



## Today in History

*July 28, 1858*

▲ The first use of fingerprints as a means of identification was made by William Herschel in India. He asked a businessman to impress his hand print on a contract

**1996:** The bones of a prehistoric man some 9,000 years old were discovered in the U.S. state of Washington

**1998:** Monica Lewinsky agreed to testify about her relationship with U.S. President Bill Clinton

**2008:** King George Tupou V of Tonga relinquished his powers, ending centuries of absolute monarchy

**2010:** Spain's autonomous community of Catalonia banned the centuries-old sport of bullfighting