

Scientists, at Parley, Say U.S. Tests Chemical War in Asia

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PARIS, Dec. 14—A group of 60 scientists hostile to the war in Vietnam have concluded that the United States armed forces are using that country as a laboratory for chemical warfare.

The scientists, representing 14 countries, met Saturday to hear reports on the effects of defoliants, herbicides and toxic gases on humans, animals and vegetation.

The conference, sponsored by the World Federation of Scientific Workers, was attended by six representatives of North Vietnam and four from the Vietcong.

A resolution presented at a news conference today urged the United States to end the war and totally withdraw its troops from Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 14—The pentagon refused today to comment on the accusation made by the scientists in Paris.