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Edward B. Dugan to toastmaster Dean Stone Night

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Prof. Edward B. Dugan, who next year will begin his 30th year of teaching at the University of Montana School of Journalism, will be toastmaster at the Dean Stone Night banquet tonight.

He served for several years under the late Dean Arthur L. Stone, in whose honor the annual journalism awards banquet is held.

Shana Alexander, Life magazine staff writer and columnist, will be guest speaker at the banquet which will begin at 6 p.m. in the Yellowstone Room of the Lodge.

Dugan was graduated from the University of Missouri with bachelor's and master's degrees in journalism. From 1932 to 1936 he worked on newspapers in Abilene, Menard, Graham and Navasota, Tex. He then taught for a year at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, Tex.

With the exception of three years in the Navy during World War II, Dugan has been with the School of Journalism since 1937. He heads the advertising and public relations sequence and has been adviser to the Montana Kaimin, student daily newspaper, for 25 years. He also conducts special public relations courses for Forest Service, Veterans Administration and Soil Conservation Service personnel.

A Charter member of the UM Faculty Senate, he is a member of the UM Budget and Policy Committee and chairman of the School of Administrative Leadership Committee.

Nine cash awards will be presented at the 10th annual banquet. Sam C. Reynolds, editor of the editorial page of the Missoulian-Sentinel, will present the newly-established $250 Guy Mooney Journalism Award.

Mrs. Marjorie Bue will present the $25 Olaf J. Bue Memorial Award honoring her late husband. Glenn Tarbox, general manager of the Missoula TV Cable Co. and presi-
dent of the Montana Cable TV Assn. will present the $150 Cable Television ETV Award, and Richard V. Coon of the Great Falls Newspaper Guild will announce the winner of that organization's Robert Struckman Memorial Award of $100.

Prof. Dean Rea of the School of Journalism will present the Montana Press Association's $100 Dean Stone Award and Prof. Philip J. Hess will present a $200 check on behalf of the Great Falls Press Club.

Dr. Laurence V. Gale, UM academic Vice President, will present the newly established Minneapolis Tribune $400 scholarship, and Dean Robert W. Coonrod of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University, will present the Melvin and Myrtle Lord Award of $300.

Walter L. Nelson, editor of the Montana Standard and Butte Daily Post, will give the Lee Newspapers of Montana Award of $300.

Other students will be honored by the campus chapters of national journalism organizations. In charge are Patricia Kennedy of Lewistown, president of Theta Sigma Phi; John Lumb of Denver, Colo., president of Sigma Delta Chi; and Prof. Warren J. Brier of the journalism faculty.