



## Today in History

*October 28, 1918*

▲ **Czechoslovakia came into existence on the dissolution of Austria-Hungary. Tomas Masaryk became the first president of the new republic**

**1886:** The Statue of Liberty was unveiled, commemorating the 100th anniversary of American independence

**1998: British and Argentine veterans of the Falklands War attended a service of reconciliation in London**

**1999:** The dress worn by Marilyn Monroe when she serenaded JFK on his birthday was sold for \$1.15 million

**2011: Britain's royal succession laws were changed to prevent male heirs taking precedence to the throne**