

Herald and News Homemakers Corner

This and That About Women
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"It's A Woman's World"



THE SKEPTICS SAID it wouldn't last but the doubters erred. Back in 1932 when jobs were pre-crash history two optimistic young women braved the cynical prophecies showered upon them and went to work in Klamath Falls as owners of their own business . . . years have come and gone, but "Hap" Lawler (left) and "Vi" Bonjorno still work amicably together as co-managers of the Merchants Credit Service . . . the very same business the pessimists said would blow up in a tornado of feminine frailties. Their business has grown to basin proportions . . . clients are business and professional men who depend upon these two careful checkers to steer them clear of customer credit instability . . . they help newcomers establish credit . . . they are keepers of the records . . . know who pays the butcher, the baker, the candlestick maker but never tell nor ask for your money . . . the slogan of their business is "Guard Your Credit As A Sacred Trust" . . . if the bogey-man of hard-luck catches up with you and the old paycheck won't stretch for a month or two, "Hap" and "Vi" are there to help iron out the kinks on the path to steady payments once more. "Hap" is Mrs. Vincent Lawler . . . "Vi" is Mrs. Peter Bonjorno. You'll find them at 200 Williams building, a capable team of credit researchers.

Christmas Home Decor To Charm Klamath Women

Four Klamath Falls homes of varying architectural designs will be opened to the public for the first time this year to display Christmas decorations.

Mrs. Hugh O'Connor is general chairman of a "Christmas Through the House Tour" sponsored by the Klamath Falls garden club, Thursday, December 6, from 2 to 5 p.m. Assisting Mrs. O'Connor in decorating will be Mrs. Scott McKendree and Mrs. H. S. Stone.

Decorations will be designed to give a holiday look to all parts of the homes. There will be wreaths, front door decor, dining room centerpieces, mantel arrangements, Christmas card display, and Christmas packages showing novel ideas in gift wrapping. Club members are hard at work on the project.

Featuring modern trends will be the contemporary home of Mrs. J. Frank Adams on Huron, where the kitchen is the hub of the home, and hospitality is the theme.

The family room of Mrs. Frederick Ehler's functional house, 1338 Pacific Terrace, will be decorated for an informal Christmas party. Here, wreaths and swags, constructed by Mrs. Fred Karlson's committee will be exhibited.

The dining room of Mrs. Harry

Fredericks, 632 North Second, will be the setting for a Christmas wedding breakfast. The living room of the Fredericks home will depict the religious theme.

Another tour highlight will be the traditional home of Mrs. Eric Majors, 129 Grant, where family heirlooms will set off to best advantage the conventional Yuletide red and green. The Majors home will serve as the refreshment center. Holiday goodies will consist of fruit cake, parsley butter sandwiches and mulled cider.

Committee chairmen include Mrs. Will Wood, who is club president, chairman of hostesses, Mrs. Eric Majors, chairman of refreshments, Mrs. E. L. Redman, guest book, Mrs. E. L. Mitchell, gift wrapping, Mrs. G. K. Cummings, card displays, Mrs. Ray Brownell, properties.

There is no charge for the tour but a silver donation will be welcomed at the refreshment center to cover expenses.

Avoid That Bulgy Look

Regardless of what silhouette fashion is currently advocating, it seems that the bulgy look is the one most frequently achieved by some women.

A lumpily-padded appearance, is reminiscent of the traditional Eskimo costume, does little to enhance you in the eyes of others. Since it's likely that you've gained such an effect in the past by accident rather than design, now's the time, with the onset of another winter season, to carefully consider means of keeping your outline smooth this year.

One major contributor to unfortunate results is the tendency of many women to pile bulky garment upon garment. Usually you achieve more weight than warmth by this method. If your personal system of chill-proofing is based upon layering, chances are you'll find a feather-weight wool jersey blouse is quite as effective beneath your suit as a heavy woolen sweater. Or you might discover it works quite well to top a long-sleeved

blouse with a soft, flexible knit garment instead of trying to cram an extra jacket beneath your topcoat.

Another mistake made by women who don't pause sufficiently often before their full-length mirrors is that of cramming full the

pockets of their winter coats and jackets. Bulky woolen mittens, bunched-up leather gloves, the inevitable supply of tissues for winter colds—all these can spoil the lines of the most skillfully-cut garment.

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