of Windsor. The accord is the oldest diplomatic alliance in the world that is still in effect.

1903 – The Barr Colonists, a religious sect of about 2,000 British immigrants, arrived at Lloydminster. The pioneers endured many hardships, but they opened the west for settlement. Today, Lloydminster, straddling the border between Alberta and Saskatchewan, has a population of about 30,000.

Daily Trivia

Q: Which of the 50 United States has the lowest high point?

A: Florida. No point in the Sunshine State is higher than Britton Hill, which is a mere 345 feet above sea level. Florida, rather than Kansas, is also the flattest state in the Union.

Quote of the Day

“Now and then there’s a fool such as I.”

~ Hank Snow

Happy Birthday!

Hank Snow (1914–1999), Canadian American country and western singer, guitarist, and songwriter, was born in Brooklyn, Nova Scotia. At the



age of 14, he bought his first guitar for \$5.95 and began a career that included such hits as “I’m Moving On,” “Let Me Go, Lover!” and “I’ve Been Everywhere.” In 1954, he persuaded the Grand Ole Opry to give a new singer by the name of Elvis Presley a chance. He recorded 140 albums in a career that lasted over five decades. Snow, who spent his childhood living in poverty, founded the Hank Snow International Foundation for Prevention of Child Abuse.