



Today in History

August 11, 1994

▲ The era of internet shopping began when a CD version of an album by Sting became the first item sold online in a secure purchase

1978: The bacteria responsible for Legionnaire's disease was isolated

1984: Ronald Reagan caused a scare by saying the U.S. would "begin bombing Russia in five minutes" when testing a microphone

1999: The U.S. state of Kansas dropped the theory of evolution from the school science curriculum

2016: A scientific study revealed that Greenland sharks can live for at least 400 years