

They Also Serve



They Perform Important Function

These five members of the Emmet County OPA Food and Price Panel have done much, received little credit, no compensation for the splendid work they have done in the war effort and are now doing to obtain post-war total victory at home.

The group, l to r: James Roe, Harbor Springs; Mrs. William Adams; Leonard Schomberg, chairman; Mrs. Homer Zipp; and Joseph L. Henderson.

This Panel has been meeting regularly once each week since the beginning of rationing and price control nearly three years ago. It's membership has changed but once during that time. Its function has been chiefly

that in an advisory capacity and it has been the intent of the Board to assist merchants, purveyors of food and all business establishments, as well as individuals, in the matter of compliance of price control.

"It is obvious that a program set up national in scope involves many regulations and factors that might be easily and unintentionally misunderstood,"

stated Chairman Schomberg. "We have endeavored to consider and dispose of all violations or non-compliance referrals in a sensible, fair and proper manner. The fact that so very few sanctions have been imposed or cases referred to the District Enforcement office indicates the splendid and willing cooperation on the part of Emmet county business firms in

carrying out the program during the emergency."

"Our contribution to the war effort has, for this reason, been small, we feel. We are glad to have had the opportunity to serve and earnestly hope that the need for further rationing and price control will soon end."

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