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THREE MEN IN CUSTODY UNDER THAT CHARGE.

Steve Fowler, Bound Over, Was Taken to Portland Last Night—Joe Williams Was Discharged as the Government's Evidence Was Not Available—Ed Murphy Gave a Bond and Was Released.

Deputy United States Marshal L. N. Blowers of Portland, was a guest at the Hotel Bickers yesterday.

Mr. Blowers came to take into custody Steve Fowler, who was arrested some days ago on a charge of having sold whiskey to Indians here. Fowler was given an examination before United States Commissioner John Hailey, Jr., and was bound over to the next term of the federal court at Portland. He was taken to Portland by the marshal.

Joe Williams, the Indian, who was arrested at the time Fowler was, for having given whiskey to Indian boys on the reservation, was given a hearing, and though it was known that he was guilty, the evidence could not be gathered together, and he was discharged.

Ed Murphy, a saloon man, was also arrested upon the same charge and was up before the commissioner's court. He was held to appear before the federal grand jury in the sum of \$250, which bond he furnished, and was released pending the convention of the jury.

ACCEPTED B. GIBBONS.

Secular Chair Founded in a Catholic University.

Washington, D. C., April 13.—With the acceptance by the Catholic University today of a fund of \$50,000 to found a chair of American history, that institution enters upon a new era in its work of education in secular branches. The presentation of the fund was made in Divinity hall this afternoon, in the presence of a distinguished assemblage of dignitaries of the church from every section of the country, together with many prominent members of the Knights of Columbus, which organization raised the fund and presented it to the university.

Robed in his scarlet vestments, and attended by a score of archbishops, bishops and priests, Cardinal Gibbons formally accepted the fund and made reply to the presentation speech of Edward L. Hearn of New Haven, Conn., the supreme head of the Knights of Columbus.

The fund of \$50,000 was collected entirely from voluntary contributions and it required less than three years to realize the amount. The

Knights of Columbus is the second society to follow the mandate of the late pope in endowing the university. Five years ago the Ancient Order of Hibernians raised \$50,000 to found a chair of Gaelic language and literature.

BRAKING APPARATUS.

Narrow Gauge Railroads Not Restricted in Devices.

Washington, April 13.—By a vote of 8 to 3 the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce authorized a favorable report on the bill allowing narrow gauge railroads to use some other brake than the power driving wheel brake specified in the safety appliance act.

Double Murderer on Trial.

Jersey City, N. J., April 13.—In the court of oyer and terminer today the case of Julius Eckel, charged with the murder of his wife on February 6 last, was called to trial. Eckel has also been indicted for killing Mrs. Annie McDermott, wife of the proprietor of the saloon where the double tragedy occurred, but the trial on this charge will depend upon the outcome of the trial for killing Mrs. Eckel. The defense is insanity and that "the deed was committed while Eckel was under the strain of ungovernable mania caused by his wife's unfaithfulness."

Democrats of New Mexico.

Silver City, N. M., April 13.—The territorial democratic convention is in session here to choose delegates to the democratic national convention. The Hearst sentiment appears strong throughout the territory and it appears likely that the delegates to St. Louis will be instructed to support the candidacy of the New York editor for the presidential nomination.

Women of the Press.

Topeka, Kas., April 12.—The fourteenth annual meeting of the Kansas Woman's Press Association was called to order here this morning by the president, Mrs. W. A. Morgan. Two sessions were held during the day, that of the forenoon being devoted largely to routine business and the afternoon session to the reading and discussion of papers on topics of interest to newspaper workers.

Shiloh Dedication Postponed.

Springfield, Ill., April 12.—This was the date originally set for the dedication of the Illinois monuments on the Shiloh battlefield, but at the request of Governor Yates, who did not want to leave the state in the heat of the gubernatorial campaign, the committee on arrangements has postponed the dedication until the middle of May.

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McKinney, Texas, has been nearly obliterated by fire. Loss, \$200,000.

ANTI-HEARST BANQUET.

Formidable Opposition Will Get Together in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., April 13.—In the attendance and speeches at the annual banquet tonight of the Ironquois Club, the leading democratic organization of Chicago, the Hearst followers will find little to encourage them. The chief figures at the banquet will almost without exception, be party leaders who have pronounced against the candidacy of the New York editor, including Mayor Harrison of Chicago, and Thomas Taggart of Indiana.

Congressman John Sharp Williams, who has been mentioned as Illinois' choice for the presidential nomination, will be present, but what is regarded as still more significant is the fact that among the speakers will be Martin W. Littleton of New York, who will speak on the subject, "The Empire State, the Hope of Democracy." Mr. Littleton is the accredited representative of David B. Hill and his speech is expected to mark the formal launching of the Parker boom in the West. Other speakers will be former Senator Vilas of Wisconsin, and Senators Carmack of Tennessee and Culberson of Texas.

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