

University Began In 1872

The University of Oregon was established by an act of the Oregon Legislature on Oct. 19, 1872. Lane County legislators offered the state a campus and buildings worth \$50,000, and Eugene was chosen as the site.

Construction on Deady Hall, the first campus building, was begun in 1873. The building is still in use, housing the mathematics department and the computing center.

The opening of the University was delayed by the depression of 1873; the first session began on Oct. 16, 1876. The first class of five was graduated in 1878; one of its members was Judge R. S. Bean, who went on to become Chief Justice of the Oregon Supreme Court.

John Wesley Johnson was the first president of the University, who presided over a faculty of four.

Today the University is an institution of over 11,000 students and 700 faculty members. The College of Liberal Arts offers instructional departments in 18 fields, with majors available in 16. The Honors College, established in 1960, offers accelerated instruction in liberal arts to a group of 400-500 students per year.

There are seven professional schools on the Eugene campus: Architecture and Allied Arts; Business Administration; Education; Health, Physical Education and Recreation; Journalism; Law; and Music.

Three other professional schools, Medicine, Dentistry, and Nursing, are located in Portland.

The Eugene campus covers an area of 187 acres. There are 6 dormitory complexes, 19 fraternity houses, 16 sorority houses, 5 private co-operative houses, 2 religiously-affiliated co-ops, and 5 complexes to house married students.

Students from more than 50 foreign nations attend the University each year.

Where UO Students Live (Fall, 1964)

CO-OPS	2.5%
SORORITIES	6.5%
FRATERNITIES	8%
DORMITORIES	27%
OFF CAMPUS	56%

Hulteng, Price Get National Posts

Two faculty members of the School of Journalism were elected at the annual meeting of the American Association for Education in Journalism (AEJ), held at Syracuse University in New York.

They are Warren C. Price, professor of journalism, and John L. Hulteng, dean of the school of Journalism.

Price was elected chairman of the history division, one of the ten divisions of the AEJ. He was also elected to the organization's Committee on Professional Freedom and Responsibility.

Hulteng is the new vice-president of the American Association of Schools and Departments of Journalism. The association consists of the deans and directors of the accredited schools of journalism.

While at Syracuse, Hulteng attended meetings of a joint com-

mittee of newspaper publishers and journalism deans which is developing programs of cooperation between newspapers and schools of journalism. He is co-chairman of the committee, which represents AEJ and the American Newspaper Publishers Association.

ROTC Prof Transferred

Staff Sergeant John W. Thompson, Jr., an instructor in military science at the University, has been transferred to the United States Instructor Group at the Presidio in San Francisco.

In the new position he will instruct high school students in the Reserve Officer Training Corps (Junior ROTC). At the University he has served as instructor and administrative assistant since January 1964. His transfer was effective August 28, 1965.

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