January 1

ON THIS DAY

1863 The Emancipation Proclamation takes effect.

1892 Ellis Island opens to welcome immigrants in New York Harbor.

1902 The first Rose Bowl football game is played in Pasadena, California.

1942 Twenty-six nations sign the Declaration by United Nations.

BORN ON THIS DAY

Xavier Cugat
Bandleader, born 1900

LET'S TALK

What was your family's New Year's Day tradition: a parade, football, black-eyed peas?

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