

## December

- Dec. 1 ..... Birthday of Lee Harvey  
Dec. 2 ..... The Legends of Christmas  
Dec. 3 ..... First Heart Transplant  
Performed  
Dec. 4 ..... Know Your State Capital  
Day  
Dec. 6 ..... Visit Disney Born  
Dec. 6 ..... Feast of St. Nicholas  
Dec. 7 ..... First Harbor Master  
Dec. 8 ..... Birthday of Anthony  
Davis Jr.  
Dec. 9 ..... Ernest Kelly Born  
Dec. 10-14 ..... Human Rights Week  
Dec. 11 ..... UNICEF Created  
Dec. 12 ..... Washington, D.C.  
Reopens Our Capital  
Dec. 13 ..... Dick Van Dyke Born  
Dec. 14 ..... Abraham Lincoln Scout  
Foil  
Dec. 16 ..... Issue Water Day  
Dec. 16 ..... Birthday of Ludwig van  
Beethoven  
Dec. 17 ..... Wright Brothers' First  
Flight  
Dec. 18 ..... Steven Spielberg Born  
Dec. 18 ..... Poor Richard's Almanac  
First Published  
Dec. 20 ..... Sarsaparilla Died  
Dec. 21 ..... Apollo 8 Launched  
Dec. 22 ..... California Klutznick City  
Dec. 23 ..... "A Visit from St. Nicholas"  
First Published  
Dec. 24 ..... National Hunt Club from  
Hood City  
Dec. 25 ..... Christmas  
Dec. 26 ..... Koolhaas  
Dec. 27 ..... Peter Pan Operated in  
London  
Dec. 28 ..... First Patent for Cheating  
Golf  
Dec. 28 ..... Rockefeller's Million-Dollar  
Operation  
Dec. 28 ..... Birthday of Bert Parks  
Dec. 31 ..... Ellis Island Opened

## January

- Jan. 1 ..... Paul Harvey and Betty  
Ross Born  
Jan. 2 ..... Winter Sports Day  
Entire Month of January  
National Soup Month  
Jan. 4 ..... Birthday of Jacob Grimm  
Jan. 5 ..... Bob Day  
Jan. 6 ..... Carl Sandburg Born  
Jan. 7 ..... Transatlantic Radio  
Telephone Service Began  
Jan. 8 ..... Birthday of Steve Prohme  
Jan. 9 ..... First Women's Golf  
Tournament  
Jan. 10 ..... George Foreman Born  
Jan. 11 ..... International Thank You  
Day  
Jan. 12 ..... John Hancock Born  
Jan. 13 ..... Hippie Day Died  
Jan. 14 ..... Birthday of Albert  
Schweitzer  
Jan. 16 ..... Martin Luther King, Jr.  
Born  
Jan. 16 ..... Dizzy Dean Born  
Jan. 17 ..... Birthday of Brian Lewis  
Jan. 18 ..... Alan Alexander Milne Born  
Jan. 18-21 ..... Robert E. Lee Born  
Jan. 20 ..... Wisconsin Dells' Fossil Out  
Festival  
Jan. 21 ..... Sea-Edge Appreciation  
Day  
Jan. 22 ..... Five Postal Routes in  
United States  
Jan. 23 ..... Coolidge and Gagner  
Invented Aqua Lung  
Jan. 24 ..... Birthday of Mary Lou  
Retton  
Jan. 26 ..... Nellie Sly Returns to  
America  
Jan. 26 ..... Largest Diamond Ever  
Found  
Jan. 27 ..... Birthday of Jerome Kern  
Jan. 28 ..... Jacobin Patrick Born  
Jan. 28 ..... Birthday of Oprah Winfrey  
Jan. 30 ..... National National Hall of  
Fame Established  
Jan. 31 ..... John Gray Born

## February

- Feb. 1 ..... Alexander Selkirk  
Rescued  
Feb. 2 ..... Groundhog Day  
Feb. 3 ..... Birthday of Norman  
Maclean  
Feb. 4 ..... Charles Lindbergh's Flight  
Entire Month of February  
African-American History  
Month  
Feb. 6 ..... Puerto Rico Becomes a  
U.S. Territory  
Feb. 7 ..... Sam Cooke Born  
Feb. 8 ..... Birthday of Ted Koppel  
Feb. 9 ..... National Weather Service  
Began  
Feb. 10 ..... U.S. Post Fixed  
Feb. 11 ..... National Inventor's Day  
Feb. 12 ..... Norman Lincoln Born  
Feb. 13 ..... First American Magazine  
Feb. 14 ..... Valentine's Day  
Third Monday of February  
President's Day  
Feb. 16 ..... Super Bowling Start in  
San  
Feb. 17 ..... FDA Founded  
Feb. 18 ..... Forest Photo Photographed  
Feb. 19 ..... Biology Introduced in  
France  
Feb. 20 ..... United States Buy High  
Grade  
Feb. 21 ..... Washington Monument  
Dedicated  
Feb. 22 ..... Birthday of George  
Washington  
Feb. 23 ..... Samuel Pappas Born  
Feb. 24 ..... Leakey Discovers "Missing  
Link"  
Feb. 26 ..... Income Tax Bill Ratified  
Feb. 26 ..... Buffalo Bill Born  
Feb. 27 ..... Operation Desert Storm  
Ended  
Feb. 28 ..... Origin of Republican Party