



Today in History

February 9, 1942

▲ U.S. singer-songwriter Carole King was born in New York. With former husband Gerry Goffin she wrote many chart hits, including **Will You Still Love Me Tomorrow**

1950: Senator Joseph McCarthy said there were card-carrying Communists in the U.S. State Department

1969: The Boeing 747, the first wide-body commercial airliner, made its maiden flight

1981: General Wojciech Jaruzelski became prime minister of Poland during the Solidarity crisis

2003: India began its biggest ever mass immunization campaign in an effort to end a polio epidemic