POINT VALUES ON SOME CAN FOODS JUMP

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—The office of price administration (OPA) today ordered the blue-stamp ration value of four types of canned fruit boosted, effective Sunday, in an attempt to slow down shoppers' demands.

The agency made point changes in 21 food items—13 up and eight down—as the result of a survey of the demand and available supplies of canned and processed foods. All the changes go into effect Sunday.

Canned fruits — especially cranberries, peaches, apples and pears—have been going off dealers shelves too rapidly, OPA said, and "new packs of these items are running below the figures of a year ago."

It fixed the ration value of No. 2 (large) size canned apples at 10 points, an increase of three; 16 oz. cranberries at 10 points, up two; No. 2½ peaches at 27 points, up four, and No. 2½ pears at 21 points, up six.

The same order returned dried prunes, raisins and currants to the ration list after a summer vacation. They were valued at four blue points a pound. Last March prunes, raisins and currants were 20 points a pound, but they were made ration-free during the hot weather so stocks could be sold out before they spoiled.

Point values were raised for canned and bottled beans, pumpkin and squash. Other types of canned beans — fresh shelled, green or wax and fresh soy beans—were reduced, probably because fresh vegetables now are in demand.

Frozen fruits and vegetables went up and, OPA said, the "supply is still far below the buying demand." It explained "a fairly sharp and general upward point revision is necessary in order to syphon off some of the demand into other foods in larger supply."

Some of the point reductions and increases, OPA said, were made to speed or to slow sales of certain can sizes which aren't balancing with the same products packed in other sizes. For example, the point value of No. 2½ can tomatoes was reduced while other tomato sizes remained unchanged.

HANDY POINT CHART FOR PROCESSED FOODS

Point Values of Popular Sizes, Effective September 5, 1943

USE BLUE STAMPS U V W (See footnote)

CANNED AND BOTTLED — WEIGHT →	Over 1 lb. but 1 lb. 4 oz.	Over 1 lb. 4 oz. but 1 lb. 12 oz.	Over 1 lb. 12 oz. but 2 lb.	Over 2 lb. but 2 lb. 8 oz.	Over 2 lb. 8 oz. but 3 lb.
CONTAINER SIZE →	No. 1 (Picnic No. 300 Can)	No. 303 (Vacuum Can)	No. 2	No. 2½ (Vacuum Can)	No. 3 (Cylinder)
FRUITS (Include Pickled, Spiced or Brandied):					
Apples (Include Crabapples)	6	8	10	13	16
Applesauce and Red Sour Cherries	8	12	14	21	27
Apricots, Fruit Cocktail, Fruits for salad, or Mixed Fruit, or Peaches	14	18	23	27	41
Berries (all kinds) and Grapefruit	7	9	10	15	21
Cherries, all other (include Maraschino type)	8	11	14	19	26
Cranberries or Sauce, whole, strained, or jellied	8	10	13	13	23
Figs	6	8	10	13	17
Pears	11	14	18	21	30
Pineapple	15	20	23	34	47
Plums or Prunes (all kinds)	3	4	6	7	9
JUICES:					
Grapefruit and all other Citrus Juices, Apricot, Prune or Pear Juice or Nectar, Grape Juice, or Prune Juice	2	*2	3	3	4
Pineapple Juice	7	10	13	17	22
Tomato Juice	2	*2	*4	*5	*6
Vegetable Juice combinations containing 70 percent or more Tomato Juice	2	*2	3	3	4
VEGETABLES:					
Asparagus or Mixed Vegetables	8	11	14	21	30
Beans, all dry varieties (include Baked Beans, Kidney Beans, Lentils, Soaked Dry Peas, etc.)	11	14	18	25	32
Green, Wax, or Fresh Shelled Beans	6	8	10	13	18
Fresh Lima Beans or Vacuum Packed Whole Kernel Corn	14	18	20	27	41
Fresh Soy Beans	3	4	6	6	9
Beets or Carrots	8	6	8	9	14
Corn (except vacuum packed whole kernel, include Corn-on-cob)	11	14	16	21	32
Leafy Greens (except Spinach)	5	*6	8	10	14
Mushrooms or Spinach	8	*11	14	19	26
Peas	13	16	18	24	37
Pumpkin, Squash, or Tomatoes	11	14	18	21	32
Sauerkraut	3	4	6	7	9
Tomato Catsup or Chili Sauce	16	20	28	30	46
Tomato Pulp	18	24	30	36	56
Tomato Solids, Pulp, or Puree	4	6	8	9	14
Tomato Juice in combination package with cheese	5	7	9	11	16

Note.—Jams, Jellies, Marmalades, Fruit Butters, and similar preserves are NOT rationed.

SOUPS — CONTAINER SIZE →	Regular	No. 1
Tomato Soup, concentrated	3	5
Other concentrated Soups	4	6
Soups, not concentrated (ready-to-serve)	2	3

BABY FOODS — CONTAINER SIZE →	6 oz.	8 oz.
All canned or bottled types and varieties, except Milk and Cereal (including Custards).	1	2

FROZEN — CONTAINER SIZE →	No. 1 Can	No. 2½ Can
FRUITS, BERRIES, AND JUICES:		
All Fruits or Berries	*9	*12
All Fruit Juices	*2	*2
VEGETABLES:		
Beans, Baked	4	6
All other Beans; Corn, cut; Peas; or Spinach	9	12
Corn-on-cob (1 point per ear)	*	
All other Vegetables and Vegetable Combinations	4	6

DRIED	
Prunes, Raisins, or Currants	4 points per pound
Beans (including Soybeans)	2 points per pound
Peas and Lentils (including Black-eye Peas)	1 point per pound

This chart only lists point values for the most popular sizes. See the official chart at your grocer's for other sizes and their point values

†U V W good September 1, to and including October 20, R S T valid through September 20.

CAUTION

ONLY items on this chart require the surrender of Blue Stamps from War Ration Book Two

*Spinach and other leafy greens, tomato juice, and other vegetable juices, fruit juices and fruit nectars in a No. 2 can may fall in the autumn "over 14 oz. including 1 lb. 2 oz."

When in doubt, check the label weight.

Meat Point Values Cut; Butter Upped In Ration Overall

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—The office of price administration boosted the ration points for creamery butter from 10 to 12 a pound today but simultaneously reduced ration values one or two points on 32 cuts of fresh meat.

Overhauling other ration point values to meet changing conditions, OPA also increased the blue stamp ration value of four types of canned fruit and nine canned and processed foods and lowered the value of eight others.

All revisions are effective Sunday.

The boost in stamp ration values for canned and processed foods is designed to slow down shoppers' demands.

OPA said it is boosting creamery butter from 10 to 12 points a pound because production is five per cent below estimates and the "decline is steadily increasing."

Country—farm-churned—butter will be cut from 10 to 6 points a pound in an effort to get more of it to market.

Under the OPA revision, all lamb and mutton, with the exception of breast and flank and some variety meats, are reduced one point, most bacon cuts two points, and a few other types of pork one point. Beef rib cuts, roasts and steak and sirloin steaks are lowered one ration point.

All changes are effective Sunday.

Estimating meat supplies will be 7 per cent larger in September than in August, OPA said lamb production is higher than advanced estimates and pork supplies are expected to be about 13 per cent above August, but beef supplies will increase only slightly.

"This (meat supply) increase is insufficient to permit substantial reductions in all meat point values but the distribution of meat shortages throughout the country is expected to become more equal, thus minimizing the danger of temporary, acute shortages in local areas," OPA said.

"The purchasing power of meat-fats stamps in September will be a little larger than in August because the decrease in meat point values more than cancels the higher ration cost of creamery butter."

Only one type of meat—veal sweetbreads — is increased in point value. No change is made in the number of points needed for lard shortening, cheese or cooking oils and fats.

On kosher meat items, all foresaddle cuts of lamb and mutton and lamb patties are reduced one point. Ten-inch and seven-inch beef rib steaks and roasts also are cut a point, as well as some variety cuts of veal and beef.

Canned fish products which contain more than 20 per cent of rationed fish—sandwich spread, fish pastes, etc.—go on the point table for the first time at 12 points a pound.

Earlier today OPA announced changes in the blue stamp point value of 21 processed foods—13 up and 8 down—and restored dried prunes, raisins and currants to rationing. Those changes also will take effect Sunday. Increased are the ration value of canned fruits and all frozen foods.

Viipuri is the official spelling for Viborg, Denmark.

MORE COUPONS THAN GAS ON EAST COAST

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—The prospect of dry gasoline pumps in the east "in a matter of days" was raised today by Interior Secretary Ickes who said trouble lay ahead for the entire nation unless motoring is held to essential travel.

Ickes, war fuel administrator, said in a radio speech last night that:

The east has more gasoline ration coupons than it has gas quota, and is using them. Consumption has been exceeding the 342,000 barrels allotted daily for civilian use by anywhere from 30,000 to 35,000 barrels.

The southwest and middlewest are "living on borrowed time" as far as gasoline is concerned.

The Pacific coast has a "comfortable supply" but "if the people there could know of the military demands that lie ahead when the war in the Pacific really gets underway, they would know that there is anything but comfort ahead."

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After Sunday No Red Stamps Needed For Sauce, Cheese

WASHINGTON, Sept. 2 (AP)—After Sunday housewives won't have to give up their valuable red stamps to get a package of tomato sauce and cheese.

The office of price administration (OPA) announced it would boost to four points the ration price of an 8-ounce package of tomato sauce in combination with cheese, but said they could all be blue. Before the change the same package cost one red point for the cheese and two blue points for the tomato sauce.

Classified Ads Bring Results.

Courthouse Records

Marriages

HINDMAN-GODSEY. Jack Warren Hindman, 21, baker. Native of Iowa, resident of Tulelake. Joyce Irene Godsey, 19, welder. Native of Iowa, resident of Tulelake.

Justice Court

Roy Ross Cook. Failure to stop at a stop sign. Fined $5.50.

John Rennspieshs. No operator's license. iFned $5.50.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

SEATTLE, Sept. 2 (AP)—Roger C. Herendeen, 23, navy, and Lela M. Williams, 21, Klamath Falls, applied here for a marriage license.

Yellow-Jacket Sting Kills Man

COTTAGE GROVE, Sept. 2 (AP)—A yellow-jacket stung Kenneth Babcock, Silk creek farmer, on the ear yesterday. His neck swelled and he died of strangulation within a half-hour.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF TIMBER SALE. Sealed bids, marked outside "Bid for Timber," and addressed to the Chief Forester, O. and C. Administration, 901 Guardian Building, Portland, Oregon, will be received until 10:30 A. M., Pacific War Time, September 7, 1943 for the purchase of timber upon tracts hereinafter described; each bid must state the amount per M. feet B. M., which will be offered for each species and the total consideration which will be paid for the timber. No bid for less than the appraised value will be considered. Each bid must be submitted in duplicate and be accompanied by a deposit in the form of a certified check in favor of the Treasurer of the United States. The deposit of any successful bidder will be credited on the contract. Payment in full at the time of filing the contract is required in sales amounting to $2500 or less. For copies of the form of proposal, form of contract and bond, terms of payment, amount of deposit required with bid, amount of bond required with contract and other information, application should be made to the address shown above. IN KLAMATH COUNTY: T. 40 S., R. 6 E., Sec. 11, all merchantable timber designated for cutting on the W½, estimated for the purpose of this sale to be 825 M. feet stamped Douglas Fir saw trees, 330 M. feet stamped Douglas Fir wood trees, 60 M. feet stamped White Fir. No bid for less than $1.75 per M. ft. B. M. for the Fir saw trees, $1.00 per M. ft. B. M. for the Fir wood trees, $1.25 per M. ft. B. M. for the White fir, or a total purchase price, of $1,848.75, will be considered. All trees except Douglas Fir and White Fir stamped USOC are reserved from cutting. All timber on the above described area must be manufactured in the local marketing area designated by the O. and C. Administration, unless otherwise authorized by the Chief Forester. The right to waive technical defects and to reject any and all bids is reserved. Dated at Portland, Oregon, this 21st day of August, 1943. W. H. Horning, Chief Forester, O. and C. Administration.

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Cereal Story

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