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> services since 1971. Legal Services operates out of the EMU and will help get you out of your legal bind free, with the exception of a sometimes

> Last year the service helped more than 1,000 students find their way safely through a legal maze of landlord/tenant disputes, issues of family law and other areas.

Legal Services will even help with uncontested divorces, le-

"Any misdemeanor, we've represented students," Miller said.

But there are exceptions.

Legal Services aims tu idanta to neip out students

By Rene DeCair Emerald Associate Editor

As you ride your bike to campus, a car runs into you and the driver blames you for the dam-

Your landlord refuses to give your deposit back, claiming you trashed the place, but you didn't.

What's worse, you can't afford an attorney.

"A lot of people will try to mess students over," said Linda Miller, assistant director of the University's Legal Services. The reason, she said, is they think students don't have resources and aren't aware of their rights.

have had the good fortune of being provided with free legal

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gal name changes and wills.

"We don't deal with bankruptcy, welfare, food stamps or international law," she said.

And because of conflict rules, Legal Services will not help a student if the adverse party is another student, professor or representative of the Universi-

But Legal Services will do an expungement of all misdemeanor and class C felonies, which means the record of the crime will be sealed. This is good for some people, Miller said, who maybe did something years ago that they now regret.

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- Linda Miller, University Legal Services

"Especially when you were 18 or 19 and did something stupid," she said.

By getting an expungement, she said, it means that if you are asked on an application if you have a criminal record, you can legally say no.

Two attorneys are on staff one who works almost exclusively on landlord issues. Also helping is one legal assistant and several law students who research issues.

Legai Services also will refer students to another lawyer, if for example, the student needs personal injury representation.

The office is on the third floor of the EMU and is open regular business hours. To make an appointment call

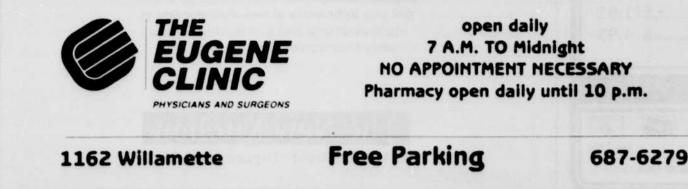
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