

What follows is a account of a air raid drill held on Feb. 3, 1941 one of several during the war years. The pages are from the departments meeting records.

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Prior to meeting, a  
7 o'clock lunch was served.  
Feb. 3, 1943  
Official blackout, county  
wide. The yellow light was  
announced at 7:35 P.M. the  
blue light at 7:50 and the  
red light at 8:03. The fire  
siren was sounded and  
Chief Stauffer made a tour  
of the village sounding his  
siren. Practically 100%  
cooperation from civilian  
defense workers and residents  
followed.  
Three incidents took place.  
At 8:06  $\frac{1}{2}$ , a call came from  
Sector 7 notifying us that  
Zwingli Reformed Church had  
been struck by an incendiary  
bomb. A truck was

promptly dispatched.

At 8:07, a call announced that a fire bomb had struck Art Escher's house. Truck No. 2 was dispatched.

At 8:09, a call announced that a demolition bomb had struck Albert Knobel's house and that two people were injured and in need of medical aid.

The ambulance with Driver Frederick Voegeli and Medical Chief Dr. Harden responded.

The all clear was sounded at 8:18.

Both trucks and ambulance returned safely.

No accidents were reported.

64 civilian defense workers were on hand as follows:

#### Control Room

C. W. Karlen - Commander

W. E. Klassy - Transportation

J. Dahnke - Messenger

H. A. Watters & Bill Benkert - Utility

Dr. Harden - Medical

Dr. Babler & Al Knobel - Air Raid Warden

H. J. Wirth - Police

C. M. Stauffer - Fire

Adam Schuler - Registrar & Clerk

All firemen except 3, who were out of town, were present.

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