

MERCER COUNTY COURT

Commonwealth by Earl Huntsman, Revenue Agent,

Plff.

vs.

J. B. Thompson,

Deft.

Affidavit of Thos. J. Batman, Jr.

The affiant, Thos. J. Batman, Jr. a resident of Louisville, Ky., has been in the whiskey brokerage business for twelve years and from personal observation and knowledge of the whiskey business does not believe that the storage account of a distiller charging at the rate of 5¢ per barrel per month would figure as a valuable asset. The affiant thinks if such account were put up for sale it would bring a very small fraction of its supposed value owing to obligations which the purchaser would have to assume, one of which the obligation to guarantee excessive outage would in itself detract enormously from the value of such an account.

SIGNED

*Thos. J. Batman, Jr.*

my commission expires Jan 10 1914

*James P. Bolger*  
notary Public

