Sunday, June 4

ON THIS DAY



▲ 1989: Chinese army tanks moved into Tiananmen Square in Beijing, killing over 2,000 pro-democracy demonstrators, mainly students

1798: Italian Giacomo Casanova, renowned as one of the world's greatest lovers, died

1946: General Juan Peron was sworn in as president of Argentina

1977: The Soviet Union published its new draft constitution

2003: Liberian President Charles Taylor was indicted by a war crimes tribunal in connection with the war in Sierra Leone which killed as many as 200,000 people