

Local Firms Plan Annual Home Show

The Third Annual Klamath Basin Home Show will be held Friday and Saturday, February 24 and 25, by local home supply and service firms at the Exhibit Building at the Klamath County Fairgrounds.

The showing is open to the public with no admission charge, and exhibits of a variety of materials, appliances and services that go to make up the modern home will be on display. Doors will be open from 12 noon to 10 p.m. both days.

Fred Ehlers of Swan Lake Moulding Co., in charge of the show, has made all the arrangements. It was announced that all 43 booths have been taken. The Camp Fire Girls will run a booth selling refreshments at the show.

There are so many new materials, techniques and home supplies of all kinds coming into the market today that it was felt it is well to assemble them each year to present them to the public.

Four door prizes, two each day, will be awarded to persons attending the day. The prizes will be a \$50 savings bond. It was emphasized that there will be no admission charge or obligation of any kind to the public.

Exhibitors include: Roberts Hardware, Long-Bell Lumber Co., East Side Electric, Home Lumber Co., Sears, Roebuck and Co., G. C. Motely, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co., Roper and Roper Paint, Klamath Valley Lumber Co., Uhlig's Electric, Peyton and Co., A & B Paint, Black and Decker, Arthur Window and Door Co., Drake Lumber Co. and Basin Building.

Valley Rental, Calhoun's Floor Coverings, Cascade Home Furnishings, Eastside Appliances, J. W. Kerns, Mel Howie, Ganongs Variety, Swan Lake Moulding, All-Type Roofing, Merit's, Lucas Furniture, Weyerhaeuser Timber Co., McCallum Lumber, Klamath Falls Brick and Tile, Northwestern Life Ins. Co., Leach Service Co., and K. C. Print.

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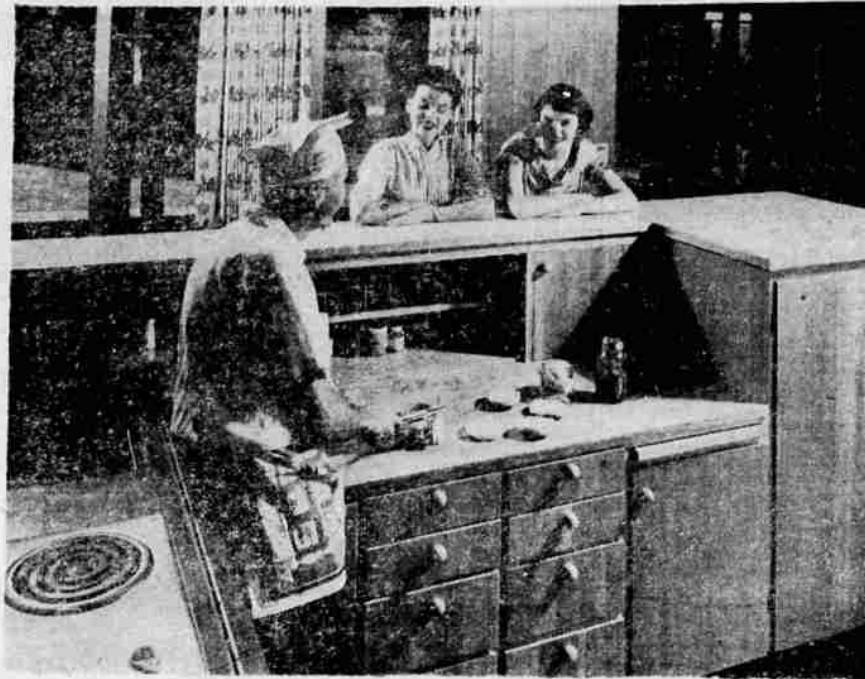
Because pine paneling is inexpensive, it often doesn't get the care in finishing that more expensive woods get.

Yet good, careful finishing of pine, says the Western Pine Association, will give the same bonus of beauty and long-lived satisfaction it does with other woods.

- Here are the steps to remember:
1. Sand with the grain, using a 60 sandpaper.
 2. Finish in a dust-free room. Rub each coat with 3-0 steel wool.
 3. Apply a good paste wax.

HOMES LEAD PARADE

The home construction industry employs more workers directly than any other industry. According to the United States Savings and Loan League, three million persons were engaged in the production of homes in the past year.



CHEF'S DREAM. COME TRUE — The old-fashioned kitchen work table has taken on new meaning in many modern kitchens. This streamlined butcher block-storage cupboard-snack bar of beautiful, wearable west coast hemlock is placed next to surface range unit and vegetable sink, where it is most useful. With such a compact unit, little extra kitchen cabinet space is necessary.

OSC Utilizes Camp Adair

OREGON STATE COLLEGE — Where thousands of soldiers a few years ago were learning the techniques of modern warfare, Oregon State College students in forestry, agriculture, and wildlife now are getting lessons in conservation.

Tracts of land involving 7200 acres on the former Camp Adair site nine miles north of Corvallis have been acquired by OSC or are being used by students.

The government closed Camp Adair in 1944. Following World War II, OSC maintained housing units there for married students.

The schools of forestry and agriculture acquired approximately 6200 acres of the land in 1948. About one-third of it is classified as agricultural land, the remainder as forest land.

Forestry students use the area as a vast training ground, receiving lessons in forest management and conservation. Forest research is going on constantly there, financed largely by income received from timber sales to loggers.

The agricultural experiment station has farming operations on its tract and is conducting several experimental studies. Cattle graze on the land during the summer.

Another tract of 1200 acres has been taken over by the state game commission which agreed to let students in the OSC department of fish and game management use it as an outdoor laboratory.

As part of the agreement with the commission, wildlife students assist in wildlife surveys and take game bird counts.

Oregon Hog Prices Rise

Oregon farmers with extra labor and low-priced grain aren't likely to be disappointed if they get started in hogs this year, thinks M. D. Thomas, agricultural economist at Oregon State College.

Oregon hog prices — while far from good this winter — have been the highest in the nation, Thomas explains. And barley prices in Oregon are now as low as feed grains in many hog-producing states.

There's also a good market for hogs in Oregon. Two-thirds of the state's pork supply is now shipped in from the Midwest. This added transportation cost keeps Oregon hog prices up, and puts Oregon hog raisers in a good position to compete with their Midwestern cousins, the economist points out.

Hog markets strengthened in late January, but Thomas believes this is likely to be followed by another slump in prices in March and April. Slaughter hogs from last fall's big pig crop will be coming in during these months.

In general, though, hog prices have been low long enough to check the rise in number of pigs raised the last several years. Thomas reports that a recent nationwide survey revealed that farmer estimates for the spring pig crop this year are 2 per cent smaller than the large pig crop saved last spring. And there's a good chance that next fall's pig crop will be down even more.

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