



# Today in History

*March 2, 1933*

▲ The movie **King Kong** had its world premiere, featuring special effects culminating in the giant ape swatting planes from atop the **Empire State Building**

**1961:** Artist Pablo Picasso, 79, secretly married his 37-year-old model, Jacqueline Roque

**2003:** The Swiss yacht **Alinghi** defeated Team New Zealand to win the prestigious **America's Cup**

**2008:** Dmitry Medvedev, Vladimir Putin's chosen successor, was elected president of Russia

**2017:** The superheavy elements **Moscovium** and **Tennessine** were added to the periodic table