



Today in History

September 25, 2006

▲ **The Louisiana Superdome, battered by Hurricane Katrina and home to 30,000 evacuees after the storm, reopened after a \$140m repair programme**

1956: The first transatlantic telephone cable, running from from Scotland to Canada, entered into service

1959: Sri Lankan prime minister Solomon Bandaranaike was assassinated in Colombo

1998: Frenchman Benoit Lecomte reached the coast of Brittany after swimming 5,950km (3,716 miles) across the Atlantic from Cape Cod

2009: Iran revealed the existence of a second uranium enrichment plant