



Today in History

April 28, 1789

▲ Fletcher Christian led a mutiny aboard the British navy ship HMS Bounty. Captain William Bligh and other non-mutineers were cast adrift in a small boat in the Pacific

1919: The Treaty of Versailles imposed huge reparations on Germany after the First World War

1920: Azerbaijan, the world's first Muslim-majority and secular republic, was incorporated into the Soviet Union

1989: Argentina, hit by hyper-inflation, ran out of money leaving thousands stranded without cash

2009: Swine flu, first detected in Mexico, quickly spread worldwide