CoCoA-5 - Feature #375

allow single function call in "use": e.g. "Use NewFractionField(R);"

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Description

After "use" the interpreter expectes the special poly ring constructor, such as QQ[x,y], with the unconventional meaning of the square brackets and interpretation of, x and y.

In this context round brackets are only allowed for writing ZZ/(3).

Now, whereas in general it is indeed ambiguous at parsing level, as in

```
Use NewQuotientRing(R,I)[X]; -- the ring R/I[X]? Use ListOfRings(A,B)[n]; -- the n-th element in the list? Use Func(A)[w]; -- ?????
```

a single function call is not, as in

Use NewFractionField(R);

It would be very handy. How difficult is it to implement?

Related issues:

Related to CoCoA-5 - Feature #657: use command, ring syntax, RingOf

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History

#1 - 09 Apr 2014 17:31 - John Abbott

- Target version changed from CoCoA-5.1.0 Easter14 to CoCoA-5.1.1 Seoul14

#2 - 02 Sep 2014 11:14 - John Abbott

- Target version changed from CoCoA-5.1.1 Seoul14 to CoCoA-5.?.?

#3 - 20 Oct 2020 18:15 - John Abbott

- Related to Feature #657: use command, ring syntax, RingOf added

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