

usual form, to shew cause before a Judge why he should not consent to such admission ; or in case of refusal, be subject to pay the costs of proof ; and unless the party required shall expressly consent to make such admission, the Judge shall (if he think the application reasonable), make an order, that the costs of proving any document specified in the notice (which shall be proved at the trial to the satisfaction of the Judge or other presiding officer, certified by his endorsement thereon), shall be paid by the party so required, whatever may be the result of the cause : provided, that if the Judge shall think the application unreasonable, he shall endorse the summons accordingly : provided also, that the judge may give such time for inquiry or examination of the documents intended to be offered in evidence, and give such directions for the inspection and examination, and impose such terms upon the party requiring the admission, as he shall think fit ; and if the party required shall consent to the admission, the Judge shall order the same to be made ; but no costs of proving any written or printed document shall be allowed to any party who shall have adduced the same in evidence on any trial, unless he shall have given such notice as aforesaid, and the adverse party shall have refused or neglected to make such admission, or the Judge shall have endorsed upon the summons, that he does not think it reasonable to require it ; and the judge may make such order as he may think fit respecting the costs of the application, and the costs of the production and inspection ; and in the absence of a special order, the same shall be costs in the cause.

X. A copy of any grant of lands, or of any plan taken by any sworn surveyor, or of any proceedings in Her Majesty's Council, respecting titles of lands, certified by the Registrar of deeds and keeper of plans, Colonial Secretary, or clerk of the Council of this Island, or other proper officer, in whose custody the same may be, shall be received as evidence.

Certified copy of grant of land receivable in evidence.

XI. So much of section one of the Act of the twelfth year of Her present Majesty, chapter four, as provides, that the said Act shall not render competent any party to any suit, action or proceeding, individually named in the record, or any lessor of the plaintiff or tenant of premises, sought to be recovered in ejectment, or the landlord, or other person in whose right any defendant in replevin may make cognizance, or any person, in whose immediate and individual behalf any action may be brought or defended, either wholly or in part, is hereby repealed.

Recited proviso in section 1 of 12 Vic., c. 4, repealed.

XII. On the trial of any issue joined, or of any matter or question, or on any inquiry arising in any suit, action or other proceeding, in any Court of Justice in this Island, or before

Parties to suits, to be admissible as witnesses therein.