Guide to Archives Center Cookbook Collection

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<td>Summary:</td>
<td>Collection consists primarily of cookbooks and similar forms of literature containing recipes and - or information relating to food customs, created by producers and manufacturers of foods products, cooking utensils, kitchen appliances and equipment.</td>
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### Administrative Information

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Found in collections, gifts from Museum staff and unsolicited gifts from the public.

**Provenance**

The collection was assembled by the Archives Center in 2002.

**Related Materials**

- **Materials in the Archives Center**
  - Product Cookbooks Collection, circa 1874-1990
  - Frances S. Baker Product Cookbooks, circa 1900-1993
  - Nordic Ware Records, 1940-2006
  - Archives Center Business Americana Collection, circa 1900-present
  - Warshaw Collection of Business Americana, circa 1724-1977
  - Pillsbury Bake-Off Collection, 1949-1999
  - NW Ayer Advertising Agency Records, 1849-2001
  - Food Preservation and Home Canning Literature Collection, 1883-1980
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Biographical / Historical
The food industry and manufacturers of cooking utensils and equipment create cookbooks or other forms of literature to assist the consumer with their products. These materials document food customs and provide very valuable information about the production of food; preparation and consumption; long term storage and preservation; new cooking techniques and instructions for using cooking utensils, appliances and equipment. Such materials are often included in the packaging, available upon request or with the purchase of a particular product.

Scope and Contents
The collection was created by the Archives Center to form a body of material from producers and manufacturers of food products, cooking utensils, kitchen appliances and equipment. It consists primarily of cookbooks, recipe booklets, circulars, recipe cards, and clippings containing recipes or information relating to food customs. Most of these materials were published in the United States by producers and manufacturers of foods, seasonings, and condiments. Some of the materials were created by manufacturers of both small and large kitchen appliances and include operating instructions for these products. There are also materials created by electric and gas utility companies. Some of the materials relate to the canning and freezing processes. Materials created by manufacturers of alcoholic beverages also contain recipes for both food and drinks. All bound materials have soft covers with the exception of The Victory Binding of the American Woman's Cookbook, Wartime Edition, 1943.

The collection is arranged in two series. Series One consists of bound materials including cookbooks and recipe booklets. These materials are arranged in alphabetical order. Series two are unbound materials including recipe flyers, folders, recipe cards, cooking class recipe sheets, recipes clipped from publications, and hand written recipes. The materials are arranged first in alphabetical order by name of company and then in order by genre.
Arrangement

Collection is arranged into two series.

Series 1, Bound Materials, 1920-2004, undated
Series 2, Unbound Materials, 1938-2003, undated

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:
- Cookery, American
- Food industry and trade
- Advertising

Types of Materials:
- Cookbooks
Container Listing

Series 1: Bound Materials, 1920-2004, undated

Box 1  Abbott Laboratories (Sucaryl), Calorie Saving Recipes
Box 1  Agriculture Extension Service, University of Tennessee, Tennessee Cook Book of Tested Recipes, 1951
Box 1  Amaretto di Saronno, Cook with Love, 1979, 1990
Box 1  Amaretto di Saronno, Italian Intrigue, 1980
Box 1  American Cooking Guild, Just Desserts, 1991
Box 1  American Cranberry Exchange, Cranberries and How to Cook Them, 1938
Box 1  American Diabetes Association and the American Dietetic Association, Meal Planning with Exchange Lists, 1950
Box 1  American Heart Association, To Your Health, 1997
Box 1  American Institute for Cancer Research, The New American Plate: Veggies, 2001
Box 1  American Spice Trade Association, The Magic of Spices, 1964
Box 1  American Sugar Company (Domino), Brownulated Sugar Spoon Recipes, 1967
Box 1  Armour & Company, Study Guide for Pie Baking, circa 1930s
Box 1  Bacardi & Company, Limited, The Bacardi Party Book
Box 1  Baker’s Chocolate, Baker’s Dessert Shop
Box 1  Beef Industry Council, 30 Meals in 30 Minutes, 1992
Box 1  Bénédictine Liqueur, Specialités de Bénédictine
Box 1  Bols Liqueurs and Brandies, untitled recipe booklet
Box 1  Better Homes and Gardens, The Best Milk Recipes in America, 1999
Box 1  Betty Crocker, Low Fat, Low Cholesterol, 1988
Box 1  Brer Rabbit Molasses, Modern Recipes for Modern Living
Box 1  Bumble Bee Seafoods, Seafarer's Favorites, untitled recipe booklet
Box 1  Joseph Burnett Company, What's Cooking?, 1940s
Box 1  California Avocados, The Avocado Bravo, 1978
Box 1  California Dry Bean Advisory Board Basic Bean Cookery
Box 1  California Dry Bean Advisory Board Blackeyes: Nature's Number One Source of Folate
Box 1  California Dry Bean Advisory Board Explore the Magic World of California Beans
Box 1  Campbell's Soup Company Superb Holiday Recipes
Box 1  Campbell's Soup Company Campbell's Emergency Cookbook
Box 1  Campbell's Soup Company Recipe Box Cookbook
Box 1  Campari USA, Incorporated, The Hall of Fame Experience
Box 1  Carapelli Olive Oil, Recipes
Box 1  Checkerboard Farms, Rock Cornish Game Hens Gourmet Cookbook
Box 1  Christian Brothers (Wine), Gourmet and Entertaining Guide
Box 1  Church & Dwight Company, Incorporated, (Arm & Hammer Baking Soda), New Fashioned Old-Fashioned Recipes, 1953
Box 1  Colorado Milling & Elevator Company, Hungarian Flour, Favorite High Altitude Recipes, 1948
Box 1  Colorado Milling & Elevator Company High Altitude Mini Baking, 1967
Box 1  Continental Baking Company, Incorporated, (Wonder Bread), New Breakfast Ideas, 1948
Box 1  Corn Products Company (Karo Syrup) The New Karo All American Cookbook
Box 1  Corn Products Company (Karo Syrup) The New Way to Cook is With Karo!

Box 1  Cream of Wheat, To Your Health!

Box 1  Creamette Company, Favorite Macaroni Recipes, 1965

Box 1  Crowell Publishing Company, Coffee as You Like It, 1938

Box 1  Cudahy Bar S, The Meat Cookbook, 1966

Box 1  Culinary Arts Institute, 250 Classic Cake Recipes, 1940

Box 1  Culinary Arts Institute, 300 Ways to Serve Eggs, 1944

Box 2  Dak Industries, Incorporated, 5 Minutes to Homemade Bread, 1989, 1991

Box 2  Del Monte (Chun King), Foolproof Oriental Cooking, 1983

Box 2  Delta Air Lines, Incorporated, Flavors of New England, 1974

Box 2  Earnest & Julio Gallo (Wine), Holiday Celebrations

Box 2  Edible Gelatin Manufacturers' Research Society of America, The Smart Hostess Adopts Gelatin, 1934

Box 2  Everyday Food, 2004

Box 2  Frangelico Liqueur, The Adult Dessert and Entertainment Guide

Box 2  Frigidaire, Your Frigidaire Recipes, 1940

Box 2  H. P. Hood and Sons, Foods that Made New England Famous, 1946

Box 2  Furst-McNess Company, The McNess’ Cookbook, three editions, circa 1930

Box 2  General Baking Company, (Bond Bread), Bond Bread Cookbook, 1935

Box 2  General Baking Company, (Bond Bread) Bond Bread Sandwich Chart

Box 2  General Electric Company, How to Enjoy Speed Cooking

Box 2  General Electric Company, The Convection Oven Cookbook, 2002
Box 2  General Foods Corporation, Recipes for Today, 1943
Box 2  General Foods Corporation, Cookies Galore, 1956
Box 2  General Foods Corporation (Jell-O)
Box 2  General Foods Corporation (Jell-O) Dessert Magic, 1944
Box 2  General Foods Corporation (Jell-O) Joys of Jell-O
Box 2  General Foods Corporation (Jell-O), Sweet Moment Desserts, 1966
Box 2  General Foods Corporation, The New Joys of Jell-O, 1973
Box 2  General Foods Corporation Casseroles and Compliments with Minute Rice
Box 2  General Foods Corporation New Super Suppers (Birdseye)
Box 2  General Mills (Gold Medal Flour), Baking Short and Simple, 1983
Box 2  General Mills, Bisquick "No Time to Cook" Summer Recipe Book, 1980
Box 2  Genesee Pure Food Company, Delicious and Beautiful Jell-O Desserts, circa 1930
Box 2  Giant Food Incorporated, A Guide to Seafood, 1988
Box 2  Giant Food Incorporated, Heart Health, 2000
Box 2  Ghirardelli Chocolate Company, Ghirardelli Original Chocolate Cookbook, 1977
Box 2  Godchaux Sugars, Famous Recipes from Old New Orleans
Box 3  Good Housekeeping, Appetizer Book, 1958
Box 3  Good Housekeeping Summertime Cook Book
Box 3  Good Housekeeping, Party Pie Book, 1958
Box 3  Gourmet, Cooking with Gourmet, 2001
Box 3  Hamilton Beach Company (Food mixer), Instructions and Tested Recipes, 1947
Box 3  Charles Hansen's Laboratory (Junket), How to Make Rennet Custards and Ice Cream, 1938

Box 3  Charles Hansen's Laboratory (Junket), Magic With Rennet, 1944

Box 3  Hellman, Richard, Company (Mayonnaise), Salad Ideas, 1928

Box 3  Hershey Chocolate Company, Hershey's 1934 Cookbook, 1971

Box 3  Hershey Chocolate Company, Hershey's Cocoa Cookbook, 1979

Box 3  Hershey Chocolate Company, Hershey's Centennial Classics, 1994

Box 3  Hershey Chocolate Company, Hershey's Favorite Recipes

Box 3  Hiram Walker (Cordials), The Joy of Cordials, 1983

Box 3  Hiram Walker (Cordials), A World of Flavor Recipes

Box 3  H. J. Heinz Company, New Recipes Using Heinz Oven-Baked Beans, Recipes Using Heinz Soups

Box 3  Holiday Inn Cookbook and Travel Guide, 1962

Box 3  Home Service Bureau, The Gas and Electric Company, Meat Cookery

Box 3  Home Service Committee, Edison Electric Institute, Facts About Food : Freezing

Box 3  Hormel (Herb-Ox), The Essential Ingredient

Box 3  Hotpoint, Incorporated, Recipes for Your Hotpoint Electric Range

Box 3  Hunt-Wesson Foods, Winning Recipes

Box 3  Jewel Tea Company, Mary Dungar's Favorite Recipes

Box 3  Jewel Tea Company, 476 Tested Recipes

Box 3  Junket Folks, Delicious Quick Desserts, 1929

Box 3  Kahlua, Recipe Book, 1986

Box 3  Kahlua, The Many Faces of Kahlua
Box 3  Kansas City Kansan (newspaper), Kansan's 4th Annual Cookbook, 1964
Box 4  Kellogg Company, Bran Idea Book, 1982
Box 4  Kellogg Company, Bran for All Occasions
Box 4  Kerr Glass Manufacturing Company, Kerr Home Canning Guide, 1942
Box 4  Knox Gelatine [and others], Untitled cookbook, circa 1920
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Box 4  Knox Gelatine, Feeding Sick Patients, 1936
Box 4  Knox Gelatine Sugar-less Desserts and Salads, 1940s
Box 4  Knox Gelatine, Food Economy: Recipes for Leftovers, Plain Desserts and Salads
Box 4  Knox Gelatine, The Knox Build-up Plan, 1940s
Box 4  Knox Gelatine, Mrs. Knox's Top 20, 1942
Box 4  Knudsen Creamery Company, Knudsen Recipes, 1955 and 1961
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Box 4  Kraft Foods, Creative Cooking with Velveeta, 1987
Box 4  Landers, Frary, & Clark, Manufacturer of Universal Waffle Irons
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Box 4  Land O' Lakes, Incorporated, Fast Scratch Vegetarian
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Box 4  Leroux Liqueurs, Cordials . . . Naturally
Box 4  Lipton, California Dip
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Box 4  Liquore Galliano, The Italian Classics
Box 4  Liquore Galliano, . . .And a Measure of Gold
Box 4  Litton Industries (Microwaves), Microwave Cooking Convenience Foods,, 1981
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Box 4  McIlhenny Company (Tabasco sauce), The Art of Seasoning
Box 4  Minute Tapioca Company Incorporated, Prize Winning Recipes to Vary Your Menus, 1927
Box 4  Mirro Aluminum Company, Mirro-Matic Pressure Pan: Directions, Recipes, Timetables
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Box 5  Pillsbury Flour Mills Company, Cookin' up Kitchen Dates, 1944
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Box 5  Reynolds Metal Company, Outdoor Cooking with Reynolds Wrap
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