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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Lt. Col. Miroslav F. Moucha has been assigned by the Department of the Army as professor of military science at Montana State University, MSU President H. K. Newburn announced. He replaces Lt. Col. William J. Lewis, who retired at the end of August after 22 years of active duty.

Col. Moucha is a 1941 graduate of the U. S. Military Academy and a graduate of the Artillery Advanced Officers Course at Ft. Sill, Okla.; the Command and General Staff College at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan., and the Strategic Intelligence School, Washington, D. C.

During World War II he served as an artillery commander with the 2d Corps in the African-Mediterranean Theater. From 1944 to 1948, he was an instructor in modern languages at West Point. During the time he was on the Academy's staff, he did graduate work in modern languages at Middlebury College. He was an intelligence officer in the Far East command during the Korean War. Before coming to MSU he was in the Panama Canal Zone on the General Staff of U. S. Army Caribbean.

Col. Moucha, his wife Lillian and their three children will make their home at Ft. Missoula.

Col. Lewis has accepted a position with the Thiokol Chemical Corp., Ogden, Utah. In recognition of his achievements during his four years' service at MSU he was awarded the Army Commendation Medal. Before his assignment to MSU in 1956, he was Chief of the Army Mission to Peru. During World War II he served in various command and staff positions with the 3d Infantry Division in the European Theater of Operations.

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