

GENERAL RULES,

MADE AT DECEMBER TERM, 1866.

RULE I.

THAT the amendment to the second rule of this court, which requires the oath prescribed by the act of Congress of January 24th, 1865, to be taken by attorneys and counsellors, be and the same is hereby rescinded and annulled.

RULE II.

That all cases on the calendar, except cases advanced as hereinafter provided, shall be heard when reached in the regular call of the docket, and in the order in which they are entered.

Criminal cases may be advanced, by leave of the court, on motion of either party.

Revenue cases, and cases in which the United States are concerned, which also involve or affect some matter of general public interest, may also, by leave of the court, be advanced on motion of the Attorney-General.

Two or more cases, also, involving the same question, may, by the leave of the court, be heard together, but they must be argued as one case.

