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Today's Complete Movie Program classified section today, and appears in The Bee EXCLUSIVELY. Find out what the various moving picture theaters offer.

Headed Gals Thirty Days—John Marnead, 128 Cuming street, charged with beating his wife, was sentenced Friday morning to thirty days in the county jail.

Roberts is Improving—Thomas Roberts, 1209 Paul street, who was shot by his brother-in-law, Leo P. Hill, Thursday morning, is reported to be improving at St. Joseph's hospital.

Foley Divorce Suit Dismissed—A reconciliation had been effected between Mrs. Dora Foley and her husband, Charles Foley, proprietor of a chatted suit concern, and Mrs. Foley's divorce suit has been dismissed.

Kennedy is Convalescing—Alfred C. Kennedy who has been very ill at his home, is steadily improving and is now able to sit up two or three hours a day. Within another week he will probably be able to see his friends.

Win Masked Ball Prizes—Miss Mollie Erick, Miss Gerhater, Miss Wollstein and Mr. N. Perlman are announced as the prize winners at the masked ball given by the Jewish National Workers' Alliance of America at Fraternity hall.

Secretaries to Seward—General Secretary E. F. Denison, Boys' Work Director R. S. Flower, State Secretary J. P. Bailey and other secretaries of the Young Men's Christian association have gone to Seward, Neb., to attend a conference of high school boys' leaders under association auspices.

Mrs. Ahlquist is Thanked—Mrs. G. W. Ahlquist, independent missionary worker of Omaha, is the recipient of an appreciative letter of thanks from the Negro Women's association for assistance recently given that organization in taking care of some poor. Mrs. Ahlquist knows no color or creed in extending a helping hand, and this disposition on her part had won her innumerable friends in every class of society.

Smith's Attorney Pleads Before Judge Morris for Clemency

A strong plea for judicial clemency to Delbert Smith was made before Judge Page Morris in federal court by Attorney N. P. McDonald of Kearney. Smith was the former postoffice clerk who confessed that he loaned his keys to Walter Thompson, who was recently convicted of robbing the postoffice of \$5,000.

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DODGE SORE ON CITY DADS

At Least that is What Commissioner Withnell Says of Senator.

NOT ACTUATED BY ECONOMY

State Legislator, on Contrary, is Declared to Be Fault-Finding Because, Fire Barn Location Did Not Suit Him.

State Senator N. P. Dodge is "sore at the city commissioners," according to the City Commissioner C. H. Withnell of the fire department, because the council refused to hasten to the anxious plea of the senator in a certain matter.

Mr. Withnell said: "Dodge knows no money is being wasted in this department. Here is a list in detail of every cent that has been spent. Dodge nor anybody else would have spent less."

"As for the double shift, which has increased the payroll to \$226,200 a year, Dodge, if my memory serves me well, was very instrumental in securing it and was one of its loudest advocates."

"It's not the holy cry of economy that is really actuating Mr. Dodge—he's sore at the city council because we wouldn't stick a fire barn down in a hollow behind his property, where we couldn't have got out if there had been a fire. He insisted that the Central fire barn at Nineteenth and Harney streets be not placed besides his property. The council decided to place it there, and Dodge, who was holding this property at \$5,000, was financially damaged."

"That deal has been sticking in Mr. Dodge's craw ever since. 'I believe in economy and have kept the expenses of this department to a minimum, but there is a kind of economy that does more harm than good.'"

Commissioner Withnell has finished preparation of a list of needs for the fire department for 1915 which he will submit to the council for consideration when the appropriation is made in January. He will ask for \$72,280.63.

Bangs' Bequest to Assure Endowment Fund for Trinity

Assurance that the \$100,000 endowment plan of the management of Trinity cathedral will materialize will be the result of the \$50,000 bequest made by the late Stephen D. Bangs, according to Rev. J. A. Tancock, dean of the cathedral. A plan to secure an endowment of this amount for the perpetuation of the cathedral was formed one year ago and \$10,000 is already in hand for this purpose.

A short time previous to Mr. Bangs' death Dean Tancock learned of his intention to make a bequest to the cathedral.

"The \$50,000 bequest will become a part of our \$100,000 endowment," said the dean. "This added to \$10,000 previously received will leave only \$40,000 to be raised."

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THE EMPRESS MARKET

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Phone Douglas 7392

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