

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of said County:

The grand jurors in and for the body of said county of Rockingham and now attending said Court at its April term, 1926, upon their oaths do present that A. T. Crawford and Moses Lawson, did, within one year next prior to the finding of this indictment, in the said county of Rockingham, unlawfully and feloniously manufacture distilled ardent spirits, against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

This indictment is found on the testimony of D. H. Dofflemeyer and W. T. Rexrode, witnesses sworn in Court and sent before the grand jury to give evidence. *D. H. Dofflemeyer*

Pro- Mfg. ✓

Commonwealth

v) Indictment

A. T. Crawford and
Moses Lawson

Felony

April term, 1926.

A True Bill:

D. G. Hadrick
Foreman

arranged

D. W. Earman
Commonwealth's Attorney

In the Circuit Court of said County:

COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM, to-wit:

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

of Virginia.

This indictment is found by the testimony of D. H.

sent before the Grand Jury to give evidence. D. W. Earman
Dettlemeyer and W. T. Exelodge, witnesses sworn in Court and

Commonwealth of Virginia, }
Rockingham County, } To-wit:

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 5 day of March 1926,
George Lawson. G. T. Davis. More Lawson
came before me H. W. Merbaum Notary Public

of the said county of Rockingham, and severally and respectively acknowledged themselves to be in-
debted to the Commonwealth of Virginia, in manner and form following, that is to say: the said
George Lawson in the sum of
Seven Hundred and fifty Dollars

good and lawful money of the United States, and the said G. T. Davis
in the sum of Seven Hundred and fifty Dollars of like good and lawful money, to be
respectively made and levied of their several goods and chattels, lands and tenements, and they
severally waived the benefit of their Homestead Exemption as to this obligation, and also waived any
claim or right to discharge any liability to the Commonwealth arising under this recognizance with
coupons detached from the bonds of this State, to the use of the Commonwealth of Virginia if the said
More Lawson shall make default in the performance of the
conditions underwritten.

The condition of the above recognizance is such that if the above bound More
Lawson do and shall personally appear before the Circuit
Court of Rockingham on the 21 day of the April Term next
thereof, being the 19 day of April 1926, at the Court-house thereof,
and then and there answer the Commonwealth of Virginia concerning a certain feeling where-
of the said More Lawson stands charged, and shall not
depart thence without the leave of said Court, then the above recognizance shall be void and of no
effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the day and year first above written.

H. W. Merbaum Notary Public

Commonwealth of Virginia,
Rockingham County, To-wit:

Be it remembered that on the _____ day of _____ 1925
_____ of the County of Rockingham and State of Virginia, personally acknowledged themselves to be in-
debted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in money and term following, that is to say: the said
_____ in the sum of _____ Dollars

_____ Dollars of like good and lawful money, to be
good and lawful money of the United States, and the said _____
in the sum of _____ Dollars of like good and lawful money, to be
respectively made and held of their several goods and chattels, lands and tenements, and they
severally waived the benefit of their Homestead Exemption as to this obligation, and also waived any
claim or right to discharge any liability to the Commonwealth arising under this recognizance with
coupons detached from the bonds of this State, to the use of the Commonwealth of Virginia if the said
_____ shall make default in the performance of the
conditions here written.

The condition of the above recognizance is such that if the above bond
_____ in and shall perform the same within the time
Term next _____ day of the _____ 1925, at the Court-house thereof,
thereof, being the _____ day of _____ 1925, at the Court-house thereof,
and then and there answer the Commonwealth of Virginia concerning a certain _____ where-
of the said _____ stands charged, and shall not
depart therefrom without the leave of said Court, then the above recognizance shall be void and of no
effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and acknowledged before me, the day and year first above written.

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia:

To the Sheriff of Rockingham County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

D. W. Dofflemeyer + H. S. Repode

to appear before the Judge of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, at the Court House thereof, at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 19th day of April 19²⁶, to testify and the truth to say in behalf of the Commonwealth before the Grand Jury

vs. A. L. Crawford and Moses Lawson.
who stands charged with and indicted for a felony misdemeanor.

And this ~~they~~ shall not omit under the penalty of £100. And have then and there this Writ.

Witness, J. F. BLACKBURN, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 19th day of April, 19²⁶, and in the 14th year of the Commonwealth.

J. F. Blackburn, Clerk.

Commonwealth

vs.

A. L. Crawford and
Moses Lawson

Sheriff fee \$1.00

each in person.

Executed, PR 15 1925 by delivering a true copy of the
within summons to the within named witnesses

J. W. Moore, D. R. G.

Arrest Warrant

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, } TO WIT:
ROCKINGHAM COUNTY,

To any officer, a Constable of said County:

Whereas, W. T. Rexrode of the said County, has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, W. L. Dinsmore a Justice of the said County, that Buzz Crawford

of the said County, on the 2nd day of March 192 6, in the said County, did ~~manufacture~~ manufacture ~~unlawful ardent spirits~~ unlawful ardent spirits

These are therefore, in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia, to command you forthwith to apprehend and bring before me, or some other Justice of the said County, the body of the said

Buzz Crawford to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law. And you are required to summon

to appear and give evidence in behalf of the Commonwealth, on the examination touching the said offence.

Given under my hand and seal this 29th day of March, in the year 19 26

W. L. Dinsmore, J. P. (Seal)

Rockingham County, State of Virginia.

The Deceased who brought before me the within a preliminary hearing, was such as to the Grand Jury for further examination. I am glad and very much obliged in the name of the people to have the Grand Jury for the further examination of the case. The Grand Jury will not depart from the County until the 31st day of March 1926. I am under my hand this 31st day of March 1926.

J. H. Agnew

Commonwealth

vs.

Arrest Warrant

Buzz Crawford ~~John~~

as. A. T. Crawford.

Executed the within warrant by arresting and delivering the body of

Buzz Crawford.

before *J. H. Agnew*
a Justice of Rockingham County, and by summoning the within named witnesses in person.

this 31 day of March 1926

John Dove
Constable of Rockingham County

for G. W. Dove, S. R. B.

Costs \$500
Justice

Arrest Warrant

Commonwealth of Virginia, }
Rockingham County, } To-Wit:

To Sheriff, a Constable of said County:

Whereas, W. J. Rexrode of the said County, has this day made complaint and information on oath before me, J. N. Bruce a Justice of the said County, that Mose & Lawson

of the said County, on the 7 day of Mar, 1926, in the said County, did unlawfully manufacture, sell and have for sale
articles of spirits & have in possession same
still.

These are therefore, in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia, to command you forthwith to apprehend and bring before me, or some other Justice of the said County, the body of the said

to answer the said complaint and to be further dealt with according to law. And you are required to summon

to appear and give evidence in behalf of the Commonwealth, on the examination touching the said offence.

Given under my hand and seal this 3 day of Mar, in the year 1926.

J. N. Bruce J. P. [Seal]

Commonwealth

vs.

Mose Lawson

Judgment

That the Defendant found guilty and fined and costs as follows:

Fine	- - - - -
Clerk's Fee	- - - - -
Justice's Fee	- - - - - 3.00
Arrest	- - - - - 11.50
Summoning Witnesses	- - - - -
Witnesses Attendance and Mileage	- - - - - 1.44
Total	- - - - - 15.94

H. L. Bruce

Justice of the Peace.

Commonwealth

vs.

Arrest Warrant

Mose Lawson

Executed the within warrant by arresting and delivering the body of

Mose Lawson

before H. L. Bruce
a Justice of Rockingham County, and by summoning the within named witnesses in person

this 3 day of March 1926

J. T. Lamm DSR
Constable of Rockingham County

Mose Lawson
brought before me
at once a justice
in and for the County
of Rockingham and
I committed Mose
Lawson to the County
Jail to be dealt
with for this by
Court.

H. L. Bruce J.P.
Mar 3-26

Mose Lawson came
before by counsel and
waived the preliminary
hearing and this
Court sent on to the
Grand Jury the 19th
day of Apr 1926

H. L. Bruce J.P.
Mar 4-1926

Apr. Term # 289 1926

COMMONWEALTH

VS. Fel. (Pro.)

A. T. Crawford & Moses Lawson

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Sheriff Costs

Still capture 50.00

Summons 1.00

\$51.00

Clare 5.50
1.00
6.00
5.00

7.60

assigned

SWT

not pres. as to Moses Lawson

Grues \$100. - A. T. Crawford

