



Today in History

October 25, 1854

▲ The abortive Charge of the Light Brigade, an attack by sabre-armed British cavalry on a Russian artillery battery in the Crimean War, ended in a massacre

1971: The People's Republic of China replaced the Republic of China (Taiwan) at the United Nations

2004: America's huge International Steel Group was taken over by Mittal Steel, led by India's Lakshmi Mittal

2017: Chinese leader Xi Jinping's name and ideology were enshrined in China's constitution

2023: In the U.S. a gunman killed 18 people during a shooting spree at two locations in Lewiston, Maine