## Tuesday, November 4

## ON THIS DAY



▲ 2007: Visitors to the tomb of Tutankhamun saw the face of the young pharaoh for the first time after his mummy went on display in a climate-controlled glass case

**1307:** The Swiss Confederation declared itself independent of Austria

1879: The first cash register was patented by James J. Ritty of Dayton, Ohio

**1988:** Indian paratroopers crushed an attempted coup by foreign mercenaries in the Maldive Islands

1999: Cricket mourned the death from cancer of West Indian fast bowler Malcolm Marshall at only 41