

KIER-CROOCH PLUMBING—Grand opening in their new location, above, at 517 S. Stephens will be held Saturday by Kier-Crooch Plumbing. The open house is scheduled between 12 noon and 6 p.m. D. A. Kier and his son-in-law, Wayne Crooch, came to Roseburg about three years ago and opened their plumbing business at 316 Mill street. The new location will give them opportunity to better display plumbing fixtures in a modern display room. (Picture by Paul Jenkins)

Senate Rejects Bills Affecting Loan Companies

SALEM — (AP)—The Senate overwhelmingly defeated two bills which would make companies in the small loan business list their annual interest charges in their advertising, and reduce their maximum interest charges from 3 percent a month to 2 percent.

The advertising measure was killed 22 to 8, and the interest rate bill defeated 22 to 6.

The bills were introduced by Sen. Vernon D. Bull, La Grande Democrat.

Bull said that 3 percent interest is exorbitant, pointing out that it is 36 percent a year. By advertising the annual interest rate, he said, the public would be better protected.

Sen. Robert D. Holmes, Gearhart radio station manager, said he fears any bills attempt to regulate advertising. Holmes added that he feared the bill might set a precedent whereby future legislatures might pass other restrictions against advertising.

Sen. Stewart Hardie, Condon, a newspaper publisher, said loan companies are victims of rising costs, and that they are doing good service.

Larceny Status Changed
The petty thief, who has been hit by inflation just like the honest fellows, got some legislative relief.

The Senate passed and sent to the governor a bill to make theft of more than \$15 worth of property punishable under grand larceny laws.

Now a thief who steals more than \$33 worth is punished for grand larceny.

The House decided to debate next Tuesday on the bill to repeal the three-months-old law under which the state can file prior claims against estates of deceased pensioners in order to get back the old age pension payments.

The house social welfare committee recommended 4 to 2 that the law be repealed.

Sen. Jack Bain, Portland, wants to make elected state officials resign when they file for election to another office.

He introduced a bill to do that in the Senate.



(NEA Telephoto)
BY SPECIAL PERMISSION—Mrs. Veronica Donovan Jolly (above), 41-year-old Australian who was granted permanent residence in the U.S. last year by special legislation sponsored by the late Rep. John B. Sullivan (D. Mo.), is now a \$4600-a-year White House employee, acting as secretary to President Truman's Army aide, Maj. Gen. Harry H. Vaughan.

Local News

Visit in Medford—Mr. and Mrs. Wally Carter, Mrs. A. Franco, Mrs. Rusty Steinberger and son, Ray, motored to Medford Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jack Franco and family.

Visits Parents—Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Moore and family of Roseburg spent the weekend visiting in Myrtle Point with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bruer.

Here From North Dakota—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Steinberger and daughter of Minot, N. D. have been visiting in Roseburg at the Rusty Steinberger home on North Jackson street.

Visitors From North Bend—Mrs. Edwin Harvey and daughter, Margo Ann, of North Bend, are spending this week in Roseburg visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Blakely and family of Idlewild route.

"Oliver Twist" Movie OK'd After Deletions

NEW YORK — (AP)—The British film "Oliver Twist" — after objection to "extensive eliminations" — has been approved by the Motion Picture Association of America, the producers' group.

The film's portrayal of Dickens' criminal character, "Fagin," had been protested by a number of Jewish groups in this country as derogatory to their race and religion.

The film, produced in 1948, has not been shown here because of the protests.

Some sections of the film now are being cut, a spokesman for the distributor, Eagle-Lion Classics, Inc., said when the approval was announced.



(NEA Telephoto)
SECRET SUM—Stan Musial, St. Louis Cardinals' star outfielder, gives out with a big smile after signing his 1951 contract at St. Louis. Card owner Fred Saigh said it was "probably the largest pay ever given in the major league." They kept the sum secret.

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Chinese Torture Method For Priests, Nuns Told

NEW YORK — (AP)—A favorite Red Chinese punishment for priests today, says the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Fulton J. Sheen, "is to slit their backs, fill the wounds with cotton soaked in gasoline and ignite it, turning the men into living torches."

The Roman Catholic churchman-atorator said that Chinese Communists are torturing Catholics who refuse to join a Red Campaign to establish an independent Catholic church in China.

"Nuns, both foreign and Chinese, have been stripped naked and

dragged through the streets of Chinese cities tied to the tail of a horse," Msgr. Sheen said in a statement.

"The whereabouts of numerous priests, and of at least one Catholic bishop, is unknown."

The Monsignor also said Chinese Communists have been dynamiting missions.

All-Woman Election Slate Includes Mrs. Male

MENDON, Mich. — (AP)—There's to be an election in this town of 700 population March 12 and an all-woman slate is out to beat the men.

There's a Male on the female ticket but the Male is a female. She is Mrs. Mary Male, a candidate for trustee on the citizens party ticket. Her husband, Henry, a candidate for president of the town board, is on the rival Progressive party ticket.

Henry and Mary have agreed to avoid discussing politics in their home.

Cities Of Oregon Voted On 290 Measures In 1950

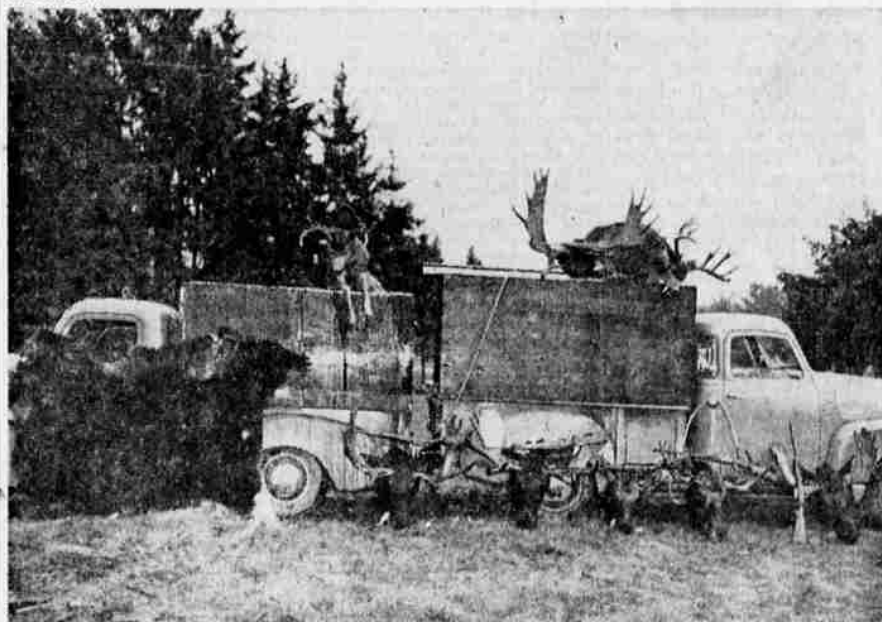
EUGENE — (AP)—A total of 290 measures were submitted to voters of Oregon cities in special elections of 1950.

This is almost twice as many as were submitted in 1948, figures compiled by the bureau of municipal research and service, University of Oregon, reveal.

Some 89 measures were for levies in excess of the 6 percent constitutional limitation on property taxes. Measures submitted on annexation totaled 69.



GOOD HUNTING—The six hunters pictured acquired the game trophies in a recent hunting expedition to Canada. They bagged a moose, mule deer and grizzly bear each, and one mountain goat. The little boy, Butch Wallace, did not make the trip. From left to right, they are Allen Nash, Elkton; Butch and Ray Wallace, Sutherlin; Gerald Partch, Elkton; Fred Seaman, Castle Rock, Wash.; Forest Wallace, Castle Rock, Wash.; and Kenneth Diehl, Springfield, Ore. The heads are moose with the exception of the deer on the top left and right. (Picture by Harry Martinsen)



TROPHIES DISPLAYED—Some of the trophies bagged by a Sutherlin man and five other hunters during a recent hunting expedition in Canada are shown above. To the left is the hide of a grizzly bear. Moose heads are lined along the bottom row. The moose antlers on the top center are flanked by deer. (Picture by Harry Martinsen)

Big Game Bagged On Canadian Trip

Six hunters last November made a hunting trip into Canada and returned 10 days later with an impressive bag of trophies. Each hunter in the group, which included a Sutherlin man and two Elkton nimrods, killed a moose, mule deer and grizzly bear.

The group left the states Nov. 23, 1950 and went to Prince George, British Columbia, Canada, where they contacted Herb Simmons, their guide. They killed their deer the first day out at Williams lake, 179 miles south of Prince George,

and bagged their moose and bear in the next four days. They killed six deer in less than two hours, Ray Wallace of Sutherlin reports. Others in the party were Allen Nash and Gerald Partch of Elkton; Fred Seaman and Forest Wallace of Castle Rock, Wash.; and Kenneth Diehl, Springfield, Ore.

They stayed in a logging camp while hunting, Wallace says. He reports a great improvement in the roads into the area compared to their condition in 1947 when he hunted in Canada.

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