



THE DAILY CHRONICLE

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On This Date

1718 – The pirate known as Blackbeard was killed in a battle with the British navy off the coast of North Carolina. Contrary to his popular image, there is no known account that he ever harmed or murdered those he held captive.



1921 – The *London Gazette* reported the proclamation of Canada's Coat of Arms, designating white and red as the official Canadian colors.

1926 – The Imperial Conference in London (England) came to a close. The leaders adopted the term *commonwealth* to establish that all dominions were of equal status within the British Empire.

Geography Factoid

Borneo is the third largest island in the world (after Greenland and New Guinea).

Quote of the Day

“You only live once, but if you do it right, once is enough.”

~ Mae West

Happy Birthday!

Arthur Hiller (1923–2016), born in Edmonton, was a film director. Hiller directed more than 33 films during his 50-year career. Among his notable films were *Tobruk* (1967), *The Hospital* (1971), *The Out-of-Towners* (1970), *Love Story* (1970), and *Silver Streak* (1976). He served in the Royal Canadian Air Force during World War II. After returning from the service, Hiller attended University College, Toronto, where he earned a Bachelor of Arts degree. He worked for the CBC before attracting the attention of Hollywood. He served as a president of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences.

