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On This Date

1775 – General Richard Montgomery of the Continental Army seized control of Montreal, Canada. Weeks earlier, British forces had captured Ethan Allen during his unsuccessful attack on the city, but Montgomery entered Montreal without opposition.



1839 – After nearly 600 years, the last Stamford bull run, a bull-running and bull-baiting event, occurred in England. Ostensibly celebrating St. Brice's Day, over time the run had devolved into drunken disorder and had fallen out of favor for its cruelty to the bull.

2001 – Colombian singer Shakira released her fifth studio album, *Laundry Service*. It was her first album in English and topped the Canadian charts.



Fashionable Trivia

When petticoats, or overskirts, were fashionable, women's pockets were removable and interchangeable.

Quote of the Day

"All you need is love.
But a little chocolate now
and then doesn't hurt."

~ Charles M. Schulz

Happy Birthday!

Whoopi Goldberg, born Caryn Elaine Johnson in 1955, is an acclaimed American actress, comedian, author, and television personality from New York City. Goldberg is best known for her Academy Award-winning performance in *Ghost* and her starring roles in *The Color Purple*, *Sister Act*, and *Jumpin' Jack Flash*. One of the few entertainers to achieve EGOT status, she has won an Emmy, Grammy, Oscar, and Tony Award. In addition to her film career, Goldberg has been a longtime cohost of *The View*. In 2026, an off-Broadway revival of her successful 1984 one-woman show, *The Whoopi Chronicles*, began a limited run of performances.



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