Abstract
This article examines selected cookbooks that were published for the Canadian centennial year: the *Chatelaine Centennial Collection of Home-Tested Recipes, Food à la canadienne* by the federal Department of Agriculture’s consumer section, and Pierre and Janet Berton’s *Centennial Food Guide*. These cookbooks and the recipes they contain tell us a great deal about the performance of citizenship through cookery. This article asks: who are the food makers? Who are the eaters? Whose recipes are included, or excluded and, accordingly, validated or marginalized? The result is a highly selective vision of Canadian identity.

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