

Liber FF being brought before mee John Jarbo One of his Lordsp̄s Justice of the peace for the County of Saint Marys this 25<sup>th</sup> day of December 1665 the said Aluey upon his Examinaçon said that he had killed a Beast and did suppose it to be Coff William Euans for it was marked a hole in one Eare and Cropt and slitt on the other and did desire leaue to goe to Coff Euans to make his Composition for it—

Taken before mee John Jarbo.

James Pattison Constable of Newtowne hundrede declareth that upon the 24<sup>th</sup> day of this instant hee the said Constable being caused by the informaçon of Walter Pake to search the howse of Pope Aluey of Brettons Bay Cooper for meat which the said Pake p<sup>r</sup>tended to haue lost and when he the said Constable came to the said Alueys howse he asked the said Aluey for the meat which the said Aluey denyed and said that he had noe such meat in the howse and in the searching of the said Alueys howse he the Constable saith that he found fresh Beeffe newly kill'd and the hyde of a Beast hidden under Corne husks in the henn howse w<sup>th</sup>out Eares, And the Constable saith that he asked the said Aluey where hee had that meate and hyde [p. 144] and the said Aluey Answered that the Owner of the s<sup>d</sup> Beast bid him kill it, and the Constable saith that he found young meat salted and a drying upon Tobacco sticks in the loaft, And the said Aluey said that he bought a quarter of Beeffe of William Wood and that was it but the Constable saith that there was a part of both a fore quarter and a hinder quarter—

Made before me this 28<sup>th</sup> of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1665 John Jarbo

Walter Pake and Gregory Rowse being aide and Assistance to the Constable in the searching of Pope Alueys howse maketh oath uerbatim w<sup>th</sup> the Constables declaraçon

Sworne before me this 28<sup>th</sup> December 1665 John Jarbo

Henry Aspinall sworne & Examined saith—

That upon the 25<sup>th</sup> of this instant month this deponants father in law Walter Pake hollowed for this deponant to come ouer the Creeke to him the said Pake told this depon<sup>t</sup> when that he came unto him: that he supposed Pope Aluey had killed a Beast of this depon<sup>ts</sup> upon which this depon<sup>t</sup> went to the howse of the said Aluey And that the said Aluey asked this depon<sup>t</sup> whether or noe he had bought Collonell Euans heiffer and this depon<sup>t</sup> answered what was it to him, And the said Aluey said that he had killed a Beast, and if it were this deponants, if he would put it up, and make noe more words of it he would pay him for three for it, and further saith not

Sworne this 28<sup>th</sup> day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1665 Before mee John Jarboe

[p. 145] Daniel Hammond aged 17 yeares or thereabouts sworne & Examined saith that upon Twesday the 19<sup>th</sup> day of this instant month, Pope Aluey this deponants father in law went out at night w<sup>th</sup> a Axe and by and by came in againe and told this deponants mother he had