



Today in History

January 19, 1966

▲ **Indira Gandhi was elected as India's first woman prime minister. She succeeded Lal Shastri, who had in turn succeeded Gandhi's father, Jawaharlal Nehru**

1839: French painter Paul Cezanne, one of the greatest post-impressionist artists, was born

1978: The last Volkswagen Beetle to be manufactured in Germany rolled off the production line

2010: Japan Airlines, Asia's biggest air carrier and over \$25bn in debt, filed for bankruptcy protection

2012: The Eastman Kodak Company, which produced the first hand-held camera, filed for bankruptcy protection