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DREW PEARSON TO SPEAK
AT UM JUNE 25

MISSOULA---

Drew Pearson, an internationally known Washington newspaper columnist, will speak at the University of Montana, Missoula, June 25.

Pearson's lecture at UM, which is entitled "Washington Merry-Go-Round," will be at 8 p.m. in the UM Music Recital Hall. It is open to the public without charge as a part of the UM summer session program.

A reporter for more than 40 years, Pearson has visited and interviewed such world leaders as Nikita Khrushchev, President Tito, and the King and Queen of Greece. Pearson was on the scene to report an organizational conference of the United Nations in San Francisco in 1945 and the 1955 Summit Conference in Geneva.

Pearson's vigilance as a journalist has won him honor abroad as well as in the U.S. He is among those named to the French Legion of Honor. Among other honors accorded him, Pearson was proclaimed Father of the Year in the U.S. in 1948.

Pearson has been author of a newspaper column entitled "Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round" since 1931. The column appears nationally in many daily newspapers.

An informal reception for Pearson will follow his lecture Tuesday. The reception will be on the second floor lobby of the UM Music Building. Reception hosts will be Dr. and Mrs. Walter C. Schwank. Dr. Schwank is UM summer session coordinator.

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