



## Today in History

*August 30, 1973*

▲ **Kenya officially banned the hunting of elephants and the trade in ivory, although poaching remains widespread in many parts of the country**

**1835:** Melbourne, the second most populous city in Australia, was founded

**1963:** A direct telephone “hotline” came into operation between the White House and the Kremlin

**1980:** The Polish government agreed to give workers the right to strike and establish trade unions

**1981:** Iranian President Mohammad Ali Rajai and Prime Minister Mohammad Javad Bahonar were killed in a bomb blast in Tehran