



## Today in History

*February 13, 2008*

▲ **Australia's parliament issued a formal apology to the indigenous "Stolen Generation", forcibly removed as children from their families and Aboriginal culture**

**1668:** Spain recognised the independence of Portugal under the Treaty of Lisbon

**1941:** Penicillin was first used on a human being. The patient was a policeman from Oxford, England

**1969:** Human eggs were fertilised in a test-tube for the first time

**2011:** Tens of thousands of women across Italy protested against recent sex scandals associated with Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi