

Our 175th Year · 1833-2008

1914-1915

As we celebrate 175 years, we take a look at our history and the world around us through News-Sentinel archives.

A JOURNEY THROUGH THE PAST

1914

◆ Archduke Francis Ferdinand of Austria is assassinated in Sarajevo, Serbia. This event led to the outbreak of World War I.

◆ The Panama Canal opens.

◆ Lee and Joel Roberts Ninde launch "The Wildwood" magazine. It served as a forum for city planning ideas across the nation.

◆ Penn Central Railroad Station, later known as the Baker Street train station, opens.

◆ First red-green traffic light is introduced in Cleveland.

1915

◆ Liberty Bell passes through Fort Wayne on its way to Panama-Pacific Exposition in San Francisco.

◆ Steamship Lusitania is sunk by a

German submarine off the coast of Ireland.

◆ Rocky Mountain National Park is established.

◆ The Fort Wayne section of the Lincoln Highway is dedicated.

◆ U.S. Coast Guard is formed.

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