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ON THIS DAY



▲ **2007: Six employees of French aid group Zoe's Ark and three French journalists were charged with child abduction in Chad after they tried to fly 103 supposed orphans to Europe**

1485: King Henry VII of England founded the Yeomen of the Guard

1911: Pu-Yi, five-year-old emperor of China, granted a new constitution that officially ended three centuries of Manchu domination over China

1974: Muhammad Ali knocked out George Foreman to regain the world heavyweight boxing title

1990: A census in China showed the population now exceeded one billion