

Monday April 3, 1950



[Sun Rise](#) 0614 1853
[Moon Rise](#) 1931 0616
[Moon Phase](#) 99% 16 days

Weather

[Korean Climate](#)

Mean Temp 10.9°C 51.62°F at Taegu

Heavy Overcast

[1950 Pacific Typhoon Season](#)

[Korea Temps - 1950-1953 - Station 143 \(Daegu\)](#)

Overview

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- The standard ratio for the dimensions of television receivers was set at 4:3 (with the length of the screen being 4/3 of the height) after originally having been 5:4, and would remain the standard for nearly half a century. With the advent of digital television, the ratio would be changed to the wider 16:9 dimensions.
- *Worlds in Collision*, by Immanuel Velikovsky, was published for the first time, as a book by Macmillan Publishing.
- **Born:** Sally Thomsett, English actress, in Sussex
- **Died:** Kurt Weill, 50, German-born composer; and Carter G. Woodson, 74, African-American educator referred to as "The Father of Black History"

[Maj. Gen. James H. Burns](#), [Secretary Johnson's](#) assistant for foreign military affairs, put the matter to the State Department, and [James Evans](#) followed up by discussing it with [Rusk](#).

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Yesterday Overview

- 0000
- 0100
- 0200
- 0300
- 0400
- 0500
- 0600
- 0700
- 0800
- 0900
- 1000
- 1100
- 1200
- 1300
- 1400
- 1500
- 1600
- 1700
- 1800
- 1900
- 2000
- 2100
- 2200
- 2300

Tomorrow

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