

## CITY OF TUSCOLA POLICE CHIEFS

(records for some years are missing)



Chief of Police  
Samuel Huber



Chief of Police  
Craig Hastings

1877 – 1892 – Service Marshall J. C. Jewell  
 1893 – 1894 – Marshall W. H. Ashwill  
 1895 – 1896 – Marshall J. C. Cutler  
 1897 – 1900 – Marshall J. C. Jewell  
 1901 – 1902 – Marshall Geo. W. Seaney  
 1903 - ? - Marshall J. C. Jewell

? - Samuel E. Huber

1951 – 1953 – Pete Foster (day) and Jeff Morris (night)  
 1954 – 1955 – Jeff Morris (day) and Paul Hammer (night)  
 1956 – 1957 – R. W. Dolder  
 1958 – 1959 – Kenneth Rominger  
 1959 – 1960 – Raymond Prosser  
 1961 – 1968 – Jack Wellons  
 1969 – 1871 – Terry Stevens  
 1972 – 1972 – James Pohlig  
 1973 – 1975 – Milton Wirick  
 1976 – 1980 – Tom Harriss  
 1981 – 1985 – Ronald E. Earl  
 1985 – Present – Craig Hastings



Harold Brinkley, Jack Wellons  
and unknown.



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**2006 Tuscola Police Department**

First row – Officers: Scott Reed and Rex Hall, Adm. Asst. Joyce Ragle, Chief Craig Hastings.  
 Second row – Officers: Gary Miller, Heath Thurston, Matthew Reed and Lt. Richard Lamb.

**ORDANCES OF THE CITY OF TUSCOLA  
IN THE COUNTY OF DOUGLAS AND STATE OF ILLINOIS 1927**

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Tuscola, Illinois and approved by the Mayor of the City of  
Tuscola, Illinois on the ninth day of August, A. D. 1927  
The Revision of the General Ordinances of the City of Tuscola as Commenced by the late  
Hon. P. M. Moore and completed by Edwin F. Meister, City Attorney

Present Officials of the City of Tuscola:

C. H. Wiesener – Mayor  
Fred Haney - City Treasurer  
J. E. Payne - City Clerk

Aldermen:

First Ward: Henry Oye, Sr., C. E. Smith  
Second Ward: Walter Foulks, W. E. Morris  
Third Ward: Walter Bosley, E. E. Murphy

(1<sup>st</sup> Ward Pembroke St. to the North, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ward Daggy St. to Pembroke St.,  
3<sup>rd</sup> Ward Daggy St. to the South)

**Excerpts**

Pg. 11 Section 22: It shall be unlawful for any person to drive any mules, horses or cattle through the streets or alleys of said city, unless they are securely haltered or controlled and led by some person having charge hereof. Any person violating this section shall be subject to a penalty of not less than three dollars, nor more than twenty dollars for each offense.

Pg. 15 Section 1: No person, firm or corporation within the Corporate Limits of said city shall exercise the business, trade or vocation of keeper of a billiard table, pool table, shift-hold table, bagatelle table, Jenny Lind table, nine or ten pin alley, ball alley, shuffle board, shooting gallery or other like place of amusement, either for gain or place of public resort whether for gain or not, without first having obtained a license for that purpose has hereinafter provided.

Pg. 32 Section 1: Minors Not Permitted on the Street after Certain Hours. NO minor person under the age of sixteen years shall be found in or upon any public street, or alley in the City, unaccompanied by the parent or lawful guardian of such minor person after the hour of eight o'clock P.M. from November first to May first, or after the hour of nine o'clock P. M. from May first to November first of each year.

Pg. 62 Section 1: Every person, firm or corporation who purchases eggs from the producer or for sale or retail, shall candle all eggs offered to him. Candling shall mean the careful examination in a partially dark room or place of the whole egg by means of a strong light.

Pg. 97 Section 1: Disorderly Conduct: Whoever shall disturb the peace or shall be guilty of any violent, tumultuous, offensive or disorderly conduct, or shall make any loud or unusual noise or disturbance, or shall use obscene, offensive, profane or unseemly language, to the annoyance, disturbance or vexation of others, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than three dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

Pg. 98 Section 7: Open Lewdness Whoever shall be guilty of open lewdness, or other notorious act of public indecency tending to debauch the public morals, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than three dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

Pg. 99 Section 17: Visiting, Patronizing Bawdy House or Home of Ill-Fame: Whoever shall visit, patronize or frequent any disorderly, gaming or bawdy house, or house of ill-fame, house of assignation, or any place for the practice of fornication, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten dollars or more than one hundred dollars.

Pg. 101 Section 24: Leaving Horse or Team Unhitched: Whoever shall leave any horse or mule, or any team, in any unenclosed or public place without being fastened, guarded or secured so as to prevent its running away, shall be subject to a penalty of not less that three dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

Pg. 101 Section 25: Fast Driving: Whoever shall rapidly or immoderately ride or drive, or race any bicycle, motorcycle, automobile or other like vehicle, horse, mule, or other like animals, or any team in or upon any street or alley in the inhabited part of the city shall be subject to a penalty of not less than three dollars nor more than two hundred dollars.

Pg. 101 Section 26: Indecently Exhibiting Stallion, Etc. Whoever shall indecently exhibit any horse, bull, jackass or other animal, in any public place open to public view, or shall let any such animal perform such service except in some enclosed place out of the public, view, shall be subject to a penalty of not less that five dollars nor more than fifty dollars.

Pg. 112 Section 68: Unloading Coal on Sidewalk: No person shall unload, throw or place any coal upon any sidewalk of said City.

Pg. 112 Section 69: Boys Climbing on Wagons, Etc. Any boy show who shall get into or upon, or cling to any wagon or any other vehicle, without the consent of the own shall be subject to fines.

Pg. 113 Section 75: Scaring Horses: Whoever shall, by riding any bicycle in the streets or on the sidewalks of the City of Tuscola, or shall be other means willfully or negligently frighten any house, mule or other animal being at the time ridden by any person or attached to any vehicle, shall be subject to a penalty of no less than three dollars nor more than fifty dollars.

Pg. 114 Section 77: Orange Peel, Banana, Etc. Whoever shall throw, cast, lay or place on any sidewalk in the City of Tuscola, the rind or peel of any orange, banana, apple or other fruit, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars.

Pg. 115 Section 81: Driving Unhalted Horses and Mules Through the Streets. It shall be unlawful to drive any horses or mules through the streets and alleys of the City unless they be securely haltered or controlled and led by some person who is competent and having control thereof. Any person violating the provisions of the section shall be subject to a penalty of not less than three dollars nor more than thirty dollars.

Pg. 116 Section 87: Killing Squirrels: Any person who shall kill or wound, or attempt to wound by use of fire-arms, bow and arrow, hunting with stones, or otherwise, any squirrel within the City limits shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and fine of not less than three dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.