

Ballard & Ballard Co.

Vs.

Homestead Return,

W. R. Blackburn.

The within named J. P. McGuire, G. F. Critcher and W. H. Phillips were summoned as qualified by law, as the appraisers of the Homestead and personal property exemption of the said W. R. Blackburn under an execution in favor of Ballard & Ballard Co. on this the 10 day of March, 1904,

Ambrose Black Sheriff
Per J. A. Wagoner. D.S.

Due \$500.00 by pltf

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The undersigned having been duly summoned and sworn to act as appraisers of the Homestead and personal property exemption of W. R. Blackburn of Old Fields Township, Ashe County, by J. A. Wagoner, D.S. of said County, in the case of Ballard & Ballard Co. Vs. W. R. Blackburn, do hereby make the following return, We have viewed and appraised the Homestead of the said W. R. Blackburn and the dwellings and buildings thereon including 1/6 interest in a mill, owned and occupied by said W. R. Blackburn as a Homestead to be about 36 acres valued at \$800. (Eight Hundred dollars) and the tract bounded as follows Beginning on a Buckeye near R. G. McGuire's store running E. 4 P. to a stake on bank of road, thence North East with the turnpike road to J. Graham's line, thence with said line to D. Howell's Corner, thence with D. Howell's line to the

Leudy and Howel Corners, thence with Dr. Leudy's line to William Church's Corners, thence with Church's line to the South Fork of New River, thence up said River to a Dogwood, Hulcher's Blackburn's Corner, thence with said Hulcher's line to a white oak in said Blackburn's old line thence various courses with said Blackburn's line to a stake in said Blackburn's and Hulcher's line, thence with Hulcher's line to Elk Creek, thence up said Creek to Corner of Mill tract, thence with Mill tract line to a stake in Geo Blackburn's line thence to the beginning, is exempted from sale under execution according to law.

At the same time and place we viewed and appraised the personal property belonging to said W R Blackburn, and find the value to be \$ 350.⁰⁰ which we declare to be a fair valuation and that the said property are exempt from sale under said execution.

We hereby certify that we are not related by blood or marriage to the judgment debtor or judgment creditor in this execution and have no interest near or remote in the above execution.

Given under our hand & seal.

This the 10th day of March. 1904.

J. P. McGuire (seal)
G. F. Britcher (seal)
W. H. Phillips (seal)

The above return was made and subscribed in my presence the day and date above given.
Ambrose Clark, Sheriff of Ashe Co.
Per J. A. Wagoner, D. S.

• W. C. Allen, Sec. of Recording, & Cert. Copy
R. K. Elliott, Reg. of Deeds, Registering.

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