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2. шотл. шериф-судья (главный судья графства)

sheriff

sher-iff [sheriff sheriffs] BrE ['ʃerɪf] NAmE ['ʃerɪf] noun

- 1. (in the US) an elected officer responsible for keeping law and order in a county or town
- 2. (often High Sheriff) (in England and Wales) an officer representing the king or queen in counties, and some cities, who performs some legal duties and attends ceremonies
- 3. (in Scotland) a judge
- 4. (in Canada) an official who works in a court preparing court cases

Word Origin:

Old English scīrgerēfa (see *†shire*, *†reeve*).

Example Bank:

• He was elected sheriff of Polk County.

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sher iff /'ʃerəf, 'ʃerɪf/ BrE * AmE * noun [countable]

[Language: Old English; Origin: scirgerefa, from scir 'area with its own government' + gerefa 'person in charge of an area]

- 1. an elected law officer of a [†]county in the US
- 2. (also High Sheriff) the representative of the king or queen in a [†]county of England and Wales, who has mostly ceremonial duties
- 3. the most important judge in a [†]district or [†]county in Scotland

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