



## Today in History

*July 11, 1893*

▲ A Japanese entrepreneur produced the first cultured pearl. By 1935 there were 350 pearl farms in Japan, which produced 10 million pearls each year

**1776:** Explorer Captain James Cook sailed from Plymouth, England, on what was to be his last expedition

**1996:** International arrest warrants were issued against Bosnian Serb leaders for genocide and war crimes

**2006:** Seven coordinated explosions on packed rush-hour commuter trains in Mumbai, India, killed 209 people

**2015:** Mexican drug lord “El Chapo” Guzman escaped from jail a second time, via a tunnel under his shower