

Thursday, December 2

ON THIS DAY



▲ **1921: Fashion designers introduced the first knee-high skirts for women**

1805: The Arc de Triomphe in Paris was commissioned by Napoleon to commemorate the victory over Russia and Austria at the Battle of Austerlitz

1942: Enrico Fermi and his team of physicists in Chicago created the world's first nuclear chain reaction

1975: Moluccan guerrillas hijacked a train in the Netherlands, and killed three of their hostages

2001: U.S. energy giant Enron filed for bankruptcy protection with debts of \$16 billion