

Sunday, February 22

ON THIS DAY



▲ **1879: Frank Winfield Woolworth opened his first Five-and-Ten-Cent Store store in Utica, New York**

1913: Francisco Madero, revolutionary president of Mexico, was assassinated by the military

1940: Four-year-old Tenzin Gyatso, the 14th Dalai Lama, was installed as the spiritual leader of Tibet

1993: The UN voted to set up a war crimes tribunal, the first since the Nuremberg trials in 1945, to punish atrocities in the former Yugoslavia

2008: The Northern Rock bank was formally nationalized by the British government