

Monday, October 6

ON THIS DAY



▲ **1908: American movie actress Carole Lombard was born. She was at the height of her popularity when she was killed in an air crash in 1942**

1767: Haitian founding father Henri Christophe was born into slavery in Grenada

1890: The Mormons in Utah officially renounced bigamy

1902: The 2,000-mile railway link was completed between Johannesburg, South Africa, and Beira, in Mozambique

2007: General Pervez Musharraf was re-elected president of Pakistan, having pledged to stand down as army chief