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The Criminal Cases That Will Come up in the District Court the Coming Week.

The supreme court yesterday made a new rule in regard to the consideration of cases, which, it is expected, will considerably expedite business.

The rule is made necessary by the numerous delays caused by the absence of attorneys at the time their cases are called, and by the numerous requests for postponement made at the eleventh hour, which disarrange the business of the court.

The rule is known as No. 23, and is as follows: "To the end that cases may be fully considered and determined without any considerable delay after argument, it is ordered that hereafter this court will on its own motion, set cases for argument, as reached for determination, in their chronological order as filed (except criminal cases and such civil cases as may be advanced on the calendar for special cause shows), and counsel will be given ample notice thereof.

Criminal cases will be set for hearing immediately after filing of record and expiration of time for filing briefs. Any civil case may be advanced on the calendar for hearing and determination, on suggestion accompanied by showing of sufficient reason therefor. At the time set for argument, if either party fails to appear, the case will be deemed submitted on his behalf without oral argument.

Stipulations of counsel fixing date for argument will be accorded as far as practicable, preserving the privilege, however, of submitting appeals in their chronological order."

A WEEK OF CRIMINAL CASES. Set for Trial in the District Court Before Judge Hunt.

All of next week will be devoted by Judge Hunt's department of the district court to the trial of criminal cases, which will come up in the following order:

Raynor Brewer, assassin with a deadly weapon, a pistol, on James W. Forbes. At the preliminary hearing before Justice Billings at Great Falls, Brewer made no defense, pleaded guilty, and was committed for the action of the district court.

Frank Ketchum, burglary in the daytime. It is claimed that he entered the room occupied by Alexander Austin and his wife Josephine on Rodney Street, and stole a lot of jewelry, etc.

Ab Coon, attempt to commit burglary. The charge is that Ab Coon attempted to enter the chicken house of William Strawn with felonious designs on the poultry. He had succeeded in getting a couple of boards off when he was interrupted.

Henry Gating and Charles Nobel, appeal. They were tried before Justice Critcher on the charge of petit larceny, in stealing five heads of cabbage, valued at 50 cents, from Ching Yang. The jury found them guilty and fined them \$5 each.

Theresa Schmidt, cruelty to animals. Schmidt, it is charged, overdrove a horse belonging to Anthony Dougherty and failed to provide the animal with proper food and drink.

Court Notes. Judge Buck yesterday appointed Vincent H. Howe administrator of the estate of Mary June Howe.

Judge Knowles returned to Helena yesterday and will probably be here now until the November session of the United States court is over.

The Finkelstein habeas corpus case did not come up in the supreme court yesterday. Finkelstein's counsel was not ready and the case went over to to-day.

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An Attempt to Build Across the Fort Ellis Reservation. The county commissioners of Gallatin county recently ordered a road opened to be known as the Hixon road. One portion of the road cut across the Fort Ellis military reservation. The reservation was given to the state by the general government. The fact that the road was to be run through the reservation was reported to the state board of land commissioners. With the report came another that some people were preparing to jump the land included in the reservation. This, it is learned, would have been an easier matter than might appear at first glance, had the county been allowed to run its road through the land. The attorney general was of opinion that such an act done with the consent of the state would have invalidated the grant by the general government and the land would have reverted to the public domain and been open to settlement. The state board of land commissioners at once took steps to notify the Gallatin county commissioners that they could not build their road through the reservation. The commissioners ordered work stopped on the road at once. They deny any knowledge of the reported intention to jump the land.

World's Fair Notes.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—The attraction at Jackson park to-morrow will be a parade of cart horses and street vehicles. Mrs. Ernest Hart has been awarded twenty-five medals for her exhibit of Irish art and industry at the Douglas castle exhibit at the fair. Mrs. Hart therefore takes a higher number of awards than any exhibitor at the fair.

The transmission lines have agreed that they will not abolish cheap World's Fair rates west of the Missouri river until the transcontinental lines agree to the restoration of rates to the Pacific coast.

Broadway Oyster Exports, 123 Broadway, Denver block structures and good will for sale; a good business for the right party; good reasons for selling.

The Atchison Prosperous. TOPEKA, Kan., Oct. 25.—The annual meeting of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe was held here this morning. It was very brief, as everything was harmonious. President Reinhardt's annual report, showing an increase in net earnings over those of the previous year, was very gratifying. The old board of directors was re-elected and they in turn re-elected the old officers. The annual report shows an increase in gross earnings of \$3,388,483. The operating expenses increased \$2,493,398, and the net earnings increased \$894,085.

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Ladies' and children's union suits at Butcher & Bradley's, 105 Broadway, for less money than elsewhere in town.

Oklahoma Show It Made a State. WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—A telegram has been received by Secretary Hoke Smith, announcing that the administration has been vindicated by a large democratic majority in the elections at Perry, Oklahoma. The intention of the telegram is to congratulate the secretary on the fact that the method of opening the Cherokee strip does not seem to meet so much dissatisfaction as has been alleged.

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Notes Upon Hypnotism. CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—George Painter, the alleged wife murderer sentenced to be hanged Dec. 1, says he thinks hypnotism will help secure a pardon. He says a man in a hypnotic state must tell the truth and set just as he did on the occasion he is to be questioned about. Painter hopes Gov. Altgeld will permit him to submit to experiments with a view of securing a pardon.

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An American Held. SOUTHAMPTON, Oct. 25.—An American named Wendell was arrested on his arrival here to-day from New York. It is said, at the request of the United States minister, for a heavy defalcation.

New York, Oct. 25.—Superintendent Hynde says he knows nothing about Wendell, arrested at Southampton to-day.

Low Rate to the World's Fair. The Great Northern railway line will sell tickets from Helena to Chicago and return on October 15th to 31st inclusive at \$36.05 for the round trip, and to St. Louis at \$33.25 for the same trip. Tickets will be limited to continuous passage in each direction with final return limit November 15th. For sleeping car reservations and further information apply to C. W. PERRY, City Ticket Agent, No. 6 Main Street, or B. H. LANGLEY, Gen. Ticket Agent.

Time to Hunt up Evidence. BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Oct. 25.—The coroner to-day adjourned the inquest in the Grand Trunk week until Nov. 5, in order to give Lawyer Harburt time to investigate some testimony he expects to produce in behalf of Conductor Scott, who is now willing to go on the stand.

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