

Friday, November 24

## ON THIS DAY



▲ **2004:** Ukraine's Orange Revolution gathered pace with supporters of opposition leader Viktor Yushchenko insisting the presidential election had been rigged

**1572:** John Knox, the founder of Scottish Presbyterianism, died

**1950:** The musical *Guys and Dolls*, based on the tales of Damon Runyon, premiered in New York

**1989:** Elias Hrawi was elected president of Lebanon

**2005:** Water supplies were cut off as an 80km slick of toxic chemicals in the Songhua River in northern China reached the city of Harbin