An Act to ratify an amendment of the Constitution of the United States, proposed to the Legislatures of the several States by a Resolution of Congress, approved on the first day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

A. T. Mason
Chairman.

[Signature]
Chairman
State of Missouri
In the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

Hereunto subscribed, and by virtue thereof have subscribed and subscribed

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representations of the State of
Missouri, in Congress assembled, as follows:

That the said proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States shall be
considered an amended part of the Constitution, namely,

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