The US and __ resumed normal relations after 50 years of isolation

A disease outbreak in West Africa that had the world on edge

In July, Israel launched missile and ground strikes against __.

Russia hosted the 2014 Winter Olympics

Russia annexed __ to its territory after disputes with Ukraine

The San Francisco __ beat the Kansas City Royals in the World Series

__ joined the Eurozone and adopted the Euro for its currency

Over 70 million __ customers had their personal information exposed

American author Maya __ passed away in May

The LA Clippers were sold to former Microsoft executive Steve __

__ won the 2014 FIFA World Cup, hosted by Brazil

Terror group Boko Haram killed and kidnapped scores of people in __

Janet Yellen became the first woman to chair the Federal __

The __ spacecraft landed a probe on Comet 67P, a world first

The __ Seahawks defeated the Broncos to win their first Super Bowl

The release of a report on CIA tactics led to accusations of __

__ became the first state to legalize recreational marijuana

Unrest erupted in __, MO following the police shooting of Michael Brown

__ Airlines Flights 370 and 17 never reached their destinations

3D __ emerges as a viable technology for producing complicated parts

Over 55 percent of __ voted to remain in the United Kingdom

Secret Service Director Julia Pierson resigned after __ breaches

Eric Shinseki resigned as the head of the VA amid caregiving scandals

Actors Harold Ramis, Philip Seymour Hoffman and Robin __ died

Hackers attacked Sony Pictures to prevent the release of "The __"

The Ice Bucket Challenge raised awareness for ALS, or __’s disease

The __ regained control of Congress after the midterm elections

The ___ in Iraq and the Levant graphically beheaded several prisoners