



## Today in History

*December 28, 1945*

▲ **The U.S. Congress adopted the Pledge of Allegiance, a patriotic oath of loyalty to be recited daily by American schoolchildren, first written in 1892**

**1895:** French brothers Antoine and Louis Lumiere gave the first public demonstration of motion pictures using their Cinematograph

**1972:** Kim Il-sung became the first President of North Korea

**1985:** A Syrian-brokered ceasefire was agreed between Lebanon's Muslim and Christian militias

**1995:** Iran and Russia concluded a 10-year agreement for cooperation in military, oil, energy and other areas