



Today in History

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▲ The presidents of Turkmenistan, Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan and China inaugurated a landmark pipeline to transport natural gas from Central Asia to China

1937: Japanese forces captured the Chinese city of Nanking, killing around 300,000 people in the next six weeks

1967: King Constantine of Greece fled into exile as a counter-coup failed to topple the military junta

1991: The five former Soviet Asian republics pledged support to the new Commonwealth of Independent States

2001: An unprecedented suicide attack on the Indian parliament in Delhi killed 14 people