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1950



C. S. Lewis' *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* first published.

1952

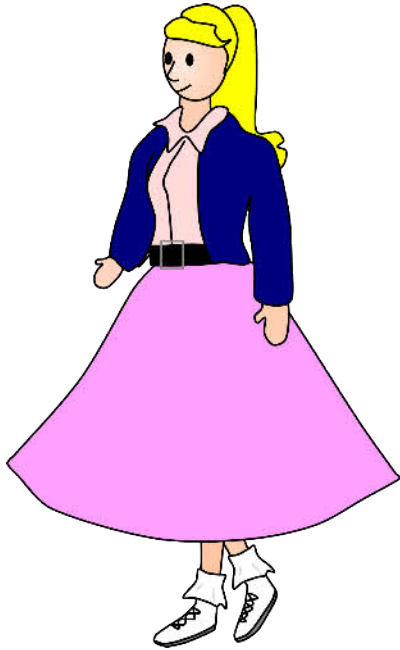


Coronation of Elizabeth II.



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1959



First Barbie doll on sale.

1962



The Beatles release their first single.



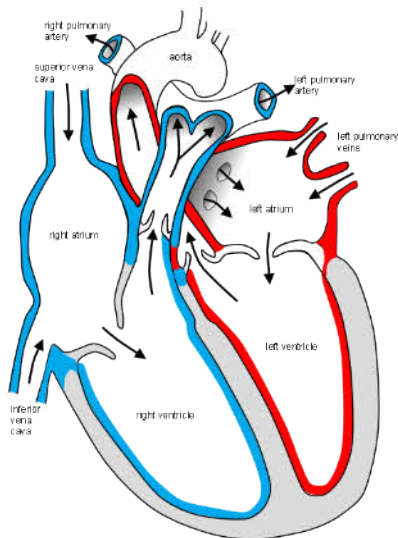
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1966



The England football team win the World Cup.

1968

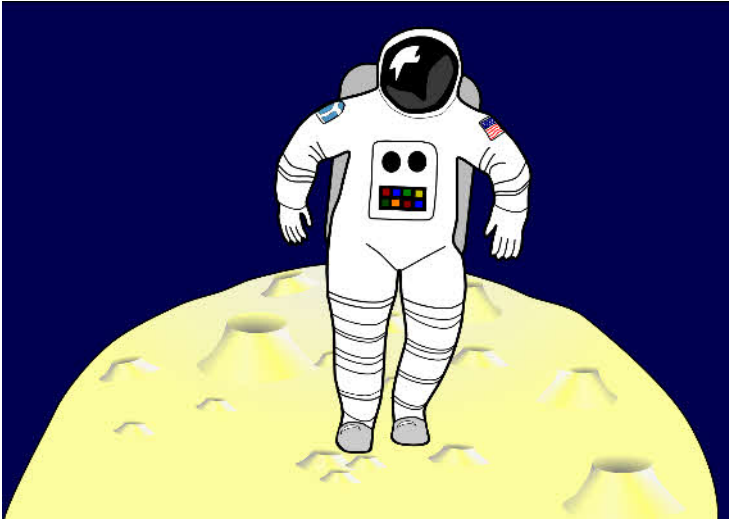


First heart transplant operation.



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1969



Man first lands
on the moon.

1971

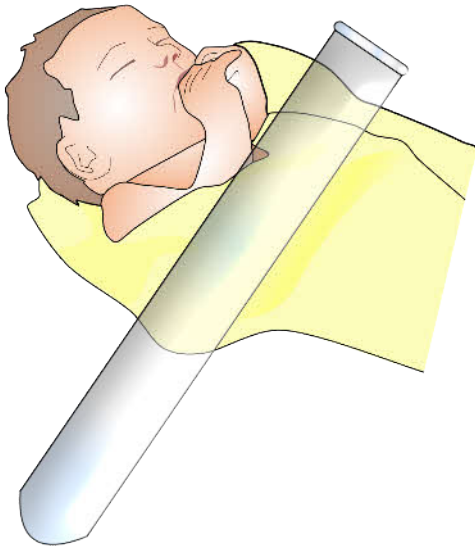


The first decimal coins
introduced in Britain.



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1978



The first 'test tube baby' is born.

1979

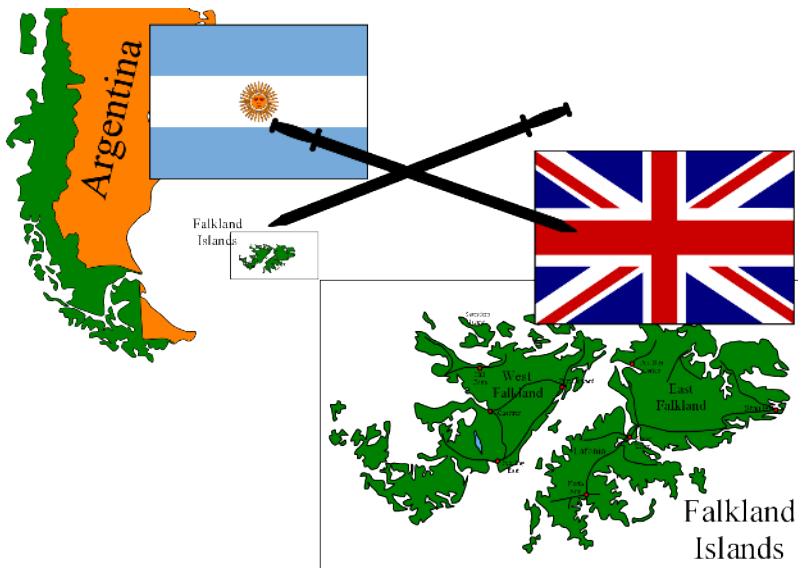


Margaret Thatcher becomes the first woman Prime Minister.



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1982



The Falklands War.

1982

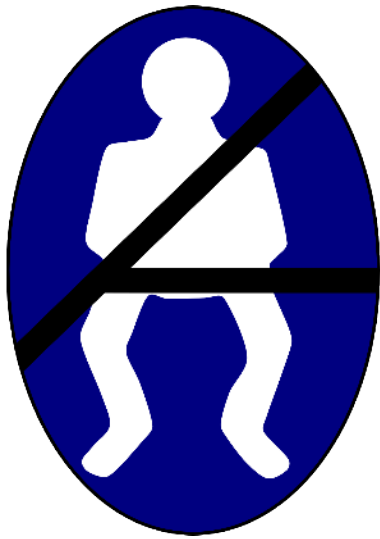


Prince William is born.



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1983



Car seatbelts become compulsory.

1985

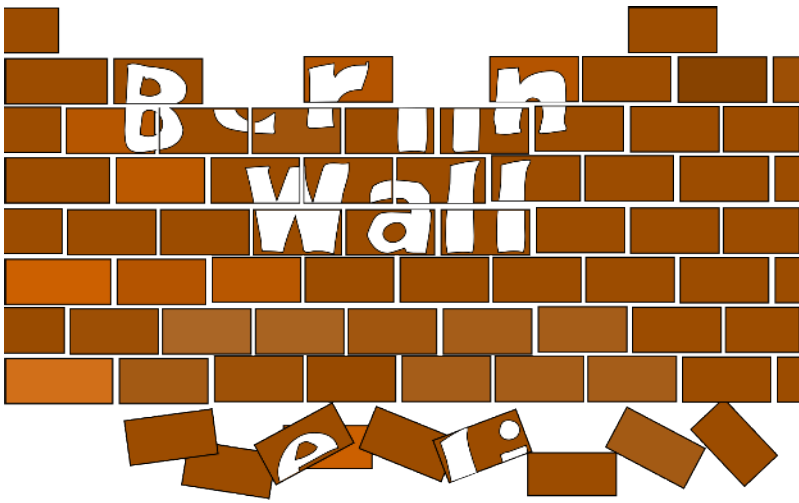


Prince Harry is born.



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1989



The Berlin Wall
is pulled down.

1994



The Channel Tunnel opens.



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1997



Princess Diana dies in Paris car crash.

1998

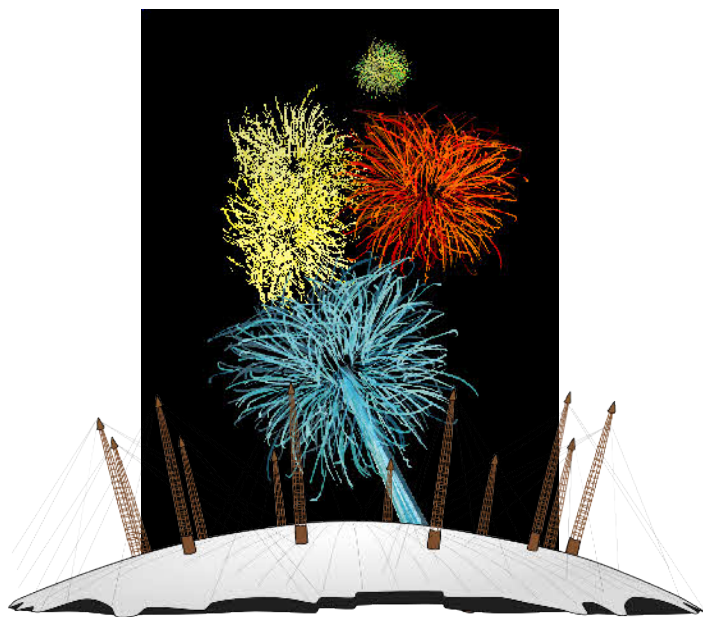


The 'Good Friday Agreement' is signed in Northern Ireland.



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2000



The New Millennium begins.

