

further particulars that may be necessary. A form of the report will be found in the Appendix hereto, No. 43.

128. When the report is ready, notice shall be sent to the parties, and either party may thereupon take up and file the report.

129. Within *two weeks* from the filing of the registrar's report, either party may file a notice of motion to vary the report, specifying the items objected to.

130. At the hearing of the motion the judge may make such order thereon as to him shall seem fit, or may remit the matter to the registrar for further inquiry or report.

131. If no notice of motion to vary the report is filed within *two weeks* from filing the registrar's report, the report shall stand confirmed.

#### COSTS.

132. In general costs shall follow the result; but the judge may in any case make such order as to the costs as to him shall seem fit.

133. The judge may direct payment of a lump sum in lieu of taxed costs.

134. If any Plaintiff (other than a seaman suing for his wages or for the loss of his clothes and effects in a collision), or any Defendant making a counter-claim, is not resident in the district in which the action is instituted, the judge may, on the application of the adverse party, order him to give bail for costs.

135. A party claiming an excessive amount, either by way of claim, or of set-off or counter-claim, may be condemned in all costs and damages thereby occasioned.

136. If a tender is rejected, but is afterwards accepted, or is held by the judge to be sufficient, the party rejecting the tender shall, unless the judge shall otherwise order, be condemned in the costs incurred after tender made.

137. A party, who has not admitted any fact which in the opinion of the judge he ought to have admitted, may be condemned in all costs occasioned by the non-admission.

138. Any party pleading at unnecessary length or taking any unnecessary proceeding in an action may be condemned in all costs thereby occasioned.