



Today in History

January 11, 1963

▲ The first discotheque in the U.S., the Whisky-A-Go-Go, opened in Los Angeles and soon became famous for its caged Go-Go dancers

1913: The last horse-drawn omnibus in Paris made its final journey

1966: Italian sculptor and painter Alberto Giacometti, best known for his “thin man” sculptures, died

2001: America Online (AOL) and Time Warner merged to create the world’s largest media conglomerate

2004: Israel began constructing a concrete barrier around Jerusalem, sealing off the city from Palestinian districts