

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1869

The Board of Aldermen met at the Court House this evening at candle light -- Present: Mayor Deberry, Aldermen Armstrong, Boon, Frazier and McAllister – Recorder Sampson and Marshal Nichols.

Alderman Armstrong, from the committee on the survey of the Town, reported a portion of the boundaries as surveyed and defined by the committee, which survey was adopted, as far as it goes and the committee decided to finish the survey and report the same to the next meeting of this Board.

The committee on the Code of Law reported a few regulations for the immediate police of the town which were by the Board adopted and ordered to be published by the Marshal and put in force from and after the 13th of December 1869 – and the said Committee is directed to report additional By Laws and Ordinances at the next meeting of this Board. Said Police Regulations adopted are as follows:

- 1. There shall be no shooting.**
- 2. There shall be no fighting.**
- 3. There shall be no hollowing.**
- 4. There shall be no cursing or swearing.**
- 5. There shall be no obscenity.**
- 6. No stallion shall be exhibited on the square.**
- 7. Horses shall not be led or rode on pavement.**
- 8. Horses shall not be galloped in town.**
- 9. All private auctions shall be by the Marshal.**
- 10. Hereafter every offender shall be assessed and fined by the Mayor from one dollar to twenty dollars and all costs.**
- 11. The Marshal shall be allowed one dollar for every arrest, and .25 cents for every necessary witness summoned in case of conviction only.**

The resignation of F.G. Sampson was tendered and received, and B.B. Watkins elected Recorder in his stead.

Adjourned to next Thursday night.