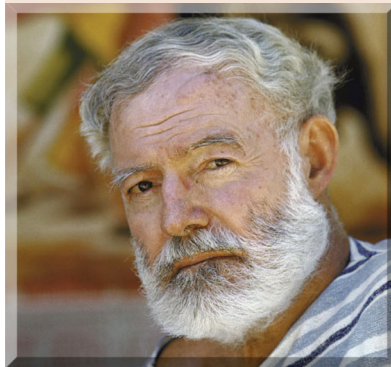# ON THIS DAY

▲ **1961: Author Ernest Hemingway shot himself dead at his home in Ketchum, Idaho**

1644: Oliver Cromwell defeated Prince Rupert at the Battle of Marston Moor, his first victory over the Royalists in the English Civil War

1947: Mysterious debris found at Roswell, New Mexico, inspired the legend of a flying saucer crash

1992: UN forces seized control of Sarajevo airport in preparation for relief flights to begin

2007: Irish police found over 1.5 tonnes of cocaine, worth over 105m euros, off the coast of West Cork

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