



# ANTIQUES ROADSHOW

DISCOVERING AMERICA'S HIDDEN TREASURES.

## The Willamette Heritage Center *at The Mill* Announces Antiques Roadshow Afternoon Shoot on June 4

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**WHAT:** Antiques Roadshow - What Every Collector Should Know about WWI Uniforms  
**WHEN:** June 4, 2011. **Press requested to arrive at 4:00 pm**  
**WHERE:** Willamette Heritage at the Mill, 1313 Mill Street SE, Salem, OR 97301

Antiques Roadshow will be filming an Appraisal Event on Saturday, June 4 at the Lane Events Center in Eugene, OR. **The Willamette Heritage Center at The Mill** is one of three additional locations in and around the Willamette Valley that Antiques Roadshow has selected to film for a future episode.

Host Mark L. Walberg and appraiser Jeffrey Schrader will be at WHC to film *What Every Collector Should Know about WWI Uniforms*. They will discuss the history and current values of World War I uniforms.

"We are thrilled that the WHC has the opportunity to host Antiques Roadshow here at our museum," said Peter Booth, executive director of the Willamette Heritage Center. "The Thomas Kay Woolen Mill was part of a key wartime industry since securing and maintaining the supply of woolen fabrics for the military was critical to the war efforts during both World Wars. Given this, we feel it is wonderful that they have selected our location to explore the historic value of World War I uniforms."

The three Eugene ROADSHOW episodes recorded this June will air on OPB sometime between January and June, 2012 (Broadcast schedule TBA in September 2011).

For additional information about the Antique Roadshow Appraisal Event in Eugene, press contacts are Judy Matthews, WGBH Boston, (w) 617-300-5343, (c) 617-515-2521, [judy\\_matthews@wgbh.org](mailto:judy_matthews@wgbh.org); and John Eliot Jordan, WGBH Boston, (w) 617-300-5346, (c) 339-793-0329, [john\\_eliot\\_jordan@wgbh.org](mailto:john_eliot_jordan@wgbh.org)

Invited press to the June 4 shoot at WHC are requested to RSVP to Peter Booth, 503-585-7012, [PeterB@missionmill.org](mailto:PeterB@missionmill.org)

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The Willamette Heritage Center at The Mill, a unification between Mission Mill Museum and Marion County Historical Society, is a stroll through the history of the Willamette Valley. Its 5-acre campus is home to the 1841 Jason Lee house (arguably the oldest wooden framed house in Oregon), 1841 Willamette Mission Parsonage, 1847 John Boon home, 1858 Pleasant Grove Church and the 1896 Thomas Kay Woolen Mill, named an *American Treasure* by the National Park Service. Since its founding in 1964 as a private non-profit association, Mission Mill Museum has established a reputation as a leader in the preservation and interpretation of Oregon's history. The museum's histories are shared with visitors through daily and group tours, speakers, living history, children's programs, hands-on activities, special events, the museum store and rental facilities. For more information call 503-585-7012 or visit <http://www.missionmill.org>.

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