



THE DAILY CHRONICLE

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On This Date

1845 – “The Raven” by Edgar Allan



Poe was published in the *New York Evening Mirror*. It begins, “Once upon a midnight dreary, while

I pondered, weak and weary, Over many a quaint and curious volume of forgotten lore.”

1964 – *Dr. Strangelove*, the classic dark comic movie about nuclear war, was released. The release was scheduled to occur in late 1963 but was delayed because of the assassination of President Kennedy.

Football Fruit

Pangium edule is a tall tree in Southeast Asia with fruit the size and shape of a football—hence one of its names, football fruit. The fruit is oval (about the size of a large husked coconut) with a brown rough surface. The seeds, bark, and leaves are poisonous. The seeds are used as rat poison, and the bark and leaves are sometimes used to stun fish so they can be scooped up easily.

Quote of the Day

“Every day brings a chance for you to draw in a breath, kick off your shoes, and dance.”

~ Oprah Winfrey

Happy Birthday!

Oprah Winfrey, born in 1954, is an internationally famous entrepreneur, philanthropist, author, actress, and media personality. Winfrey overcame childhood poverty and abuse to go on to front her enormously popular talk show *The Oprah Winfrey Show* from 1986–2011, establishing herself as one of the most influential voices of the century. She has donated hundreds of millions of dollars to global and local humanitarian causes, from women’s shelters to education to hunger and far beyond. She and her partner Stedman Graham have been together for nearly 40 years.

