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African American History Month

2.4 million, the number of African American military veterans

39.7 million is the estimated population of African American residents in the US.

26% is the percentage of African Americans 16 and over who work in management, professional and related occupations.

\$88.6 billion, the revenue generated by African American-owned businesses in the US

For more information, see the displays in the Library.

LIBRARY LOVERS' MONTH

The UW-Fox Valley Library is having its annual Library Lovers Book Sale from now through February 16. Donations of books are also accepted for the sale.

Scholarships!

There's still time to apply for a scholarship! Deadline soon. See Student Services for more information.



Potato Lovers Month

The average consumption of potatoes in the US by each of us is 130 pounds annually. Over 50% are eaten as French fries, potato chips or dehydrated potatoes.



100 years ago... 1907

Oklahoma admitted as the 46th state in the union

Neiman-Marcus opens a store in Dallas

US car production reaches 43,000 vehicles

Chicago Cubs win the World Series over Detroit

Maytag Pastime electric washer was introduced

Canned tuna introduced by Van Camp's

1.29 million immigrants arrive; record still holds

British Empire covers 20% of the earth and has a population of 400 million people

The National Weather Service was created in 1870 and has been collecting data ever since then to record the average rainfall, snowfall, wind, sunny and cloudy days. With over 100 years of data and technological advances, weather reporting has become more accurate, but not perfect.

The Value of a Dollar... in 1907

Oranges \$3.50/box

Soft Drinks \$.05

Brass bed \$28.85 from Sears

Oldsmobile Touring Car \$2,750

New York Times daily newspaper .01

Sewing machine \$13.85

WAGES>>> School teacher \$431/year

Maids \$316/year

Coal miner .29/hr for an average work week of 51 hours = \$14.79 paycheck.