

STRACHEY - NEW FOOD MINISTER

Sir Ben Smith resigns after a stormy ten months as Food Minister. Successor and man of the hour is John Strachey, Air Under-Secretary and Labour's most successful Junior Minister. Family food problems are appreciated by Mrs. Strachey, mother of two growing children, and fully experienced in the cares and difficulties of feeding a 6ft 4 husband and two youngsters. At 44, with a fine reputation behind him, John Strachey faces Britain's toughest Cabinet task. The spirit in which he enters it is revealed in this step-press Pathe interview.

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