

And be it further Enacted, by the Authority, Advice and Consent aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Provincial Court to allow unto every Person or Persons that shall be legally summoned, to give their Evidence in the said Courts, the Sum of Forty Pounds of Tobacco and no more, for every Day they attend at such Court, together with their itinerant Charges, as usual, to be allowed by the Court, and paid by the Person summoning them, and to be charged in the Bill of Costs, in Cases of *Meum* and *Tuum*; and in all Cases criminal, to be paid according to the Directions of the Act of Assembly of this Province, For speedy Tryal of Criminals, and for the Payment of their Fees. And that it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the several and respective County-courts of this Province, to allow unto every Person or Persons that shall be summoned to give their Evidence, in their several and respective Courts, in any Action or Controversy depending in the said Courts, the Sum of Thirty Pounds of Tobacco for every Day they attend as an Evidence, until such Cause shall be ended, and no more; to be paid in the same Manner as Evidences that attend the Provincial Courts are herein before directed to be paid.

Witnesses allowance in the Provincial Court, and how to be paid in cases Civil,

And Criminal,

How to be allowed and paid in the County Courts.

Act of Justice 208 Supplementary Act

An ACT for quieting Possessions, Enrolling Conveyances, and securing the Estates of Purchasers.

FORASMUCH as a good and beneficial Law, entituled, *An Act for quieting of Possessions*, was made the Twenty Seventh Day of March, Anno Domini One Thousand Six Hundred Seventy One, in this Province, which by the Use thereof hath been found very much conducing to the Benefit of the said Province,

Be it therefore Enacted, by the King's most excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Majesty's Governour, Council and Assembly of this Province, and the Authority of the same, That all Sales, Gifts and Grants, at any Time before the Thirteenth Day of April, One Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Four, (and not after) of any Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments within this Province, by any Person or Persons whatsoever, that had Right to sell, give or grant such Lands, Tenements or Hereditaments made by Writing only, with or without Seal, shall forever hereafter be accounted good and valuable in Law, to bar the Heirs of such Vendors, Donors or Grantors; any Error in the Form only, of such Writing, to the contrary, notwithstanding.

And forasmuch as divers Assignments of Patents written on the Back-side of such Patents for Land, are now worn out, and also other Sales in Paper, either worn out or quite lost, for which the Purchase-Money hath been, *Bona Fide*, paid,

Be

The Act of 1671 Approved.

And all Sales within it confirmed.

Tho' by Writing without Seal, Notwithstanding Error in the Form.

And without writing, if Sale can be proved or Consideration paid.