



Today in History

June 5, 1783

▲ **Brothers Joseph and Jacques Montgolfier gave the first public demonstration of their hot-air balloon in a 10-minute unmanned flight over Annonay, France**

1968: U.S. Senator and presidential candidate Robert Kennedy was shot while campaigning in Los Angeles; he died the next day

1977: The Apple II, the world's first personal computer, went on sale

2004: Former U.S. President Ronald Reagan died at age 93 following a 10-year battle with Alzheimer's disease

2005: Reports emerged that Taiwan had successfully test-fired a cruise missile capable of reaching China