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RIOT

Eight buildings at the Missouri State Penitentiary in Jefferson City are set ablaze by hundreds of rioting convicts. In the Warden's Office, Governor Phil Donnelly orders about 900 police, state troopers and national guardsmen to move in.

All the prisoners are rounded up after a six-hour battle in which they fought with knives, clubs and axes. Forty people, including three guards are injured, and four convicts are dead. The worse riot in the prison's 120 year history results in damage estimated at about two million pounds.