

The Birthday Times

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Was born on Sunday, December 29, 1907

The Year's Top Story

US plunges into depression as stocks fall, banks fail.

News of the Month

Roosevelt sends fleet of 16 battleships around the world.

New immigration record set: 1,285,349 enter US.

Nevada governor calls for federal troops to stop rioting gold miners.

People Who Share Your Birthday

1808 Andrew Johnson
17th US President
1891 Joyce Clyde Hall
Hallmark Cards
1876 Pablo Casals
Cellist, conductor
1937 Mary Tyler Moore
Actress
1938 Jon Voight
Actor
1879 Billy Mitchell
Aviator, WWI hero

PRESIDENT Theodore Roosevelt
VICE PRESIDENT Charles W. Fairbanks

And the Winner Is...

Broadway Show The Follies of 1907
by F. Ziegfeld, music by V. Herbert
Opera The Golden Cockerel by Rimsky-Korsakov
Painting Wake of the Ferry by J.F. Sloane
Art Downing the Nigh Leader by F. Remington
World Series Chicago Cubs over Detroit Tigers
Boxing (Heavyweight) Tommy Burns
Kentucky Derby Pink Star - A. Minder up

People Your Age

.....Barbara Stanwyck.....
....Rachel Louise Carson.....
.....Robert Young.....
.....Gene Autry.....

Tunes of the Times

Red Wing ... School Days ... On the Road to
Mandalay ... Glow Worm ... Harrigan ... I Wish
I Had a Girl ... Bell Bottom Trousers ... The
Merry Widow Waltz ... Take Me Back to New York
Town ... There Never Was a Girl Like You

Famous Firsts

Fred Maytag entered washing machine
business ... First wristwatch, Ford
tractor, paint spray gun introduced
... Radio tube invented ... William
Harley and Arthur Davidson produced
motorbike ... Cell division observed
... Tissue culture techniques
developed ... Oklahoma new state

Life in the U.S.A. — Then & Now

	1907	1987
Population	87,008,000	245,900,000
3 Br. Home	\$2,400	\$78,843
Avg. Income	\$490	\$29,896
New Ford	\$750	\$9,940
Eggs, 1 doz.	\$.29	\$.86
Bread, 1 lb.	\$.05	\$.67
Milk, 1 gal.	\$.31	\$2.36

Fun Facts & More

1st daily comic strip MUTT & JEFF appeared under name Mr. A. Mutt ... Traveling
vaudeville acts entertained with comedy, music, jugglers ... Hershey marketed
Chocolate Kisses ... Ringling Bros. bought Barnum & Bailey Circus ... Dime
novels were popular with young people, featuring heroes such as Frank Merriwell
... Ziegfeld Follies staged first performance ... Two-step was popular dance