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On this day in...

1928, John Logie Baird demonstrated the first colour television transmission in London. Despite this, colour television was not widely broadcast until around 40 years later in the 1960s and in some countries not until many more years after that!



Did you know...

in 18th century England pineapples were a symbol of status and wealth. Those rich enough to own a pineapple would carry it around with them and decorate clothing and houseware with the fruit. For those not rich enough to own their own pineapple, you could rent one for the day instead!

Go explore...

A people without
the knowledge
of their past history,
origin and culture is like
a tree without roots.
Marcus Garvey

Picture this...

In the Victorian era, men with moustaches would drink out of special tea cups. Can you think why?



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