

Today in Military History

Description

Oct 25th has established itself as a "triple crown" of major military battles in history.

In 2005, I encapsulated [details on and links to more information](#) on the Battle of Agincourt " 1415 (remembered by the Henry V's great speech from Shakespeare), the Charge of the Light Brigade in the Crimean War " 1854, and the Battle Off Samar " 1944.

Update (late PM): [And, boy! is there a lot more!](#)

For example:

1940: [Benjamin O. Davis, Sr](#) becomes the Army's first African-American general

1942: Battle of Henderson Field on Guadalcanal begins

1974: USAF launches its first ICBM

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