



Today in History

July 7, 1591

▲ The week-long festival of San Fermin, famous for the “encierro”, or running of the bulls, was established in Pamplona, a city in the Navarra region of Spain

1952: The liner United States made the fastest-ever crossing of the Atlantic, in 3 days, 10 hours, 40 minutes

2005: Four suicide bomb attacks on London’s transport network at rush hour killed 56 people and injured 700. They were the first such bombings in western Europe

2007: Over 100 million voted to name the new seven wonders of the world

2007: A truck bomb killed 150 people and wounded 240 in Amirli, Iraq