



Today in History

March 13, 1992

▲ **Pravda, the newspaper founded by Lenin in 1912, published its final issue after Russian President Boris Yeltsin shut down the Communist Party**

1781: William Herschel detected the planet Uranus, the first planet to be discovered with the aid of a telescope

1881: Tsar Alexander II of Russia was assassinated when a bomb was thrown at his carriage

1926: The first commercial air route across Africa was established

1996: A gunman killed 16 children and a teacher at Dunblane primary school in Scotland, the worst mass murder in modern British history