

Regulations On Point Rationing

Sec. 5.6 Retailers must report sales and points on hand. (a) Every retailer (except those covered by section 5.7) must also report, as part of his registration:

- (1) The point value of all processed foods transferred by him during March, 1943, not including exchanges of merchandise or transfers from one to another of his retail establishments; and
- (2) The total number of points which he has available for acquiring processed foods, at the close of business on March 31, 1943. He must include in all points which he has on hand, all in his ration bank account (if any) and all which he has already given up for processed foods not yet shipped to him. However, he is not to include points he has received for processed foods which he has not yet shipped.

(b) He must attach to and file with his registration, a statement showing each of his purchases or other acquisition of processed foods during March, 1943, the name and address of his seller or transferor, and the points he gave up for each purchase or other acquisition.

Sec. 5.7 Certain retailers need not report inventory and other information. (a) A retailer whose gross sales of all commodities during March 1943 were under \$200 must register on OPA Form R-1302, but need not report his inventory, sales or transfer, and points on hand. However, if he elects not to report this information, he will have to operate on the basis of turnover of the eligible, when he registers, to receive a certificate enabling him to increase his working stocks.

Sec. 5.8. A retailer is given an allowable inventory — (a) General. Every retailer (except those who do not report, as permitted by section 5.7) is entitled to an operating inventory called an allowable inventory, which is based on his transfers of processed foods during March 1943. This allowable inventory is stated in terms of points.

(b) Amount of allowable inventory. To get a retailer's allowable inventory the point value of all processed foods transferred from his retail establishments during March 1943, is multiplied by a factor fixed by the Office of Price Administration in a supplement to this order. The result is his allowable inventory. Exchanges of processed foods, and transfers from one to another of his retail establishments, must not be included in this computation.

(c) Point inventory. (1) In order to determine how large a stock of processed foods, measured in points, a retailer has and is in a position to get, it is necessary to find out two things:

- (i) The point value of his inventory; and
 - (ii) The number of points which he has available for acquiring processed foods, since he can use those points to get additional stocks. These points include all of which he has on hand, all in his ration bank account (if any) and all of which he has already given up for processed foods not yet shipped to him. However, points he has received for processed foods which he has not yet shipped, or not included.
- (2) The sum of the above two figures, at the close of business on March 31, 1943, shows the amount of processed foods he has and can get at that time. That sum is called his point inventory. The retailer makes this computation on OPA Form R-1302.

(d) When a retailer is entitled to a certificate, if a retailer's point inventory at the close of business on March 31, 1943, is less than his allowable inventory, he is entitled to receive a "certificate" for the number of points needed to make up the difference. The certificate will be issued by the Board with which he registers, or by "Washington Office."

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Top Coffee Nut Cakes with Honey Meringue



THE fluffy clouds of meringue supply the eye-appeal, and the flavor of leftover coffee adds the appetite-appeal to these Coffee Nut Cakes. With every new rationing regulation, the taste of real coffee becomes more of a delicacy. Collect any leftover drops in a covered glass jar in your refrigerator and use them in coffee-flavored recipes. There's no substitute for coffee flavor any more than there's any substitute for real coffee! Coffee Nut Cakes topped off with Honey Meringue will have your family up in the clouds. Serve this treat with a perfect cup of real coffee for Sunday morning breakfast. Here are the recipes:

- Coffee Nut Cakes**
- 2 cups sifted cake flour
 - 2 teaspoons baking powder
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/2 cup coarsely chopped nut meats
 - 1/2 cup shortening
 - 1/2 cup sugar
 - 1 egg
 - 1/2 cup corn syrup
 - 1/2 cup cold leftover coffee
- Mix and sift flour, baking powder

and salt. Add nuts and mix well. Cream shortening, add sugar gradually and cream until light and fluffy. Add unbeaten egg and beat well. Stir in corn syrup. Add dry ingredients alternately with coffee, beating well after each addition. Pour into greased muffin pans. Bake in moderate oven, 375 degrees F., 20 to 30 minutes according to size. If desired, top with honey meringue, according to directions below. Yield: 2 1/2 dozen small or 15 medium cup cakes.

Honey Meringue

- 1 egg white
- 1/4 cup honey

Beat egg white and salt until stiff. Add honey slowly, beating continuously. Continue beating until meringue will stand in peaks. Use for topping small cakes. If desired, place under broiler heat at some distance from it until meringue has browned slightly. Cakes topped with broiled meringue should be used at once.

If he is required to register with that office.

(e) What a retailer must do if he has excess inventory. If a retailer's point inventory at the close of business on March 31, 1943, is greater than his allowable inventory, the difference is excess inventory. He must, in that case, give up to the Office of Price Administration, for cancellation, points equal to his excess inventory. Points for that amount must be forwarded with his registration. He must give up the points in the form of "stamps" or certificates, or, if he has a ration bank account, in the form of a certified check drawn on that account made payable to the Office of Price Administration. A retailer who does not have enough points at the time of registration, may accumulate and forward them later, but he may not buy or acquire processed foods until he has done so.

Sec. 5.9. Retailers may apply for emergency inventory adjustments during March 1943. (a) Any retailer who finds, during March 1943, that he does not have an adequate stock of processed foods to meet demands under rationing, may apply for an adjustment. A retailer who has only one retail establishment must apply to the Board for the place where that establishment is located. If he has more than one retail establishment, he must apply to the Board where his principal business office is located. A person who has a processor or wholesale establishment as well as a retail establishment must apply to the district office for the place where his principal business office is located (or, where there is no district office, to the State office). The application is to be made on OPA Form R-315, and must show the approximate point value of his sales or other transfers, and the size of the inventory which he needs. The board (or the district or State office) may call upon him for any other information which it finds necessary in order to act upon the application.

(b) If the board (or the district or State office) finds that he does not have adequate stocks, it may issue to him a certificate for the number of points needed to bring his stocks up to an adequate working level.

(c) An adjustment may be granted under this section only during March 1943. If the district or State office passes on the application, the file in the case must be sent to the Washington Office.

Sec. 5.10. Retailers must keep records. (a) Every retailer must keep a copy of his registration, at his principal business office. If he has more than one retail establishment, he must keep at each establishment a copy of the inventory report filed for it.

(b) He must also keep, at his principal business office, the records from his suppliers showing their sales or transfers to him during March 1943.

(c) In addition, at the time of change in the point value of an item of processed foods, every retailer must make a record of the name and size of that item which he has in his inventory. The records must show the point value of the item before and after the change, and the amount by which the point value of his inventory was increased or decreased as a result. If he has more than one retail establishment, he must make and keep such a record at each establishment.

Sec. 5.11. Retailers must post

prices. (a) Beginning March 1, 1943, every retailer must post the Official Table of Point Values (OPA Form R-1313) in his retail establishment in such manner that it can be plainly seen and read by purchasers.

(b) Every retailer who has an establishment at which the processed foods he carries are displayed to consumers must post there the point value of every item of processed food he carries. The point value must be posted, in such manner that it can be plainly seen and read by consumers, in one or more of the following ways:

- (1) On the commodity itself; or
- (2) On the shelf or other place where the commodity is kept; or
- (3) On a list attached to, or posted next to, the shelf or other place where the commodity is kept.

Our Freedom Is Priceless

By JOSEPH E. DAVIES
Former Ambassador to Russia and Belgium.

(Written for the Treasury Department in connection with the Retailers' "SAY YES" campaign to complete the nation's 100,000,000 partially filled War Stamp album.)

What I myself saw in my four years in Europe gave me a new realization of the priceless rights which we here enjoy.

No secret police can in the night whisk us away, never again to be seen by those we love.

None of us can be deprived by any party, state or tyrant of those precious civil liberties which our laws and our courts guarantee.

None of us can be persecuted for practicing the faith which we found at our mother's knee.

None of us can be persecuted, tortured or killed because of the fact that an accident of fate might have made us of the same race as the Nazarene.

No American can be placed by any party or government in a regimented vise which takes from him or her either freedom of economic opportunity or political religious liberty.

What would the millions of unfortunate men, women and children in Europe give to be able to live and enjoy such a way of life?

Well, in this war, those are the things in our lives which are in jeopardy. Our boys are dying to preserve them for us.

Then we can do no less than to "say yes" and fill those war stamp albums. It is our duty and privilege to help the secretary of the treasury, Mr. Morgenthau, in his magnificent effort to do the tremendous job of getting the money to keep our boys supplied with the weapons with which to fight our fight.

Surely that is little enough for us to do on the home front.

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Have A Victory Garden This Year

"The Victory (home) Garden should be of renewed importance now that the war has brought on rationing of vegetables that have been processed," according to A. S. Knowles, County Agent.

The goal for every family in Hoke county should be "Every family that had a garden last year, have a bigger one in 1943; and every family who in 1942 had no garden should have one this year that contains enough vegetables to furnish adequate supplies of fresh vegetables and enough to can for winter use.

In order to have a garden that will furnish enough vegetables to supply the family, a long season "Victory Garden" MUST be planned; that is, a succession of plantings of different kinds of vegetables during early spring and summer, along with tomatoes, snapbeans, greens, and root crops in the fall.

Vegetables that can be planted during March are cabbage and collard plants, carrots, beets, garden peas, onion set; lettuce, spinach, Irish potatoe, zape, radishes, kale, tendergreens and turnips. Snapbeans and Okra may be planted late in March. Tomato and pepper seed can be planted in a cold frame (box) or tobacco bed.

Newly Established Surplus Egg Market

Farmers with surplus eggs are finding the newly established egg markets a big help, says A. S. Knowles, county agent. The market was opened two weeks ago by the Upchurch Milling and Storage Company at the Fuller Building (next to the Sinclair Filling Station) in Raeford.

The local market is cooperating with the Farmers Mutual Exchange in Durham. It is operated to help farmers get the highest possible price for eggs. Prices are announced Monday of each week by the Durham concern. The local buying station buys eggs on Saturday only from 8:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

Other egg markets in the vicinity of Hoke County are as follows: Red Springs, Red Springs Supply Co.; Vass, Neill McKeithan; and Cameron, L. B. McKeithan. All of these markets are cooperating with the Farmers Exchange.



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Lacy McNeill, on behalf of himself and all other creditors of J. A. McDiarmid, deceased; Petitioner.
vs.
Miss Margaret McDiarmid and Henry McDiarmid, Co-Adms. of the estate of J. A. McDiarmid, deceased; Respondents.

NOTICE
Take notice that summons having been issued in the above entitled cause, which is a Special Proceeding for an accounting brought or behalf of Lacy McNeill and all other creditors of J. A. McDiarmid, deceased, returnable before me on the 30th day of March, 1943, you are required to appear before me on or before the said day and file evidences of your claims.

This 19th day of February, 1943.
J. B. CAMERON,
Clerk of Superior Court
Mar-4-11-18-25

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