

c. p. and Tranquility of this province then the Quietting the Estates of the Inhabit<sup>ts</sup> thereof And for the Effecting of which no better measures can be taken then a Limittation of time for the Comencing such Actions as in-the Sev<sup>n</sup> and Respective Courts within this province are brought from the time of the Cause of Such Actions Accrueing,

Be itt Enacted by the Kings most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of his Majestys Govern<sup>r</sup> Councill and Assembly of this province and the Authority of the same that all actions of Tresspass Quare Clausum fregit all Actions of Tresspass Detinue Sur-trover or Replevin for takeing away goods or Chattles all actions of Accounts Contract Debt book or upon the Case other then such Accoumpts as Concernes the Trade of Merchandize between Merchant and Merchant their factors and Servants which are not Residents within this province all Actions of Debt for Lending or Contract without Specialty all Actions of Debt for Arrearages of Rent all Actions  
 p. 13 of Assault Menaces Battery wounding and Imprisonment or any of them shall be sued or brought by any pson or psons within this province at any time after the end of this present sessions of Assembly shall be Comenced or sued within the Time and Limittation hereafter Expressed and not after (that is to say the said Actions of Account and the said Actions upon the Case upon Simple Contract book Debt or Acc<sup>t</sup> and the said Actions for Debt Detinue or replevin for goods and Chattells and the said Actions for tresspass Quare Clausum fregit within three years Ensueing the Cause of such Action and not after And the said Actions of the Case for words and Actions of Tresspass of Assault battery wounding and Imprisonm<sup>t</sup> or Any of them within one year from the time of the Cause of such Action Accrueing and not after)

And be itt further Enacted by the Authority a<sup>fd</sup> that if any Person Entituled to any the Action or Actions a<sup>fd</sup> shall be at the time of any such Cause of Action Accrueing within the age of One and twenty years feme Covert non Compos mentis Imprisoned or beyond the Seas that then such pson  
 p. 14 or psons shall be att Liberty to bring the said Action or Actions within the respective times before Limited after there Comeing to or being of full age Sound Memory att Large or returned from beyond the Seas as other psons having no such Impedim<sup>t</sup> might or should have Done.

And fforasmuch as Diverse Disputes formerly arose whether psons Absenting the Province or Wandering from County to County untill the time by the Late Act for the Reasons and purposes a<sup>fd</sup> Limited and Allowed were Expired should have and benefitt thereby and Different Judgm<sup>ts</sup> given