

Portable Appliance Center Saves Time

Kitchens are for cooking; they're also the heart of the home for meal planning, eating and efficient food preparation. Whether you're a home owner or an apartment dweller, you can rearrange work areas for maximum function and convenience. Study your present work centers and project your needs. This need not cost anything if you don't anticipate structural changes.

Home economists suggest starting efficiency improvement by placing small portable appliances within easy reach. Once in sight, you'll employ them as work savers throughout the day. Many will go to the dining table for informal service.

Before charting a change in present kitchen counter space, make an inventory of basic portable electrics needed . . . plan to work with these food preparation appliances whether you plan to remodel your kitchen or simply work with the counter and cabinet space you already have.

Use a measuring tape wisely. If new cabinets and counters are to be installed, measure the height and width of each small appliance. Tell the workman about the way in which you plan to display the appliances under the wall cabinets. Draw a rough sketch of the sink area making sure that you designate a place for the blender, toaster, coffee maker and so on.

If the wall cabinets you now have are no lower than 15 inches above the counter, this will be ample room for the mixer and other equipment to be used on the counter. However, installation of

new cabinets requires careful measuring to insure that they are no lower than 15 inches over the counter. Remember, appliances vary in size. For example, home economists in the General Electric Housewares test kitchens found their blender easy to store since it is only 10 1/4" high. So, if the blender you already own is inches higher, as are several designs, be sure that the new wall cabinets will accommodate the height.

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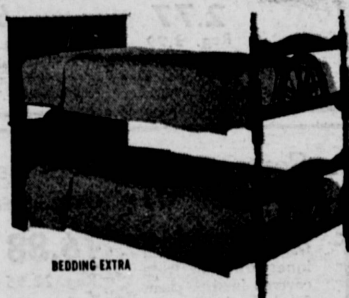
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