

thority to any Justice or Justices of the said Court of Common Pleas, to sit in or to hear, try and determine any Appeal or Appeals, or Cause or Causes in Error, in which he or they shall have sat in the Court below.

XXXII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said Court of King's Bench, hereby constituted, shall exclusively have, hold and exercise the legal superintending power of the several Courts of King's Bench in this Province, which existed at the passing of this Act, and of each and every of them, and of the Justices thereof severally and respectively, in Term and in Vacation, over each and every Court of Law, which is or shall be erected, constituted or established within this Province, and over all persons and bodies politic and corporate, and in all causes and matters whatsoever, and shall have, hold and exercise in this respect, and with respect to the Prerogative Writs of the Crown, the same jurisdiction, power and authority in every respect as the said Court of King's Bench, and each and every of them, and the Justices thereof, severally and collectively, in Term and in Vacation, by Law had, held and exercised before the passing of this Act, and no more. Provided nevertheless, that nothing in this Act contained shall extend, or be construed to extend to prevent the issuing of his Majesty's Writ of *Habeas Corpus*, in any case whatever, by the Court of Common or Civil Pleas hereby constituted, or by any one or more of the Justices thereof, as herein-after is directed.

XXXIII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that all powers and authorities vested by any former law in the several Courts of King's Bench in this Province, which existed at the passing of this Act, or in any or either of them, and related in any manner or way to His Majesty's Writ of *Habeas Corpus* in Civil and Criminal matters, or to the awarding or issuing, or return thereof, or to the hearing, trying or determining in due course of Law, of any question, or issue, or matter, or thing, thence arising, or incident thereunto, in any manner or way whatsoever, shall be, and the same, and each and every of them, is and are hereby vested in the Court of King's Bench, hereby constituted, and in the Court of Common or Civil Pleas hereby constituted, concurrently and in each and every of the Justices of the said last-mentioned Courts of King's Bench, and Common or Civil Pleas respectively.

XXXIV. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that an appeal and Writ of Error shall lie from the judgement of the Court of Common or Civil Pleas, hereby constituted to the Court of King's Bench, hereby constituted, in every case in which an appeal or writ of error lay before the passing of this Act, from the judgements of the then existing Court of King's Bench, or either of them, to