Mrs. Conner Tells Progress In P.O. Obscenity Battle

Summerfield has notified the local postmaster that during the fiscal year which en de d June 30, 1959, the Post Office than 14,000 separate investiga-tions of traffic in mail order obseenity, of which approxi-mately 10,000 were based on complaints from parents arous-

Prior to the summer of 1958, entiquated laws and liberal court interpreations—Summer-field prefers to call them "mis-fitterpretations" — r e q u ir e d that even the most blatant prof-dieer, sending the vilest pos-sible material through the mails to school-age children, could be prosecuted only at the point of origin of the mail, us-ually New York or Los Angeles. According to Mrs. Conner the "liberal" courts in these cities established a definition of "ob-scenity" far different from views held by the majority in most normal American com-munities.

TN 1958 the Postmaster Gen-eral recommended new legis-lation to the 85th Congress, which would permit prosecu-tion of such racketeers at the point where the mail was re-ceived, and wh or e the actual attempt to corrupt childrens' moral and social health took place. Congress promptly re-sponded to the Postmaster Gen-eral's plea, and translated the recommendation into law. The Torrance postmaster re-ports that this new legislation is now beginning to bear fruit. The first case prosecuted under the new law was of a man and his wife on the West Coast, who were mailing obscene literature

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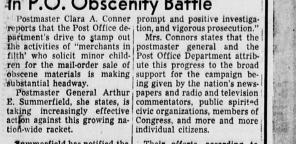
years behind bars plus a heavy fine. In another recent California fase, a 10-year prison sentence was imposed on a criminal of-fender convicted of sending ob-scene material through the mail, in contrast to so many previous cases in that area when probation had been franted. "Postmaster General Sum-

industmaster General Sum-merfield pointed out in a re-cent speech: "This represents, in our opinion, real prograss of the type which can readily be expanded, so long as we have determined public support,

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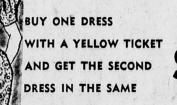


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