NOTORIOUS SWINDLER LANDS FEDERAL JOB

Crook Holds Shipping Board Position for Year.

Ex-Convict Furnishes Information Involving Prominent Men in Gigantic Lumber Frauds.

-After serving five years in a federal prison for using the mails to defraud. Edward S. Kenney, alias Edward Connors, alias E. S. Maloney, a notorious swindler, obtained a position with the United States shipping board in 1918. and for a year held the responsible job of chief traffic regulator.

Kenney has been a patient in the kenney has been a patient in the prison ward in Bellevue hospital since last October, suffering from heart trouble. During the last three or four days two special government agents from the department of justice in Washington have had long talks with Kenney. The men from Attorney-General Palmer's office are making a close investigation into the alleged United States shipping board lumber resale frauds, which are said to run up to millions of dollars, and involve the manual properties of the internal revenue department was found yesterday after noon as a consequence of a fire in the partment was found yesterday after noon as a consequence of a fire in the best dollars, and involve parts. If it were not for the fact that some of the chairmen wished to honor Albert B. Cummins, United States sent ator, who is not a candidate for the presidency, Lowden would have been at lever cent first choices. Seven and one-half per cent of the first choices were cast for Cummins, but these county chairmen, who felt their obligation to the senator, named Lowden as their second choice.

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resule frauds, which are said to run up to millions of deliars, and involve men of prominence in various parts of the country. While employed in the shipping board Kenney is said to have learned the identity of all the persons concerned in the lumber reside frauds, which, it is understood, were accomplished through changing the classification of timber purchased for building vessels, erecting plants and housing workingmen.

Big Swindle Charged.

It is known that one of Mr. Palmer's men questioned Kenney particularly about a deal in which a 10 per cent deposit check for \$23,9,00 was put unported the purchase of first-grade lumber, which, by a change in classification of timber purchased from the purchase of first-grade iumber, which, by a change in classification of the purchase of first-grade iumber, which, by a change in classification of the purchase of first-grade iumber, which is said, the government was wendled out of millions of desirable and shows had no pariners in the undertaking.

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whether Kenney is involved in the frauds. He was arrested here last with a premonition that she would United States Attorney Cotter on a mail fraud charge dating back to September 24, 1912. It concerned a scheme It was impossible to learn today tember 24, 1912. It concerned a scheme whereby Kennsy, under the alias of E. S. Maloney, is alleged to have duped people by offering to sell automobiles on the installment plan. On the old indictment Kenney was held in \$5000 bail, and while awaiting trial with the democracy in lows in much she was Sister Hilderards at her bed. a Bellevue, where the physicians say

Many Doctors Victimized. Prosecutor Cotter's attention was attracted to Kenney last September, when more than 150 physicians complained to the postoffice department of an automobile swindle operated through the mails. Some of the doc-

in his letters that he wanted to give the physicians of the United States

Old Indictment Found.

In investigating the case Mr. Cotter came across an old indictment charg-ing Kenney, alias Conners, alias Maloney, with an automobile mail swin-dle possessing featuren like those re-lated by the recently duped doctors. was finally learned that in 1912 enny was convicted of mail frauds the federal district court at Detroit. Mich., and sentenced to prison for five years. In the spring of 1918 Kenney was released from prison and a month later obtained the position he occupied nearly 18 months with the United

Aberdeen City Council May Investigate Rise of \$1.50 to \$4.25.

ABERDEEN, Wash, March 16.—
(Special.)—The precent price of wood in Aberdeen probably will be a subject of investigation by the city council. During the past few years the standard price has gradually been raised from \$1.50 a load to \$4.25, and the prediction is that the price may go to \$5. City Attorney Cross has given the informal opinion that the council has a right to investigate on a charge of profiteering.

The city owns a large amount of wood, which it is a large amount of wood with the question asked by the Sun and New York Herald, "Who seems to be the leading democratic candidate for the presidency in your county?" one chairman declared waggishly; "About a tie between Jefferson and and New York Herald, "Who seems to be the leading democratic candidate for the presidency in your county?" one chairman declared waggishly; "About a tie between Jefferson and acknow. Woodrow Wilson will have them in his vest pocket, to do with them as he wills."

The supreme court recently issued an order whereby all stenographers employed in that department are to be at work at 9 o'clock in the morning the past few years the fore 5 o'clock in the evening. Other rules dealing with the assignment of the Sun and New York Herald, "Who seems to be the leading employed candidate for the presidency in your county?" one chairman declared waggishly; "About a tie between Jefferson and Alexence and Jackson. Woodrow Wilson will have them in his vest pocket, the county?" one chairman the second probably in the Sun and New York Herald, "Who send and Jackson. Woodrow Wilson will have them in his vest pocket, the county?" one chairman the second probable for the presidency in your county?" one chairman the send probable for the pre

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COLBY TO MEET SENATORS

Nomince for Secretary of State

Accepts Invitation. WASHINGTON, March 16. - Bainbridge Colby, nominated by President Wilson to be selectary of state, accepted an invitation today to appear before the semate foreign relations committee to make a statement re-

garding certain questions which are delaying his confirmation. The committee's action is understood to have been taken by common consent of republican and democratic members as a result of information gathered in secret hearings on Mr. Colby's qualifications.

MINERS WAGE DISCUSSED

Sub-Committee of Workers and Operators Takes No Action.

NEW YORK, March 16 .- The earning of labor in the anthracite coal fields and the demand of the miners for a 60 per cent wage increase were discussed today by the sub-committee

of miners and operators meeting to negotiate new wage agreements. No action was taken. The operators declared that the pay received by the miners is "equitable" and that advances granted since 1915 have more than kept pace with the high cost of living. It was learned that the operators produced a volume of income-tax reports, showing that the workers have been making a "liv-

ing wage."

Representatives of the operators in discussing workers' demands declared that any wage increase granted will have to be borne by the public.

John L. Lewis, international president of the mineral president of lent of the miners, who was in Wash-ngton attempting to bring about ad-justment in the bituminous case, has BIG DEALS BEING BARED wired his representatives here that "satisfactory progress" is being made. DEMOCRATS "ALL AT SEA"

SECRET DISCLOSED BY FIRE IN FORMER HOTEL.

NEW YORK, March 16 .- (Special.) Moonshiner Just Ready to Produce on Profitable Scale When Overtaken by Misfortune.

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Prediction.

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)

With a premonition that she would die, Sister Hildegarde, who for nearly 12 years was attached to St. Joseph's

she saw Sister Hildegarde at her bed- troubling democracy in Iowa in much make shipments very profitable.

the physicians of the United States automobiles at bargain prices in recognition of their valiant service in the war. Just one little thing was wanted, and that was the payment of \$50 down and \$50 more on delivery.

WASHINGTON, March 18.—Low pay worked his way through lows a true in the professional personnel of the public health service. Surgeon-General Cummings stated today, until the force is entirely inadequate for the task of caring for former solution. By an seem to be highest point in increased program of the United States at higher prices.

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general said.

"In one disease alone, tuberculosis, we will have to care for 12,000 soldiers within the next year. It is almost a hopeless undertaking, unless we can get the doctors, and we simply cannot under the present rate of nav."

The surface of Palmer, Champ Clark, Hitchcock, Gerard and Edwards received scattering votes only. As was the case with Edwards, this was the first state in which either Gerard or Hitchcock had come to the surface up to date.

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Extensive Ranch Sold.

CRESCENT MILLS, Cal., March 16. —(Special.)—A. W. Whitney, formerly an extensive rancher here, has
transferred all of his holdings to
John Grubbs, Johnson-Openshaw, Inc.

"No one will admit he is a demoly an extensive rancher here, has transferred all of his holdings to John Grubbs, Johnson-Openshaw, Inc... of Oroville and will retire to his home in Los Gatos. The sale includes about 1000 acres over 700 acres being fertile poll blanks from various states, indilands of the Indian valley. It was cated the condition of the Iowa formerly used for breeding fine horses.

Main Issue.

NEW YORK, March 16.—(Special.)—
By a practically unanimous vote Governor Frank O. Lowden is declared the first choice of Iowa for the republican the people of the country desire."

worked his way through Iowa State sale at higher prices.

Kenney is alleged to have promised to have the cars rebuilt and represented that the work would take as fines in our hospitals with a force of Newark, N. J. Many doctors sent him \$50, but to date have never received anything that even looked like a great pride in his achieve, a toy fliver.

**To the task of caring for former soldiers and marginate that they work. The task of caring for former soldiers in addition to its regular work. After Wilson, Bryan seems to be discharged soldiers, satiors and marginate in our hospitals with a force that is not sufficient," the surgeous that is not sufficient, the surgeous take a great pride in his achieve that they only the highest point in the California oil. This increase, it is hoped, will result in increased procured with most favor by the democrats, as reported by the democrats, as reported by the democrats and thereby offset the shortage which is forcing the price of California oil. This increase, it is hoped, will result in increased procured with most favor by the democrats as reported by the democrats a

"I hear no talk of democratic can-didates," replied one man, "They seem to have given up hope," the air; waiting to "Entirely in

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on the "paramount issue": "Restoring the country to a stable condition and reducing expenditures. Red blooded Americanism. Democrațic maladministration for the past four years." "Conservation of public funds and Americanism," was another reply. One chairman had an idea that the 18th amendment might figure. "Edwards" states rights issue might be a factor," he said.

Nationalism May Be Issue. "Nationalism as against interna-tionalism," the reply of one, was car-ried on to the harvest of natural irri-tation by another, who reported: "Economic conditions in this country, which have been neglected while the president and congress argued over

world politics."

And still another had this view of it: "Stubbornness of Wilson." The same chairman also spoke of the peace treaty and added the com-ment: "We do not like the league, LARGE STILL UNCOVERED Return to Business Stability and Don D. Donnan of Independence, chairman of the Buchanan county committee, who went to the trouble of Main Issue.

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in the hotel, and so far as the evidence in hand shows had no partners in the undertaking.

NUN PREDICTS OWN DEATH

Sister Dies in 15 Minutes After Prediction.

Warren G. Harding.

Economy in governmental affairs and the return of the government in Washington to a sound business basis stands out in bold relief as the paramount issue of 1920 in the minds of lowarepublicans. Some of them phrased it in the negative by referring to the issue as the inefficiency and general extravagance of the democrats.

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"I am going to die within haif an hour," said the sister. "Call Father Julien said Sister Hildegarde seemed to be in the best of health. She insisted, however, that she would die and asked for the last rites of the church. These were given and she was dead in a few minutes.

"The movement of gasoline from the states treated so far in this series Edward I. Edwards, the "wet" governor of New Jersey, was mentioned as the man most prominently spoken of by the democrats for president in a certain county.

Iowa has no presidential preference in make shipments very profitable.

"The movement of gasoline from the Pacific coast to higher markets has already begun. If continued, the Pacific coast supply will speedily be drained away. If protective measures are pot taken, if the wide gap between prices here and elsewhere continues to exist, the problem for the movement of gasoline from the pacific coast supply will speedily be drained away. If protective measures are pot taken, if the wide gap between prices here and elsewhere continued, the Pacific coast supply will speedily be drained away. If protective measures are pot taken, if the wide gap between prices here and elsewhere continued to high the pacific coast supply will speedily be drained away. If protective measures are pot taken, if the wide gap between prices here are protected as a protective measures are pot taken in the pacific coast to higher markets has already begun. If eoutinued, the Pacific coast supply will speedily be drained away. If protective measures are pot taken, if the wide gap between prices here and elsewhere continued to high the pacific coast supply will speedily be drained away. If protective measures are pot taken, if the wide gap between prices here and elsewhere continued to high the pacific coast supply will speedily be drained away. If protective measures are pot taken, if the wide gap between prices here and elsewhere continued to high the pacific coast supply will speedily be drained away. If protective measures are pot take of an automobile swindle operated through the mails. Some of the doctors who had been victimized said they had received letters in which the writer said he had contrasted with the government for all the second-hand automobiles used during the war.

It is alleged that Kenney explained in his letters that he wanted to give the selected by the state convention, the date for which has not yet been fixed. It is probable that they will be instructed—for Lowden, of course.

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SAN FRANCISCO, March 16,-Advances of 2 cents a gallon in its selling price of gasoline and 25c a barrel in the price of fuel oil and all grades of crude oil were announced by the

Explaining the reasons for the increases, K. R. Kingsbury, president, do so, and is selling gasoline for cost, said gasoline was moving from Callit is said. The price is 25 cents in fornia to the east in response to Portland. higher markets there and that the Pacific coast shortage would become now, one operated by the Standard acute unless eastern and western Oil company and three by indepen-

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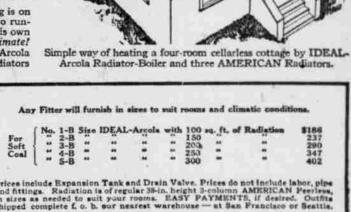
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Vancouver, Wash., Has Fuel War are using them now, paying a higher highway today by the police, who the car and he would send for it. Among 4 Filling Stations. VANCOUVER, Wash., March 16 .-Special.)-A gasoline war here is ausing many persons in Portland to

obtain gasoline in this city. Gasoline Several other places sell it for 22 Standard Oil company of California cents and one man sells it for 21 here today. The new prices become clifective tomorrow. cents. An effort was made to get all of the dealers to sell it for the same price, but one man refused to

There are four filling stations here



books, as it would have been com-pelled by them to sell the fuel a cent under the market. It is said that many patrons of Standard Oll bought books just before the war started and so

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 16 .-(Special.)-An automobile was found out. The chief of police of Olympia near the Baker school on the Pacific telephoned here to the police to hold

Norman E. O'Hare at Olympia. The car was without gasoline, oil and water, and the brakebands were worn



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