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▲ The first Boeing 747 arrived at London's Heathrow airport after its proving flight from New York. Production of the popular aircraft ended in December 2022

1875: Kwang-su, penultimate Emperor of China, came to the throne when he was only four years old

1998: Germany agreed to set up a fund to compensate 18,000 Jewish Nazi victims in Eastern Europe

1998: Hong Kong's largest investment bank was forced to close as Asia's financial crisis worsened

2010: A 7.0 earthquake hit the impoverished Caribbean island of Haiti, killing over 220,000 people