

Wm: Matthews: Plt.  
Contra:  
Lawrence: Crawford: Dft.

Somerset County  
Lawrence: Crawford of this County Gent. was attached to answer unto  
Wm: Matthews in an action of the Case. and did whereupon the  
do Wm. by his Attorney: Edward: Jones, saith that the dft about the  
month of 4<sup>th</sup> Dec: in the year 1689. had die the pl did digged with  
dofl. to gett ~~the~~ Cypress timber for boards, whereupon the pl did gett severall Culls for the doft and  
saith that there is due to the pl. six teen Culls of the like Cypress in the Cypress swamp, where the pl did agree  
with the doft, the one half to the pl, and the other half to the doft. but the doft doth deny the pl have le  
gett into the a fowre swamp to carry away the a fowre six teen Culls of Cypress timber that is due to y<sup>e</sup>  
pl, whereupon the pl saith he is dammifed and hath loste to the value of One thousand pounds of the law  
and thereupon bringe his suit. y<sup>e</sup> Ric: Edward: Jones. E.

The Deposition of Somerset Esq: sworn 28. years or thereabouts, being sworn upon the holy  
Evangelists saith as followeth. Wm: Matthews in August Court last, called in Crawford out of y<sup>e</sup>  
Court house, and asked him if he would give him leave to take his timber out of the Cypress swamp  
and the said Crawford replied he should not, and further saith not  
being sworn before us this 8. day of November 1690.

Coagus: Riggon Junio  
Walter: Taylor &  
Ambrose: Riggon

sworn in Court for y<sup>e</sup> doft.

Francis: Jenkins  
Edmund: Stewart.

The whole proceedings being left to the judgment of this Court, do grant Order  
agst the sd Crawford for six teen Culls of Cypress timber.

The said Crawford after judgment passed agst him craves an appeal whiche by this Court is granted  
but the next day following the sd Crawford came, and in Open Court, did desire that he might have  
liberty to draw from his fowre appeal. whiche to him was granted —

Whiche whiche should have been pleaded after Declaration.

The doft. by G. S. his attorney: Comed and defends the fowre and injury and saith that the pl was to  
give a true and true account to the doft of what timber he gott having the pl hath not done and  
wholly refuse to do, and likewise the pl hath taken away some timber without his knowledge and  
desired to know whether the pl ought not to give an. to the doft to fowre to carry away the remainder. G. S.

M<sup>r</sup>. Francis: Jenkins. plt  
Contra:  
Richard: Webb: Defend

Somerset County  
Richard: Webb of this County. Clerk was attached  
to answer unto Francis of the same County Gent. dft. of the goods and  
and Ballots of Samuel: Cooper late of this County dft. in an action upon y<sup>e</sup> Stat  
And whereupon the pl by James: Sangster his Attorney Comed and says that  
the doft Richard Webb is and stands indebted unto the Estate of Samuel: Cooper deceased the full and just sum of  
two hundred forty and two 1/2 pounds of the value of the same as doth and may appear by account here in Court produced  
writing said sum was due unto the do Cooper deceased and is now the right of the pl as doth but the doft saith  
deceased of the said Cooper, fraudulently and craftily intending to deceive the pl of the said sum of 242 1/2 pounds  
of the law hath the same denied, and yet doth deny the pl's great loss & damage to the value of 485 lb. of