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▲ **The New York Stock Exchange was founded by 24 brokers who signed an agreement while meeting under a tree on what is now Wall Street**

**1861:** Thomas Cook arranged the first package holiday, a six-day trip from London to Paris

**1954:** The U.S. Supreme Court outlawed racial segregation in the state school system

**2007:** Trains from North and South Korea crossed the heavily fortified border for the first time since the Korean War

**2012:** Facebook became a public company, valued at \$104 billion