6th Class

A Social History of the Twentieth Century -

Unlike today where we receive information concerning news events from a variety of sources e.g. the television, the internet, radio and newspapers - from the early years of the twentieth century until the post World War II era **Pathé News** was one of the main sources of information accessible to people.

***Pathé News was a production of newsreels and documentaries from 1910 until 2006 in the United Kingdom. Its founder, Charles Pathé, was a pioneer of moving pictures in the silent era.***

Please look at the links below of Pathé News reels from YouTube which make reference to key moments in the last sixty years and write out a short summary of what you have discovered following your viewing of these clips.

1. The escape from Dunkirk 1940

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HdAaZFpxdLM>

1. Eight Countries That No Longer Exist…

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JA52i2tS_9Y>

1. Six Inventions That Changed the World

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6Jni41PEDDI>

1. Concorde’s First Flight 1969

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lsqPsX8k5FE>

1. Map Making 1961

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L7SJVBX7jxo>

1. Germany Bombs Dublin 1941

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7rwJ1T6rmAg>

1. Sir Winston Churchill Resigns 1955

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m_Uj_o1L-e0>

1. The Death of Joseph Stalin 1953

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s3I-dnTEgDU>

1. The British Army enters Berlin 1945

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CG-jspYRkco>

1. The Moon Landing 1969

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c7_R1Lj0BV0>