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MICHIGAN STATE U ADMINISTRATOR TO SUCCEED COGSWELL AT UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA.

MISSOULA --

Dr. Robert R. Fedore of Michigan State University will become dean of students for the University of Montana on July 1, 1970, it has been announced by UM President Robert T. Pantzer.

Dr. Fedore, 44, associate dean of students at Michigan State, E. Lansing, succeeds

Andrew C. Cogswell who retires in June after 39 years of service with UM. Cogswell has been dean of students since 1955.

"It has been my pleasure to have known Andy Cogswell since my student days at the University," said President Pantzer. "Working with him this last decade has been a pleasant and rewarding experience. This truly compassionate, understanding man has served this University and State in splendid fashion. Though we are very pleased to have employed a man of Dr. Fedore's caliber to work in student activities, Andy will be sorely missed."

A native of Jackson, Mich., Dr. Fedore has been a staff member at Michigan State since 1962. He held positions as associate director of admissions and assistant to the vice president for student affairs before his most recent appointment in 1969.

Between 1950 and 1962, Dr. Fedore taught botany and zoology for one year at Jackson (Mich.) Junior College, and served as instructor, counselor, evening school principal and athletic coach during 11 years with Jackson High School. As a U.S. Marine in World War II he served two years in the Pacific Theater.

Michigan State awarded him the Ph.D. degree in 1969. He obtained his A.B. (1950) and M.A. (1953) degrees from the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor.

Dr. Fedore and his wife, Patricia, have four children.

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Born in Livingston, Mont., Cogswell graduated from UM in 1927 with a B.A. degree in journalism. He was a varsity lineman with Grizzly football teams of 1924, 1925 and 1926.

Cogswell worked with newspapers in Montana and Hawaii, and in public relations with the Portland Cement Association in Chicago before returning to the UM campus as a journalism instructor in 1931. He is a full professor in journalism and has served as acting dean of the School.

In 1943, Cogswell earned his M.A. degree from the University of Minnesota. In 1946, he was appointed director of UM's Public Service Division. During the same year he became secretary of the Alumni Association, a position he held for 10 years. While serving in the alumni post he played a major role in the establishment of the University Endowment Foundation, now known as the UM Foundation.

Cogswell has been active in many campus and community activities, and is a past president of Missoula Kiwanis Club. He is married to the former Pauline Swartz, a UM alumn Their son, William B., also is a UM graduate.