



THE DAILY CHRONICLE

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On This Date

1901 – At just 19 years old, artist



Pablo Picasso had his first major solo show at an established commercial gallery—Ambroise Vollard's gallery on the rue Laffitte in Paris.

1975 – A moon tremor was detected by seismometers that had been left on the moon by the Apollo astronauts. The tremor was caused by a strike of Taurid meteors, multiple one-ton boulders, that bombarded the moon.

2010 – After an exhausting 11 hours and five minutes, over the course of three days, American John Isner defeated Nicolas Mahut of France in the longest tennis match in history. The match occurred during the Wimbledon tournament, and the fifth set alone lasted eight hours and 11 minutes. The unenviable record is likely to stand unbroken, as a tie-break rule now decides the final set.

Did You Know?

The entirety of Australia could fit inside the Sahara Desert.

Quote of the Day

“You’ve got to be grateful for any success that comes your way.”

~ *Colin Blunstone, rock star*

Happy Birthday!

Ruth Shaw Wylie (1916–1989) was a distinguished American composer and music educator who grew up in Detroit, Michigan. After earning a master's degree in music composition from Wayne State University, she pursued her



doctorate at the Eastman School of Music, which she completed in 1943. Wylie taught music at the University of Missouri and Wayne State

University, where she retired as professor emerita in 1969. Her approximately 60 works include sonatas, symphonies, pieces for the piano, and string quartets, each reflecting her unique artistic voice and her ability to blend traditional and modern, innovative elements. She was known for her dedication to students and her passion for inspiring young talent.