

In the District Court of the United States
For the Greenville Division, Western District of South Carolina
In the Matter of
Lawrence Croft Ashmore No. B/1839 in Bankruptcy
Greenville, S.C., Greenville Co.
Bankrupt

at Greenville, S.C. in Said District, on the 9th day of
July, A.D. 1934, before the Honorable H.H. Watkins Judge
of Said Court in Bankruptcy, the petition of Lawrence
Croft Ashmore, Greenville, S.C., Greenville County that
he be adjudged a bankrupt. Within the true intent and
meaning of the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy,
having been heard and duly considered, the said
Lawrence Croft Ashmore is hereby declared and adjudged
a bankrupt and adjudged a bankrupt accordingly.

It is therefore ordered, that upon the petition
filed in this Court by Said bankrupt on the 9th day
of July A.D. 1934, said matter be referred to E.M. Bligh,
Exq., Greenville, S.C. one of the referees in Bankruptcy of
this court, to take such further proceedings therein
as are required by said acts; and that the said
Lawrence Croft Ashmore shall attend before said
Referee on the 25th day of July 1934 at 11 o'clock
in the forenoon and thenceforth shall submit to
such orders as may be made by said referee or
by this court relating to said voluntary bankruptcy.

Witnessed the Honorable H.H. Watkins
Judge of the Said Court, and the seal
thereof at Greenville, S.C. in Said District
(Seal of the Court) on the 9th day of July, A.D. 1934
W.W. White, Clerk
By Helen Hunter, Deputy Clerk.

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Under claim of Homestead Exemption.

In the above matter practically the
only assets of the bankrupt consisted of real estate,
each parcel of which was appraised at a much
less valuation than the encumbrances existing upon
the tract. The liabilities consisted of real estate mortgages
and open accounts and judgments.

On September 6, 1934 the bankrupt filed
a petition asking that the equity in real estate
should be set off to the bankrupt as a homestead
under the law of South Carolina.

Thereupon notice was sent by
mail to all of the creditors of the bankrupt for
final meeting, to be held December 14, 1934. The
notice contained the appraised value of the
property, the names and amounts of the mortgagees,
a statement showing the appraised value of
the property \$84,25.00 and the mortgage indebtedness
of \$10,875.57.