



Today in History

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▲ Pop superstar Prince died at 57 after an accidental drug overdose. Record sales of hits like *Purple Rain* and *Sign o' the Times* topped 100 million over his career

753 BC: According to legend, Romulus founded the city of Rome

1526: The first **Battle of Panipat** took place in northern India, marking the start of the **Mughal Empire**

2002: A shock result saw extreme-right winger Jean Marie Le Pen win the first round of the French presidential election

2011: Japanese authorities strictly enforced a no-entry area around the stricken Fukushima nuclear plant, preventing evacuees from returning