

It was back in early summer that Kenney residents really became scrap-conscious, largely through the efforts of the Rev. Mr. Tyner, center, Miss Betty Brady, high school scrap leader, and Mayor Carl Fort Fort. ←

LESTER JOHNSON, Wayne Sutton, Clarence Dobbs, Fred Thrasher, T. O. Isaac, Franklin Kemp and Lester Kirby make up. the fire-watchers squad of Kenney's civilian defense setup.



Kenney, III.--First 100% Town of the U. S. A.



MEN VOLUNTEERING for air raid warden duty in the town's civilian defense program are Everett Brelsfoard, Richard Williamson, John Miller and Harry Henderson.

It was for their boys in service, whose names are listed on this community honor roll, that Kenney resi-dents made the extra effort it took to make every home a "V" home, and gave the town nation-wide honor.





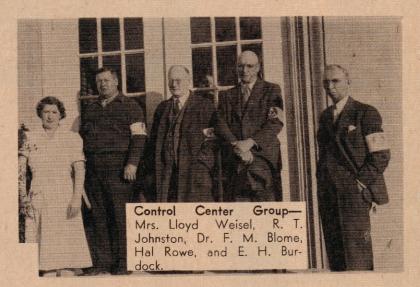
THE ENTIRE civilian corp is shown with defense co-ordinator E. H. Burdock. Mrs. Weisel is the only woman member.

Miss Hazel Irvin, standing and Miss Ruther Huser, Kenney telephone operators contributed their share in the defense program. Dur-ing off hours they helped in bond sales and carried on at any other tasks they were assigned. They couldn't attend the celebration held in the high school when the state dignitaries honored the town, but remained on duty at the switchboard.





Just before the big show started, these four men, active in defense circles, were snapped in the principal's office. Lon Sargent, of the state office of defense, Homer Bradney, vice-chairman, civilian protection committee, Illinois State Council, Frank Moots, De Witt county coordinator, and E. M. Wells, of the Illinois defense counsel public relations department.





Lloyd Weisel, John Brelsfoard, Jess Maurer, Clyde Owens and Ivan Kemp comprise the medical and utility groups of the defense



wearing the cap, received many congratulations from his fellow townsmen on his oratorical ability, after he appeared on the Kenney program with county and state OCD officials to tell in brief the history of his home town. R. T. Johnston is shown extending congratulations.