

Commemorative Books Coverage List

ASSASSINATIONS BOOK – 200 YEARS OF ASSASSINATIONS AND ATTEMPTS

DATE OF EVENT	PAGES	EVENT COVERED <small>(TIMES/SUNDAY TIMES UNLESS STATED OTHERWISE)</small>
ROYAL & ARISTOCRATIC ASSASSINATIONS AND ATTEMPTS		
31 st May 1842	Page 5	John Francis makes an attempt on the life of Queen Victoria
4 th July 1842	Page 4	John Oxman makes an attempt on the life of Queen Victoria
21 st May 1949	Page 5	John Hamilton makes an attempt on the life of Queen Victoria
18 th May 1868	Page 5	O'Farrell shoots the Duke of Edinburgh in Sydney
1 st March 1872	Page 9	Arthur O'Connor threatens Queen Victoria with a pistol and knife
13 th May 1878	Page 9	German Emperor William survives a gun attack by Heinrich Max Hödel
18 th Nov 1878	Page 6	An attempt is made on the life of the King of Italy, King Humbert
14 th March 1881	Page 10	Alexander II, Emperor of Russia, dies after a bomb is thrown at his carriage
3 rd March 1882	Page 5	Roderick Maclean makes an attempt on the life of Queen Victoria
12 Sept 1898	Page 3	The Empress of Austria dies after being stabbed in the heart
5 April 1900	Page 6	Sipido makes an attempt to shoot the Prince of Wales
31 st July 1900	Page 5	Angelo Bressi shoots and kills the King of Italy, King Humbert
17 th Nov 1902	Page 5	An attempt is made on the life of the Belgian King, Leopold
18 th Feb 1905	Page 5	Grand Duke Serge dies after a bomb is thrown at his carriage
3 rd Feb 1908	Page 5	The King of Portugal and the Crown Prince die after being shot
27 th Oct 1909	Page 5	Prince Ito of Japan dies after being shot
19 th March 1913	Page 6	The King of Hellenes dies after being shot
29 th June 1914	Pages 7 and 8	Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his wife are shot dead
25 th Feb 1919	Page 9	Ameer Habibullah of Afghanistan is assassinated
10 th Oct 1934	Page 14	King Alexander of Yugoslavia dies after being shot
11 th Oct 1934	Page 14	The aftermath of the death of King Alexander of Yugoslavia
21 st July 1951	Page 6	King Abdullah of Jordan dies after being shot
26 th March 1975	Front Page	King Faisal of Saudi Arabia dies after being shot by his nephew
15 th June 1981	Front Page	Marcus Sarjeant fires blanks at Queen Elizabeth II
3 rd June 2001	Front, 2 & 3	The King, Queen & most of the Nepalese Royal Family are shot dead
POLITICAL ASSASSINATIONS AND ATTEMPTS		
12 th May 1812	Page 5	British Prime Minister Spencer Perceval is shot dead by John Bellingham
25 th Feb 1820	Pages 3 and 4	Cato Street Conspiracy. Plot to assassinate cabinet ministers
23 rd Feb 1835	Page 2	Richard Lawrence attempts to shoot US President, Andrew Jackson
27 th Nov 1848	Page 5	Count Rossi, Italy's Premier is stabbed to death
18 th Jan 1858	Page 7	The Emperor Napoleon survives a bomb attack
27 th April 1865	Page 7	President Abraham Lincoln dies after being shot by Wilkes Booth
22 nd April 1868	Page 10	Canadian minister, Mr D'Arcy McGee is shot dead
4 th July 1881	Page 12	Charles Guiteau shoots President James Garfield
8 th May 1882	Page 8	Phoenix Park Murders – Lord Cavendish & Mr Burke are stabbed
25 th June 1894	Page 5	Cesare Giovanni Santo stabs President Carnot of France to death
19 th July 1895	Page 5	Stefan Stamboloff, is murdered in Bulgaria
9 th August 1897	Page 7	Spanish Premier, Señor Canovas del Castillo, is shot
7 th Sept 1901	Page 5	President William McKinley is shot by Fred Nieman
16 th Sept 1911	Page 6	Russian Premier, Pyotr Stolypin, is shot by Bogroff
19 th Sept 1911	Page 6	Russian Premier, Pyotr Stolypin, dies of his wounds
13 th Nov 1912	Page 11	Spanish Premier, Señor Canalejas is shot dead
24 th Feb 1913	Page 6	Ex President Madero of Mexico is shot to death
14 th July 1914 – 22 nd July 1917		Rasputin is shot to death & Ex Tsar, Nicholas Romanoff is murdered
23 rd Oct 1916	Page 8	Austrian Prime Minister, Count Stürgkh, is shot dead by a journalist
2 nd Sept 1918	Page 8	A young girl shoots Lenin
5 th Nov 1921	Page 10	Japanese Prime Minister, Mr Hara, is stabbed to death
23 rd June 1922	Page 10	Sir Henry Wilson, MP is shot to death on his doorstep in Ireland

15 th July 1922	Page 8	French Premier Millerand survives a gun attack by Gustave Bouvet
23 rd August – 24 th August 1922		General Michael Collins is ambushed and murdered
11 th July 1927	Page 14	A gang shoots Kevin O’Higgins, Irish Minister for Justice, to death
19 th July 1928	Page 18	General Obregon, President elect, is shot to death by a youth in Mexico
7 th May 1932	Page 12	French President, Paul Doumer, is shot dead by Paul Gorbuloff
16 th May 1932	Page 10	Japanese Prime Minister, Mr Inukai, is shot dead
17 th Feb 1933	Page 12	Guiseppe Zangara attempts to shoot President Roosevelt
30 th Dec 1933	Page 10	Rumanian Prime Minister Dr Ion Duca is shot dead
26 th July 1934	Page 12	Austrian Chancellor, Herr Dollfuss, is shot dead by Nazis
27 th July 1934	Page 14	Aftermath of the assassination of the Austrian Chancellor Herr Dollfuss
11 th Sept 1935	Page 12	Senator Long of Louisiana dies after being shot by a political opponent
22 nd Sept 1939 – 30 th April 1945		M Calinescu dead, attempts on Hitler’s life, Heydrich & Mussolini dead
31 st Jan 1948	Page 4	Mahatma Gandhi is shot dead by Nathu Ram
18 th Sept 1948	Page 4	Count Bernadotte, UN mediator, is shot dead. Stern Gang suspected
3 rd Sept 1950	Page 4	President Truman escapes an attempt on his life
26 th Sept 1959	Page 6	Prime Minister of Ceylon, Mr Bandaranaike, is shot dead
11 th April 1960	Page 10	South African Prime Minister, Dr Verwoerd, is shot twice and survives
13 th Oct 1960	Page 14	President of the Japanese Socialist Party, Inejiro Asanuma, is stabbed
11 th Sept 1961	Page 10	President General de Gaulle survives a bomb attempt
23 rd August 1962	Page 8	General de Gaulle survives after his car is fired on
13 th June 1963	Page 12	Snipers murder American Negro leader Medgar Evers
23 rd Nov 1963	Page 8	President John F Kennedy is shot dead by Lee Harvey Oswald
25 th Nov 1963	Page 10	Jack Ruby shoots dead Lee Harvey Oswald
22 nd Feb 1965	Page 10	Malcolm X is shot dead at a Harlem rally
7 th Sept 1966	Front Page	South African Prime Minister, Dr Verwoerd, is assassinated in parliament
5 th April 1968	Front Page	Dr Martin Luther King is shot dead
6 th June 1968	Front Page	Senator Robert Kennedy is shot by Sirhan Sirhan
7 th June 1968	Front Page	Senator Robert Kennedy dies of his wounds
19 th Oct 1970	Front page	Quebec Minister Pierre Laporte is found dead after being kidnapped
16 th May 1972	Front page	Governor George Wallace of Alabama is shot and critically wounded
12 th March 1973	Front Page	Sir Richard Sharples is shot dead. Scotland Yard investigate
27 th June 1973	Front page	Belfast politician, Senator Paddy Wilson, is stabbed to death
21 st Dec 1973	Front Page	Spanish Prime Minister Admiral Luis Carrero Blanco dies in bomb blast
6 th Sept 1975	Front page	President Gerald Ford survives a gun attack by Lynette Fromme
22 nd July 1976	Front page	British ambassador, Christopher Ewart-Biggs, dies in a bomb blast
11 th April 1977	Front page	Former Yemeni Prime Minister, al-Qadi Abdulla al-Hajri, is shot dead in London
10 th May 1978	Front Page	Former Italian Prime Minister, Aldo Moro, is found shot dead
12 th Sept 1978 – 5 th June 2003		Bulgarian defector, Georgi Markov, dies after being stabbed in the leg
31 st March 1981	Front page	President Ronald Reagan survives being shot by John Hinckley Jnr
7 th Oct 1981	Front page	President Anwar Sadat of Egypt is shot dead by his own soldiers
13 th Oct 1984	Front, 2 & 3	Margaret Thatcher survives a British bomb blast in Brighton
11 th June 1986	Front page	Patrick Magee is found guilty of the Brighton bombing
1 st Nov 1984	Front page	Mrs Indira Gandhi is shot dead by her own security guards
1 st March 1986	Front page	Swedish Prime Minister, Olof Palme, is shot dead in front of his wife
2 nd March 1986	Front Page	The wife of Olaf Palme recognises her husband’s assassin
14 th Sept 1986	Page 12	President Pinochet survives an assault on his motorcade
31 st July 1990	Front page	The IRA is suspected when a car bomb kills Ian Gow, MP, at his home.
22 nd May 1991	Front page	Former Prime Minister, Rajiv Gandhi, is killed in a bomb blast
2 nd May 1993	Page 15	A suicide bomber kills President Ranasinghe Premadasa
27 th June 1995	Page 12	Egyptian Prime Minister Mubarak escapes when gunmen attack his car
5 th Nov 1995	Front page	Israeli Premier, Yitzhak Rabin, is shot dead by a Jewish extremist
26 th July 2001	Page 3	Phoolan Devi, MP - known as the Bandit Queen- is shot dead
21 st March 2002	Page 19	Marco Biagi, Government advisor, is shot dead
7 th May 2002	Front & 3	Dutch politician, Pim Fortuyn, is shot dead in the street
15 th July 2002	Front page	President Chirac survives when Maxime Brunerie tries to shoot him
6 th Sept 2002	Front page	Afghan President Karzai escapes a bomb attempt on his life
30 th Oct 2002	Page 7	American diplomat, Larry Foley, is shot dead in Amman

13 th March 2003	Page 12	Serbian Prime Minister, Zoran Djindjic, is shot dead by a sniper's bullet
11 th Sept 2003	Page 17	Swedish Foreign Minister, Anna Lindh, is stabbed and later dies
8 th Dec 2004	Page 31	Doctors confirm that Ukraine's Viktor Yushchenko was poisoned
15 th Feb 2005	Pages 34 & 35	Former Premier, Rafik Hariri is killed in a car bomb in Lebanon
22 nd June 2005	Page 33	A car bomb kills Anti-Syrian politician, George Hawi
8 th July 2005	Page 43	Kidnapped envoy, Ihab al-Sherif, is killed by Al-Qaeda
13 th Dec 2005	Page 25	Lebanese politician, Gebran Tueni is murdered in a car bomb explosion
RELIGIOUS, SHOWBIZ AND SPORTING ASSASSINATIONS AND ATTEMPTS		
28 th Nov 1970 – 19 th Feb 1995		Pope Paul VI survives a knife attack & Pope John Paul II is shot & survives a knife attack
28 th Nov 1975	Front Page	Writer, Ross McWhirter is shot dead
10 th Dec 1980	Front & 7	John Lennon is shot dead by Mark Chapman
8 th Dec 2005	Page 3	Recap of the day Mark Chapman shot and killed John Lennon
16 th July 1997	Front page	Designer, Gianni Versace is shot dead
3 rd Nov 2004	Page 3	Artist, Theo Van Gogh is shot dead
4 th July 1994	Page 13	Footballer, Andrés Escobar is shot dead

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