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▲ **La Marseillaise** was restored as France's national anthem. It was written in 1792 by Claude Joseph Rouget De Lisle to rally soldiers to defend their homeland

1929: The Valentine's Day Massacre took place in Chicago, as Al Capone's gang gunned down seven rivals

1939: The German battleship **Bismarck** was launched

1989: Skyphone, the first satellite telephone service, was launched on a British Airways flight from London to New York

1994: U.S. manufacturers agreed to pay a \$4.75bn settlement to women harmed by silicone breast implants