

Virginia

At a Court began and held for Wise  
County at the Court house thereof on Tuesday the  
28<sup>th</sup> day of May 1861:

Pursuant to an act of the conven-  
tion of Virginia assembled in the city of  
Richmond in the year 1861, and in view of  
the fact of the want of money for the purpose  
of defraying certain expenses of the volun-  
teers of this county who are about to engage  
in the service of the Southern Confederacy,  
It is ordered that this county contribute —  
and this county doth hereby contribute —  
the sum of \$2000, for the purpose of  
equipping and defraying certain expenses  
of the volunteers as aforesaid. And in order  
that this sum may be raised as speedily as  
possible, it is further ordered that William  
Richmond be, and he is hereby appointed  
an agent for, and on behalf of this county,  
to borrow the said sum of money on such  
terms as best he can, and he is author-  
ized to execute the bonds of this county  
therefor. He is also authorized to execute  
said bonds in such manner that the  
one third of the sum borrowed become  
payable in January 1862, one third in  
January 1863, and the other <sup>third</sup> ~~sum~~ of said  
sum in January 1864. It is also ordered that  
a levy be made this year on the taxes of  
this county for the payment of the first install-  
ment

J. H. Kalyer, C. S.

