

1804-030

SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY
CHANCERY PAPERS

PORTER

VS. PORTER

4/1804

other surnames: Poter

^{No 53}
Thos. Porter

^r
Dwight Porter

Bill in Chy.

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Bay. White v. Mar. Dub. Eng. & Co.  
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Porter  
vs { Kilwin  
Porter { Chy  
no Inhabitant

Porter) Bill  
aga<sup>t</sup> { in Chy  
Porter)

To the worshipful Court of Southampton County  
in Chancery setting humbly complaining  
sheweth unto your worships your orator Thomas Porter  
That some time in the year 1800 your orator  
purchased of a certain Decey Porter whom your  
orator prays may be made Defendant hereto a tract  
or parcel of Land lying in this County & containing  
twenty three & an half acres & bounded by the Land of Benjamin  
Turner Henry Porter & your orator for which your orator agrees  
to give & did actually shortly afterwards pay to the said  
Defendant twenty two shillings per acre - That the  
said Dft agreed & understood whenever he should be  
thereunto required by your orator he would execute  
to him a good & lawful Deed for the said tract of  
Land - That your orator hath after required the said  
Defendant to sign & execute to him a deed for  
the same but the said <sup>Defendant</sup> fraudulently & inequitably  
hath always refused since having received payment for  
the said Land to execute a Deed & make a good title to your  
orator Therefore all which is contrary to Equity & good con-  
- science in tender consideration whereof ~~the~~ because your  
is remedied in the premises at Common Law & because  
the specific execution of agreements like the present can  
only be enforced by a Court of Equity; To the end therefore  
that the said Defendant may on his corporate oath full  
true & unvaried answer make to all & singular the  
foregoing allegations as amply & completely as if the same  
were here again repeated & be thereto particularly interro-  
- gated, may it please the Court to grant to your orator  
the commonwealth's writ of Subpoena commanding  
&c. That your worships may decree that the said Defendant  
make & execute to your orator a good lawful & indefea-  
- sible title to the said tract or parcel of Land & that your  
worships may grant to your orator such further & other  
relief as may be substantially just & equitable & your  
orator ever will &c -

Thos Porter for the Compl<sup>t</sup>

No Inhabitant

John Barnes Del  
R. Goodwin Secy

David New  
19  
David New

Samptons, April Court 1844

Thomas Porter. Complain<sup>t</sup>

against

Drury Porter. Def<sup>t</sup> } In Chancery

On the motion of the Complainant by  
his attorney it is decreed and ordered that the  
Complainants bill be taken for confessed  
unless the defendant shall appear & answer  
the same on or before the next Court.

Teste  
J. M. Kellogg

Porter } Spec  
vs }  
Porter } chuf.  
To Sept 1803

No Substant

Edmund 22<sup>nd</sup>

The commonwealth of Virginia to the Sheriff of Campbell  
county greeting you are hereby commanded to summon  
Dennis Porter to appear before the justices of our said  
court at the Ct house of the said county on the third  
monday in September next to answer a bill in chancery  
exhibited against him by Thomas Porter and that  
he shall in no wise omit under the penalty of 100  
and a half shillings with costs and charges  
of our said court at the Ct house the 18<sup>th</sup> day of  
July 1803 and in the 27<sup>th</sup> year of the Commonwealth.

Sam<sup>l</sup> H. Wells