



Today in History

May 26, 1995

▲ **Bosnian Serbs seized 200 UN troops as hostages in response to NATO's first air strikes on the Bosnian Serb capital, Pale. They were not released until June**

1328: William of Ockham, English friar after whom Occam's Razor is named, was forced to flee from Avignon after Pope John XXII's attack on the Franciscan vow of strict poverty

1959: A U.S. toy firm registered the trade mark Frisbee for its flying disc

1971: The TU-144, a Soviet version of Concorde, was demonstrated in Paris

1975: U.S. stuntman Evel Knievel was badly injured in a motorbike jump over 13 buses in London