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The history of flight and the invention of the airplane including inventors Orville and Wilbur Wright, but also several other ways to take to the skies. The earliest known telescope appeared in 1608 in the Netherlands when an eyeglass maker named Hans Lippershey tried to obtain a patent on one. Although Lippershey did not receive his patent, news of the new invention soon spread across Europe. The design of these early refracting telescopes consisted of a convex objective lens and a concave eyepiece. ...9 Blades that Forged History. For millennia, edged weapons such as swords, knives and daggers were the arms of choice for warriors around the globe. In the 1870s, Elisha Gray and Alexander Graham Bell independently designed devices that could transmit speech electrically. Both men rushed their respective designs for these prototype telephones to the patent office within hours of each other. Bell patented his telephone first and later emerged the victor in a legal dispute with Gray.