Who shall examine her.

or country, nor unless such Married Woman be examined by the said Governor or other chief executive officer, or such British Consul, or Judge of Court of Record, or Notary Public, touching her consent to alien and depart with such real estate, and shall freely and voluntarily, and without coercion, give her consent before such Governor or other chief executive officer, or such British Consul, Judge or Notary Public as aforesaid, to alien and depart with such estate: Provided always, that it shall not in any case be necessary for any such Governor or 10 other chief executive officer, British Consul, Judge or Notary Public to attest the execution of any such deed as a subscribing witness.

Proviso.

give a certificate.

II. And be it enacted, That in case it shall appear to Governor, Consul, &c., to such Governor or other chief executive officer, British 15 Consul, Judge or Notary Public, that such Married Woman doth freely and voluntarily consent to depart with, alien and convey her said real estate, or any interest she may be entitled to therein, without coercion on the part of her husband or any other person, it shall and may be 20 lawful for such Governor or other chief executive officer, Particulars to British Consul, Judge or Notary Public, to cause a certificate thereof to be endorsed on the deed so executed by her and her said husband as aforesaid, which certificate shall state the day on which such examination is 25 taken, and shall be signed by such Governor or other chief executive officer, and shall be also under the seal of the state or country of which such Governor or other chief executive officer shall be the Governor or chief executive officer as aforesaid, in cases where the said 30 certificate is made by such Governor or chief executive officer, or signed by the said British Consul, or Judge of Court of Record and under the seal of such Court, or signed by the said Notary Public and under his notarial seal, and which said certificate shall be in form or to the 35 effect following, viz:---

he stated therein.

Form of certificate.

" T, do hereby certify, that on this the within deed was duly day of executed in the presence of by one of the grantors therein named; 40 wife of and that the said at the said time and place being examined by me, apart from her husband, did appear to give her consent to depart with her estate in the lands mentioned in the said deed, freely and voluntarily, and without coercion or fear of coercion on the part of her 45 husband or of any other person or persons whatsoever."

Its effect.

And such certificate shall be deemed and taken to be prima facie evidence of the facts contained therein.

Married Woman so resident may

III. And be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for any such Married Woman as aforesaid, resident of 50