

Clerk shall be a Court of Record and be called the Court  
of Chancery and shall have power to issue and  
award all the same or the like writs grants  
pardons commissions or edicts as may be issued  
or awarded out of the high Court of Chancery in  
England and further to enjoy use and exercise  
all or any the same or the like powers privileges  
authorities and Jurisdictions within this Pro-  
-vince as the said Court of Chancery enjoyeth or may  
enjoy use or exercise within the Realm of England  
(except where it is otherwise provided by any law  
of this Province) And all writs originall and all  
other matters drawn by the Clerk of this Court or in  
or upon matters determinable in this Court shall  
issue in the name and with the test of the Lord  
Proprietarie and the writs shall or may be  
directed to the parties themselves or to the Sherif  
of the County or to any other publique Officer nam-  
-ed upon the writs And the most summary  
formes of proceeding and trials shall be used in  
this Court as the Chancellour shall approve or  
appoint and the same or the like Judgments  
shall be given in the same as are most agreeable  
to the laws of this Province or otherwise to the  
Judgments usually given in the same or to the  
like causes in the high Court of Chancery in Eng<sup>l</sup>  
or otherwise are most agreeable to right reason  
equity and good conscience (without neglecting  
the law of the Province) as near as the said Chan-  
-cellour and Councell shall be able to determine  
This Act to continue till the end of the next  
generall Assembly

An Act For the erecting of a Pretorall  
Beid Enacted By the Lord Proprietarie of  
and with the advice and approbation of the free  
-men of the same that all Capitall crimes of trea-  
-son and felony by the laws of this Province and  
all enormious offences whatsoever by the Laws of  
this Province shall be finally heard and determi-  
-ned by or before the Lord Proprietarie or his Lieu-  
-tenant