



*April 3, 1860*

▲ **The first Pony Express carrying the U.S. mail set out on its 2,000-mile run from St Joseph, Missouri, to Sacramento in California**

**1950:** German composer Kurt Weil died. His best known work includes *The Threepenny Opera*

**1975:** Anatoly Karpov, 23, became world chess champion when Bobby Fischer failed to show up

**2000:** Microsoft was found guilty of violating an antitrust act forbidding large companies from unfairly hindering competition

**2010:** Apple Inc. released the iPad, selling 300,000 on its first day