



# Today in History

*February 5, 1852*

▲ **The New Hermitage Museum in Saint Petersburg, Russia, founded by Catherine the Great in 1764 and one of the largest museums in the world, opened to the public**

**1953:** Walt Disney released the cartoon Peter Pan, with Tinkerbell modelled on Marilyn Monroe

**1983:** Former Nazi Klaus Barbie was extradited from Bolivia to France to face trial for war crimes in WWII

**1993:** New U.S. President Bill Clinton signed his first bill into law

**2003:** Presidents Vladimir Putin and Pervez Musharraf met in Moscow, the first meeting in 33 years of the leaders of Russia and Pakistan