To the Right Honble Sr John Walter Kt. Lord Chiefe Baron of the Exchequer and the rest of the Barons there.

The humble Petition of Rich: Chambers of London Merchant Prisoner in the Fleete

Delivered June 19.

Shewetth That yor Pet^r on Wednesday last the 16th of June presented yor Lopp a Petition wth a Plea annexed by Barre of a Fine ag^st Eyre desiring the same to be filed in Court wch yor Lopp so promised and that it should bee of Record &c./

Never the lesse the morning wch Attorney General hath taken out some speciall writt, warrant or Record ag^st your Pet^r and sent it to the Sheriffe of London and their Officers to goe to the Custom house to attend the same upon his goods there.

Yo^r Petitioner therefore being greeved herein humbly desireth that stay may bee made thereof as in yor wisedomes shall bee most fitt. And yor Pet^r shall ever as in duty pray &c./

To the right Honble Sr John Walter Kn^t L. C. B. and the rest of the Barons there./

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Shewetth That yor Lopp the 23^d June last 1629. in the Exchequer Court upon hearing Counsell of the King and yor Pet^r did order that the Officers of the King Custom should deliver yor Pet^rs goods so longe detayned for supposed duties as by the said order doth appeare. Now soe it is that yor Petitioner is afrayd to retake his goods into his possession, because of certaine

or warrants wch hath been gone out, and at the roundabouts is at this present to bee served on his goods for 2000^li. Nyne estreates out of the Starre-Chamber into the Exchequer; so that it will bee no benefitt to him to have his goods, and after to be extended from him. And whereas yor Pet^r the 16th of this present monthe did in barre of the said Fine present yor Lopp and the Barons with a Petition and a Plea annexed thereto, humbly desiring yor Lopp that the same might bee filed in Court, and that all extents Record and warrants might bee stayed therein wch yor Lopp redeared and read it and thereupon promised filing and stay thereof, yet contrary to the said Plea some Processe or warrant hath been granted and sent to the Sheriffe of London and their officers to execute the same, the which I now feare against if yor Lopp doth not by some order prevent the same.

Although Attorney did move the Court that the Plea should bee read on Satturday following but it was not and so remayneth doubtfull.

Yo^r Petitioner therefore humbly prayeth that his Plea may be filed and all extents executions and warrants stayed. And he shall ever as in duty pray for yor honor &c./

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