

RULES AND ORDERS

OF THE

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.

XLV. In all cases, where any suit shall be dismissed in this court, except where the dismissal shall be for want of jurisdiction, costs shall be allowed for the defendant in error, or appellee, as the case may be, unless otherwise agreed by the parties.

XLVI. In all cases of affirmances of any judgment or decree in this court, costs shall be allowed to the defendant in error, or appellee, as the case may be, unless otherwise ordered by the court.

XLVII. In all cases of reversals of any judgment or decree in this court, except where the reversal shall be for want of jurisdiction, costs shall be allowed in this court for the plaintiff in error, or appellant, as the case may be, unless otherwise ordered by the court.

XLVIII. Neither of the foregoing rules shall apply to cases where the United States are a party ; but in such cases, no costs shall be allowed in this court, for or against the United States.

XLIX. In all cases of the dismissal of any suit in this court, it shall be the duty of the clerk to issue a mandate, or other proper process in the nature of a *procedendo*, to the court below, for the purpose of informing such court of the proceedings in this court, so that further proceedings may be had in such court as to law and justice appertain.

L. When costs are allowed in this court, it shall be the duty of the clerk to insert the amount thereof in the body of the mandate, or other proper process sent to the court below, and annex to the same the bill of items, taxed in detail.

LI. All motions hereafter made to the court shall be reduced to writing, and shall contain a brief statement of the facts and objects of the motion.

LII. The court will, at every future session, announce on what day it will adjourn, at least ten days before the time which shall be fixed upon ; and the court will take up no case for argument, nor receive any case upon printed briefs, within three days next before the day fixed upon for adjournment.

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