



THE DAILY CHRONICLE

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Today is Different Colored Eyes Day. Many people have two differently colored eyes (i.e., one green and one blue). This is called *heterochromia iridum*. According to historians, Alexander the Great had this condition.

Weather or Not



On April 13, 1360, Easter Monday, King Edward III of England marched his 10,000 soldiers to the French city of Chartres during the Hundred Years' War between England and France. The French hid behind their walls while Edward laid siege to the city. But that night, a sudden storm struck. First, lightning killed some of the soldiers, then temperatures plunged, winds howled, and hailstones fell. More than 1,000 soldiers and 6,000 horses died. Edward believed it was a sign from God and negotiated peace. That day came to be remembered as Black Monday.

Riddle Me This

Two fathers and two sons are in a car, yet only three are in the car.

How can this be?

ANSWER: It is a grandfather, father, and son.

The Games People Play

The influence of J. K. Rowling's *Harry Potter* series has infiltrated the world of sports. In the books, Harry Potter plays the fictional game of *Quidditch*, where players fly on broomsticks and attempt to throw a ball, known as the *quaffle*, through ringed goals. Now, non-magical humans (or *muggles*) have taken up the game. Players romp around with a broom between their legs (on the ground, of course) while attempting to score goals with a quaffle.

Word Wise

Which word is not like the others?

Nobel

Razzie

MacArthur

Pulitzer

ANSWER: A Razzie is an award honoring the worst; the others are prestigious prizes for excellence.