



THE DAILY CHRONICLE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2020

On This Date

1981 – Egyptian president Anwar Sadat was assassinated at a military rally in Cairo. Extremists were also responsible for 11 other deaths that occurred during the attack.



2003 – Jordin Tootoo became the first player of Inuit descent to sign a contract with the National Hockey League. The Canadian played for multiple teams and retired in 2018.

2015 – Arthur B. McDonald of Kingston, Ontario, won the Nobel Prize in Physics. The Queen's University professor discovered that neutrino particles have mass.



Daily Trivia

Bikini designer Louis Réard said a two-piece bathing suit couldn't be called a bikini "unless it could be pulled through a wedding ring."

Quote of the Day

"At the time, I think I was more thrilled over meeting Douglas Fairbanks."

~ Janet Gaynor, on what her Oscar win meant to her

Happy Birthday!

Janet Gaynor (1906–1984) was an actress in film, on stage, and on television. She quickly found fame after signing with the Fox Film Corporation in 1926. Gaynor won the first Academy Award for Best Actress in 1929 for her roles in the silent films *7th Heaven*, *Sunrise*, and *Street Angel*. This was the only time an award was presented for multiple roles. She went on to be nominated for another Best Actress award for her role in the original *A Star Is Born* (1937). After retiring from acting, Gaynor became an accomplished still-life painter.

