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1485



The War of the Roses finishes at the Battle of Bosworth.

1485-1509



Reign of King Henry VII.



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1492



Christopher Columbus
discovers the West Indies.

1509



King Henry VII dies.
His son, Henry VIII,
succeeds as king.



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1528



King Henry VIII sacks Cardinal Wolsey for not persuading the Pope to allow his divorce.

1534

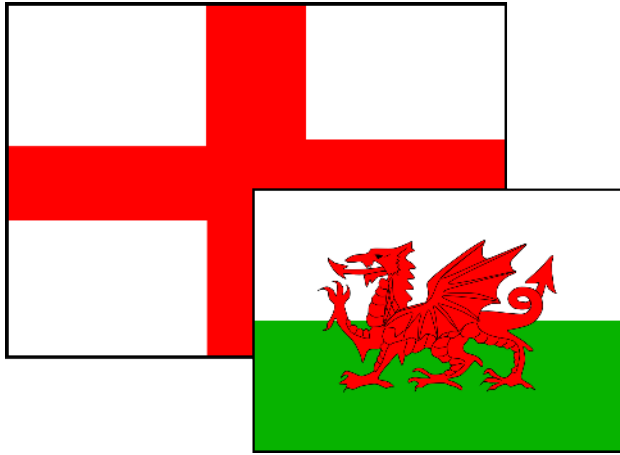


King Henry VIII forms the Church of England.



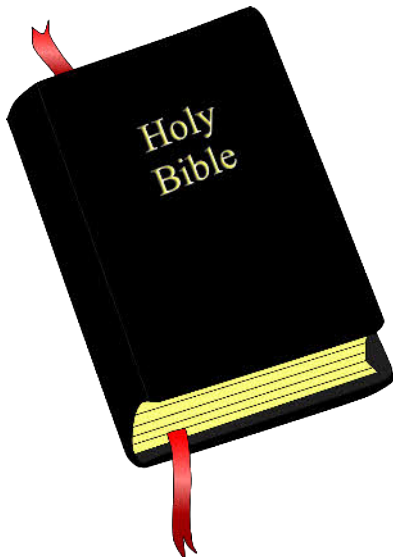
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1535



Wales becomes part of England in the 'Act of Union'.

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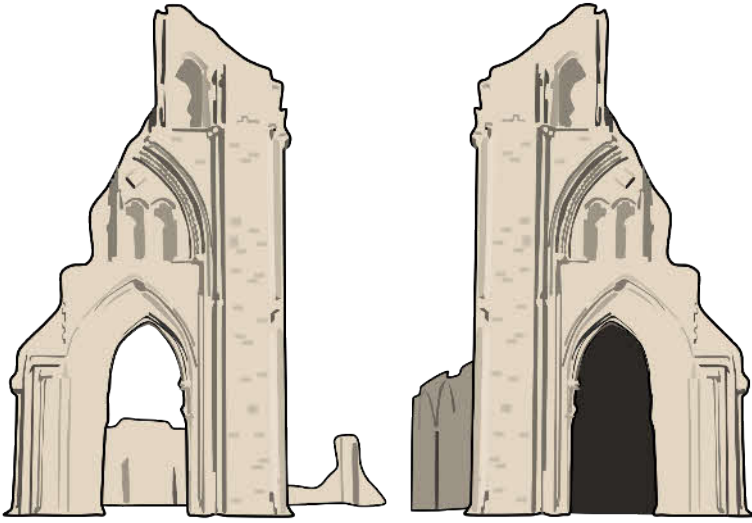


The Bible is printed in English for the first time.



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1536-1539



The Dissolution of Monasteries.

1542

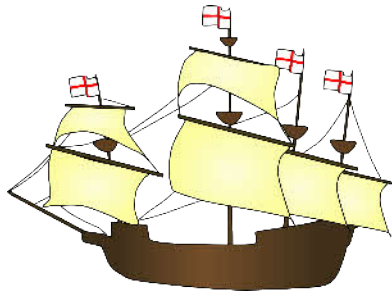


Mary, Queen of Scots lays claim to the English throne.



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1545



Following Henry VIII's invasion of Northern France, the French attempt to invade England. The Mary Rose ship sinks.

1547-1553

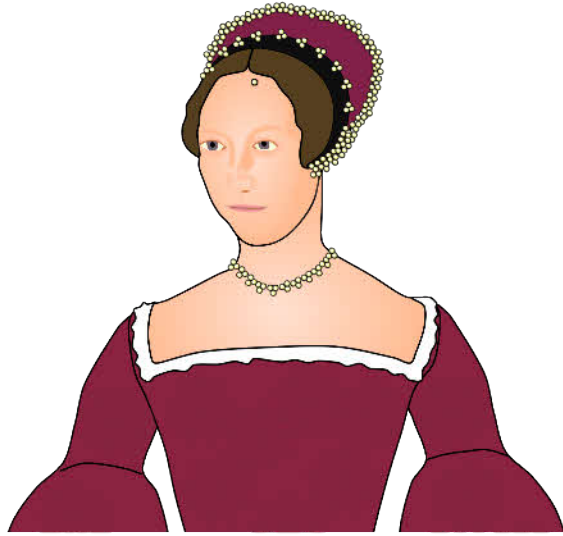


King Edward VI's reign.



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1553-1558



The reign of Queen Mary Tudor.

1558



Queen Elizabeth I begins her reign.



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1561



Mary, Queen of Scots goes back to Scotland.

1570



Sir Francis Drake begins his first journey to the West Indies.



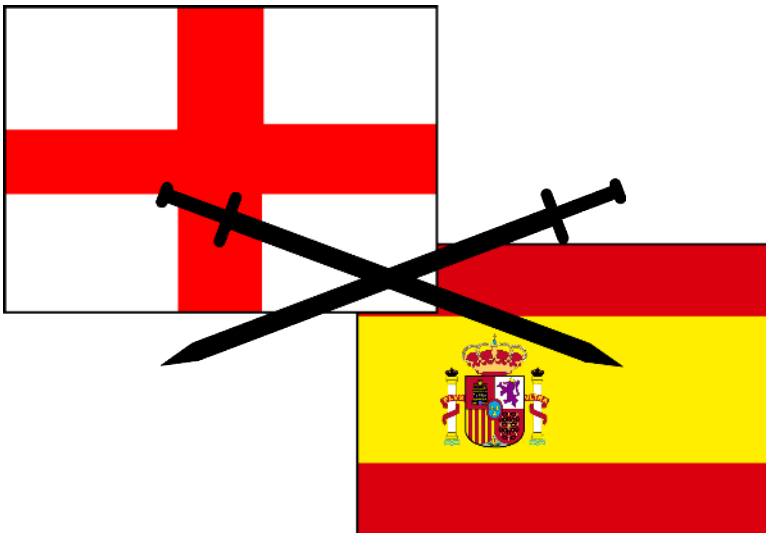
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1577



Sir Francis Drake becomes the second person to go around the world.

1585-1604



England and Spain are at war.



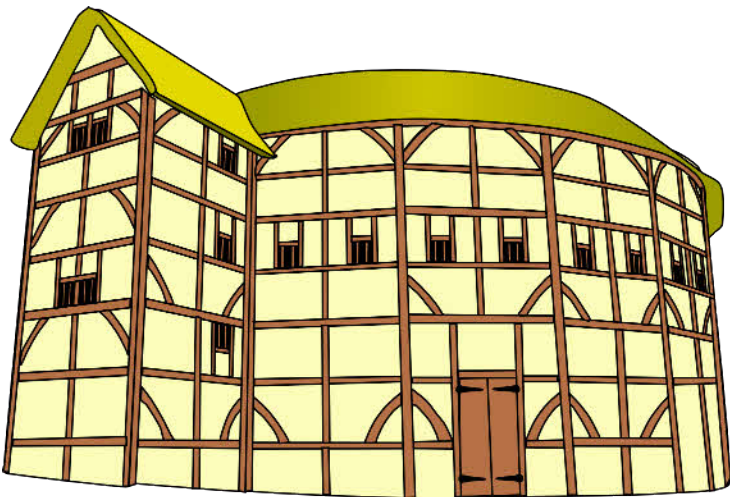
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1588



The defeat of the Spanish Armada.

1591



A William Shakespeare play is first performed.



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1603



Queen Elizabeth I dies.
King James (Scotland)
becomes king.

