



Today in History

March 1, 1692

▲ **The Salem witch trials began in Massachusetts when three women were charged with witchcraft. Twenty people were subsequently executed as the hysteria spread**

1872: Yellowstone National Park was founded in the United States, becoming the world's first national park

1932: Pu-Yi, China's "Last Emperor" who abdicated the throne in 1912, was installed as ruler of Japanese-controlled Manchuria

1992: King Fahd of Saudi Arabia unveiled major political reforms after 10 years of authoritarian rule

2014: Russia dispatched troops to the Ukrainian region of Crimea