

Mercer Quarterly Court-

H.S.Mathis-

Plff-

Vs-

L.Gardner-

Dft-

Comes now the plaintiff, H.S.Mathis, and states that the defendant, L.Gardner, is indebted to him in the sum of \$50.00 for the rent of a dwelling house and restaurant one month; that said amount is past due and unpaid though payment has been repeatedly demanded but refused. He says that he rented to said Gardner said Rooms and that th said Gardner agreed and promised to pay him said amount but has not done so. He says that said Gardner is wholly insolvent and that the collectin of said judgment when obtained will be delayed and the delay in obtain- ing said judgment will prejudice the rights of plaintiff and the col- lection of same will be delayed and that said defendant is now a non- resident of this State and now absent herefrom and that defendant has no property in this State subject to execution or not enough thereof to sat- isfy plaintiff's demand and <sup>said</sup> ~~that~~ demand will be endangered by delay in obtaining an execution and a return of no property found to satisfy same.

Wherefore plaintiff prays for a judgment against the de- fendant in the sum of \$50.00 and all the costs of this action and for all relief to which he is or may appear to be entitled including a gen- eral order of attachment against the property of the derendant. He prays for all relief-

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Jerry Tewney, agent for H.S.Mathis, said Mathis now being out of the County of Mercer-

*Jerry Tewney*  
*R. L. Black*  
*E. Mer. Co. -*