

**Tuesday, May 30**

# ON THIS DAY



▲ **1911:** The first ever Indianapolis 500 motor race was run in the U.S.

**1846:** Goldsmith Peter Carl Faberge, court jeweller to the Russian royal family, was born in St Petersburg

**1969:** The British Trans-Arctic expedition completed the first surface crossing of the Arctic Ocean

**1992:** The UN Security Council voted to impose sanctions against Serb-led Yugoslavia in a bid to halt its continuing aggression in Bosnia

**2002:** It was revealed that NASA's *Mars Odyssey* spacecraft had found water ice in vast quantities just below the surface of Mars