

CALLED BOARD MEETING
May 11, 1885
Court House

Board of Mayor and Aldermen for Dyersburg met at Court House in call session on Monday night May 11, 1885.

Present Mayor Thomas, Aldermen Smith, Turner, Tenney and Hayes – Marshall Thurmond.

On motion following was assessed as a privilege tax for year 1885 in Corporation:

Merchants per annum-----	\$ 10.00
Parties making business of selling mdse goods and	
Warrants at auction in streets or houses – ea. Per annum	\$100.00
Artists-----Per annum-----	\$ 5.00
Photographers – per annum -----	\$ 5.00
Auctioneers -----	\$ 10.00
Banks “-----	\$ 50.00
Borrows “-----	\$ 50.00
Brokers “-----	\$ 20.00
Real Estate Brokers per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Board House per annum -----	\$.10
Cigar stands per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Cotton Compress per annum -----	\$ 10.00
Commercial agencies per annum -----	\$ 5.00
Dealers in Certificate & warrants per annum -----	\$ 10.00
Circus each day & night -----	\$ 50.00
Minagerin each day and night -----	\$ 50.00
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Side shows each day and night -----	\$ 3.75
Eating Houses & Restaurants per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Electric Lights Co. per annum -----	\$ 10.00
Fruit Stands per annum -----	\$.50
Dealers in futures per annum -----	\$1,000.00
Gas Company per annum -----	\$ 10.00
Billiards each table per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Pool each table per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Flying Jimis per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Bagatelle per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Jennie Lind per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Ten Pin per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Hotels & Taverns – each room (2 exempt) per annum	\$.10
Hucksters per annum -----	\$ 2.50
Ice Companies per annum -----	\$ 1.00
Income on stock & bonds, insurance agents, per annum	\$ 2.50
Intelligence officers per annum -----	\$ 1.00
Lightning Rod Agents per annum -----	\$ 10.00
Livery Stables – each stall per annum -----	\$ 1.00
Wholesale Liquor Dealers per annum -----	\$ 75.00
Real Liquor Dealers per annum -----	\$ 25.00
Peddlers on foot – each per annum -----	\$ 10.00
Peddlers in wagon – each per annum -----	\$ 20.00
Peddlers patent medicine each on foot per annum -	\$ 20.00
Peddlers patent medicine each in wagon per annum -	\$ 50.00
Sample sellers to consumers per annum -----	\$ 10.00
Shavers in notes and bonds per annum -----	\$ 20.00
Sewing machine agents per annum -----	\$ 10.00
Skating rinks per annum -----	\$ 5.00

Sale stables per annum -----	\$.50
Shooting galleries per annum -----	\$	5.00
Stock yard per annum -----	\$.10
Theaters per annum -----	\$	10.00
Variety shows per month -----	\$	10.00
Telephone Co. per annum -----	\$.25
Telegraph office each per annum -----	\$	10.00
Wagons, Hays, Coal, & water & Express 1 horse each	\$	1.00
“ “ “ “ “ 2 horses each	\$	4.00
Hacks, carriages, wagons each per annum -----	\$	4.00
Water co. per annum -----	\$.10
Express office each per annum -----	\$	10.00

On motion 25 per cent per annum was added to all privileged license for school purposes.

On motion tax on real estate and personally for corporation per year 1885 was assessed at .60 cents on one hundred dollars, .20 cents of which was for school purposes and poll school 1.00. On motion polls were made each 2.00.

On motion licenses may be issued quarterly, semi annually or annually, except peddlers and parties selling goods, mdse and ? at auction.

On motion Board adjourned.

B.L. Thomas, Mayor

Attest: W. R. Hayes. Recorder