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LeFlore County Courthouse

Location: Courthouse Square, Poteau, Oklahoma 40, LeFlore County 079

Owner: LeFlore County, Lefore County Courthouse, Poteau, Oklahoma

Description: Condition - good, original site

The LeFlore County Courthouse is a three-story, rectangular, yellow brick building. Brick pilasters separate large window bays on the front facade. The top two lights of these large windows are ornamented with a pattern of crossbars. A projecting cornice is surmounted by a low brick parapet which provides the background for the lettering, "LeFlore County Court House." The building has a distinctly plain and functional appearance. A wide flight of four shallow steps leads up to the front entranceway, which has new metal-framed doors and sidelights. The original entrances and some of the windows have been replaced by modern, metal-framed units.

Significance: 1926; Builder/Architect: Unknown

The LeFlore County Courthouse is significant because of its importance to the county as the center of local government. Various county agencies, such as the election board and the county clerk's office, are housed in the building. It is the main location for the activities of county politics, and as such, serves a vital role within the community.

Acreage: Approx. 1 acre

Quadrangle: 1:24,000/7.5 min., Poteau, OK

Verbal Boundry Description: All of block 110 of original town of Poteau

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