

Basic Detail Report

Title Shoes Ration Coupons

Date c. 1944

Primary Maker Stewart, Warren, & Benson Corp.

Medium printed paper, cardboard

Description A World War II era shoes ration coupon book. It has a greenish /grayish cover with "SHOES" printed in black letters and outlined in a black rectangle. The back of the booklet is a piece of cardboard. The coupons are yellow and are printed with black ink. There is a perforated line where the checks are ripped out. The balance is recorded on the remaining stub and the Ration Check is filled out in exchange for goods. Checks read, "RATION CHECK / THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA / OFFICE OF PRICE ADMINISTRATION / CHECK NO / DATE / 194_ / TRANSFER TO THE / SHOE / RATION BANK ACCOUNT OF / (NAME OF SELLER) / AMOUNT IN FIGURES / (AMOUNT IN WORDS) / PAIRS OF / SHOES / THE NEW HAVEN BANK / NATIONAL BANKING ASSOCIATION / FR-1 NEW HAVEN, CONN. 51-1 / (PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF YOUR ACCOUNT) / (AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE)."

Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width x depth): 3 × 11 3/4 × 1 /4in. (7.6 × 29.8 × 0.6cm)