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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract

The collection contains United States Department of Agriculture, War Food Administration, and other national agency publications from the early 20th century to the present day.

Creator

United States. Department of Agriculture

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United States. Agricultural Research Service

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United States. Division of Home Economics

Creator

United States. War Food Administration

Creator

United States. Department of Health and Human Services

Extent

0.8 Cubic Feet 2 boxes

Repository

Special Collections and University Archives, Virginia Tech

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

Collection is open for research.

Use Restrictions

Permission to publish material from National Agricultural Publications must be obtained from the copyright holders.

Acquisition Information

The original donation was acquired by Special Collections prior to 2009. Additional publications were donated to Special Collections in 2010 and were integrated with existing materials. Future accruals are expected.

Processing Information

The processing, arrangement, and description of the National Agricultural Publications was completed in March 2011. Additional description will be completed as new materials are added.

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Scope and Content

The collection contains United States Department of Agriculture, War Food Administration, and other national agency publications on topics ranging from war-time food use and Victory gardens, kitchen appliances, preservation strategies, individual foods/food groups, and home demonstration. Publications date from 1917 to the present day.

Related Materials

Ms2001-004, Ann A. Hertzler Collection. Finding aid available online.

Ms2011-021, Janet L. Cameron Collection. Finding aid available online.

Ms2012-040, State/Regional Agricultural Publications. Finding aid available online.

RG 26/2, Agricultural Extension Service (now Virginia Cooperative Extension Service) Records.

Special Collections houses more than 300 publications by the Virginia Cooperative Extension Service. Publications may be found by searching the library's catalog, for author: Virginia Cooperative Extension Service.

Keywords

Home demonstration work

Food Technology and Production

Agriculture

Agricultural extension work

History of Food and Drink

Nutrition

Home economics

Arrangement

The collection is arranged into four series, based on broad categories of publications. Series I: Food, Cooking

and Nutrition includes publications about nutrition and health, specific foods, recipes, and food preservation. Series II: Home Economics and Household Management contains publications about home appliances, simple home repair, sewing, and laundry. Series III: Furnishings and Home Organization has publications about kitchen, bathroom, and laundry organization, purchase and maintenance of furnishings, and building home storage. Series IV: Farm and Garden includes publications relating to creation and maintenance of farm buildings, crop blights and diseases, soil conservation, and care of animals. **Please note:** There is some overlap between series.

Within each series, publications are arranged in chronological order with undated materials at the end.

Description of Subordinate Components

Series I: Food, Cooking, and Nutrition

Unit Date 1917-1939

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Bibliography

Preservation of Vegetables by Fermentation and Salting Homemade Fruit Butters Making Fermented Pickles Making and Using Cottage Cheese in the Home Making Butter on the Farm Canning Fruits and Vegetables at Home Cooking Cured Pork Honey and Some of Its Uses Homemade Bread, Cake, and Pastry Cooking American Varieties of Rice

Unit Date 1940-1943

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Bibliography

Disease-Resistant Varieties of Vegetables for the Home Garden Home Canning of Fruits, Vegetables, and Meats Dried Fruits in Low Cost Meals United States. "Victory Food Special: Fresh Apples." Washington, D.C.: U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, 1942. How to Make Your Ironing Equipment Last Longer Apple Recipes United States. Fight Food Waste in the Home. Washington, D.C.: U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, 1942. (2 copies) Meat for Thrifty Meals Home Storage of Vegetables and Fruits Why Feed the Insects?: Protect the Dried Foods in Your Home School Lunch Recipes Fats in Wartime Meals Victory Gardens Vitamin Values of Foods in Terms of Common Measures Menu-Planning Guide for School Lunches Based on FDA Requirements for Type A and Type B Lunches

Unit Date 1944-1951

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Bibliography

Pickle and Relish Recipes Home Canning of Fruits and Vegetables: Points for Success United States. Home Freezers: Their Selection and Use. Miscellaneous Publication 687. Washington, D.C.: U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, 1949. Family Fare: Food Management and Recipes Pots and Pans for Your Kitchen Home Freezing of Fruits and Vegetables Freezing Combination Main Dishes

Unit Date 1955-1976

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Bibliography

Money-Saving Main Dishes Turkey on the Table the Year Round Pork in Your Meals Money-Saving Main Dishes Cheese in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Fruits in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Cereals and Pasta in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers USDA Yield Grades for Beef Lamb in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Apples in Appealing Ways Pork in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Making Pickles and Relishes at Home Fruits in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Money-Saving Main Dishes Eggs in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Milk in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Freezing Meat and Fish in the Home Favorite American Recipes: A Collection of Classics from Around the Country Calories and Weight Lamb in Family Meals Milk in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Vegetables in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Beef and Veal in Family Meals Baking for People with Food Allergies Pork in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Home Freezing of Fruits and Vegetables

Unit Date 1977-1985

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Making and Preserving Apple Cider Money-Saving Main Dishes Cereals and Pasta in Family Meals: A Guide for Consumers Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans. Eating for Better Health. How to Buy Economically: A Food Buyer's Guide Sodium: Think About It.... Making Food Dollars Count: Nutritious Meals at Low Cost Talking about Turkey: How to Buy, Store, Thaw, Stuff, and Prepare Your Holiday Bird. The Safe Food Book: Your Kitchen Guide. Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans.

Unit Date 1986-1999

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Bibliography

Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans: Eat a Variety of Foods. Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans: Maintain Desirable Weight. Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans: Avoid Too Much Fat, Saturate Fat, and Cholesterol. Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans: Eat Foods with Adequate Starch and Fiber. Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans: Avoid Too Much Sugar. Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans: Avoid Too Much Sodium. Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans: If You Drink Alcoholic Beverages, Do So In Moderation. Safe Food to Go--A Guide to Packing Lunches, Picknicking & Camping Out. Dietary Guidelines and Your Diet: Home Economics Teacher's Guide. Feeding Infants: A Guide for Use in the Child Care Food Program. A Planning Guide for Food Service in Child Care Centers. Nutrition and Your Health: Dietary Guidelines for Americans. Action Guide for Healthy Eating

Unit Date 2000-present

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Down Home Healthy Cookin'

Unit Date Undated

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A Word About Low-Sodium Diets. 'Can-venient' Ways with Shrimp A Planning Guide for Food Service in Child Care Centers Preparing Foods and Planning Menus Using Dietary Guidelines

Series II: Home Economics and Household Management

Unit Date 1920-1929

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Homemade Fireless Cookers and Their Use Stain Removal from Fabrics: Home Methods

Unit Date 1930-1939

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Bibliography

Simple Plumbing Repairs in the Home Methods and Equipment for Home Laundering Making Cellars Dry Consumers' Guide Washing, Cleaning, and Polishing Materials

Unit Date 1940-1949

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Bibliography

House Cleaning Management and Methods Slip Covers for Furniture Stain Removal from Fabrics Home Methods How to Make Your Ironing Equipment Last Longer ABC's of Mending Simple Plumbing Repairs in the Home Preventing and Removing Mildew: Home Methods Home Freezers: Their Selection and Use

Unit Date 1950-1959

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Bibliography

Detergents for Home Laundering United States. Automatic Clothes Dryers-Their Performance and Effect on Certain Fabric Properties. Home Economics Research Report No. 6. Washington: U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, October 1958.

Unit Date 1960-1969

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Bibliography

How to Prevent and Remove Mildew: Home Methods Sanitation in Home Laundering Simple Plumbing Repairs for the Home and Farmstead Washing Machines: Selection and Use Removing Stains from Fabrics: Home Methods Home Laundering: The Equipment and the Job Clean Windows, Mirrors, and Other Glass--For a Clean House A Clean Refrigerator-For a Clean House. When to Do House Cleaning Jobs Many Hands Make Housework Light Clean Clothes Closets-For a Clean House A Clean House is Important Clean Walls, Ceilings, and Woodwork-For a Clean House Clean Upholstered Furniture-For a Clean House Clean Beds--For a Clean House

Series III: Furnishings and Home Organization

Unit Date 1920-1929

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Floors and Floor Coverings

Unit Date 1930-1939

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You Can Make It for Camp and Cottage: Practical Uses for Secondhand Wooden Containers and Odd Pieces of Lumber : Report of the Subcommittee on Camp and Cottage Equipment of the National Committee on Wood Utilization : Sixteenth Report of a Series on the Marketing and Use of Lumber

Unit Date 1940-1949

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Bibliography

Closets and Storage Spaces Fireplaces and Chimneys Easy-to-Build Kitchen Cabinets for the Remodeled Farmhouse

Unit Date 1960-1969

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Bathrooms Planning Bathrooms for Today's Homes L-Shaped Kitchen Arrangements

Series IV: Farm and Garden

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Usefulness of Birds on the Farm Rockeries Sash Greenhouses

Unit Date 1940-1949

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Feeding, Care, and Management of Young Dairy Stock Electric Light for the Farmstead Disease-Resistant Varieties of Vegetables for the Home Garden Hotbeds and Coldframes Building Electrical Equipment for the Farm Conserving Soil and Moisture in Orchards and Vineyards A Vegetable Gardener's Handbook on

Insects and Diseases

Unit Date 1950-1959

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Preventing Storm Wind Damage to Farm Buildings

Unit Date 1960-1969

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Bibliography

Insects and Diseases of Vegetables in the Home Garden