

**BOARD MEETING
April 5, 1886
Court House**

Board of Mayor and Aldermen for Town of Dyersburg met in regular session at the Court House on Monday night April 5, 1886.

Present and presiding Mayor Thomas, Aldermen Brackin, Turner, Sinclair, Smith, Watkins, Hayes and Marshal Edward Smith.

Minutes of last meeting read, approved and signed.

On motion report of committee on lamps for Depot Street was read and committee discharged.

On motion E. W. Smith was continued on committee to get the right-of-way for widening the street west of B. L. Thomas.

On motion committee on Tucker Hotel sewer was discharged.

On motion the ordinance in regard to deaths and births in Corporation was ordered published – if low rates could be obtained.

On motion a committee was appointed to have the walk continued from the Baptist Church to Hayes corner and from Doyles to Philigus gate on St. John Street – E. W. Smith.

On motion Wm. Turner was appointed to look after several poor families reported to be in destitute circumstances.

On motion Marshal Smith was instructed to purchase a coal oil truck and 1 BBl of coal oil for Corporation.

On motion Marshal was employed to take charge of street lights provided he would do so for .50 cents per lamp per month.

On motion following accounts were allowed and ordered paid:

874 – R. N. Butterworth	\$16.71 ½
875 – A. M. Stevens	\$99.86
876 – Tom Neal	\$ 7.00
877 – J. B. Webb	\$ 5.45

On motion account Baker Walker & Company referred to committee Wm. Turner.

On motion Thomas, Smith and Brackin were appointed to have the street from Masonic Hall to C. P. Church worked.

On motion following report read of Marshal:

To acct. taxes collected \$177.80, fines \$18.15	\$195.95
By Mayor's orders \$70.00, by warrants \$125.60	<u>\$195.65</u>
	\$.30

W. R. Hayes, Recorder – Report – April 1, 1886

Debit	Credit
For amt. on hand last report -\$ 74.46, By warrant to Tucker \$ 738.48	
Amt. read of Marshal - 37.10, warrants to	<u>545.23</u>
Amt. on privileges - 257.65,	\$1,283.71

School fund last report -	738.48	leaving bal. on hand	43.49 1/2
Acct. read of Marshal -	141.50		
Acct on privileges -	<u>78.00</u>	1/2	
	\$1,327.20	1/2	

No further business appearing on motion Board adjourned.

B. L. Thomas, Mayor

Attest: W. R. Hayes, Recorder