the Court would declare their further order therein, at wch day his matie Counsell came not, by wch meanes no further order was made in Court.

That yet the 25th day of June following a fieri facias Capias and Extent, directed to the Shariffe of London, mudge went out of this Honble Court, by colour wrof they Executed seized divers goods to the value of the said Fine and more, wch goods are still in the Custody of the said Shariffes and their Officers —

That the indirect issuing out of the said writt & the Execution thereof being by the Petitioner Complained of to yr worp and the other Barons, you also disclaimed their having any hand therein or knowledge thereof. /

Yr Petitioners Humble suite is, that in asmuch as the issuing out of the said writt without Sumons & without standing a Plea in Court is against lawes, & his matie expresse Commands in the said Estract, that but that this Court for the keeping of the said Fine should only doe what of right was to bee done, therefore Humbly desireth yr worp to graunt a Supersedeas to the writt quia irronice emanauit, as also to order the said Shariffe of London to restitution of the said goods so indirectly seized yr petitioner against, and hee shall ever in duty pray for yr worp &c. /

Mr Chambers Letter to the Shariffs of London.

Lincolns Inn in the ffleete the 17th August 1669. London.

Right worpll Sr I understand you endeavour to make sale of my Goods in yr Custody, wch by unlegall proceedings hath bee taken by a fieri facias, before a Scire facias or Sumons had gone forth, and therefore in a friendly report to you and yr brother Sheriffe advise you to consider 3 points in the fieri facias and the Returne ~~and the Returne~~ you are to make before the Barons of the Exchequer, the first of mischeiff what Terme, what goods lands tenements &c and the condition and qualitie wch the prayses name &c wch I wishe (for the generall good hereafter) to those prayses wch may understand themselves and difference betweene painting and playstering, to distinguish betweene double peeces and single peeces of Estrangers, wch the 9 Valls prayses at 660li for single peeces, wch and double peeces worth a 1000li at least, and so in the other goods likewise. 2dly in ist barre of the aforesaid proceedings I assure my selfe, that yr worp knowth of my Plea, wch if you doe not I pray you take notice hereby, that the 6th day of June last in Termi Hill I put into the Exchequer Court a plea, ~~wch if you direct, I pray take notice hereby~~ in barre of my ffine & all other proceedings against mee as not being, according to the lawes of the Land, wch mr Attorney tooke ~~wch~~ notice thereof (~~and~~ by his motion the next day in Court appeth) wch Plea was accepted, and is a sufficient barre agt all proceedings till it bee adiudged by Lawe agt mee, wch yet is not. as also that those proceedings aboue said are disauowed by my Lord Chiefe Baron, and the other Barons

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