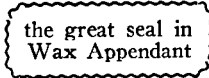


and be subject to the same Penalties imposed by this and the above recited Act, on all Constables who shall be appointed at the first County Courts which shall be held after Michaelmas, respectively are. Liber B.L.C.

22.<sup>d</sup> June 1752  
/Read and Assented to  
by the/Lower House of  
Assembly/  
Signed p Order  
M Macnemara Cl lo ho.

On behalf of the Right  
Hon<sup>ble</sup>/the Lord Prop<sup>ry</sup>  
of this Province/I will  
this be a Law/

23.<sup>d</sup> June 1752  
Read and Assented to  
by the/Upper House of  
Assembly/  
Signed p Order  
J. Ross Cl Up Ho.



No. 8 A Supplementary Act to an Act entitled, "An Act for quieting Possessions, enrolling Conveyances, and securing the Estates of Purchasers."

Whereas, by the Act of Assembly entitled, An Act for quieting Possessions, enrolling Conveyances, and securing the Estates of Purchasers, or by any other Law of this Province, there is not any express Provision made how, or in what Manner, the Acknowledgement of any Feme Covert, named as a Grantor, Bargainor, or Donor, in such Deed indented or mentioned in the said Act, for the conveying Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, which lay within this Province, wherein such Feme Covert hath the Estate of Inheritance, or taken only to bar her of Dower, where she resides out of this Province, shall be taken: For Remedy whereof, and to direct the Method of taking the Acknowledgement of such Feme Coverts for the future, it is humbly prayed that it may be Enacted, p. 563 [Preamble.]

And be it Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietor, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's President, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That from and after the End of this Session of Assembly, where any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, lying and being within this Province, shall be conveyed by any Deed whatsoever, wherein any Feme Covert shall be named as a Bargainor or Vendor, for transferring her Estate of Inheritance in such Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, as aforesaid, or wherein such Feme Covert may have Right or Claim of Dower, only where any such Feme Covert as aforesaid shall, at the Time of her executing such Deed, reside and be out of this Province, in Great-Britain, Ireland, or within any Province or Colony within his Majesty's Dominions, it shall and may be lawful for any such Feme Coverts to acknowledge such Deed; and be examined apart from, and out of the Hearing of her Husband, before the Mayor of some Corporation within Great-Britain or Ireland, or before one of the Justices of the Supreme or Provincial Court of such Province or Colony within his Majesty's Dominions, whether she doth make her Acknowledgement of the same willingly and freely, and without being induced thereto [Feme Coverts may dispose of Lands Etc. lying within this Province, though themselves be at the same time in any other Part of his Majesty's Dominions.]