



Today in History

April 11, 1984

▲ **Australia adopted the song Advance Australia Fair as the official national anthem and designated green and gold as the national colours**

1913: French aviator Gustave Hamel flew across the Channel from Dunkirk to Dover and back in a record 90 minutes

1934: The first air mail service was instigated between Australia and New Zealand

1979: The fall of Kampala ended the brutal eight-year rule of Ugandan dictator Idi Amin, who fled to Libya

1999: India tested an intermediate-range ballistic missile capable of carrying a nuclear warhead