

# THE HERALD.

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## WOLFE COUNTY COURT DIRECTORY

**WOLFE CIRCUIT COURT.**  
JAMES P. ADAMS, Judge.  
KELLY KASH, Commonwealth's Attorney.  
I. R. HOLLON, Clerk.  
Meets third Monday in January, first Monday in May, third Monday in September.

**WOLFE COUNTY COURT.**  
G. T. CENTER, Judge.  
G. B. STAMPER, County Attorney.  
ROBERT L. CARROLL, Clerk.  
Meets first Monday in each month.

**WOLFE FISCAL COURT.**  
Meets first Tuesday in April, first Tuesday in October.

### MAGISTRATES COURTS.

District No. 1—C. M. Fallon; third Friday in March, June, September and December.  
District No. 2—Robert Brooks; fourth Friday in February, May, August and November.  
District No. 3—S. F. Allen; second Friday in February, May, August and November.  
District No. 4—P. K. Legg; first Friday in March, May, August and November.  
District No. 5—T. C. Hollon; second Friday in March, June, September and December.  
District No. 6—Roy Hurst; third Friday in February, May, August and November.  
District No. 7—B. T. Helton; fourth Friday in March, June, September and December.  
District No. 8—J. M. Lovelace; first Friday in February, May, August and November.

## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

**WOLFE COUNTY.**  
For County Judge—W. B. DUFF.  
For County Court Clerk—E. L. CARROLL.  
For Circuit Court Clerk—J. C. LINDON.  
For Sheriff—GEORGE W. SALLEY.  
For County Attorney—S. G. SAMPLE.  
For Assessor—J. T. CENTER.  
For Jailor—J. C. LITTLE.  
For Co. Superintendent—J. W. TAULBEE.  
For Surveyor—E. J. CREECH.  
For Coroner—J. FRANK SAMPLE.

### MORGAN COUNTY.

For Circuit Judge, 32nd District—J. B. HANNAN.  
For Commonwealth's Attorney, 32nd District—JOHN M. WAUGH.  
For County Judge—L. C. FERUGSON.  
For County Attorney—J. P. HANEY.  
For County Clerk—J. H. SEBASTIAN.  
For Superintendent—T. N. BARKER.  
For Circuit Clerk—R. M. OAKLEY.  
For Sheriff—H. B. BROWN.  
For Jailor—H. C. COMBS.  
For Assessor—WHIT KEMPLIN.  
For Coroner—ZACH HANEY.  
For Surveyor—M. P. TURNER.

### Good Roads in Kentucky.

The Bosworth-Wyatt Good Road Amendment to the Constitution of Kentucky, which passed the last Kentucky Legislature by an almost unanimous vote, and which is to be voted on at the next November Election of 1909, by the voters of Kentucky, is as follows, to-wit:  
"The credit of the Commonwealth may be given, pledged or loaned to any county of the Commonwealth for public road purposes, and any county may be permitted to incur an indebtedness in any amount fixed by the county, not in excess of five per centum of the value of the taxable property therein, for public road purposes in said county, provided said additional indebtedness is submitted to the voters of the county for their ratification or rejection at a special election held for said purpose, in such manner as may be provided by law, and when any such indebtedness is incurred by any county, said county may levy, in addition to the tax rate allowed under Section 157 of the Constitution of Kentucky, an amount not exceeding twenty cents on the hundred dollars of the assessed valuation of said county for the purpose of paying the interest on said indebtedness and providing a sinking fund for the payment of said indebtedness."  
Section 177 of the Constitution of Kentucky forever prohibits the State from lending its aid to, or in any way helping the counties in road building, or taking any part whatever in behalf of the cause of good roads.  
Section 158 of our state Constitution limits the power of any county to become indebted more than two per cent of the assessed valuation, thus making it impossible for the greater number of our counties to raise sufficient funds to do any road building at all.  
Section 157 of our State Constitution provides that a county cannot levy exceeding fifty cents on each one Hundred Dollars of taxable property therein for any purpose whatever, thus making it impossible for many of the counties to provide sufficient means to create a sinking fund and pay interest on the debt created to build roads.  
As a consequence of these limitations and restrictions of the pow-

ers of the counties, and also of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, good road building in Kentucky has been a thing of the past since the adoption of our present Constitution.

This Constitutional Amendment will remove these restrictions, which are a barrier to the passage of such a system of Road Laws by our Legislature, as will enable our counties and our state, and perhaps our Federal Government, to join hands in this important work of building and maintaining a system of improved highways in all parts of Kentucky, the accomplishment of which would do so much for the advancement, progress and development of Kentucky, and would mean more than all else for the comfort, convenience and improved condition of all our people. If this Constitutional Amendment receives a majority of the votes at that election, it will then be possible for Kentucky to pass such a system of Good Road Laws as are in effect in the States of New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Michigan, Massachusetts, California and Pennsylvania, and, in fact, every other state where progress and advancement is being made in building and maintaining good roads, while our own Kentucky is at a standstill.

If you are in favor of good roads, vote and work for the Bosworth-Wyatt Good Road Constitutional Amendment and lend a helping hand in making it possible for every county in our State to have the very best improved highways.

### Alfalfa vs. Wheat.

A remarkable story comes from Omaha that threatens to make the wheat market stand on its hind legs with excitement it is ever confirmed. It is said that at Creighton University experiments have recently been made with alfalfa as a substitute for the king of grains in the making of bread. The experiments are reported as proving eminently successful, and the quality of bread resulting most palatable and nutritious.

The alfalfa is specially selected for its quality, and after the leaves and portions of the stems have been ground in a mill, it is bolted. From this process comes a meal almost as fine as flour, and of a rich, brown color. By means of a blanching process it is finally brought to a creamy tint, which in the loaf that is baked presents a most attractive and appetizing appearance.

Varieties of eatables, including gems, pancakes, and other familiar compositions of white flour, have been made from the new meal with gratifying results to the student discoverers.

When it is remembered that two, three and even four crops of alfalfa may be grown in a single year, the possibilities of this new food product will be realized. Gentlemen like Mr. Patten, who attempt to corner the wheat market, will now find themselves faced with a rival and substitute that may render all their efforts abortive. Hitherto alfalfa has been looked upon simply as a most valuable crop for cattle food. If the Creighton University Alfalfa Club makes good on its alleged discovery it will have marked a new epoch, and added to the world's food supply a practically inexhaustible source upon which to draw.—Louisville Herald.

### The Tennessee Mountain School.

We clip the following from The Tennessee Christian:

Word has come to the Tennessee C. W. B. M. that our National Ex. Committee at Indianapolis have accepted the proposition made by the citizens of Livingston, Tenn., and that the Centennial Mountain School will be located at Livingston, the county seat of Overton county.

This town is situated in the northeastern part of the state, near the Kentucky line, and is in the Cumberland plateau section of the great Appalachian Range. Overton and the five surrounding counties have the greatest percentage of illiteracy of any part of Tennessee; there are about twelve thousand children in them, and they have no church schools, no high schools, no normal schools. The public schools are in session but a few months in the year.

The citizens of Livingston sent Mr. Roberts, a leading lawyer, to Indianapolis and he presented the educational needs of this section most persuasively to the Executive Committee and made very generous offers of land and buildings for the school, on behalf of the town. The committee was so favorably impressed by his statements that Professor H. J. Derthick and the Centennial Secretary were sent the following week to investigate conditions at Livingston, and some other points which had made propositions for the

school. Mrs. Peyton Robertson, state president of Tennessee joined, them, and after a careful consideration of all things involved, they recommended unanimously that the school be located at Livingston.

Our National Board, realizing the need of a strong and competent man at head of this new enterprise, has chosen Brother H. J. Derthick as the principal, a man rich in experience of the mountain section, earnest and consecrated in his labors for the uplift of these boys and girls. We rejoice in his coming to Tennessee, and covet the prayers and interest of our brotherhood in the State in his behalf.

### Pleads His Own Case.

In St. Louis, Mo., recently Louis O. Graves, a negro, who says he is a graduate of Yale, furnished unusual entertainment in the Court of Criminal Correction this afternoon by the manner in which he conducted his own defense. He was charged with having forged the name of Oron E. Scott for \$25, which he tried to have cashed at a down-town shoe store.

"With Your Honor's permission, I will represent myself," said Graves, who recently was discharged from the City Hospital, where he was taken after he had tried to kill himself with match heads.

"Mr. Graves," said he, addressing himself, "take the stand." Then, in a dignified manner, he stepped to the stand, and, slowly seating himself, said to the stenographer:

"Take this down, please."

"Your name, please," said he, again addressing himself.

"Louis Graves," he replied, "and several aliases which the police have given me."

"You are the defendant?"

"Yes, sir."

"Were you ever convicted of any crime?"

"Yes, sir."

"State where and what terms you served."

"Illinois and Missouri. I served two years in the Chester penitentiary and four years at Jefferson City."

"Were you ever in an insane asylum?"

"Five times."

"Did you ever try to commit suicide?"

"Five times."

"When and where? Address your remarks to His Honor."

"I jumped from the third tier of cells in the City Jail and cracked my skull."

"I took poison in Central Police Station."

"I tried to hang myself in the penitentiary."

"Twice I tried to end my life when I felt a desire to commit crime coming over me."

"To what source do you attribute your mental condition?"

"Supereducation. I'm a negro and I have no business with a college education."

"Now, Mr. Graves, you are charged with having forged a check on February 6. What have you to say about that?"

"Mr. Attorney, I have no recollection of that transaction."

Judge Taylor ordered Graves bound over to the grand jury in bonds of \$800.

The Court said he would preserve the record in the case, which he declared was the most unusual he had ever heard. Graves was taken back to jail.

### Fairs in Kentucky.

So far as we can learn the fairs scheduled for Kentucky during the present year are as follows:

- Georgetown, July 27 to 31.
- Winchester, August 3 to 6.
- Madisonville, August 3 to 7.
- Danville, August 4 to 7.
- BLUE GRASS FAIR, Lexington, August 9 to 14.
- Taylorsville, August 10 to 13.
- Uniontown, August 10 to 14.
- Harrodsburg, August 12 to 14.
- Broadhead, August 17 to 20.
- Leitchfield, August 17 to 20.
- Barboursville, August 18 to 20.
- Shepherdsville, August 18 to 20.
- Ewing, August 19 to 21.
- Shelbyville, August 24 to 28.
- Florence, August 25 to 28.
- London, August 25 to 28.
- Springfield, August 25 to 28.
- Frankfort, August 31 to September 2.
- Hardinsburg, Aug. 31 to Sept. 2.
- Bardonia, September 1 to 4.
- Tompkinsville, September 1 to 4.
- Fern Creek, September 1 to 5.
- Scottsville, September 2 to 4.

### HAZEL GREEN FAIR, Sept. 6 to 10.

- Hodgenville, September 7 to 9.
- Monticello, September 7 to 10.
- Paris, September 7 to 11.
- Glasgow, September 8 to 11.
- Scottsburg, September 13 to 17.
- STATE FAIR, Louisville, Sept. 13 to 18.
- Scottsville, September 16 to 18.
- Falmouth, September 29 to October 2.
- Bedford, October 1 to 2.

### An Essential Article.

An artist was talking about Walter Appleton Clark, who died at the beginning of his artistic career. "And Clark," he said, "had a strong sense of humor. I remember going through a millionaire's stables with him one day. You know what a millionaire's stables nowadays are like—floors and walls of translucent white tiles, drinking fountains of marble, mahogany mangers, silver trimmings, and so forth and so on. "Well, gentlemen," said the millionaire proudly, "is anything lacking?" "I can think of nothing," said Clark, "except a sofa for each horse."

### Easily Solved.

A country schoolmaster thus delivered himself:  
"If a carpenter wants to cover a roof fifteen feet wide by thirty broad with boards five feet broad by twelve feet long, how many boards will he need?"

A new boy took up his hat and made for the door.

"Where are you going?" asked the master.

"To find a carpenter," replied the boy. "He ought to know that better than any of us fellers."—London Mail.

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