

Tuesday, November 25

ON THIS DAY



▲ **2005:** Former Manchester United football star George Best, 59, died in London from multiple organ failure

1795: Stanislas Augustus Poniatowski, the last elected King of Poland, abdicated

1844: Motoring pioneer Karl Friedrich Benz, an engineer who built one of the earliest petrol-driven engines, was born

1973: Greek military dictator George Papadopoulos was overthrown by rival officers in a bloodless coup

1997: The Tokyo City Bank became the fourth Japanese finance house to close since the start of the month