



## Today in History

*November 17, 1849*

▲ **London's oldest hat shop sold the first ever bowler hat, ordered by a customer who required protection from low-hanging branches when out shooting**

**1972:** Former Argentine president Juan Peron returned after 17 years in exile

**1974:** **Greece restored democracy in its first general election for 10 years**

**1991:** Son Sen, a Khmer Rouge leader responsible for the deaths of a million Cambodians in the 1970s, returned to Phnom Penh to take his seat in a power-sharing administration

**2015:** **Russia confirmed that a bomb destroyed a holiday jet over Egypt's Sinai desert, killing all 224 on board**