



## Today in History

*September 30, 2016*

▲ **The Rosetta spacecraft ended its mission by crash-landing on comet 67P/CG. In 2015 its probe Philae became the first ever spacecraft to land on a comet**

**1902:** “Artificial silk”, a cellulose-based fibre made from wood-pulp, also known as rayon or Viscose, was patented

**2004:** Japanese scientists captured the first ever photographs of a live giant squid in the wild

**2013:** Venezuela expelled three U.S diplomats accused of trying to sabotage the country’s economy

**2015:** The Palestinian flag was raised for the first time at the United Nations