

Ladies Have You Heard?

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ABOUT GATHERING WOOD
Remember the cold months of winter? In a few months they will be here again. If you are adding wood to your heating energy for the coming winter, it's time to start thinking about it. You can, of course, buy wood and have it delivered ready to use. But if you look around, you can find other sources too.

"Elm trees killed by Dutch Elm disease make good firewood," says Walter Johnson, Extension forest resource specialist at The Pennsylvania State University. But remember to use them the first winter or before the spring following the tree's death. This prevents the disease-carrying beetles from emerging and infecting healthy trees.

You may also be able to get firewood from dumps and landfills, but be sure you have the approval of the landfill authority. As much as 30 percent of the debris in some town and city landfills consists of

reusable wood fibers, including the logs, limbs and tops of trees topped by storms.

You can also get industrial wood scraps. Sawmills accumulate scrap materials such as slabs, trim and edging in their millyards. Lumber companies often offer these materials as firewood at minimal cost.

Another source of firewood may be the power companies. They offer the logs, limbs and tree tops that result from their maintenance efforts. Firewood may also be available from the National forests — but check with your nearest Forest Service District Ranger for more information. State foresters, county extension agents, and county and city foresters are all sources of information on local firewood.

HOW TO FIND SPACE FOR AN EXTRA BATHROOM
With higher than ever interest rates making houses as hard to sell as they are to buy, remodeling is the one way that families can make their existing homes meet their current needs.

Top on the list of remodeling priorities for many families who

need more space is an additional bathroom. Even an extra half bath can speed the process of getting family members off to school or work in the morning. The big question, however, is where to fit that bath into the existing structure.

With new designs in lavatories, shower stalls, tubs and basins, it is possible to install a second bath even in limited or awkwardly shaped space.

Areas to consider for remodeling include a portion of a utility room or basement, a large closet, pantry, a section of the garage, a corner of the family room, or even under a staircase.

For the most economic installation, an area with plumbing already in place or nearby is a good choice. Shop around for fixtures. A compact bathroom can be as attractive as it is practical. An don't forget to include some storage space.

Consider privacy — both visual and sound — before you go ahead and settle on a location for your extra bathroom.

If you can't find space for a

Rohrers take sheep to NAILE

LOUISVILLE, Ky. — Gerald & Barbara Rohrer of Quarryville, PA will be exhibitors at the 1981 North American International Livestock Exposition, according to Harold Workman, Manager of the Expo. Workman said the Rohrers' have entered nine head of sheep for competition at the North American International, an event which will take place during November 7-21 in Louisville, Kentucky. The NAILE will be held at the Kentucky Fair and Exposition Center.

The North American International Livestock Exposition is entering its eighth consecutive year this season, and those who compete will vie for \$300,000 in

total premiums and awards, an increase of \$75,000 over previous years. Beef cattle, dairy cattle, swine, Quarter Horses, and sheep will be shown during the two-week Exposition, and Manager Workman said entries this year promise to break the show record at 12,500 or more.

Livestock activities this year will include: 5 major Dairy shows; 3 National Beef shows and open shows for 13 other Beef breeds; 5 National Sheep shows and open shows for 6 other Sheep breeds; AQHA, NCHA and NRHA approved Quarter Horse events and Open Quarter Horse Show; a Purebred Swine show and Market Hog show; Junior Steer show; Feeder Calf Show and Sale; Junior Market Lamb show; and 25 major sales for all species.

second bath, it is possible to remodel an existing bath and compartmentalize a bath.

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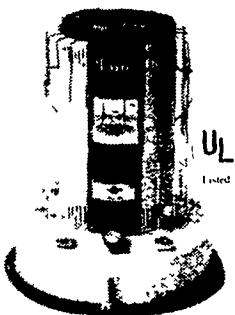
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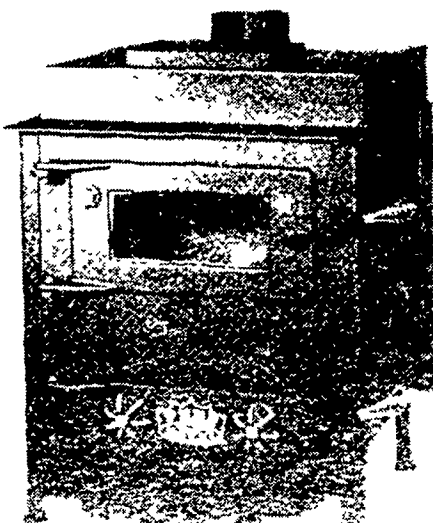
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