Calendar of State Papers Colonial, America and West Indies, Volume 11: 1681-1685, J. W. Fortescue, ed. (London: Longman, 1898), no. 591, p. 259:

591 . Order of the King in Council. Referring the petition of William Dyre to Lords of Trade and Plantations for report. <i>Signed</i> , John Nicholas. $\frac{1}{2}p$. <i>Annexed</i> ,
591. I . The petition referred to. I was commissioned to be the Duke of York's Collector in New York in 1674 and remained so till 1681, when several merchants' factors refused to pay their customs duties and accused me of high treason. I was sent home to be tried for my life and was enlarged on bail, since when I have waited in vain for the accuser to prosecute his charge. I beg reparation and release from bail. <i>Copy.</i> 1½ <i>pp. Endorsed. Recd.</i> 21 June 1682. Read 6 July 1682. <i>Printed in New York Documents, Vol. III., pp.</i> 318–319. [<i>Col. Papers, Vol. XLVIII., Nos.</i> 115, 115 I.]

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