



## Today in History

*November 23, 2006*

▲ **Alexander Litvinenko, a Russian spy, died in London from radiation poisoning. The former KGB colonel was an outspoken critic of President Vladimir Putin**

**1921:** During prohibition, U.S. doctors were banned from prescribing beer

**1998:** European Union agriculture ministers voted to lift the ban on British beef, imposed in March 1996 at the height of the BSE crisis

**2001:** The first international treaty to address internet and computer crime was signed in Budapest

**2015:** Blue Origin's unmanned rocket landed back on its original launch pad after travelling to space