

Let's Pop Back to 1914

JOLLY TIME® Pop Corn was born 100 years ago, in 1914 – imagine what the world looked like then! Many monumental moments in history happened during that year. So prep your kernels, folks, and let's travel back in time to 1914. You never know when this trivia may "pop" up handy!

January 5: Ford Motor Co wages jump from \$2.40/9-hr day to \$5.00/8-hr day

February 7: Charlie Chaplin debuts "The Tramp"

February 12: In Washington, DC, the first stone of the Lincoln Memorial is put into place

February 16: First airplane flight from Los Angeles to San Francisco

March 1: Harry Carey is born in St. Louis

March 14: Serbia & Turkey sign peace treaty

March 20: First international figure-skating tournament held in New Haven, Connecticut

March 27: First successful blood transfusion in Brussels

April 9: The first color film "The World, The Flesh and The Devil" is shown in London

April 22: Babe Ruth's first professional game (as a pitcher) is a 6-hit 6-0 win

May 7: US Congress establishes Mother's Day

May 8: Paramount Pictures is formed

May 21: Greyhound Bus Co. begins in Minnesota

July 14: First patent for liquid-fueled rocket design granted (Robert Goddard)

July 18: US army air service first comes into being, in Signal Corps

July 28: World War I begins

July 29: In Massachusetts, the new Cape Cod Canal opens; it shortens the trip between New York and Boston by 66 miles, but also turns Cape Cod into an island

August 5: First traffic light installed in Cleveland, Ohio



September 1: The last known passenger pigeon "Martha" dies in the Cincinnati Zoo

September 3: Pope Benedict XV succeeds Pope Pius X as the 258th Pope

September 8: HMS (formerly RMS) Oceanic, sister ship of RMS Titantic, sinks off the coast of Scotland

September 26: The United States Federal Trade Commission (FTC) is established by the Federal Trade Commission Act.

November 16: A year after being created by passage of the Federal Reserve Act of 1913, the Federal Reserve Bank of the United States officially opens for business

December 21: First feature-length silent film comedy "Tillie's Punctured Romance" is released

About JOLLY TIME® Pop Corn

The American Pop Corn Company of Sioux City, Iowa, is an independent and family-owned company that, for nearly 100 years, has produced and marketed JOLLY TIME Pop Corn, the first-ever branded popcorn. JOLLY TIME offers a variety of traditional and microwave popcorn products in grocery stores nationwide and in nearly 40 countries around the globe. It has the only microwave popcorn endorsed by Weight Watchers®, in addition to the only microwave popcorn made with the Smart Balance® patented blend of oils. JOLLY TIME Pop Corn is gluten free and is made using GMO-free popcorn. Learn more at www.jollytime.com.

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