



Today in History

June 6, 2015

▲ **American Pharoah became the first horse to win the U.S. Triple Crown since 1978, winning the Kentucky Derby, Preakness Stakes and Belmont Stakes in succession**

1966: America's Gemini 9 spacecraft returned after a three-day mission

1984: Indian troops stormed the Golden Temple at Amritsar, the Sikhs' holiest shrine

2003: Volkswagen announced that production of the original, classic Beetle car would cease later in the year

2007: Cyclone Gonu, the worst cyclone ever to strike the Arabian Peninsula, battered Oman, causing \$4bn in damage and over 50 deaths