



Today in History

March 30, 1981

▲ **U.S. President Ronald Reagan was shot in the chest by would-be assassin John Hinckley as he left a Washington hotel. Three others were also injured**

1135: Moses Maimonides, the foremost intellectual figure of medieval Judaism, was born in Cordoba, Spain

1820: Anna Sewell, English author of *Black Beauty*, was born

1870: The Fifteenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was ratified, stating that race was no bar to voting rights

2010: The Large Hadron Collider shattered records by colliding particle beams at a combined energy of 7 teraelectronvolts (TeV)