



Today in History

April 19, 1943

▲ **The Warsaw Ghetto Uprising began when the last 60,000 Polish Jews confined there resisted Nazi efforts to transport them to extermination camps**

1713: Holy Roman Emperor Charles VI gave women the rights of succession to Hapsburg possessions

1993: At the FBI siege of the Branch Davidian cult at Waco, Texas, 80 died when the cult set fire to the compound

1995: Over 350 people were poisoned after phosgene gas was released on a crowded train in Japan

2015: Over 800 migrants died when their ship sank in the Mediterranean off the coast of Libya