



Today in History

March 5, 1960

▲ Cuban photographer Alberto Korda (above) captured his iconic image of Che Guevara, taken at an event honouring over 100 Cubans killed in an explosion in Havana

1815: German physician Franz Anton Mesmer died. The word “mesmerised” was derived from his name

1930: American food scientist Clarence Birdseye developed the quick-freeze technique

1933: Adolf Hitler obtained 43.9% of the votes at the Reichstag elections, allowing the Nazis to pass the Enabling Act and establish a dictatorship

1970: The Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty came into force