



Today in History

April 12, 1945

▲ **Franklin D. Roosevelt, the only U.S. President to serve four terms, died in office as World War II neared its end. He was succeeded by Vice President Harry Truman**

1994: Two lawyers posted the first example of commercial mass spam, targeting 5,500 net discussion groups

2003: WHO officials visiting Beijing revealed that SARS cases had been seriously underreported

2010: The U.S. hosted a summit on how to safeguard weapons-grade plutonium and uranium to prevent nuclear terrorism

2010: The deepest ever undersea volcanic vents, or “black smokers”, were discovered in the Caribbean