



## Today in History

*February 4, 2020*

▲ **Daniel arap Moi, President of Kenya from 1978 to 2002, died at age 95. His authoritarian rule maintained stability in the country but was criticised for corruption**

**1911:** Rolls Royce commissioned its famous figurehead, the Spirit of Ecstasy, from sculptor Charles Sykes

**1976:** Mozambique's capital, Lourenco Marques, was renamed Maputo

**2004:** The website Facebook was launched as thefacebook.com. The prefix "The" was later dropped

**2011:** Outgoing prime minister Thein Sein became Myanmar's first civilian president in half a century