

**Wednesday, July 1**

# ON THIS DAY



▲ **1916:** The distinctively shaped Coca-Cola bottle was officially launched

**1858:** Charles Darwin, together with Alfred Russel Wallace, presented a paper in London on his controversial theory of the evolution of the species

**1907:** The world's first air force was formed as a division of the U.S. Army

**1960:** Kwame Nkrumah became the first president of the newly-established republic of Ghana

**2008:** Mongolia declared a four-day state of emergency following violent protests after legislative elections