



Today in History

February 13, 1941

▲ **Penicillin**, discovered in 1928 by Alexander Fleming, was first used on a human patient, an Oxford policeman whose scratches from a rose bush had turned septic

2001: A computer virus named after tennis star Anna Kournikova infected email servers worldwide

2016: Pope Francis and Russian Orthodox Patriarch Kirill held a historic meeting in Cuba

2017: Kim Jong-nam, half-brother of North Korean leader Kim Jong-un, was killed by poison sprayed into his face

2019: NASA concluded its 15-year Opportunity Mars rover mission, which had stopped communicating in 2018