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MANY FATHERS AND SONS ARE PRESENT AT BANQUET.

Several long tables in the basement of the Presbyterian church were well-filled Wednesday evening with fathers and sons who had assembled to attend the banquet given as part of the program for the father and son week. The ladies served a very nice meal, and at its conclusion J. J. Hagan, as toastmaster introduced the speakers. These were O. E. Elder who spoke for the fathers, Will Maupin, who represented the sons, Rev. Koch spoke on the relation of the father and son to the church and C. M. Trotter on general lines of father and son companionship, and Supt. Tout on the school and the boy. All these talks were strong and interesting, the address by Will Maupin being especially good.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Our prices are the very lowest on window glass. REXALL STORE.

Mrs. Jung, who had been visiting relatives in the city, returned to her home in Palmer this morning.

W. H. Quade, cashier of the Farmers' Bank, at Stapleton, was a business visitor in town Wednesday.

New Spring Styles in Millinery are now being shown at THE LEADER MERCANTILE CO.

The Methodist aid society served a splendid supper in the church parlors last evening which was largely attended in spite of the disagreeable weather.

Another lot of outing flannel remnants at a saving of 5¢ to 13¢ a yard on every yard you buy at the LEADER MERCANTILE CO.

Special on Swift's Premium Hams and Bacon for Saturday. Swift's Premium Ham 38 cents per pound; Bacon 53 cents. Half or whole piece. LIERK-SANDALL CO.

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Engineer Gus Norton, who came in on one of the section of train No. 19 yesterday says he never run through a worse blizzard than that of yesterday morning.

Wanted—Competent girl for general housework. Wages \$8 a week. Phone 243. 9-3

Henry Hinkle, who stole articles from the Cathers' home, pleaded guilty before Judge Grimes this week and was given an indeterminate sentence of from one to seven years in the penitentiary.

Men's and boys' macanaw coats are being sold at just before packing away prices. Bargain prices an all overshoes for men, women and children at the LEADER MER. CO.

James Shoup, of Sutherland, started out yesterday with two cars of cattle for South Omaha, but when the stock reached here last evening the company notified him that on account of the storm the risk of getting them through would not be taken and the cattle were returned to Sutherland.

If the wind storm broke any glass for you call up the REXALL STORE. We deliver glass. Any size.

"Even if a new court house was not needed for the safety of our records, for the convenience of our officers and the public, and as a memorial hall for our soldier boys, our pride—if we have any—ought to make us want one," said Conductor "Billy" O'Connell yesterday. "I occasionally run into Sidney and Sterling and note the splendid and beautiful court houses they have there, and each of those counties are small in comparison with Lincoln county, and the population and the wealth correspondingly less. Personally I would like very much to see a new court house."

See us about spring painting. We sell Sherwin-Williams' Paints. REX-ALL STORE.

SUBSCRIBE \$4,200 FOR GOOD ROADS INTO THE CITY.

More than 100 business men of the city attended the good roads meeting and banquet held in the Episcopal dining hall Tuesday evening and gave evidence of their desire to improve the roads leading into the city by subscribing \$4,200 for that purpose. This sum will be pushed up to \$5,000 or more by subscriptions from men who were not present at the Tuesday evening meeting.

It had been months since such an enthusiastic meeting of business men had gathered; each seemed fired with unusual zeal to do his part without urging and the financial results of the meeting came with ease—came voluntarily.

After being served with a splendid supper by the Episcopal ladies, George N. Gibbs, as toastmaster, made a clever introductory talk and first presented N. E. Buckley who gave a report of the district good roads meeting held at Sidney. Mr. Buckley was followed by A. S. Mirick, connected with the state engineers' office, who told of the plans for roadmaking under federal and state aid. S. E. McCalman, engineer in charge of the potash plant at Sutherland, was introduced and made a short talk, and L. C. Carroll, president of the Chamber of Commerce, under the auspices of which the meeting was held, outlined the plan under which it was hoped to improve the roads leading into North Platte. Briefly stated this plan called for the purchase of a tractor or truck and a blading machine and the employment of two men for a period of six months. When not engaged in blading or dragging roads the two men could haul gravel or dirt on section of roads where needed. The cost of this equipment, and the salaries of the men and the operating expenses of the machines for a period of six months was placed at \$5,000.

This plan as outlined by Mr. Carroll was followed by a discussion in which quite a number took part, and this was followed by a unanimous vote that the plan as outlined be accepted. Voluntary subscriptions for the fund were then asked and three or four firms offered \$200 each, and a number of others \$50 and \$25 each, the total reaching \$4,200.

A committee composed of Messrs. McDonald, Pielsticker and Langford was appointed to see possible subscribers who were not present at the meeting.

There is no question but the necessary \$5,000 will be subscribed. President Carroll will appoint a committee to investigate and purchase the needed machinery and employ two competent men to do the work.

The best Valentine. Liggett's Chocolates. Exclusively at THE REXALL STORE.

The Twentieth Century Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Orr, 405 east Fifth street. Mrs. Guy Popejoy will assist in entertaining. Rev. Koch will address the ladies. Special business will come up for consideration. A large attendance of the membership is desired.

For quick action and satisfactory sale hit your hand with Theeckeck. If

From Grand Island east a real Nebraska blizzard prevailed Wednesday night, which delayed traffic on the Union Pacific. Train No. 19 due here at 9:35 yesterday morning arrived several hours late.

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The Pacific Fruit Express Co. has been fortunate in securing sufficient ice to fill its houses. It is expected that by tomorrow night the houses will be filled to capacity, a total of forty-five thousand tons.

For Sale—Ford touring car and a seven month old red poll bull calf. Phone 787F022 or call W. T. Leake, Birdwood ranch. 7-4

WOUNDED LINCOLN CO. BOYS REUNITED AT HOSPITAL.

The following article concerning Homer and John Ridenour, whose home is at Wallace, is taken from the soldier's paper published at Camp Dodge:

Months of fighting in France did not give Homer Ridenour as much a thrill as that which he experienced last Thursday afternoon in Ward 30, Base Hospital, when his brother, John, also an overseas wounded man, whom he had not seen for two years, awoke him from a long sleep and peered in his face. Homer wiped his eyes, blinked and pinched himself to make sure it was not all a dream. He was staring at his brother, who he knew had also been wounded but did not know he had returned to the United States. Both boys wiped away tears as they tried to smile.

The brothers had been in civilian clothes at their last meeting. Now they each had overseas service and wound stripes. They both sailed for France in April, 1918, and fought at the battle of Chateau Thierry, but neither knew the other was there. They were patients at Base Hospitals at Bordeaux, France, and still did not see each other. Neither knew in which outfit the other was and had no communication between each other while they were in France.

Homer reached the local Base Hospital the night of January 29 at 10 o'clock and the following morning at 10 o'clock. John arrived here on a hospital train. He was taken to Ward 27 with others from his train. Captain McCraight glanced at the list of arrivals and saw the name of "Ridenour." He had seen the same last name the same morning.

"It is rather odd to have two Ridenours together," said Captain McCraight. John looked at the recylcing desk, saw the name of his brother and their native state, Nebraska, and he lost no time in hurrying to Ward 30. Part of the bedsheet covered his brother's face, but he pulled it back, awoke him and the recognition followed.

John was wounded on October 31, 1918, when a piece of high explosive struck him at the battle of Verdun, entering his right arm. Homer was shot through the abdomen and hip in the fighting of Chateau Thierry, July 22, 1918. A machine gun bullet put him out of action. Homer was taken to Base Hospital 22, at Bordeaux, while John became a patient at Base Hospital 6, Bordeaux.

Homer left Bordeaux on Christmas day for the United States, while John followed from Bordeaux on January 6. John has been sent to the convalescent center and expects to be discharged soon. He will return to his home at Wallace, Neb., while Homer will go to Mellen, Neb., when he is mustered out of service.

Another brother was recently discharged at Camp McArthur, Texas.

John trained at Camp Cody, N. M. and was a member of the 102d Machine Gun Battalion, 26th Division while Homer trained at Camp Funston and was in the 4th Infantry 3rd Division.

The Blue Triangle campaign is progressing nicely over the state and will begin here next week. This campaign is for the purpose of securing funds for work among girls. A small sum from each one will result in Lincoln county securing its quota.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Carson returned this morning from a visit in Denver.

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New Spring Styles in Millinery are now being shown at THE LEADER MERCANTILE CO.

A game of basket ball will be played this evening at the Franklin auditorium between the Gothenburg and North Platte teams. In a game played at Gothenburg two weeks ago North Platte was defeated by a score of twenty-two to fourteen. Tonight, however, the North Platte boys are confident of reversing the score.

Aching in the small of the back is an indication of kidney disease. The proper course in such cases is to begin at once the use of Prickly Ash Bitters. It is an effective kidney remedy and system regulator. Price \$1.25 per bottle. GUMMERE-DENT DRUG CO., Special Agents.

TO-NIGHT Jane and Katherine LEE**"Swat The Fly"**

A congenial comedy of patriotic pranks and American antics. Two-part Sunset Comedy "HER SCREEN IDOL" CRYSTAL

FIGHTING TO BE RENEWED IF BOCHES DEFY TERMS.

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On the other hand it was said that President Wilson regards resumption of hostilities as a grave eventuality to which he would agree only on the most absolutely essential consideration and not for any secondary motive.

The supreme war council has decided that the armistice with Germany will be renewed on Feb. 17 for a brief period, with the allies reserving the right to suspend it at any time in the event of Germany's failure to carry out new clauses or those which have hitherto not been executed. It is stated the terms will provide that the Germans must cease hostilities against the Poles and maintain their forces within fixed limits.

Notice. The indebtedness of The Leader Mercantile Company, Incorporated, exceeds \$6,000.

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Mabel Normand**"PECK'S BAD GIRL"**

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Bill Person's comedy "PINK PAJAMAS"

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NEWEST STYLES.—The very latest and prettiest styles in lingerie are always to be found in DOVE Under-muslins. We make our DOVE selections from more than 2,000 DOVE styles created new each season. Some are made in simple tailored effects; others are daintily trimmed with imported laces of every kind and embroideries of the best quality. Many have beautiful hand-embroidered designs. You can find what you like best in DOVE Under-muslins.

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PRICES.—You'll find it true economy to buy DOVE Under-muslins because of their good wearing qualities; and we sell them at surprisingly reasonable prices.

DOVE Under-muslins consist of all styles of the following garments:

Envelope Chemise	\$1.63 to \$3.29
Night Gowns	\$1.39 to \$3.29
Corset Covers	43c to \$1.63
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Bloomers	89c to \$1.63
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Come to Under-muslins Headquarters now to see our beautiful assortments.

There will also be a full line of Children's Under-muslins included.

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