

Cold War Strategy Center Again Proposed by Mundt

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 (UPI). —Sen. Karl E. Mundt, R., S. D., said today he will reintroduce next week a bill to establish a "Freedom Academy" to develop the science of cold war strategy.

The Senate passed the measure last summer but a companion bill died in the House Committee on Un-American Activities. It would set up a six-man commission to administer the academy—"an advanced cold war development and training center."

The institution would be responsible for devising "an integrated cold war operational science," which Sen. Mundt believes is needed to combat the highly effective Communist propaganda machine.

For Adults, Students

Government workers, private citizens and foreign students could enroll. Among other things, they would receive instructions in "the dimensions and nature of the global struggle

between freedom and communism."

The cost of operating the school the first year was estimated at \$10,000,000, \$25,000,000 the second, and \$35,000,000 by the third.

Jointly sponsoring the legislation will be Sens. Paul H. Douglas, D., Ill., and Thomas J. Dodd, D., Conn.

In the House, Rep. A. S. Herlong Jr., D., Fla., plans similar action. He and Rep. Walter H. Judd, R., Minn., tried to steer the House version to passage last year, to no avail.

"But I'm going to pull it and the stops this year to get favorable action," Rep. Herlong told UPI.

Intellectual Arms

Sen. Mundt's measure will spell out in positive terms the need for the United States to provide the ideals and knowledge, with which, Americans abroad can arm themselves. It also would establish an anti-Communist security check for



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academy and commission personnel.

Sen. J. William Fulbright, D., Ark., chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, has promised to give the legislation early consideration if it is referred to his group. He protested last year when it went to the Judiciary Committee.