

**BOARD MEETING**  
**September 17, 1878**  
**Court House**

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen met at a called meeting at the Court House in the Town of Dyersburg this Tuesday night the 17<sup>th</sup> of September 1878.

Present and presiding Mayor Clark, Aldermans Parr, Nichols, Scott, Sawyers and Miller.

The object of the meeting being explained by Mayor Clark to be to determine if the Pickets appointed to keep persons from infected districts out of town should be continued and whether the subscription papers pledging certain amounts of money from citizens at stated times should be accepted by the Board.

When on motion of Alderman Parr it was ordered that the citizens subscription list be accepted and made good by collections from the parties signing the same that said collections be forced immediately and the pickets continued.

On motion of Alderman Nichols it was ordered that Constable James Staple be appointed collection agent of the board and that the subscription paper be placed in his hands and that he proceed to collect from it and to sue if necessary for the effective collection of the money.

On motion the board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at nine o'clock Wednesday morning September 18, 1878.

The board met pursuant to adjournment, present Mayor Clark, Aldermans Parr, Sawyers, Nichols & Miller.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Clark and the minutes of the last meeting being read was ordered adopted and signed. On motion the board adjourned.

**C. P. Clark, Mayor**

**Attest: G. B. Miller, Recorder Protem**