June Co. 1708

Edward Scott Plaint
vs
Robert Roberts

Commanded it was to the Cor. of Kent County the Twenty Seventh day of Jany in the Sixth year of the Reigne of her now Majestie Anne &c that he take Robert Roberts of Kent County Glov. otherwise called Robert Roberts of Pensilvania Gent. if he should be found in your Bailiwick and him safe keepe so that he have his body before her said Majesties Justices at the next Court to be held at the Town Port of Chester in said County to Answer unto Edward Scott of Kent County of a plea that he render unto him the sum of Two thousand pounds of good Sound Merchantable leaf Tobacco in Cask &c. wch &c. and that he have then & there the said Writt &c.

All which said next Co. viz. the Twenty third day of March in the Seventh year of the Reigne of her now Majestie being the day of the Return of said Writt came Thomas Covington Coroner of said County and made return thereof in these words thereon Indorsed viz. Cepi Corpus p Thomas Covington Coro.

All which said Co. after the said Deft being Solemnly called came not therefore it is by the Ct. here Ordered that the Coroner be Amerced the sum of att being for default the said Deft nota appearing

All which said next Co. viz. this Twenty fifth day of June in the year of her Ma. Majesties Reigne Anno Dom 1708 the said Cause standing for Tryal came the said Plaint by Christopher Sheppson his Attorney and declare against the said Robert Roberts of Kent County aforesd Glov. otherwise called Robert Roberts of Pensilvania Gent. &c. was Summoned to Answer unto Edward Scott of Kent County of a plea that he render unto him the sum of Two thousand pounds of good Sound Merchantable leaf Tobacco in Cask &c. wch to him he oweth & from him wrongfully detaineth

AND Whereupon the said Edward by Christopher Sheppson his Attorney saith that Whereas the aforesd Robert the Fourth day of September Anno 1704 at Kent County aforesd within the Jurisdiction of this Ct. did by his Certaine Bill or Writeing obligatory Sealed with his Seale as his Act and Deed Delivered and here in Ct. brought whose Date is the Same day & year aboveSaid bind himselfe his heires Executors Administrators or assigns to pay or Cause to be paid unto the said Edward the aforesd Sum of One thousand Two hundred pounds of Tobacco qualified as aboveSaid when he should be afterwards thereunto required Nevertheless the aforesd

Roberts