

STATE OF KENTUCKY
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County of Mercer
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Set.

IN THE MERCER QUARTERLY COURT
To November Term, 1923

J. A. Ballard and
G. M. Ballard,
Partners doing business
under the firm name of
Ballard Bros.,
Plaintiffs,

-vs- PETITION IN EQUITY

John L. Stratton, George Cheatham and
Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association,
Defendants.

The plaintiffs, J. A. Ballard and G. M. Ballard, state that they are partners, doing business under the firm name of Ballard Bros., with their principal office and place of business at Harrodsburg, in Mercer County, Kentucky. That on the 4th day of October, 1922, at the regular October term, 1922, of the Mercer Quarterly Court, they recovered against the defendant, John L. Stratton, a judgment in said court for the sum of Forty-six Dollars and Fifty cents (\$46.50), with interest thereon from said date of October 4, 1922, until the same should be paid, and for their costs in said action expended. That on the 11th day of May, 1923, they caused to be issued from the said court an execution upon the said judgment, for the said sum of Forty-six Dollars and Fifty cents (\$46.50), with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent. per annum from said 4th day of October, 1922, and for the further sum of Three Dollars and Forty-five cents (\$3.45), the costs in said action accrued, and placed the same in the hands of S. W. Kennedy, then Sheriff of Mercer County, Kentucky, to do execution thereof; but, that on the 16th day of May, 1923, the said execution was returned to the office whence it issued, endorsed: "No property found in Mercer County to make any part of the within execution. This May 16th 23. S. W. Kennedy, S. M. C." That a duly certified copy of said execution with said officer's return thereof is hereto attached and filed herewith, and is hereby referred to and