University of Oregon Bookstore

# **Annual Report to the Members**

UO Bookstore Members include all students, faculty, and classified staff of the University of Oregon.

#### The U of O Bookstore NON-PROFIT Corporation

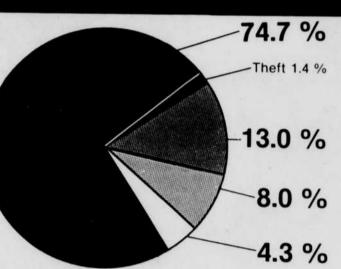
Bookstore

As a non-profit corporation, the UO Bookstore returns any financial success to you, the member. Over \$400,000 was returned last year directly to the membership through the 11 % Coursebook and General Book Discount. Only 15 of the 2,700 college bookstores nationwide offer a discount on texts, and the UO Bookstore is among the top 5 in the nation in dollar discount returned to students. Everyday low prices, special sales, and improved service help you to save more money.

# **Elected Board of Directors**

Elected by UO students, faculty, and classified staff; the Board of Directors ensures that the Bookstore services the needs of its members. The Board's goals are to provide the best possible merchandise at the best possible price, giving highest priority to academic supplies. The Board of Directors guides the Bookstore in major decisions for the future and gives direction to the Bookstore's intents and purposes.

**Financial Analysis** 



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# **Cost of Merchandise**

The largest percentage of your dollar goes to the cost of merchandise. Our 11 % Book Discount reflects our efforts to provide you with the lowest prices possible. (Customer theft costs you \$80,000 a year in loss of merchan-

dise, or \$4.25 for each member.)

## Salaries and Wages

The UO Bookstore employs about 100 people, and we give students priority in hiring.

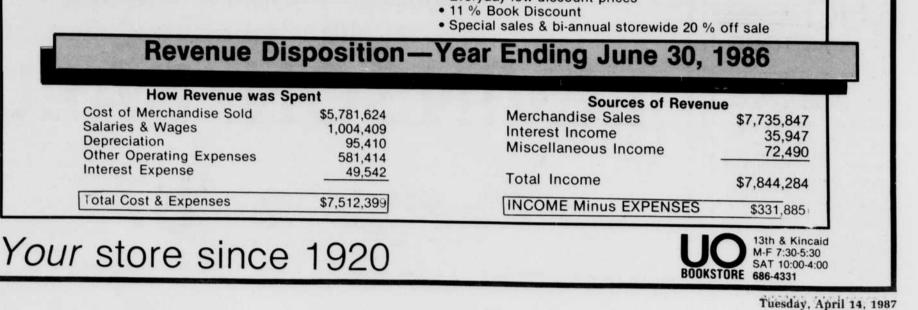
## **Other Expenses**

The Bookstore has bills to pay: rent, utilities, phone, postage, repairs, and maintenance.

# Net Earnings

The net earnings are returned to you—our Members. You save money with

Everyday low discount prices



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