

At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on the Sixth Day of June, 1770, in the Tenth Year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lord George the Third, of Great Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. and there continued by several Prorogations until the Ninth day of June, 1772, in the Twelfth Year of his said Majesty's Reign, being the Third Session of the Fifth General Assembly convened in the said Province.

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An Act for empowering the Justices of the Peace for the County of Sunbury, to hold Courts of General Sessions of the Peace at Warrington, on the Island of Campo-Bello [Campobello] in the said County, for the said Island, and for the District of Passamaquoddy, comprehending the Islands within the said District.

Whereas the want of roads and regular ferries, and the distance between the county town and the district of Passamaquoddy makes the attendance of persons resident in the said district at the General Sessions of the Peace held for the said county at the county town very inconvenient; for remedy whereof, be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, that Courts of General Sessions of the Peace, shall and may be held and kept at Warrington, on the said island of Campo-Bello for the said islands and the district of Passamaquoddy in the county of Sunbury on the first Tuesday of June and first Tuesday of October in every year, and any two or more Justices for the county of Sunbury, residing within the said island and the district of Passamaquoddy, shall and may hold the said Courts; and such Courts shall have, hold, use, excise and enjoy, all and singular the powers, which are by law already given and granted unto Courts of General Sessions of the Peace, so far as relates to all such matters and things as shall be cognizable by such Courts within the said islands and district of Passamaquoddy in the county of Sunbury.