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## POPE BENEDICT XV DIES OF PNEUMONIA

### PRESIDENT HARDING NOTES BIRTH OF LUCAS ISLEY



#### NEWS OF ARRIVAL REACHES WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON (AP) - The President of the United States, Warren G. Harding, proclaimed that today be a day of national celebration, heralding the birth of Lucas Isley on Sunday, Jan. 1, 1922.

The White House sent a bouquet of carnations, the flower for the month of January, to the family.

### Celebrities Share Jan 1st Birthday

January 1st seems to be a popular day to be born, at least according to the impressive list of rich and famous people born on that day! Also born this date are Xavier Cugat, Dana Andrews, Don Novello, Frank Langella, Nancy Lopez, and Paul Revere.

It's interesting to note that as of Thursday, Jan. 1, 2009, Lucas will have been alive for 31,777 days!

### Giants Win 1922 World Series

NEW YORK - It was celebration time in New York as the Giants captured the 1922 world title. It was a hard loss for the New York Yankees of the American League, as the National League team took the series four games to zero.



### Congress Debates Consumer Prices

CAPITOL HILL (UPI) - Heated discussion marked the House floor today as Congress debated the state of consumer prices. Many congressmen complained that the average American just can't afford a new house at today's price of \$7,197.00.

Split along party lines, many Republicans felt that twenty-six cents for a half gallon of milk was a solid consumer bargain, while Democrats pointed out that forty cents for a pound of bacon was too expensive for many. Since the average U.S. worker now earns a record annual wage of \$1,305.00, many members of the House felt that nine cents for a loaf of bread was quite affordable.

Vice-President Calvin Coolidge noted that while ten pounds of potatoes had risen to twenty-eight cents, he said that the American public had, in 1922, more buying power than ever before.



### NEWS AROUND THE WORLD Making Headlines In 1922

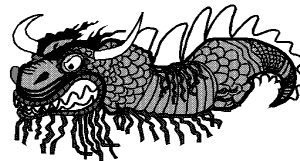
- Egypt Wins Independence From Britain
- Ireland Torn By Civil War
- Gandhi Imprisoned By British In India
- Greece Is Defeated In War By Turkey
- King Tut's Tomb Is Discovered In Egypt

### Chinese Celebrate Year of the Rooster

CHINATOWN - It only seems natural that the birth of Lucas Isley might be a cause for great joy in the Chinese community.

After all, this lucky person was born during the Chinese Lunar year of 4,589, the year of the Rooster, a very auspicious year! Persons born in this year are said to be intelligent, yet selfish & eccentric.

Today's fortune cookie says, "It's A Good Time To Be With Friends!"



### Music, Music, Music The Top Hits of '22

What a year it has been for the music industry! With hit songs like "Toot, Toot, Tootsie (Good-Bye)," and "I Wish I Could Shimmy Like My Sister Kate," success was assured. Who could forget the enchanting melody of "Somebody Stole My Gal," or stop humming, "Lovin' Sam, The Sheik Of Alabam'," one of the year's most popular songs? Yes, the tunes of 1922 will remain in our hearts for a long time to come.

### Astronomers Note Waxing Crescent Moon

U.S. NAVAL OBSERVATORY - Heralding the birth of Lucas Isley was the waxing crescent moon. Because Lucas was also born during the month of January, this moon is also known as a so-called "Wolf Moon".

Today, Sunday, the Moon appears to be partly but less than one-half illuminated by direct sunlight. The fraction of the Moon's disk that is illuminated is increasing. This Moon can be seen after the New Moon, but before the First Quarter Moon. The crescent will grow larger and larger every day, until the moon looks like the First Quarter Moon.