



THE DAILY CHRONICLE

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On This Date

1821 – McGill University was granted a Royal Charter. The school was formally opened as McGill College in June 1829.



1870 – Thomas Peterson-Mundy of New Jersey, became the first African American to vote under the Fifteenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

1880 – Wabash, Indiana, became the first electrically lighted city in the world using carbon-arc lights.

1975 – The 36th piece of the antenna mast was placed on the CN Tower in Toronto, which until recently was the world's tallest freestanding structure.

The Trivia Buzz

The bumblebee does not die when it stings. In bumblebee hives, the entire colony, except for the queen, dies at the end of each summer. Each year, an entirely new colony of bees must be produced.

Quote of the Day

“Fashion is the armor to survive the reality of everyday life.”

~ *Fashion photographer
Bill Cunningham*

Happy Birthday!

Liz Claiborne (1929–2007) was an American fashion icon who grew up in Brussels and New Orleans. Before completing high school, she left the United States for Europe,



where she studied art and fashion. She then moved to Manhattan, where she worked in the garment district as a sketch artist. In 1976, she launched her own label, Liz Claiborne Inc., which is now owned by J.C. Penney, with the goal of creating colorful, upscale, easy-to-wear clothing for working women. The brand was an immediate success, making the Fortune 500 list and over \$1 billion dollars in sales in just 10 years.