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BILLINGS EDITOR DUANE BOWLER TO SPEAK AT SEMINAR IN HELENA ON MONDAY, JAN. 26

MISSOULA --

Duane W. Bowler, editorial page editor for the <u>Billings</u> Gazette, will discuss "A View of State Government from the Outside" Monday, Jan. 26, in Helena during the last of four seminars conducted in various Montana communities on the theme, "Montana's Economic Outlook."

The one-day seminar is sponsored by the Bureau of Business and Economic Research (BBER) of the University of Montana, Missoula, in cooperation with the Helena Chamber of Commerce.

The seminar, which is for representatives of business, labor, government and the general public, is designed to bring Montana's economy into perspective, with emphasis on the future. Registration deadline for Monday's seminar is noon Friday, Jan. 23. Cost is \$22.50 per person. Those interested may register through the Helena Chamber of Commerce. Registration will be limited to 100.

Bowler, who received a bachelor of arts degree in journalism from the University of Montana in Missoula in 1939 and was nominated for a Pulitzer Prize for his editorials on Montana coal development, will lecture during the 12:30 p.m. luncheon Monday at The Colonial, the seminar headquarters.

Maxine C. Johnson, director of the Bureau of Business and Economic Research at UM, and Paul E. Polzin, research associate in the BBER, also will speak during the Capital City seminar.

Johnson, professor of management at UM, and Polzin, an associate professor of management on the Missoula campus, will open the morning session of the seminar at 10 o'clock Monday with a presentation and discussion concerning the past and future of Montana's economy. Polzin will speak from 2:30-3:30 p.m. on the topic, 'Montana's Place in the National

Energy Picture."

All seminar sessions will be moderated by Dr. Rudyard B. Goode, dean of the UM School of Business Administration.