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MINISTRY OF FOOD

1953 - 1954

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RATION BOOK

Surname PRICE ~~Initials~~ Robin M

Address Bulford House,
Wellington, Somerset.

IF FOUND RETURN TO ANY FOOD OFFICE

F.O. CODE No.

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FILL IN THE SPACES BELOW IF YOU DEPOSIT WITH YOUR RETAILER ANY OF THE PAGES 13-18

FOOD	NAME AND ADDRESS OF RETAILER WITH WHOM COUPONS ARE DEPOSITED.	INITIALS OF RETAILER.

NOTES

DEPOSITED ROWS OF COUPONS SHOULD BE RECOVERED AND PRODUCED TO THE FOOD OFFICE IF A TEMPORARY RATION CARD IS REQUIRED OR THE ADDRESS IS CHANGED.

WHERE THE ADDRESS IS CHANGED MAKE SURE THAT THE PARTICULARS GIVEN ON PAGE 6 ARE CORRECT BEFORE GOING TO THE FOOD OFFICE.

THIS BOOK IS VALID FOR USE ONLY WHEN THE HOLDER IS RESIDENT IN THE UNITED KINGDOM

TO RETAILERS

It is essential for the successful operation of the rationing system that coupons should be either cancelled or cut out as appropriate, whenever rationed food is supplied to a consumer.

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SURNAME .....

OTHER NAMES .....
(In full)

HOME ADDRESS .....
(AT TIME OF APPLICATION)

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I apply for a new ration book in the above name, and I declare that

*(*a*) I am the holder of the Ration Book of which this page forms a part, *or*

*(*b*) I am the parent or guardian of the holder, *or*

*(*c*) I have been authorised to apply for a new Ration Book by the holder.

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SIGNATURE

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MINISTRY OF FOOD—Rationing Year 1953-54

4 Week Period	Week No.	RATION WEEK Sunday—Saturday
		1953
1	1	17 May – 23 May
	2	24 May – 30 May
	3	31 May – 6 June
	4	7 June – 13 June
2	5	14 June – 20 June
	6	21 June – 27 June
	7	28 June – 4 July
	8	5 July – 11 July
3	9	12 July – 18 July
	10	19 July – 25 July
	11	26 July – 1 Aug.
	12	2 Aug. – 8 Aug.
4	13	9 Aug. – 15 Aug.
	14	16 Aug. – 22 Aug.
	15	23 Aug. – 29 Aug.
	16	30 Aug. – 5 Sept.
5	17	6 Sept. – 12 Sept.
	18	13 Sept. – 19 Sept.
	19	20 Sept. – 26 Sept.
	20	27 Sept. – 3 Oct.
6	21	4 Oct. – 10 Oct.
	22	11 Oct. – 17 Oct.
	23	18 Oct. – 24 Oct.
	24	25 Oct. – 31 Oct.

4 Week Period	Week No.	RATION WEEK Sunday—Saturday
		1953
7	25	1 Nov. – 7 Nov.
	26	8 Nov. – 14 Nov.
	27	15 Nov. – 21 Nov.
	28	22 Nov. – 28 Nov.
8	29	29 Nov. – 5 Dec.
	30	6 Dec. – 12 Dec.
	31	13 Dec. – 19 Dec.
	32	20 Dec. – 26 Dec.
		1954
9	33	27 Dec. – 2 Jan.
	34	3 Jan. – 9 Jan.
	35	10 Jan. – 16 Jan.
	36	17 Jan. – 23 Jan.
10	37	24 Jan. – 30 Jan.
	38	31 Jan. – 6 Feb.
	39	7 Feb. – 13 Feb.
	40	14 Feb. – 20 Feb.
11	41	21 Feb. – 27 Feb.
	42	28 Feb. – 6 Mar.
	43	7 Mar. – 13 Mar.
	44	14 Mar. – 20 Mar.
12	45	21 Mar. – 27 Mar.
	46	28 Mar. – 3 Apl.
	47	4 Apl. – 10 Apl.
	48	11 Apl. – 17 Apl.
13	49	18 Apl. – 24 Apl.
	50	25 Apl. – 1 May
	51	2 May – 8 May
	52	9 May – 15 May

For F.O. use

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SURNAME.....

OTHER NAMES.....
(IN FULL)

ADDRESS.....

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FOR FOOD OFFICE USE

From
F.O.

Date.....

To (F.O. Code)

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6 ENTER NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF RETAILERS

MEAT	If Coupons Deposited Retailer Enters "D"	.....
EGGS		.....
FATS		.....
CHEESE		.....
BACON		.....
SUGAR		.....
SPARE		.....

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*Surname and Initials												
EGGS		3				2				1		
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FATS B		3				2				1		
M		3				2				1		
CF												
*Surname and Initials												
CHEESE		3				2				1		
*Surname and Initials												
BACON		3				2				1		
*Surname and Initials												
SUGAR		3				2				1		
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*Surname and Initials												

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13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	CHEESE
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	BACON
	4				5				6			
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	SUGAR
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*Surname and Initials

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EGGS			9				8				7	

*Surname and Initials

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*Surname and Initials

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*Surname and Initials

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*Surname and Initials

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SUGAR			9				8				7	
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*Surname and Initials

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COUNTERFOIL

NAME.....

OTHER NAMES (in full).....

ADDRESS.....

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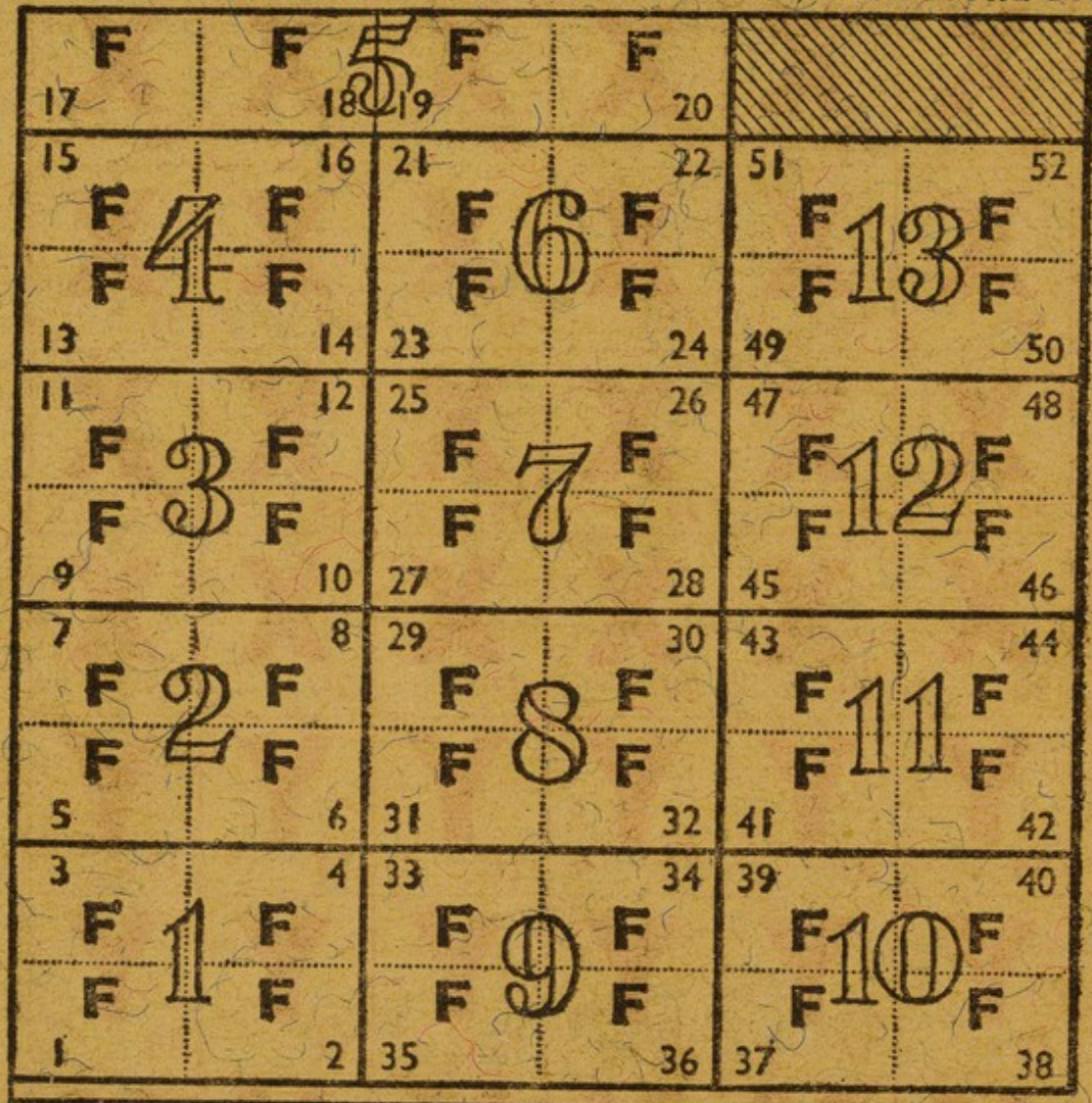

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Surname.....

Initials.....

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Do not cut out coupons

THE SHOPKEEPER WILL DO THIS FOR YOU

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Surname and Initials .....

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