



Today in History

August 28, 1967

▲ **Charles Darrow, inventor of the board game Monopoly, died. Launched in 1935, the game's success made Darrow the first ever millionaire game designer**

1988: Three Italian jets collided at an aerobatics display at an air show in West Germany, killing 33 spectators

1994: Russia withdrew the kopek, a coin worth a hundredth of a rouble

2009: Jaycee Lee Dugard was reunited with her family in California 18 years after being kidnapped at age 11

2014: The UN said that more than three million Syrians were now registered as refugees, with a further 6.5 million displaced within Syria