Tuesday, January 13

ON THIS DAY



▲ 1938: Walt Disney's first full length animated Technicolour feature, Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs, went on general release

1864: The Zemstvo, or provincial assembly, was introduced in Russia

1910: The first live radio broadcast of opera was transmitted from New York's Metropolitan Opera House

1941: Irish author James Joyce, whose works included the masterpiece *Ulysses*, died

2007: Somalia's parliament declared three months of martial law to restore order in the war-ravaged state