



# The Home Front

# United for VICTORY



When you think of **RATIONING**...  
Remember what our boys are doing **WITH** those things we are doing **WITHOUT!**



WAR RATION WALLET



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

BUY U.S. WAR BONDS



UNITED STATES  
OF AMERICA



# War Ration Book One

## WARNING

- 1 Punishment ranging as high as *Ten Years' Imprisonment or \$10,000 Fine*, or *Both*, may be imposed under United States Statutes for violations thereof arising out of infractions of Rationing Orders and Regulations.
- 2 This book must not be transferred. It must be held and used only by or on behalf of the person to whom it has been issued, and anyone presenting it thereby represents to the Office of Price Administration, an agency of the United States Government, that it is being so held and so used. For any misuse of this book it may be taken from the holder by the Office of Price Administration.
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**37**  
**SUGAR**

**41**  
**COFFEE**

**14**  
**SPARE**

**55**  
**FLOUR**

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*Gasoline and Mileage Ration Stickers*

THIS STICKER MUST BE DISPLAYED ON THE VEHICLE ONLY IN THAT LOCATION WHICH CONFORMS WITH THE STATE LAW

**A**  
**GASOLINE RATION**

THIS STICKER MUST BE DISPLAYED ON THE VEHICLE ONLY IN THAT LOCATION WHICH CONFORMS WITH THE STATE LAW

**C**  
**MILEAGE RATION**

# C STICKER - ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES

- Official Gov't or Red Cross business.
- School official traveling school to school.
- Transportation 4 or more to school.
- Transportation of United States mail.
- Wholesale newspaper delivery.
- Carrying newsreel photographic equipment.
- Physician, surgeon, veterinarian.
- Public Health nurse or interne.
- Embalmer.
- Minister, priest or rabbi.
- Transportation of farm workers, marine workers, or farm materials.
- Essential hospital, utility, or war worker.
- Labor conciliation, recruiting, training workers.
- Construction, repair, maintenance services or production specialist.
- Members of Armed Forces to duty.
- Telegram delivery.
- Essential scrap agent.

**VIRGINIA A.B.C. BOARD**  
THIS COUPON PERMITS THE PURCHASE OF

**28** ONE UNIT OF DISTILLED SPIRITS

OR

**28** ONE UNIT OF WINES IN EXCESS OF 14% ALCOHOL BY VOLUME.

VIRGINIA A.B.C. BOARD  
VOID IF DETACHED  
OR  
PRESENTED AFTER EXPIRATION DATE

**1/2 UNIT**

**1**

**SPECIAL SHOE STAMP**  
GOOD FOR ONE PAIR OF SHOES

DATE ISSUED \_\_\_\_\_

WAR RATION BOOK NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**DON'T FORGET!**

**SUGAR STAMP #13**

*Good for 5 pounds*

**JUNE 1 thru AUG. 15**

**C&H PURE CANE SUGAR**  
EVERY KIND FOR EVERY USE



**DON'T BURN IT - SAVE IT**

**WASTE PAPER**  
IS NEEDED FOR DEFENSE



# THE RUBBER SITUATION

We need 842,000 tons:



We have 631,000 tons we can count on:



We hope to fill the shortage with:



We have some unclaimed rubber, but our priceless reserve is on our cars:



If we drive "as usual" this will happen by April 1943:



And this will happen by 1944:



OPA FORM R-605 (REV. 4-44)

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## RUBBER FOOTWEAR PURCHASE CERTIFICATE

PAIRS	TYPE
IN FIGURES	

(DATE ISSUED)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

IS AUTHORIZED TO ACQUIRE \_\_\_\_\_

(IN WORDS)

PAIRS OF TYPE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERS OF THE TRADE MUST ENDORSE NAME AND ADDRESS ON BACK

(LOCAL BOARD NUMBER OR OTHER ISSUING OFFICE)

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_

BY \_\_\_\_\_

INVALID IF ALTERED OR ERASED

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**GOP****RATION DEPOSIT SLIP****GOP**

The United States of America  
OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION

**ROASTED COFFEE CREDITS**

DEPOSITED IN

**THE SECURITY TRUST &  
SAVINGS BANK**  
SHEMANDOAH, IOWA  
FOR THE RATION ACCOUNT OF

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

194 \_\_\_\_\_

The depositor agrees that this bank will maintain all his ration bank accounts as an agency of and under the direction of the Office of Price Administration and will be responsible only to the Office of Price Administration as provided in the General Ration Order No. 3, that the depositor waives all recourse against the bank, except for willful acts or omissions, and that all deposits are accepted subject to count and verification.



## Save your **WASTE FATS** to make explosives!



**1. The Need is Urgent.** War in the Pacific has greatly reduced our supply of vegetable fats from the Far East. It is necessary to find substitutes for them. Moreover, fats make glycerine. And glycerine makes explosives for us and our allies—explosives to down Axis planes, stop their tanks, sink their ships. We need millions of pounds of glycerine and you housewives can help supply them.



**2. Don't** throw away a single drop of used cooking fat—bacon grease, meat drippings, frying fat—every kind you use. After you've got all the cooking good from them, pour them through a kitchen drainer into a clean, wide-mouth can. Keep in a cool, dark place. Please don't use a glass container or paper bags.



**3. Take Them** to your meat dealer when you've saved a pound or more. He is cooperating patriotically. He will pay you for your waste fats and get them started on their way to the war industries. It will help him if you can deliver your fats early in the week.