

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



Draft Rejects as Workers for Home Front War Effort Urged

Editor's Note: In the following dispatch, the nation's chief of selective service outlines a provocative new plan for channeling draft-exempt youths into a special training corps to improve U. S. chances of survival in a nuclear attack.

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If you have made plans and preparations for your family's survival in the event of a nuclear attack on your city, you are probably a curiosity of your neighborhood. If you, or others in your block, have made plans to organize rescue and survival efforts on a community or neighborhood basis, you live in a rather remarkable place.

But if this country should be subjected to an all-out nuclear attack—the threat of which is the spur to our tremendous defense effort—the ability of neighborhoods to take planned and organized rescue and survival steps probably will determine the fate of this society. Military retaliation will be pointless if the people such action is designed to protect, are unable to carry out the self-help steps necessary to survive.

Tempting Fate
Ordinary citizens have resiliency and ingenuity in times of stress that none can foresee. But it is tempting fate to rely blindly on the expectation that somebody will do something when the need arises.

Isolated community planning is not enough. Each city and neighborhood must be prepared to survive as part of a national plan to recover from attack and resist conquest or destruction. For such a plan to be effective, there must be trained and organized men, or units, in every locality who know what to do, and who will constitute the nucleus of the total organization, made up of every survivor, which must function purposefully and with direction in rescue and recovery efforts.

The solution of how to survive is not simple nor easy. It involves many elements.

One of these—a basic one—is manpower. Who will be trained and organized to take the lead and to give direction to civilian efforts to survive? I believe that this nation has those men. It must find a way to train them and it must have workable plans to organize and use them in the national interest in the event of need.

All Must Serve
We are today requiring virtually every qualified man to serve some period in the military forces in the defense of the country. Those who do not so serve in the military forces should be trained for service that may be even more vital to national survival—for rescue and recovery operations after nuclear attack.

Selective Service System records disclose nearly three million men who have been rejected for military service at this time. Their rejection today under high standards does not mean that these men would not be used in an all-out mobilization. It does not mean that they have nothing to contribute to the defense of their nation. It does not mean that they are useless.

Our studies have shown that the overwhelming num-

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ber of them are carrying on useful, active lives. Their capacity to function is high. As whole men, they are valuable and useful citizens. Only because of some isolated deficiency which hampers them not at all in civilian life are they at present unacceptable to the military forces.

These men, from whom no other service in national defense is now being exacted, constitute a reservoir of manpower which with training could furnish reason for military action. That reason is a civilian population with a will to survive and a plan and an organization to give effect to that will.

There are others too. The military forces are not using fathers. And in an all-out nuclear war, it might be some time before such manpower would be needed in uniform. They should be trained for civilian survival.

Answer Simple
There is a tendency to believe that our military forces, active or reserve, can direct and carry out civilian survival operations. The answer is simple. Our military forces will have more to do than they will be able to do to carry out their military mission.

How is this training to be accomplished? I don't know. But I do know from more than two decades of working with our military manpower, that the people are available to carry out an effective civilian defense program. The nation must evolve such a program, and a method for training a force to put it into effect.

Such duty would be far less onerous than that imposed on our young men who enter military service, and ultimately it may mean the difference between survival or destruction in a nuclear conflict.

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