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Today in History

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▲ **La Marseillaise**, later adopted as the French national anthem, was first sung in Paris by revolutionaries marching on Louis XVI's Tuileries palace

1935: The first Penguin paperback book was published

1947: Body-builder turned actor and politician **Arnold Schwarzenegger** was born in Austria

2001: Canada became the first country in the world to legalise the use of marijuana for medical purposes

2009: After four days of violence in northern Nigeria that claimed 700 lives, the leader of the radical Boko Haram Islamist group was captured and shot