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MINISTRY



OF FOOD

RATION BOOK

(GENERAL)

1950-1951

Surname JONES

Initials

D A

NATIONAL REGISTRATION NUMBER

TX EC 12.2

Address

(as on Identity Card)

(For change of address)

FOOD OFFICE CODE No.

43



Serial No. of Ration Book

AH 609647

IF FOUND RETURN TO ANY FOOD OFFICE

WHAT TO DO NOW

Write your address on the cover of your new book, and also the holder's date of birth on the cover of a Green Ration Book RB.2.

(Note. Junior Ration Books RB.4 have been discontinued. Children of 5 and over will have received the General Book RB.1).

RE-REGISTRATION WITH RETAILERS: EVERYONE must re-register for meat and groceries at once.

EVERYONE HOLDING RB.1 (BUFF) RATION BOOK: Write your name and address on the counterfoils on page 8. Turn back and enter the names and addresses of your chosen retailers on pages 6 and 7 (unless they prefer to use a rubber stamp for this). Take the book to the butcher and grocer who will take out the counterfoils. If you expect to move by 20th May, re-register for your new address.

N.B. Handicapped children: Re-register at once for milk at the reduced price or free. See ★

BABIES AND YOUNG CHILDREN. RB.2 (GREEN): Re-register for meat and groceries at once in the same way as RB.1 holders. Also re-register at once for milk at the reduced price or free — see ★

EXPECTANT MOTHERS. RB.7 (GREY): Besides re-registering for your new RB.1, also register with the same retailers for the extra meat and eggs obtained by means of RB.7, using the counterfoils on either page 13, page 15, or page 17, according to which edition of RB.7 you have. Re-register at once for milk at the reduced price or free — see ★

★ **MILK AT 1½d. PER PINT OR FREE** under the Welfare Foods Scheme. Children holding RB.2, handicapped children and expectant mothers must, in order to receive milk at the reduced price (or in certain cases free) after the 26th May, 1951, register or re-register for their supplies as follows:—

CHILDREN HOLDING RB.2: On the card (page 25) in the new (green) Ration Book.

HANDICAPPED CHILDREN: On a loose card provided with the new Ration Book RB.1.

EXPECTANT MOTHERS: On a loose card issued with the new (buff) Ration Book, RB.1 if the special (grey) Ration Book RB.7 was produced. Expectant mothers not receiving one of these loose cards should produce their Ration Book RB.7 at the nearest Distribution Centre or Food Office as soon as possible in order to obtain one.

In each case, all three parts of the card must be filled in and the card handed complete to the chosen milk retailer at once. Also the retailer's name and address must be entered in the milk space on page 6 of the RB.2, or on page 5 of the RB.7, or in the space headed "Spare 3" at foot of page 6 of the RB.1.

Please turn over

Supplies of milk at 1½d. a pint or free on existing registrations will continue up to and including the 26th May, 1951. The new registrations will become effective on 27th May and all existing milk registrations will then be cancelled. It is therefore important that registration cards should be handed to milk retailers correctly completed and as quickly as possible.

SPECIAL FOOD ALLOWANCES

SPECIAL MEAT COUPONS (RG.44) : Enter on the counterfoil the name of the retailer with whom you register your new Ration Book (RB.1). Then take the Ration Book with your special coupons to the retailer, who will take out the counterfoil.

TEA FOR PERSONS OVER 70 (RG.64) . New sheets of extra tea coupons have been issued with the new Ration Book.

EVERYONE ELSE RECEIVING A SPECIAL ALLOWANCE AUTHORISED ON FORM RG.48 OR RG.48E : You must have your form renewed at the Local Food Office if you wish to have the allowance continued. First re-register. Then, as soon as possible after May 6th, but not later than May 20th, apply to your Local Food Office taking both your old and new Ration Books, together with any certificate as required below :—

- (a) **INVALIDS** : If the form RG.48 in your old Ration Book expires on or before May 19th, but not otherwise, you will need a fresh medical certificate.
- (b) **DIABETICS, VEGETARIANS AND OTHER SPECIAL CATEGORIES** : Do not register with retailers for any foods which you will have to surrender to obtain your special allowances.
- (c) **SPECIAL CHEESE RATION (RG.48E)** : (i) **Agricultural Workers** : If the form RG.48E on the front page of your present book is coded "EIA" you should have received a form RG.60B with your new book. If you have not, apply for one at your Local Food Office, complete part "A" of the form and ask your employer or Trades Union representative to complete part "B." If page 4 of your Ration Book is marked "AIS" a form of application is not necessary. (ii) **Other Workers** : Unless your employer is applying on your behalf, obtain form RG.60 from the Food Office. Complete the form and have it certified by your employer.

Note. If your present form RG.48E was issued in Ration Week 42 or later, no fresh application is needed but you must produce your old and new Ration Books at the Food Office for renewal.

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TEA

If you deposit this page fill in overleaf and on page 2.

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