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Employment Bureau Finds Jobs for Grads

The fate of college students after graduation is a problem that has long troubled educational leaders, but that problem is being solved effectively for University of Oregon graduates by the University Employment service, under the direction of Miss Janet Smith, employment secretary.

Miss Smith and her staff boast that last year all but two graduates registered at the Employment service were given positions and that the propects for this year look about the same.

The graduate service was started three years ago and has given jobs to hundreds of grads.

Seniors register at the Employment bureau during the year, and when employers stop in to select new employees or when calls are received offering positions, the seniors are summoned for an interview. A good percentage of this year's graduating class are already placed, according to Miss Smith.

Most of the calls are for positions in the business world, but many companies send personal representatives to the University to interview applicants for specialized work. Men are much more in demand than women.

Graduates who have been working for two or three years also have a fine chance of receiving work from the Service. Many calls ask for graduates with some practical experience who are willing to improve their present positions. Miss Smith urged that graduates who are seeking better jobs get in touch with the Employment service as many of the calls for experienced workers are going unanswered because of the lack of qualified alumni.

During the summer Miss Smith will continue her search for positions for Oregon's graduates with the aim of having all this year's graduating class placed by fall.

Co-op League To Meet Here June 11 to 15

Delegates From All Colleges on Coast **Expected to Attend**

The University of Oregon's six co-operative houses will be hosts at the second annual Conference of the Pacific Coast Student Cooperative League meeting here June 11 to 15.

Delegates from all the colleges and universities on the Pacific coast and various parts of the country will attend to exchange and carry away new ideas, Carl Prodinger, general chairman, stated.

A special feature on the program will be a canoe trip down the Millrace with other social functions planned for each of the four nights of the conference.

The purpose of the convention will be to solve the more formidable problems that face the cooperatives of the day, mainly those of finance and education, Chairman Prodinger explained.

Speakers who will address the representatives from the 15 western colleges will be: Glenn Griffith, member of the board of directors of Lane County Consumers Co-op; Glenn Graham, public accountant, Eugene; Miss Janet Smith, Oregon employment secretary; and Karl W. Onthank, Oregon dean of personnel.

Libe Circulation Shows Increase, **Figures Indicate**

Total circulation of books from the University library has shown a marked increase over last year according to figures released by Mrs. Gladys Patterson, secretary to the librarian. In the school year 1938-39 the total number of books checked out was 480,890. Estimating the last days of this school year on the basis of last year including the percentage of increase the total for this year will approximate 540,000. Figures include circulation from the art and architecture library, the business administration library, the law library, and the main library. The reserve departments consisting of the open shelf, graduate, business administration, and general reserves have shown the greatest increase with 9564 more books checked out this year than last. Circulation department department increase numbered 2067. It's Spring! Take time out to refresh yourself at Robinson's -Milkshakes -Sandwiches -Soft Drinks -Ice Fresh "Just Off the Campus" **KOBINSON'S** CAFE 550 E. 13th Ph. 2974

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