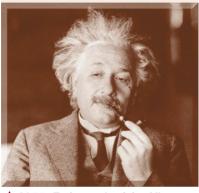
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ON THIS DAY



▲ 1955: Eminent physicist Albert Einstein died

1906: A devastating earthquake struck San Francisco, leaving over 1,000 dead and more than 200,000 homeless

1946: The International Court of Justice opened in The Hague

1954: Gamal Abdel Nasser became prime minister of Egypt

1989: Spanish tenor Jose Carreras gave his first concert for three years following his recovery from leukaemia

2004: Sir Kamisese Mara, considered the founding father of modern Fiji, died in the capital, Suva