

June 1705

Thomas Jone
Jm Jone
Esq

Commanded us was to the Sheriff of Kent County the Twenty fourth
day of January in the Tenth year of the Reign of her now Majesty
Anne that he take John Price and Mary his wife
James Wroth late of Kent County deceased if they shall be found
in his last will & them safe keep so that he have the body before her said Majesty
Justices at the next Court to be held at the Town of Dover in said County to
Answer unto Thomas Jone of the same County of a plea of Trespass upon
the Case and that he have them there the said Writ &c

At which said next Court on the Twenty third day of March in the Seventh
year of the Reign of her now Majesty being the day of the returne of said
Writ came Edward Scott Esq Sheriff of said County and made return thereof in
these words therein endorsed *Edm Scott Sheriff*

Altho' the said Defts being solemnly called came and thine
proper persons appeared and prayed Liberty thereof to impare until the next Court
which to them was granted the same day was given the *Writ* likewise

At which said next Court on the Twenty fifth day of June next year after
the said Majesty's Regne Anno Dom 1708 the said cause standing for
trial came the said *Plff* by Michael Earle his Attorney and the said Defts
by Christopher Philipson their Attorney and the said *Plff* by his said Attorney

declared that
John Price of said County Planter & Mary his wife late of the
said County
last will & Testament of James Wroth late of the same County
deceased stand attached to answer unto Thomas Jone of a plea
of Trespass upon the Case

AND whereupon the said *Plff* by Michael Earle his Attorney complains that
whereas there is a *Plff* by Laingall James kept an Ordinary or house of Entertainment
neare the old *Plff* house at Charter Ferry in said County within the Jurisdiction of
this Court from the 22 day of September Anno Dom 1702 until the 25 day of
April Anno Dom 1703 during which time he took upon the said 22 day of September
1702 and every time afterwards Entertainment until the said 25 day of April
1703 at the special instance & request of the said James at the said Ordinary or
house of Entertainment within the Jurisdiction of the said *Plff* sold & delivered
unto him the said James two quantity of Eight Collier Ordinary Accommodations su-
table for man & horse &c and also at the like instance & request within the
time & Jurisdiction of the said *Plff* did credit a certain David Well for
upon the proper due of the said James all the said Ordinary Accommodations
with given amounts in the whole to the sum of 2636 s of Tobacco or Equi-
valent