

Thursday, April 1

ON THIS DAY



▲ **1621:** The first colonial treaty with native Americans was signed in Massachusetts between Wampanoag chief Massasoit, and pilgrim settlers on behalf of Britain's King James I

1815: German statesman Otto von Bismarck was born

1960: *Tiros I*, the world's first weather satellite, was launched

1981: Food rationing was introduced in Poland

2009: All 16 people aboard a Super Puma helicopter died when it ditched off the coast of Scotland while returning to Aberdeen from a BP oil platform in the North Sea