



Today in History

November 14, 1994

▲ **The first fare-paying passengers travelled on the new high-speed Eurostar rail service, connecting London with Paris and Brussels via the Channel Tunnel**

1889: U.S. journalist Nellie Bly travelled round the world in 72 days to beat the fictional record of Phileas Fogg

1969: Apollo 12 blasted off carrying astronauts Charles Conrad and Alan Bean, who would make America's second moon landing

1979: President Jimmy Carter froze Iranian government assets following the seizure of the U.S. embassy in Tehran

2017: Australians voted to legalise same-sex marriage