

## Call For Shakeup Of Armed Forces

25,000 Word Report  
Is Issued By Panel

NEW YORK (UP)—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."

The report, which took 30 experts 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 President.

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.

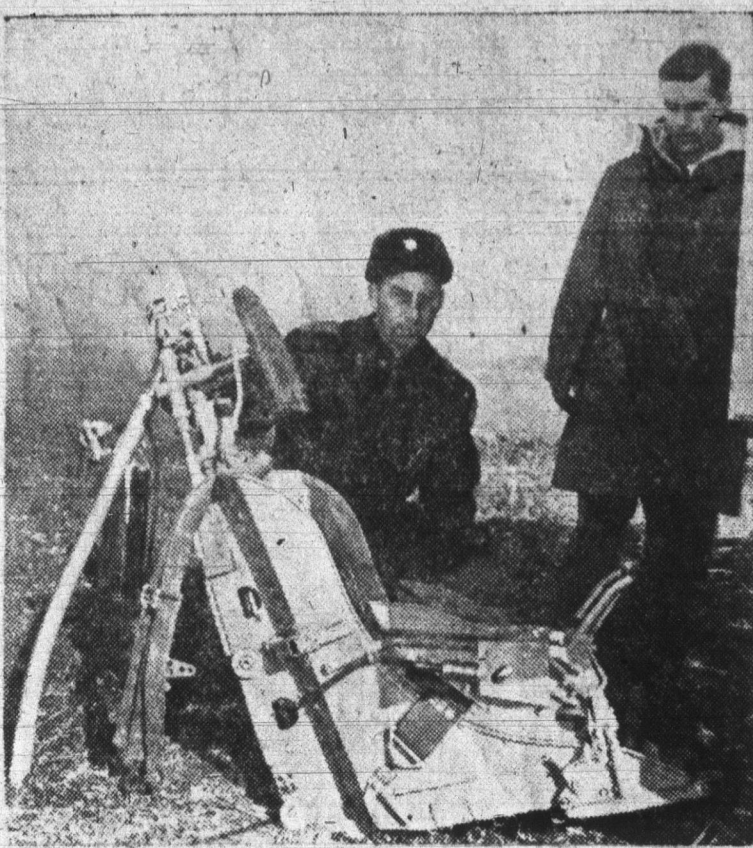
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**THE EJECTOR SEAT**, which saved the life of pilot second lieutenant Arthur K. Ivins, a member of the 163rd fighter interceptor squadron stationed at Baer field, is shown here by sheriff Merle Affolder, who recovered the seat from a woods on the Herman Bittner farm with the help of Larry Bittner, who saw the seat fall 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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## Urges Teachers Not Neglect Humanities

Handley Is Speaker  
At Founders' Day

TERRE HAUTE (UP)—Governor Handley today urged future teachers to not 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 die 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."

"The pressure is increasing," he said, "to supply more mathematics and science teachers in the elementary grades as well as in our high schools. Emphasis on introducing science to younger children is one of the assignments of the Special Indiana Commission on General Education which has been appointed to consider numerous aspects of this problem. The entire educational process is futile unless America's children are aroused to pursue their own individual inquiry."

Handley told the future teachers that they are "certain to benefit in the nationwide upgrading of brainpower."

"Yours is a time-honored profession which will increase in stature as our rockets soar higher and our space ships probe for new worlds to develop," he said.

## Another Name Added To 1957 Road Toll

PRINCETON (UP)—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

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo. (UP)—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 Hermandale. Two armed Negro men entered the store, took about \$200 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 resisted 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 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. Seltentright, rural fund chairman today.

A movie of Red Cross work will be shown and discussion of fund drive work held by Miss Berstine, national Red Cross field worker. Materials for the fund drive will be distributed by Mrs. Oelberg.

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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## Annual Meeting Of Church Held Sunday

Annual Meet Held  
At Zion Reformed

The annual meeting of the congregation of the Zion Evangelical and Reformed church was held Sunday morning in the church, following a memorial service for the four members of the congregation who died during the year 1957. The service and business session were in charge of the pastor, the Rev. William C. Feller. Vice president of the official board, Edward Jaberg, presided while the pastor read his 15th annual report to the congregation. In his report he called attention to the continued increase in the attendance in the Sunday morning worship services, and challenged the congregation to continue its forward progress, in keeping with the denomination's program of "Advance." He expressed his appreciation to the congregation and the organizations of the church for their loyalty and faithfulness during the past year. He also expressed the appreciation of the parsonage family for the enlarged living room, which was remodelled early in the year.

Mrs. Adolph Weidner, secretary of the congregation, read the minutes of the last annual meeting and a special meeting held during the year, and recorded the business of Sunday's meeting. The report of the treasurer, Fred E. Kolter, was read by Fred W. Corah, secretary of the official board. Leo W. Kirsch presented the budget for 1958, amounting to nearly \$19,000, including current expenses and benevolences, which was accepted. A report on the building fund by the treasurer, Fred Kolter, and financial campaign chairman, Ned C. Johnson, showed that about 70 per cent of the giving units had pledged but that nearly \$6,000 still needed to be pledged to reach the desired goal. The congregation, however, later voted by secret ballot, 134 to 37, to go ahead with the building program, which includes the erection of the second story of the education unit.

Albert Brushwiler, George Buckley and Wilbur Robinson.

Election of officers resulted in Edward Jaberg and Carl Stuckey being elected as elders for a two-year term; Leroy Cable, Leonard Egly, James Hunter, Fred Isch and Robert Kershner elected as deacons for two-year terms; and Luther Clase elected to a three-year term as trustee. These men, with elders Leo Kirsch and Gottlieb Stauffer, deacons Wayne Burger, Joseph Hazelwood, Ned Johnson, Laurens Meyer and James Stauffer, trustees Robert Ashbaugh and Rufus Kirchhofer, treasurer Fred Kolter, Sunday school superintendent Wesley Lehman, and Women's Guild president Mrs. Joseph Hazelwood and the pastor will constitute the official board for 1958.

Laurens Meyer served as chairman of the tellers for the election and was assisted by Lyle Maloney, Robert Houk, Laverne Roth, Arthur Shoaf, S. E. Leonardson and Paul Warthman. An auditing committee composed of Thomas Adler, Harold Shoaf and William Tutewiler was appointed to audit the books of the financial secretary-treasurer.

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

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## American Mothers Reach Red China

To Visit Prisoner  
Sons Of Communists

CANTON, China (UP)—Three American mothers reached this Communist China city today en route to see their sons who have been held in Red jails for five years as American "spies."

They crossed the border at Hong Kong this morning and traveled to Canton by train. Los Angeles attorney A. L. Wirin made the same journey on a separate mission a short time afterwards. Acting as an officer of the San Francisco Federal Court, he hopes to collect evidence that will free John and Sylvia Powell of U. S. charges that they committed sedition during the Korean War.

Mrs. Ruth Redmond, Yonkers, N. Y., told the United Press in Hong Kong by telephone that she was anxious to continue her trip to Shanghai, where she hopes to meet her son.

She said the Chinese Reds had arranged a sightseeing tour of Canton for her before she leaves for Shanghai by air Tuesday.

Trip Was "Lovely"

She said that she, Mrs. Mary Downey, New Britain, Conn., and her son William, and Mrs. Philip Fecteau, Lynn, Mass., all were staying at the Oi Kuen Hotel in Canton, each in a separate room.

Mrs. Redmond described the trip from the border to Canton as "lovely."

"The trip took three hours," she said. "We had a wonderful reception."

She added that "I have a beautiful view of Canton from my room."

She said Chinese interpreters accompanied them throughout.

Mrs. Redmond said Mrs. Fecteau and the Downeys were leaving for Peiping Wednesday.

Will Stay 3 Weeks

Later, Wirin told United Press from Canton that the Chinese Reds were anxious to have Americans travelling in China. He said, however, that the Chinese Reds recent the way the U. S. State Department refuses to treat mainland China as an independent nation.

The three American mothers plan to spend three weeks in China for delayed Christmas reunions with their sons.

They and Wirin were the first Americans to receive passports from the State Department for visits to Communist China, with which the United States maintains no diplomatic ties.

The Communist Chinese government invited the mothers more than a year ago, to visit their sons, but it was not until Dec. 7 the State Department granted them permission to leave. Wirin got his passport through a Federal Court order.

The three women crossed the border into Red China at 7:55 p.m. e.s.t. Sunday, where they were met by Communist officials who escorted them to the train for Canton.

The mothers were obviously keyed-up. Mrs. Downey said "I'm excited," Mrs. Fecteau admitted, "I'm nervous" and Mrs. Redmond said she too, was "excited."

Each carried a new carton of American cigarettes for their sons.

## Buy Health Bond Help Fight TB



Buy Christmas Seal

The Decatur C. L. of C. has voted purchase of a \$5 health bond, officials of the Christmas seal campaign in Adams county announced today. All proceeds from the annual Christmas seal sale are used in the fight on tuberculosis and to provide clinics and otherwise carry on the fight against the "white plague."

and a few clothes and personal items.

They will travel to Canton and then to Shanghai where Mrs. Redmond's son, Hugh 38, is serving a life sentence for espionage. He formerly was employed by an American export-import firm and was arrested in 1951 and sentenced in 1954.

Mrs. Fecteau and Mrs. Downey will journey on to Peiping by train.

Richard Fecteau, 30, is serving a 20-year sentence for espionage and John Downey, 27, is serving a life sentence on the same charge. They were U.S. Army civilian employees who vanished on a flight between Tokyo and Korea in 1952. They were captured by the Chinese Reds and sentenced as "spies."

County Agent To Be On Radio Tuesday

The county agent, Leo N. Seltentright, will be the guest of Jay Gould on radio station WOWO Tuesday. 4-H beef enrollment will be discussed on the 6:15 a.m. program and farm tax guides and Indiana farm account books on the 11:35 a.m. program.

Bids Are Accepted For License Plate

Bids are now being accepted at the Decatur license bureau for license plate JA 1958, which will be auctioned to the highest bidder, the money going to the 1958 polo campaign.

The bid money will all go to the campaign, and the high bidder must also purchase the license. Postmaster Leo Kirsch has been high bidder for the past two years.

The Republican party was started at Ripon, Wis., Feb. 28, 1854.

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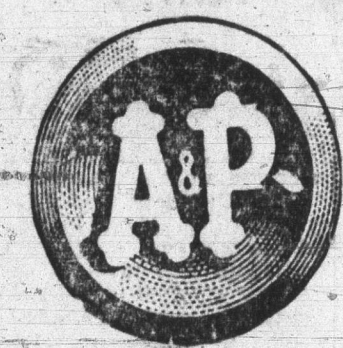
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**Sliced Beets** A & P 16 oz. can **10c**  
**Golden Corn** Iona Cream 16 oz. can **10c**  
**Red Kidney Beans** Ann 16 oz. can **10c**  
**Irish Potatoes** Whole 14 oz. can **10c**

**Tomato Soup** Ann 10 1/2 oz. can **10c**  
**Elbow Macaroni** Ann. 8 oz. pkg. **10c**  
**Lima Beans** Iona 16 oz. can **10c**  
**Cut Red Beets** Iona 16 oz. can **10c**  
**Pork & Beans** Sultana 16 oz. can **10c**  
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