



Today in History

May 9, 1988

▲ **Australia's new Parliament House was inaugurated at a ceremony in Canberra attended by Queen Elizabeth II and Prime Minister Bob Hawke**

1998: Transsexual singer Dana International scored Israel's first ever win in the Eurovision Song Contest

2001: The diary of Soviet cosmonaut Yuri Gagarin, the first man in space, was sold in New York for \$170,000

2015: The World Health Organization declared Liberia Ebola-free, after 42 days with no new cases recorded

2017: President Trump fired FBI Director James Comey, who was investigating Trump's election campaign