

*Sunday, November 19*

# *ON THIS DAY*



▲ **2005:** Prince Albert II formally assumed the throne of Monaco

**1908:** A court in St Petersburg was adjourned when the prosecuting counsel refused to deal with Russia's first female barrister

**1976:** Algeria voted for a new constitution with a national assembly and increased powers for an elected President

**1984:** More than 500 people were killed when 10 tanks of liquid gas blew up at a chemical factory in Mexico City

**1990:** Leaders of NATO and the Warsaw Pact declared the end of the Cold War