Feb. 10, 1895

*This Date in Missouri Senate History*

On *This Date in Missouri Senate History*, the date was Feb. 10, 1895, near the halfway mark of the Regular Session of the 38th General Assembly.

This is the session that bans making and selling imitation butter; creates new regulations overseeing building and loans; creates two new holidays; changes rules governing third-class cities; defines train robbery; creates the State Board of Embalming; forms a commission to look into marriage and divorce; creates new rules overseeing wills; establishes special road districts; and proposes four constitutional amendments. The first would move state government from Jefferson City to Sedalia. The second would limit jurisdiction for the state supreme court and appeals courts. Third would lower age to start school from six to five. Fourth would add water and light taxes in some towns. Voters reject all four.

This session started on Jan. 2 and would end on March 23.

February 10, 1895, the date marking the approximate halfway point of the Regular Session of the 38th General Assembly, on *This Date in Missouri Senate History*.

(Sources: *Missouri Sessions, Missouri Statute Annotations Embracing Construction and Derivation, Starting in 1820* and Missouri Senate Journal)