

SOCIETY

Pleasures of the Week.

All members of the board of education and all but three teachers of the Norfolk schools were delightedly entertained at a dinner party by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Viele and their two daughters, Misses Edith and Inez, Wednesday night. A sumptuous five-course dinner was served, Mrs. Viele and her daughters being aided in the serving by teachers. Mr. Viele acted as toastmaster, H. C. Matrau spoke for the board of education; Miss Paine for the high school; P. M. Hunter for himself, and Mrs. Mendenhall for the grade schools. After the dinner and toasts the ladies entertained with a ghost school.

Mrs. George D. Butterfield entertained the Bridge club and a few other ladies at 1 o'clock luncheon Wednesday. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. Mary Leonard, Mrs. M. Burnham and Miss Edith Butterfield. There were four tables at bridge, the prize for progressions going to Mrs. Warrick, the high score prize to Mrs. C. H. Reynolds, the first guest prize to Miss Butterfield and the second guest prize to Mrs. Burnham.

Mrs. W. H. Butterfield was hostess Thursday afternoon at a luncheon. Twenty ladies enjoyed a game of bridge during the afternoon. The high score prize went to Mrs. C. H. Reynolds, progression prize to Mrs. Colegrove, the first guest prize to Mrs. M. Burnham and the second to Miss Edith Butterfield of Chicago.

Mrs. H. C. Warrick and Mrs. E. P. Weatherly were hostesses at an attractive 1 o'clock luncheon on Tuesday, when they entertained the Tuesday Bridge club in courtesy to Mrs. Mary Leonard of Waterloo, Ia. The afternoon was devoted to bridge, the honors going to Mrs. J. Baum. Mrs. Leonard won a pretty good prize.

Wednesday evening twenty young lady friends surprised Miss Addell Uhle with a kitchen shower at the home of her parents. The inference is that Miss Addell will have use for those kitchen utensils in the not distant future. Those present enjoyed the evening immensely.

Miss Mildred M. Dunn celebrated her thirteenth birthday on Tuesday afternoon. A large company of young friends went at 4:30 o'clock and stayed for a delicious supper served at 6 o'clock by Mrs. Dunn.

The ladies of the Methodist church met with Mrs. L. A. Fischer, Mrs. Sprecher and Mrs. Kuhlman on Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Fischer, 1310 Norfolk avenue.

The Ladies guild of Trinity church met with Mrs. A. S. Mitchell and Mrs. V. St. Clair Mitchell in the home of the latter on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Grace Matrau gave a 6 o'clock dinner and china shower last Saturday evening for Miss Mabel Bowen.

Personal.

Mrs. M. Burnham, who has been visiting in the home of her son, C. E. Burnham, left Thursday for Tilden, where she will spend some time before returning to her home in Rockwell City, Ia.

Mrs. J. M. Jacobs and little daughter and Miss Rosenbaum of New York City, arrived in Norfolk Wednesday for an extended visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Mayer.

Mrs. J. McManus of Callopie, Ia., will spend Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. W. N. Huse, and will leave Monday for Seattle, to visit another daughter.

Mrs. Mary Leonard left Thursday noon for her home in Waterloo, Ia., after a three weeks visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asa K. Leonard.

Mrs. F. B. Baldwin and daughter, Mrs. A. H. Scott, left Thursday morning for a week's visit in Omaha with friends.

MADERO SMILES AT IT.

When Shown Diaz's Statement—Prepares to Start to Capital.

Juarez, Mex., May 26.—With a smile on his face, Francisco I. Madero, Jr., today eagerly read the morning paper dispatches from Mexico City telling of the resignation of President Diaz. He could not restrain a smile as he knew of no fact chargeable to him which should have caused the revolution of feeling against him. To an Associated Press representative Madero said he preferred not to comment on President Diaz's letter. He gave the impression he could not agree with its contents. As to Senor De la Barra's letter stating that he would not be a candidate for president or vice president, the rebel leader was greatly pleased and declared he would issue a manifesto later today commending Senor De la Barra on his public spirit. Senor Madero has great confidence in Senor De la Barra and to his callers today lauded the honesty and integrity of Mexico's acting president. Messages continued to pass between the two men today with respect to the prolongation of the present session of congress and the time for holding the general elections. It has been said to Madero that some time in November would be a suitable occasion, but the rebel chief favors a much earlier date, perhaps September, and many of his friends think it ought to be held sooner. Senor De la Barra, it is said, will respect the wishes of Madero in the matter and it is not at all

unlikely that the point will not be decided until the latter reaches Mexico City. Plans for the journey to Mexico City are begun in earnest today and the expectation is that Monday will be the day of departure. Mexico City, May 26.—Francisco Leon De la Barra, the Mexican foreign minister and former ambassador at Washington, took the oath of office as provisional president of the republic today. He will act as the chief executive in succession to Porfirio Diaz, who resigned yesterday until a general election can be held. Order prevailed throughout the capital last night.

HOW "ONE ROUND" HOGAN BECAME A FIGHTER.

Frisco's Sensational Lightweight Was Once a Plumber's Helper.

A street fight between two plumbers' assistants is what started "One Round" Hogan, the sensational Frisco pugilist, on the road to fame. Hogan was a plumber's apprentice and had served three years of his time when he took up the fighting game. He says he never would win a prize today at wiping a lead pipe joint, but that he's a bear at threading two inch pipe. Hogan, whose first name is Jack, is confident he will eventually win the lightweight championship. He points to his bout with "Knockout" Brown in New York recently as to what he can do. Hogan has fought forty-one battles, and of that number he won the first thirty-nine—many of them by the knockout route. On account of winning several of his fights in the first round he was given the name of "One Round" Hogan. "I had been fighting just one year," said Hogan recently, "and you can see that I have been pretty busy to get away with forty fights. They gave Frankie Burns the decision against me on account of a foul, but if I fouled



FRISCO'S SENSATIONAL LIGHTWEIGHT IN ACTION.

him it was certainly not intentional. They disqualified me for butting. I think I can lick Burns any time he starts."

"How did you start in as a fighter?" was asked. "It was on account of winning a street fight over some plumber's assistants. I never took a boxing lesson in my life."

Hogan then told of how he worked as a plumber's assistant, and as he was leader of a gang he naturally had to fight all the time.

A fight club in Frisco had engaged a young fellow named Steele for a preliminary bout, and as he had no opponent the manager, who had seen Hogan in a street fight, offered him \$15 to go on. Hogan grabbed at the job, and before he had gone four rounds he knocked out so many of Steele's teeth that the fight had to be stopped.

"And the worst of it," said Hogan, "is that I didn't get the \$15. The manager told me that \$5 was enough for me, and I couldn't argue him out of the other ten. Finally he told me that I was pretty lucky to get a chance to fight at all, and he promised me that he would give me another fight the next week. I fell for that line of talk, but to this day I am still trying to get that ten."

Hogan is just twenty-two years old and is an orphan. Apparently he has made the best of his opportunities at school, as he talks intelligently and uses good English. He is a clean young fellow and has not been in the fight game long enough to fall prey to its many temptations.

Ottumwa, Ia., to Be Dry. Ottumwa, Ia., May 26.—Ottumwa will be dry after July 1, as a result of the decision by Judge Vermillion in the district court today, declaring the saloon consent petition insufficient by ninety-seven names. The "wets" will appeal to the supreme court. Unless today's decision is reversed, Ottumwa will be the largest "dry" city in the state.

AD WOLGAST THE FAVORITE.

Odds of 10 to 4 are Offered on Him Against Frankie Burns. San Francisco, May 27.—Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion, will be a heavy favorite this afternoon when he steps through the ropes at the Eighth street arena to defend his title against Frankie Burns of Oakland. Odds of 10 to 4 are freely offered against Burns.

Wickersham to Talk. Washington, May 26.—Attorney General Wickersham has agreed to

appear before the house committee investigating the department of justice. Trust prosecutions that have been inaugurated and others that have not will be discussed.

RANKS ARE GETTING THIN.

G. A. R. Members Make Addresses at Public Schools. According to Representative H. C. Matrau, in a few more years there will not be enough old soldiers left to make the regular annual visit to each of the public schools, a custom which has been on the program of the old soldiers for many years.

The old soldiers made their regular Memorial day visit to the schools of the city at 1:15 Friday. At each of the schools special exercises were held and the old soldiers told the children various stories of the fight which the Grand Army of the Republic made for them fifty years ago.

"There are getting to be so few of the old soldiers," said Capt. Matrau, "that we will not have enough to go around soon." Last year the soldiers met at the Matrau & Wille office and thence marched to the various schools. This time it was with great difficulty that the old warriors could be found, and they were brought together and the children of the schools heard patriotic addresses which proved an inspiration.

Next Sunday morning the old soldiers will march in a body from the G. A. R. hall to the First Methodist church, where Rev. J. W. Kirkpatrick will deliver the Memorial Sunday sermon.

Nebraska Hopes to Win.

Des Moines, May 26.—Two hundred athletes representing ten schools outside of Des Moines, members of the Missouri Valley conference field meet to be held at the stadium of Drake university tomorrow afternoon, are here. The Nebraska athletes, the Missouri entrants and the Kansas men, all claim they can win.

FRIDAY FACIS.

S. G. Mayer went to Sioux City on business.

Miss Martha Koehn returned from a few days' visit with friends at Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Cox of Long Pine are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walling.

Mrs. W. M. Stingle and son Cleo of Grand Island are here visiting with Mrs. Florence Edwards.

Mrs. A. L. Killian and her son Herbert have gone to Peru, Neb., where Mrs. Killian will spend a ten days' visit with her parents.

David Clements, who has been making his home with his son E. M. Clements for the past two years, has gone to Colfax and Des Moines, Ia., to spend the summer with his sons and daughters.

A horse valued at \$100 belonging to John Robinson died yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Levine have gone to housekeeping at 214 North Tenth street.

Painters and paper hangers have taken possession of the city hall. Every room in the building is to be repaired and repainted.

Owing to an exchange of property between H. D. Saunders and C. F. W. Marquardt the Saunders family will leave in June for their future home in Omaha.

An adjourned meeting of the board of education will take place this evening in the high school building. The consideration of the plumbing and heating bids for the West Lincoln and Grant schools are to be considered.

Electric lights were installed at the Country club during the day, in time to be turned on for the dancing party in the evening. The opening day was a windy one, but promised to bring out a big bunch of pleasure seekers.

Dr. C. J. Verges has purchased another fine Belgian draft horse from the Commercial club. Dr. Verges' new purchase is a sister to the horse he bought from the first shipment of these animals from Belgium to Norfolk.

Campbell Brothers circus train is due here early Saturday morning. The unloading commences immediately and the parade will take place at about 10 o'clock. Two performances are to be held on the Olney field.

Chief of Police Marquardt lifted the quarantine on the George Chrisman residence at the Junction. A daughter of Mr. Chrisman was suffering with smallpox. There are two more cases of the disease at South Norfolk. Both are quarantined.

James Evans and son-in-law W. D. Ratliff have arrived in Norfolk from Kansas City to open the new wholesale fruit house which they will conduct here. Their household furniture is on the way and their families will be here within ten days.

A. W. Hawkins, newly elected secretary of the Norfolk Commercial club, returned from Omaha, where he resigned his position as a traveling salesman for the Bradley, Merriam and Smith Implement company. Secretary Hawkins is now "on the job" in his temporary quarters in the office of the Norfolk National bank.

The Commercial club committee reports that all is arranged for the smoker to be given to the traveling men of Norfolk Saturday evening. The entertainment will take place in Marquardt hall. Chairman C. J. Fleming requests that every member of the Commercial club, Ad club and every traveling man in Norfolk Saturday be present at this smoker.

Rev. J. M. Shippard, pastor of the First Congregational church of Lincoln and said to be the foremost Congregationalist in the state, will fill the pulpit at the First Congregational church in this city. Sunday Rev. Edwin Booth goes to Lincoln to take Mr. Shippard's place for the day. Mr.

Shippard comes to Norfolk from Wayne, where he has been called on state normal school work.

Another Norfolk bank cashier has a kick against interference during busy hours. He declares the occurrence of the sale of a two-cent stamp at another bank is not as embarrassing as the one he had Friday with a book agent who held his attention for ten minutes before he discovered he was agreeing with the man upon a certain book which he was to be the purchaser of. He did not buy the book.

"The Pleasure Boat Club" is the name of a newly organized boat club of six members who are owners of gasoline launches, canoes and row boats. The headquarters of the club is at Pleasure Landing, just finished by Ed Hans on his property. The landing is the most convenient one in the city, with good sidewalks leading to it. Rest rooms are furnished and refreshments are served in the refreshment booth on the landing. The landing and stands are painted white.

Chief of Police Marquardt was a caller at the mayor's office Friday to request two additional policemen be put on duty Saturday to take care of the circus crowd. There are usually a bunch of undesirable following a circus and it requires much attention from the police," he said. Chief Marquardt also requests that all merchants keep a light burning in the places of business during the night. "Many of the business men do this," he says, "but there are some who do not. We cannot guard the places with satisfaction. The lights aid us."

The Red Cross degree was conferred upon F. M. Hunter, P. H. Davis of this city and O. E. Robin of Neligh, at a meeting of Damascus Commandery No. 20, K. T., Thursday night. Previous to the conferring of the degree the following officers were installed: D. Rees, eminent commander; S. F. Erskine, generalissimo; Joseph A. Hoffman, senior warden; Shias G. Dean, junior warden; J. B. Maynard, prelate; Louis C. Mittelstedt, treasurer; G. T. Sprecher, recorder; George H. Burton, standard bearer; J. W. McClary, warden; J. S. Van Alstyne, sentinel. The finance committee has not yet been named. After the installation luncheon was served in the banquet room.

MAY GET FORTUNE FOR \$750.

If Braman Dies Without Heirs Gallagher Will Get \$50,000.

Robert Gallagher, a Boston attorney, has an opportunity to get \$50,000 for the paltry sum of \$750. The \$50,000 is in the form of a trust fund left to Hammond Braman, clubman, by his father. Braman has become embroiled in the bankruptcy courts. His creditors endeavored to get control of the trust fund, but this the court held was immune until his termination at the death of Braman, hence an action at which the fund was sold for \$750 to Gallagher. The creditors will receive the \$750.

"When Braman dies and in the event that he leaves no heir Gallagher gets the \$50,000. Mr. Braman is thirty-five and Mr. Gallagher nearly sixty. The latter feels sure, though, that he will live to get the money.

Braman, who has been a Harvard student, banker and broker, is a well known figure about Boston. He was driven into bankruptcy after he had spent several uncomfortable days in jail, where he was sent for his failure to pay a judgment of \$8,500 awarded to Benjamin Banks of Cambridge, who had been run down by his automobile. Braman has been twice married. He was divorced from his first wife in 1907. Later he figured in a sudden marriage with Miss Rose O'Neil, who was playing in a musical show.

Affidavit With Will. By the provisions of the will of Ellis worth B. Cooper, a farmer of Hamden, Conn., the entire estate of \$60,000 is left to the Connecticut Humane society, and his relatives, all cousins, are cut off. To forestall a contest Mr. Cooper had himself examined by Dr. Walter S. Lay when the will was drawn Jan. 1, 1906, and Dr. Lay signed an affidavit that Mr. Cooper was of sound mind.

Hoskins Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Santee departed Thursday for their home at Colome, S. D.

John Bahls of Lincoln visited at the Aron home Saturday.

Miss Lena Shultz returned home Saturday after a several days' stay in Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Zutz, sr., left Sunday for a week's stay in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rhorke and children and Theodore Heberer attended a funeral at Hadar Saturday.

A. C. Lantz visited friends here Sunday evening.

Misses Margaret Schemel, Hilda Aron, Dora Green were Wayne visitors Friday.

E. F. Darling spent Sunday in Decatur.

Mrs. Edgar Swanson and Gladys Foster are on the sick list this week. John Strasser spent Sunday in Norfolk.

Miss Anna Fahn spent Sunday with home folks at Norfolk.

Mrs. Louie Ziemer spent several days of last week visiting in Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. of Aberdeen, S. D., are spending several days at the Nelson home.

Mesdames Salling and Atkinson, who have been visiting at the A. M. Averill home the past few weeks, are spending several days visiting at Wakefield.

Miss Dora Pahn of Norfolk spent Saturday at the J. A. Huebner home.

Misses Midkiff and Wilkins of Sioux City are spending several days at the August Deck home.

Henry Mass returned Sunday from Omaha with a pair of artificial limbs.

Mrs. Albertine Mass died last Friday at the home of her granddaughter,

Mrs. Carl Joehens, of pneumonia and other complications. She was born at Nutabagen, Germany, on October 16, 1836. Married to Carl Mass on November 16, 1858, came to Wisconsin in 1865, to Nebraska in 1870 and lived in this vicinity till the time of her death. One son and two daughters preceded her in death. She is survived by seven daughters, Mrs. A. Schenck, Mrs. C. Mass, Mrs. P. Urich, Mrs. A. Urich, Mrs. F. Mierhenry, Mrs. August Mierhenry of Stanton and Mrs. A. Frieburg of Stanton.

Madison Alumni Banquet.

Madison, Neb., May 26.—Special to The News: The Madison high school evening at the G. A. R. hall. Plates were spread for 100 persons. The guests of the evening were the class of 1911 and the members of the board of education.

The banquet was served in four courses by the ladies of the Presbyterian church.

Supt. W. T. Stockdale presided as toastmaster. Miss Ethel Christian of the class of 1902 and president of the association, delivered the address of welcome to the class of 1911, which, on behalf of the class was responded to by George M. Darlington, president of the class; Miss Eva Robertson of the class of 1904 responded to the toast, "United"; Archie Donovan of 1909, to "Loyalty"; and N. W. Irwin of the class of 1909, to "Ourselves." Miss Mable Hershman spoke on the subject "The Knockout." Samuel C. Faas of "The Harvest." Otis Taylor "Dreams," and S. C. Blackman, president of the board of education, "Today and Tomorrow." Hon. W. L. Dowling, of the class of 1899, closed the program by responding to the toast "Touching Elbows."

RAPS ROOSEVELT.

Says No Public Man So Erratic and Inconsistent Regarding Arbitration.

Mohokk Lake, May 26.—Severe criticism of Theodore Roosevelt's recent public utterances regarding international arbitration marked the speech of John W. Foster, former secretary of state, before the seventeenth annual meeting of the Lake Mohokk conference on international arbitration. At the same time, said Mr. Foster, "notwithstanding Mr. Roosevelt's early declaration in opposition to arbitration in general, he has done more than any one living to advance this cause."

Oakdale News Items.

John Tinnel of Georgetown, Tex., was visiting at the home of H. S. Manville last Saturday.

A. C. Williams of Meadow Grove was a business visitor in town Saturday of last week.

Last Saturday the road grader commenced grading the mile of road between town and the Elkhorn river, which they finished the first part of the week, and are now grading east of town. They have constructed a cement roller which weighs about 5,100 pounds, with which they are rolling the roads after grading.

R. M. Anderson, formerly of this place, was down from Emmet last Saturday visiting old friends.

Marjorie Jenkins of Neligh spent Saturday and Sunday of last week at the C. H. Brainard home.

Last Sunday this section of the country was assailed by a good rain which lasted all day, and gave the ground a good thorough soaking. Monday night brought another good shower, so the country is in fine shape for some time to come.

Miss Grace Warden of Petersburg spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of E. R. Schiemann.

Ernest Galloway of Omaha was here the fore part of the week visiting friends and relatives.

Part of the forces of E. L. Payne & Son have been busy this week giving J. A. Dill's butcher shop a couple of coats of varnish and paint inside and out.

This week men have been busy extending the water mains south on Taylor street from Fifth street to Lawton avenue. They are laying a four-inch main, and will put in a fire hydrant at the Lawton avenue end.

On Saturday evening of last week the Oakdale concert band gave a concert in the K. P. hall under the auspices of the I. O. U. B. club. The hall was filled to the limit. During the evening ice cream was served, also a vote on the most popular young lady in the hall was taken. Miss Alice Pugh, the winner, was awarded a handsome picture contributed by W. L. Payne & Son. The I. O. U. B. ladies feel well repaid for their effort and the profits will go for either new band uniforms or a portable band stand.

Miss Cecil Evans was a Neligh visitor last Saturday and Sunday.

G. R. Nesbit of Norfolk visited relatives here the first part of the week.

Will Stringfellow came up from Arlington last Saturday for a visit with friends and relatives here, returning Tuesday.

Rev. Mrs. Brookmiller of the United Brethren church delivered the baccalaureate sermon at the Methodist church last Sunday evening to the graduates of the high school. There was a good crowd in attendance, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather.

Robert Leith has been busy this week fixing up his airframe, where he expects to start a moving picture show in the near future.

"Young Gotch" has been here a couple of times this week, making arrangements for a wrestle with Frank Dwork of this place. Although nothing definite has been given out, it is understood that the wrestle will take place a week from next Saturday in the K. P. hall.

Walter Rose was a passenger to Elgin Tuesday forenoon, where he played with the Elgin team against the Bloomer Girls' baseball team.

Last Tuesday evening the I. O. U. B. young ladies entertained a number of the young men at a farewell reception given in honor of Misses Lulu I. Dur-

land and Agnes Robinson, at the home of Miss Nellie Admire. All present report a most enjoyable time.

C. H. Ray returned last Tuesday afternoon from a business trip to Mitchell and other points in South Dakota.

Last evening the junior class of the high school entertained the seniors and the high school faculty at the home of C. H. Torpin.

Messrs. Norwood and Wildermunch have been busy this week taking up the brick walk around the Oakdale bank building and have replaced it with a fine wide cement walk.

Hard to Realize.

When we see a circus advertised we always begin to wonder what there is new that can possibly be offered more than we have seen before. This year, as each past year, Campbell Brothers have added attractions and surprises for the public, found and perfected only by great labor, patience and skill, till one may say, "I never thought such things possible." New trapeze acts—new juggling acts—new tumbling and sensational gymnastic feats—new arena wonders—daring feats of bareback riding and all the rest too numerous to mention. One must actually see to appreciate and then wonder grows as the show progresses. The perfection of these big shows is the result of hard work, both of brain and muscle, and the circus now offered to the public by the Campbell Brothers is perfect in every department. Will exhibit here Saturday, May 27. Don't fail to see the big street parade at 10 a. m., rain or shine.

THEY SPOON ON THE STREET.

Norfolk Avenue is Getting Its Eyes Full of Tender Emotions.

Norfolk avenue in the business district is dubbed a "lovers' lane" or "honeymoon trail" by certain witnesses to love making. Hugging and kissing is a common occurrence most any time of the day on the street, and the participants don't seem to notice or care for the remarks of the onlookers who sometimes applaud and sometimes hiss.

Participants in these acts on Norfolk's busiest street are mostly young married people who believe that wedlock gives them unqualified permission of exhibiting their tenderness in public.

A telephone girl who witnessed one of the acts on schedule time yesterday noon, declared that "goosegazing is all right but it should be done at home."

Two young bachelors who are among the daily attendants at the performances, declare they have the fever and want to be jotted down on the record of the marriage license clerk as soon as the right one happens along.

"It's a shame," says one of these bachelors, "that I am forced every day to witness this hugging and kissing without any self defense. The one couple especially make it a habit of walking past my place two or three times a day with their cheeks rubbing against each other, should have some mercy. I don't mind the cheek rubbing so much, but when they smuggle each other's faces in their hands and their lips meet with a noise like a cow pulling her foot out of the mud, it gives me the jim-jams and I can't do the work my boss requires of me."

Another young couple make it a habit of chasing each other into the middle of the paved section and there beginning a contest to see who can get in the most smacks, while the onlookers applaud the winner.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Track and Field Leaders to Be Decided at Pittsburg.

Schenley park, Pittsburg, will be the scene of the national athletic championships for junior and senior titles June 20 and July 1. The events for the senior class will be held on the latter named date. A similar list of contests will be held in both series, being as follows: One hundred yard run, 220 yard run, 440 yard run, 880 yard run, one mile run, five mile run, 12 1/2 yard high hurdle, 220 yard low hurdle, pole vault, running hop, step and jump, throwing fifty-six pound weight, throwing sixteen pound hammer, putting sixteen pound shot, throwing the discus and throwing the javelin.

Rules of the Amateur Athletic union will govern, and the games will be open to all registered athletes.

College Athletes Assemble.

Cambridge, Mass., May 26.—Athletes from twenty-five eastern colleges, at Harvard stadium today struggled through the processes of elimination for the championship events tomorrow of the Inter-collegiate Athletic association's twenty-sixth annual track events. Except the mile and two mile runs, trials were held in all the field events. Whether it will be Cornell, Pennsylvania, Michigan or Yale, which will tomorrow total the greatest number of points will be largely decided by the number of athletes who qualify in today's tests.

AIMS AT DOG, HITS TWO MEN.

Grinnell, Ia., Marshal Wounds Two Citizens Trying to Kill Animal.

Grinnell, Ia., May 26.—City Marshal Shahan of Grinnell, fired two bullets from his revolver at a bulldog that was in front of the postoffice and the bullets glanced and struck Emil Younstedt in the foot and Thomas Phipps in the thigh. Both are seriously wounded. The dog was hit in the head, but got away.

"Knockout" Brown Whips Murphy. New York, May 26.—Tommy Murphy of Brooklyn was knocked out by "Knockout" Brown in the first round of a scheduled ten-round bout before the Madison Athletic club here last night.

Southern Firemen Reject.

Washington, May 26.—Representa-

tives of the firemen of the Southern railway today rejected the proposal of President Finley of the Southern that they submit to arbitration their demand for a 20 percent increase in pay. President Finley asked for a further conference later today.

DAKOTANS TO BE HEARD.

Delegation in Washington Will Speak in Opposition to Reciprocity. Washington, May 26.—A delegation of South Dakota farmers is in Washington to appear before the senate committee on finance in opposition to the Canadian trade agreement.

The party is composed of A. P. Chamberlain, Brookings; W. H. Lyon, Sioux Falls; A. W. Kruger, Graton; Otto Johnson, Redfield; J. C. Simmons, Aberdeen; W. H. Wenz, Bath; M. P. Beebe, Ipswich; J. D. McKenney, Clark; W. B. Burr, Waldworth county; E. J. Mather, Graton; O. W. Cochran, Edmunds county; E. E. Klapp, Clark county; Hugh N. Allen, Aberdeen.

The South Dakotans, accompanied by Senator Gamble and Representative Burke, appeared at the committee room. They will be heard today.

WORKMEN PICK ABERDEEN.

Next Session of Dakota Grand Lodge to Be Held There.

Deadwood, S. D., May 26.—The grand lodge sessions of the Ancient Order of United Workmen concluded here. Aberdeen was selected for the meeting place in 1913.

Low Round Trip Fares.