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INSTRUCTIONS.

1. This card is issued by the retailer on the authority of the Ministry of Food so that he can check how he distributes the rationed food supplied to him for his registered customers.

2. Each retailer will issue one card for all persons in the same household registered with him. He must enter on the card the number of such persons and the total amount of their weekly rations.

3. If the household is registered with different retailers for sugar and butter, each retailer will issue a card, but he must cancel the spaces not applicable.

4. If the members of the household are not all registered with the same retailer, each retailer will issue a card for the number registered with him.

5. The card is valid only with the retailer named on it. The name and address of the retailer must be entered at A and at C by the retailer and not by the holder.

6. The retailer will enter on the card at D the number of persons to whose ration of butter and sugar it applies, and the total value of their weekly ration.

7. Enter your name and address on the front of the card at B.

8. It is an offence to hold more than one card with the name and address of the same retailer.

9. The card must be produced on the occasion of each purchase, and the purchaser must ensure that the retailer marks or cancels the appropriate space or spaces, except where the purchaser by agreement with the retailer has deposited his card with him.

10. This card by itself is no authority to obtain rationed food, and the retailer may, before serving the customer, require him to produce the Ration Cards of the number of persons stated on this card as being registered with him.

11. If any person included in the number stated on the card as registered with the retailer is temporarily away from home, and therefore takes his ration card with him, supplies may not be obtained for him on this card. If any such person is away from the household for four weeks or more the holder must tell the retailer, who must amend the card accordingly.

12. The retailer may be informed by the Food Office that a member of a household who was formerly registered with him has ceased to be so registered. In such case the retailer must require the surrender of this card, with a view to its re-issue as amended, or to the issue of a new card.

PENALTY FOR MISUSE—£100 fine or 6 months' imprisonment, or both.

R 1.—(January).

MINISTRY OF FOOD.

PURCHASER'S SHOPPING CARD.

This Card is valid only with the Retailer who issued it and whose name appears below. If you change your Retailer, the latter must issue a new card, and you must return this card to the Food Office.

A. RETAILER'S NAME AND ADDRESS.

The Retailer must stamp his name and address below before issue, otherwise the card will not be valid.

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B. PURCHASER'S NAME AND ADDRESS.

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**THIS CARD IS VALID ONLY WITH THE RETAILER
WITH WHOM THE HOLDER IS REGISTERED.**

(20049) Wt. /2819 18.500,000 11-19 W B & L

NOTE:—Weeks commence on Dates given below.

	Jan 12th, 1920	Jan 19th, 1920	Jan 26th, 1920	Feb 2nd, 1920	Feb 9th, 1920	Feb 16th, 1920	Feb 23rd, 1920	Mar 1st, 1920.	Mar 8th, 1920.	Mar 15th, 1920.	Mar 22nd, 1920.	Mar. 29th, 1920.	April 5th, 1920.	WEEKLY QUANTITY.
BUTTER	[Handwritten 'X' marks in a grid pattern]													BUTTER 14
SUGAR	[Empty grid pattern]													SUGAR —
SPARE	[Empty grid pattern]													SPARE

C. The Retailer must enter his name and address on the front cover, but is also advised to enter it below.

ALLWORK & SON,
BATTLE

Number of persons registered :

D.

BUTTER. 4	SUGAR. —	
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Mr. Baines
29 Windsor Ave
Cotham

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Weeks to May 14. 28.

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SUGAR	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2	SUGAR
SPARE														SPARE

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BRISTOL MUTUAL
 BRANCH
 41, HIGH STREET
 COSHAM
 CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY, LTD.

Number of persons registered :

BUTTER.	SUGAR.	
2	2	

D.