

BOARD MEETING
January 10, 1881
Court House

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Dyersburg met at the Court House this Monday evening the 10th day of January 1881 pursuant to adjournment.

Present Mayor B. L. Thomas, Aldermen A. M. Stevens, Nichols, Smith, Nolen, Parks and White and Marshal J. W. Nichols.

The minutes of the last meeting were read, approved and signed.

The Recorder and Treasurer then presented his Bond which on motion was accepted, approved and ordered to be spread on the minutes, said Bond is in the words and figures as follows:

We, N. C. White, S. R. Latta, N. Coker and C. P. Clark, confess ourselves indebted to the State of Tennessee in the sum of Five Thousand 00/100 Dollars for the payment whereof we bind ourselves, our heirs and representatives jointly and severally to be void however if said N. C. White, who has been duly elected by the Mayor and Aldermen of Dyersburg, Tennessee, Recorder & Treasurer for the year 1881, shall promptly collect and faithfully account for and pay over as the law requires all Taxes and other dues which is or shall be made his duty to collect for the use of the Mayor and Aldermen of Dyersburg, Tennessee under his said election and appointment as Recorder & Treasurer and shall in all other respects faithfully discharge the duties of his said office, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Witness our hand this the 10th day of January 1881.

N. C. White

S. R. Latta

N. Coker

C. P. Clark

Approved January 10, 1881.

B. L. Thomas, Mayor

The Marshal's Bond was also presented and on motion was accepted and approved and ordered to be spread on the minutes and is in the words and figures as follows:

We, James W. Nichols, E. S. Thurmond and J. M. Nichols, confess ourselves indebted to the State of Tennessee in the sum of Twenty five hundred 00/100 dollars for the payment whereof we bind ourselves, our heirs and representatives jointly and severally to be void however if said James W. Nichols, who has been duly elected by the people of Dyersburg, Tennessee as Town Marshal for the year 1881, shall promptly collect and faithfully account for and pay over as the law requires all taxes and all other dues which is or shall be made his duty to collect for the use of the Mayor and Aldermen of Dyersburg, Tennessee under his said election and appointment as Town Marshal and shall in all other respects faithfully discharge the duties of his said office, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Witness our hand this the 10th day of January 1881.

James W. Nichols

E. S. Thurmond

John M. Nichols

Approved January 10, 1881.

B. L. Thomas, Mayor

On motion Alderman Parks was appointed a committeeman to assist the Marshal in having the bridge in East Courtland Street properly repaired.

On motion a committee was appointed by the Mayor to interview Memphis Dobbs & McGinnis in reference to their contract to keep the bridge in repair at Pierce's Warehouse and to report at our next regular meeting, Aldermen Parks and Smith Committee.

On motion it was ordered that the Recorder proceed to collect all the privilege tax due to the 1st January 1881.

On motion it was ordered that the first Monday night in each month should be the regular meeting night for this Board.

On motion Board adjourned.

B. L. Thomas, Mayor

Attest: N. C. White, Recorder