



# Today in History

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▲ **Beijing Daxing International Airport, boasting the world's biggest single-building airport terminal and nicknamed the "starfish", was opened in China**

**1915:** The Battle of Loos, in which the British first used poison gas against German troops, began in World War I

**1969:** The Organisation of Islamic Cooperation was founded to protect the interests of the Muslim world

**1990:** Bulgaria's ruling Socialist Party re-elected Alexander Lilov as leader and ousted key reformers

**2000:** Australian athlete Cathy Freeman became the first Aborigine to win an individual Olympic gold medal