Jan. 9, 1865

*This Date in Missouri Senate History*

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With the Civil War coming to an end, most of the Legislature’s efforts relate to getting to post-war Missouri, including the repeal of all state laws that protect slavery and ratifying the 13th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. Other actions relate to debts, revising state fees and appointing another committee to revise all state statutes.

Session started on Dec. 26, and would adjourn on Feb. 20.

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(Sources: *Missouri Statute Annotations Embracing Construction and Derivation* and *Missouri Senate Journal*)