

Call For Shakeup Of Armed Forces

25,000 Word Report Is Issued By Panel

NEW YORK (UPI)—A panel of noted Americans called today for a drastic shakeup of the armed forces and expenditure of an additional three billion dollars annually for defense to keep the Soviet bloc from getting the upper hand by 1960.

In a 25,000-word report issued on the eve of the opening of Congress, a Rockefeller Brothers Fund panel warned the nation that "it appears the United States is rapidly losing its lead over the U.S.S.R. in the military race."

"Unless present trends are reversed, the world balance of power will shift in favor of the Soviet bloc," the report said. "If that should happen, we are not likely to be given another chance to remedy our failings."

Report Took 18 Months

The report, which took 18 months to prepare, recommended a sweeping corrective program including the following:

1. Elevation of the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff to principal military adviser to the secretary of defense and the Presi-



THE EJECTOR SEAT, which saved the life of pilot second lieutenant Arthur K. Ivins, a member of the 163rd fighter interceptor squadron stationed at Baer field, is shown here by sheriff Merle Afforder, who recovered the seat from a woods on the Herman Bittner farm with the help of Larry Bittner, who saw the seat land and bounce. The seat was ejected from the spiraling one-seat fighter as it plummeted from 34,000 feet towards the earth, dropping the pilot on a bean field in Root township across the road from the Jim Harkless farm, two miles northeast of the Dent school. He suffered only minor injuries. (Staff Photo)

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2. Reorganization of the chiefs of staff on a unified basis to serve only as advisers to the chairman. The various service chiefs would devote themselves primarily to recruiting, training and supply.

3. Reorganization of all operational military forces—land, sea and air—into unified commands, with higher officers serving under the title of "officers of the armed forces of the United States."

4. Streamlining of lines of command with the secretary of defense holding direct authority over all research, development and procurement.

5. An immediate increase of three billion dollars a year in the defense budget through 1965.

Nelson A. Rockefeller is chairman of the private foundation which provided funds for the study, and Dr. Henry A. Kissinger of the Harvard Center for International Affairs was director of the project.

Panel members included former Atomic Energy Commissioner Gordon Dean, nuclear physicist Edward Teller, Gen. Lucius D. Clay, Brig. Gen. David Sarnoff, former Health Secretary Oveta Culp Hobby, publisher Henry R. Luce, and Charles M. Spofford, former U.S. deputy to NATO.

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Urge Teachers Not Neglect Humanities

Handley Is Speaker At Founders' Day

TERRE HAUTE (UPI)—Governor Handley today urged future teachers not to neglect the humanities while concentrating on science in the new "space age."

The Indiana chief executive said in a Founders' Day address at Indiana State Teachers College that "it would be a fatal mistake for Americans to learn how to live together without first learning how to live together."

"The need of America is great to give full play to the great talent of most Americans for inventiveness, for creative thinking, and for developing technical proficiency," Handley said. "But at the same time, I am sure, you will not be neglecting the humanities."

Handley told students training to become school teachers that they will "face the constant problem of keeping abreast of rapidly changing times, and of presenting to your pupils each day the challenge to think which is the basis of all teaching."

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Another Name Added To 1957 Road Toll

PRINCETON (UPI)—Another name was added to the 1957 Indiana traffic death toll Saturday when a coroner's verdict held the Jan. 1 death of an Oakland City man was due to injuries sustained in a car accident Dec. 20.

Arden J. Lewis, 68, died of pneumonia after being hospitalized with serious injuries sustained when his car ran off Ind. 64 east of Oakland City and hit a pole five days before Christmas.

**Pair Arrested On
Missouri Charges**

Chicago Men Caught After Police Chase

CARTHERSVILLE, Mo. (UPI)—

Authorities today prepared charges against two Chicago men suspected of robbing a store, raping a woman who had been forced to drink whisky and fighting a gun duel with police.

The men were identified as William Morris and Joseph Bradford, both 25, who were held at an undisclosed jail.

There's a lot of feeling about

this thing and something could get started," Pemiscot County Sheriff Clyde Orton said.

Bradford was arrested at a bus station in Cape Girardeau, Mo., Sunday noon, and Morris was arrested earlier when the pair wrecked their car near Steele while fleeing, officers.

Police said the crime spree started at a store operated by Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Smith at Hermondale. Two armed Negro men entered the store, took about \$300 from the cash register and two cases of whisky.

Police said the men forced the Smiths to drink nearly a fifth of whisky each. Then they raped Mrs. Smith.

Fleeing in a car, the pair sped through a red light in Steele. Police chased them, forced them to a curb and were allegedly offered a \$10 bribe to "forget it."

The officers, John Goodrich and Bill Stanfield, refused and ordered the men from the car. They came out with guns blazing, police said, and the officers returned their fire.

"I don't know how someone kept from being hit," said Steele Police Chief N.B. Stewart later.

Morris was captured after their car had sped away but crashed into a cotton field. He suffered head cuts.

Bradford fled on foot to the nearby farm home of Everett Davis, 51, for refuge but was arrested by Davis. Davis was in critical condition today with pistol wounds in the chest and arm.

Warren King, a neighbor, told police Bradford came to his house and said he had been in a car wreck. King drove him to a bus station at Portageville, 30 miles away, but notified police when he learned of the robbery and as assault.

Bradford was taken from a bus at Cape Girardeau.

Red Cross Captains Will Meet Tuesday

The Red Cross drive captains and workers for the north half of Adams county will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the home economics room of the Decatur high school. It was announced by Leo N. Seltzert, rural fund chairman.

The newly elected elders and deacons will be ordained and installed during the worship service next Sunday morning.

Evergreen trees thrive by having their leaves or needles washed every 15 to 20 days. Roots also should be watered thoroughly.

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