

Forest Grove Historic Resource



2224 17TH AVENUE - Fisher House

Description:

This is a small, post-World War II single-story residence. Each side dominated by exterior back of fireplace and chimney. Windows are multi-pane. Complex roof with hip roof arising from the side of a second hip roof.

History:

The Fisher House at 2224 17th Avenue was constructed around 1940 for Ray D. and Helen M. Fisher, husband and wife. The Fishers bought this property from James T. and Della W. Benoit, who owned the adjoining property to the east (2228 17th Avenue). The Fishers resided in the house for more than twenty years, into the early 1960s. By the mid-1960s, they had moved out, and Forrest and Deanna Allen lived at this address. Helen M. Fisher Lee and her new husband, Harold A. Lee, sold this property in 1966 to Elmer R. and Margaret I. Boggs, who moved into the house soon afterward (Hillsboro, Forest Grove, West Washington County Directory, 1952; Forest Grove, Oregon, City Directory, 1960, 1964, and 1968).