



On this day in history

September 27, 2026

622

Muhammad completes Hegira

1540

Jesuit order established

1779

John Adams appointed to negotiate peace terms with British

1822

French scholar announces he's cracked the Rosetta Stone code

1854

Ships collide off Newfoundland, killing about 350

1869

Sheriff Wild Bill Hickok breaks up fight, kills a man

1888

‘Jack the Ripper’ gets his name

1915

John Kipling killed at the Battle of Loos

1938

Franklin Roosevelt appeals to Hitler for peace

1939

Warsaw falls to German forces

1940

The Tripartite Pact is signed by Germany, Italy and Japan

1960

British suffragette Sylvia Pankhurst dies

1962

Rachel Carson’s “Silent Spring” is published

1989

Zsa Zsa Gabor storms out of the courtroom