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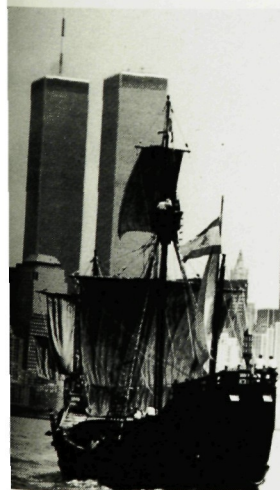


Political persecution and desperate poverty caused Haitians to flee their homeland and seek asylum in the United States. Although they were initially accepted, the Bush administration later decided to intercept the Haitians at sea and return them to Haiti.



"Here she comes, Miss America..." On September 19, Leanza Cornett, Miss Florida, was crowned the 1992 Miss America. Her main goal is to promote AIDS awareness and "give AIDS kind of a hopeful message."

U.S. troops arrived in Somalia to help curtail the widespread violence and provide safe passage for food delivery. Children wave as they pass and run to shake the hands of those who have come to help.



Replicas of Christopher Columbus' ships, the Nina, the Pinta, and the Santa Maria, sailed into the Hudson River on February 15 as part of the 500th anniversary celebration of his voyage to the New World.

