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“I don’t know what to write my paper on!”

We hear this all the time in the library and have come up with several ideas that may help you decide on a topic for your essay or research paper.

In the Periodicals area of the library we have displays of journal articles, books and other materials on current topics of interest. We change these displays often. Check out the topics and the materials.

Still have questions on a topic?
Ask a Librarian!

“Snooze” Alarm is 50 years old

The “snooze” alarm was invented in 1956 by General Electric. Soon to be in stores is “Clocky,” an alarm clock that moves back two steps every time you press the “snooze” so that you don’t keep hitting the button and oversleep. Invented by an MIT student who says it prevents abuse of using the “snooze” alarm.

100 Years Ago... 1906

The air conditioner was patented

Bubble gum was invented by Frank Fleer

Nobel Peace Prize was awarded to Theodore Roosevelt

Humorous Phases of Funny Faces was the first animated cartoon

Pure Food and Drug Act passed and the Food and Drug Administration begins inspections meat and others foods

A-1 Steak sauce imported from England

Approximately 850 peanuts make an 18oz. jar of peanut butter.

What is the dot over the letter ‘i’ called?

A tittle

Happy Birthday to you...

15 Susan B. Anthony, Galileo 22 George Washington

18 Louis Tiffany

27 Henry W. Longfellow

20 Ansel Adams

28 Linus Pauling

NEW PRODUCT

The necessity to communicate coupled with the rich exciting value of travel led to the creation of this product. It is both practical and convenient and called **Bottles In Translation!**
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