

**Monday, February 21**

# *ON THIS DAY*



▲ **1613:** Mikhail Romanov was elected Tsar of Russia, marking the start of the dynasty's 300-year rule

**1885:** The Washington Monument was dedicated in the U.S. capital

**1958:** Manchester United footballer Duncan Edwards died from injuries sustained in the Munich air crash 15 days earlier

**1960:** Fidel Castro nationalized all private businesses in Cuba

**2010:** Abu Sayyaf commander Albader Parad was among six Islamic militants killed in an assault by Philippines troops on a rebel camp on the southern island of Jolo