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FIFTH REGIMENT

The Fifth Regiment of Popular Militias was a volunteer corps in the Spanish Civil War. Founded on communist initiative, it went on to have more than 20 thousand members and played an active role in the defense of Madrid in 1936. Apart from military activities, the Fifth Regiment also undertook social and cultural work.

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| | 29 | 30 | 1 1921 Foundation of the Chinese Communist Party 1922 Great Railroad Strike | 2 1839 Amistad insurrection 1865 Birth of Lily Braun | 3 1860 Liberation of Minsk 1927 Cerro Chato plebiscite | 4 1807 Birth of Giuseppe Garibaldi 1964 Foundation of the ELN | 5 1811 Independence of Venezuela 1857 Birth of Clara Zetkin |
| | 6 1892 Battle of Homestead 1907 Birth of Frida Kahlo | 7 ◐ 1941 Yugoslav partisans' armed struggle | 8 1914 Birth of Jyoti Basu 1972 Assassination of Ghassan Kanafani | 9 1595 King Amador uprising in Sao Tome 1816 United Provinces of Río de la Plata | 10 | 11 1971 Nationalization of Chilean copper | 12 1780 Birth of Juana Azurduy |
| | 13 | 14 ◑ 1789 Storming of the Bastille 1921 Sacco and Vanzetti sentenced to death | 15 | 16 1938 Birth of Gladys Marín 1964 Harlem riot | 17 | 18 1848 Seneca Falls Declaration 1936 Foundation of the Fifth Regiment | 19 1979 Sandinista Revolution 2012 Rojava Revolution |
| | 20 1923 Assassination of Pancho Villa 1925 Birth of Frantz Fanon | 21 ◐ 1378 Ciompi Revolt 1922 General strike during the Biennio Rosso | 22 1919 Black uprising in Belize | 23 1983 Civil war in Sri Lanka | 24 1783 Birth of Simón Bolívar | 25 International Day of Afro-Latino and Afro-Caribbean Women | 26 1953 Assault on the Moncada Barracks |
| | 27 1953 End of the Korean War | 28 1938 Death of Lampião and Maria Bonita 1954 Birth of Hugo Chávez | 29 ◑ 1949 Foundation of the Feminist Peronist Party | 30 | 31 1940 Death of Udham Singh 1981 Death of Omar Torrijos | 1 | 2 |