

Inventions and Discoveries

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Inventions/Discovery	Discoverer/Inventor	County	Year
Geographical			
America	Christopher Columbus	Italy	1492
Sea route to India (Via the Cape of Good Hope)	Vasco-de-Gama	Portugal	1498
Sandwich Islands (Now called Hawian Island)	Captain Cook	England	1770
North Pole (Explored)	Roberty Peary	U.S.A.	1909
South Pole (Explored)	Amundsen	Norway	1911
Solar System Planetary Motion	Copernicus Kepler	Poland Germany	1540 1609
Chemistry & Physics			
Atom Bomb	Rutherford	England	1939
Electrical Battery	Volta	Italy	1800
Crescograph	J.C. Bose	India	-
Crystal Dynamics	C.V. Raman	India	1928
Discovery of Oxygen	J.B. Priestley	England	1774
Dynamite	Alfred Nobel	Sweden	1862
Genetic Code	Dr. Hargovind Khurana	India	1968
Incandescent Bulb	Edison	U.S.A.	1860
Laws of Gravitation	Newton	England	1687
Lightning Conductor	Benjamin Franklin	U.S.A.	1759
Motorcar Manufacture	Henry Ford	U.S.A.	-
Micro Film	Dr. Fredric	Germany	-
Printing for the blind	Louis Braille	France	1829
Photography	L. Daguerre	France	1837
Photography (Colored)	Gabriel Lippman	U.S.A.	1857
Photography (Roll Film)	George Eastman	U.S.A.	1888
Quantum Theory	Max Planck	Germany	1901
Radio-activity of Uranium	Henry Becquerel	France	1896
Radium	Madame Curie	Poland	1899
Sputniks (Artificial Earth Satellite)	Russian Scientists	Russia	1957
Theory of Relativity	A. Einstein	U.S.A.	1905
Telegraph Code	Samuel Morse	U.S.A.	1832
Theory of Evolution	Charles Darwin	England	1859
Telephone	Graham Bell	U.S.A.	1876
Wireless (Radio)	G. Marconi	Italy	1896
X-ray	W.K. Rontgen	Germany	1895
Mechanical			
Aeroplane	Wright Brothers (Wilbur Wright and Orville Wright)	U.S.A.	1903
Alcohol thermometer	Fahrenheit	Germany	1709

Bicycle	Macmillan	Scotland	1842
Dynamo	Michael Faraday	England	1831
Diesel Engine	Rudolf Diesel	Germany	1897
Engine (Railway)	Stephenson	England	1814
Fountain Pen	Watermann	U.S.A.	1884
Gramophone	Edison	U.S.A.	1877
Locomotive Power Steam (Principle of Steam Engine)	James Watt	Scotland	1764
Microscope	Z. Jansen	Netherlands	1590
Power-loom	Cartwright	England	1785
Printing Press	Gutenberg	Germany	1450
Pneumatic Tyres	Dunlop	Ireland	1488
Revolver	Colt	U.S.A.	1835
Sewing Machine	Elias Howe	U.S.A.	1846
Thermometer	Fahrenheit	Germany	1714
Transistor	W. Shockley	England	1958
Typewriter	Soles	U.S.A.	1868
Television	J.L. Baird	U.S.A.	1944
Telescope	Galileo	Italy	1609
Telstar	U.S. Scientists	U.S.A.	1962
Vaccination (Small Pox)	Edward Jenner	England	1796