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MISSOULA---

Wayne Montgomery, Lima rancher and a Republican candidate for Congress from the state's Western District in 1962 and 1964, will speak Monday (Nov. 20) on the University of Montana campus.

Montgomery, invited to speak by the UM public exercises committee, said he will discuss "Thanksgiving and Crossroad Crisis in '68" at 4 p.m. Monday in the Music Recital Hall.

The subject, Montgomery said, will be "a broad analysis, as I see it, of the election year 1968 and our domestic and international involvements."

"I requested to speak Thanksgiving Week purposely," Montgomery said, "because I believe it is the correct time for us, as Americans, to evaluate or contemplate both our multitude of blessings and also our multitude of responsibilities as citizens of a leading world power."

Montgomery has been a major in the Marine Corps reserves and has traveled extensively in Southeast Asia. In a talk given on the Missoula campus last May he discussed the Vietnam situation.

In 1960 Montgomery was one of two Montanans who served on the Republican National Platform Committee in Chicago. He also has served on the Northwest Regional Executive Board for the Boy Scouts of America.

Montgomery is a member of the UM Council of 50, an advisory group composed of business, industrial and professional leaders from throughout Montana which meets with UM President Robert T. Pantzer periodically to learn about and discuss UM activities.