

Monday, May 22

ON THIS DAY



▲ **2004:** Crown Prince Felipe of Spain married former TV anchor Letizia Ortiz, the first commoner in Spanish history in line to be queen

1840: Britain officially stopped sending convicts to New South Wales

1921: The city of Chicago decreed that women wearing short skirts and bare arms would be fined up to \$100

1972: Richard Nixon became the first U.S. President to visit the Soviet Union

1998: Voters on both sides of the Irish border gave strong support to the Good Friday peace agreement in a referendum on the future of Northern Ireland