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"The basic cabinet inspired this working-farm vignette. Wood counters, old-fashioned lights and an apron sink enhance the feel. You just want to go in and bake!"

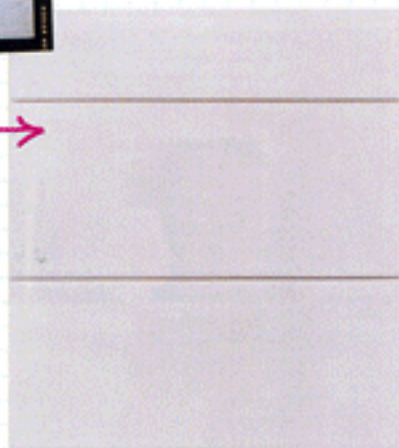


Jason Bell,
J.D. Bell, Inc.

the cabinet →

Shenandoah
Cabinetry
"Charleston"

Bell liked the line's proportions and simple door fronts, but not its beadboard top cabinets. Skipping uppers altogether, he opted for a drawers-plus-open-shelves plan. \$124/LINEAR FOOT, LOWES.COM FOR STORES



backsplash

In a herringbone pattern, standard subway tile takes a graphic turn. Bell says the arrangement accentuates the wall's height. 3" x 6" \$12/SQUARE FOOT, PRATTANDLARSON.COM FOR STORES



faucet

This tap has a turned-lathe charm, and the wall mount evokes a farmhouse spigot. 12" oil-rubbed bronze "Opulence" FROM \$794 DANZE.COM FOR STORES



hardware

Hand-forged pulls with an oil-rubbed-bronze finish telegraph "country kitchen." 10" "Distich" \$17.50 EACH, RESTORATIONHARDWARE.COM



countertop

Butcher-block surfaces are great for rolling dough, and the natural wood harmonizes with the room's soft colors. John Boos and Company 25" x 109" hard rock maple \$528 BUTCHERBLOCKCO.COM

the concept

lighting

The pendant's counterweight moves it up and down, allowing for focused or broader illumination as needed. Ceramic "Rise & Fall" \$325 MARSTON-AND-LANGINGER.COM



woodwork

Bracketed shelves and plain table legs—in an ocean-y green prompted by the light fixtures—keep things spare. Brackets \$24.99 EACH, 29" tapered legs FROM \$17.99 EACH, VANDYKES.COM Paint in Mountain View #583, BENJAMINMOORE.COM FOR STORES



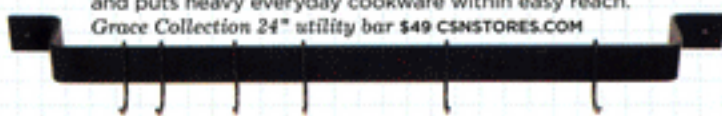
sink

Bell invested in this handmade apron-front basin to foster the kitchen's timeworn aura. Ceramic "Farmhouse" \$1,200 WATERWORKS (800) 899-6757



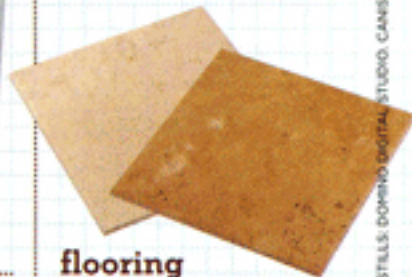
pot rack

This inexpensive metal support is appropriately rustic and puts heavy everyday cookware within easy reach. Grace Collection 24" utility bar \$49 CSNSTORES.COM



flooring

Bell upgraded the common linoleum checkerboard pattern with two shades of Italian stone. Travertine in Paglierino \$19.50/SQUARE FOOT, and Noce \$21.50/SQUARE FOOT, ARTISTIC TILE (877) 528-5401



refrigerator

At less than 5' tall, this energy-efficient appliance recalls a '50s icebox. #FAB28U \$1,999 SMEGUSA.COM FOR STORES

the result



Although this design seems most apt for historic houses, Bell notes that the straightforward cabinets easily adapt to different decors. "Change the mahogany clock to stainless steel, the hardware and faucet to something a little more polished, and you can put this kitchen anywhere," he says. CONTACT JASON BELL AT (212) 339-0006.

DISHWASHER "Double DishDrawer" \$999 fisherpaykel.com for stores STOOL (similar to shown) 18" unfinished wood \$49.99 target.com MIXER "Artisan" \$349.99 kitchenaid.com CUTTING BOARD Artisan \$72.95, MUGS \$10.95 and \$12.95 each, GREEN PLATES Jadeite \$24.95 each, PITCHER \$32.95 and LARGE BOWLS (top shelf) \$14.95 to \$39.95 each, all at fishseddy.com WINEGLASSES "Fabio" \$11 each, marston-and-langinger.com CELADON BOWLS 6" "Belmont" \$22 each, and 12" "Weathersfield" \$95 simonpearce.com CLOCK (similar to shown) 30" "Metropolis" \$129 cb2.com

