

Sunday, November 16

ON THIS DAY



▲ **2006: Democrat Nancy Pelosi was elected as the first ever woman Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives**

1855: British explorer David Livingstone discovered the Victoria Falls on Africa's Zambesi River

1933: The U.S. and the Soviet Union established diplomatic relations

1989: South Africa scrapped the Separate Amenities Act, allowing all races to enjoy the nation's beaches

2007: The Philippine government reached agreement with Islamic separatists on the creation of an autonomous homeland in the south