



Today in History

July 27, 1921

▲ **Insulin was first isolated at Toronto University by Canadians Sir Frederick Banting and Charles Best. It proved an effective treatment for diabetes**

1866: The steamer Great Eastern arrived in Newfoundland after laying a transatlantic telegraph

1996: A bomb exploded at the Atlanta Olympic Games, killing two people

1996: A court in Sydney jailed Ivan Milat for life for the murder of seven backpackers in Australia

2001: Scientists blamed overfishing for the collapse of the world's coastal ecosystems