



Today in History

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▲ The state of Madhya Pradesh in central India was designated a “tiger state” to protect the threatened animal from poachers and settlers

1914: Archduke Franz Ferdinand of Austria was assassinated in Sarajevo, an event that led to the First World War

1988: Mike Tyson retained boxing’s world heavyweight crown with a 91-second win over Michael Spinks

1992: U.S. surgeons transplanted a baboon’s liver into a human being

1995: Nelson Mandela set up a Truth and Reconciliation Commission to investigate human rights abuses committed during the apartheid era