

**Thursday, March 18**

# *ON THIS DAY*



▲ **2009: Actress Natasha Richardson died from head injuries sustained in a skiing accident in Canada**

**1662:** The first buses, eight-seater vehicles known as “carrosses a cinq solz”, began running in Paris

**1931: The first electric razors were manufactured in Connecticut**

**1970:** General Lon Nol proclaimed the Khmer Republic in Cambodia after Prince Norodom Sihanouk was deposed in a coup

**2007: More than 200,000 Sydneysiders walked across the city’s iconic Harbour Bridge to mark the 75th anniversary of its opening**