


The **TOBEY**
FURNITURE
Co. **CO.**



NEW FURNITURE
IN WEATHERED OAK

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INTRODUCTION

The New Furniture

The New Furniture is the result of a growing preference for simplicity in artistic things. In it, there is found none of the appearance of over-ornamentation or gaudy design, that is found in many styles of furniture which invariably have short-lived popularity, and which seldom appeal to the cultured taste.

The characteristics of this New Furniture are solidity of construction, severe simplicity in design, comfortable form and a peculiar richness of finish. There is an absence of ornament, but the lines are pleasing and harmonious in composition, giving an effect which never becomes wearisome to the eye.

The materials of which it is made are Oak, Ash and Mahogany, which have been thoroughly seasoned by natural processes. The finishes selected are those which best comport with the style of this furniture, and are obtained by durable stains which give the rich colorings that nature shows in the fields and forests. Among the favored ones are the "Weathered Oak," which gives the appearance of age that long exposure and weathering might impart; the "Fumed Oak," a beautiful "Gray Brown," "Moss-green Ash," which has the rich depth of color and rare beauty that suggests the fresh dark green of foliage, "Silicified Ash," (an exquisite bronze-green resembling the petrified woods from Arizona) and the "Old Mahogany." All of these are in wax finish which gives a beautiful dull sheen to the surface.

The coverings and bottoms of this desirable furniture are selected to accord with the materials and finish.

Many pieces have the old-fashioned rush bottoms—suggestive of comfortable simplicity—others are covered with "Spanish Leather," fastened on with large headed oxidized nails, presenting an appearance of characteristic elegance and dignity. "Antique Leather," "Roan Skin," "Golden Buck," and other durable, attractive upholsterings are used offering a variety to please any taste.

This "New Furniture" is suitable for various situations in the house. It is restful, inviting, elegant and durable. Each piece bears our special trade-mark here shown—which is a guarantee of supreme merit in design, construction and finish.



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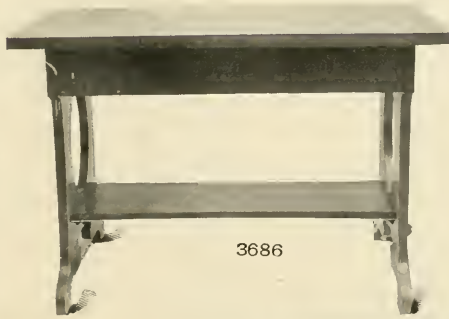


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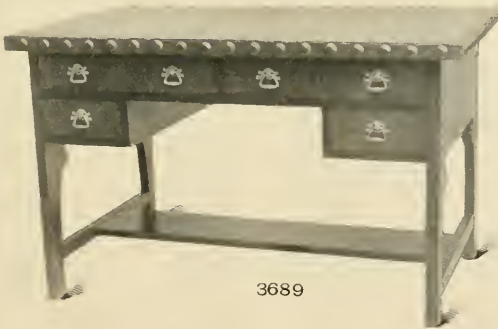
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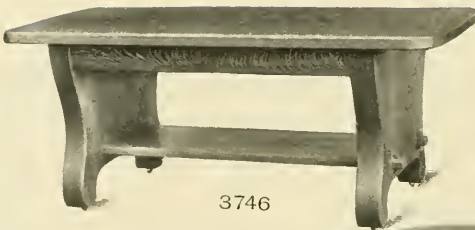


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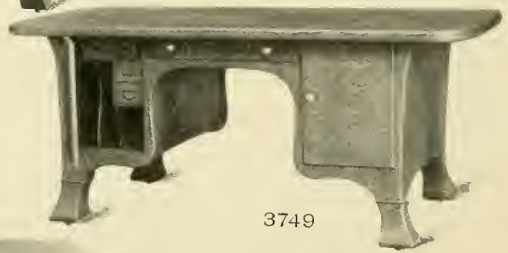
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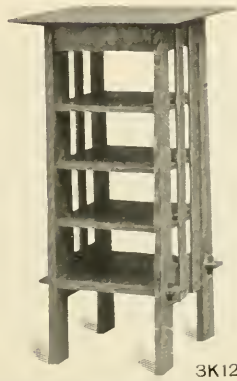


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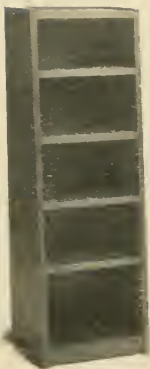
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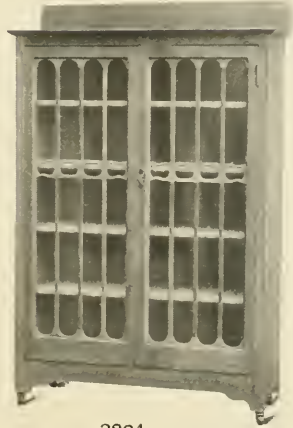


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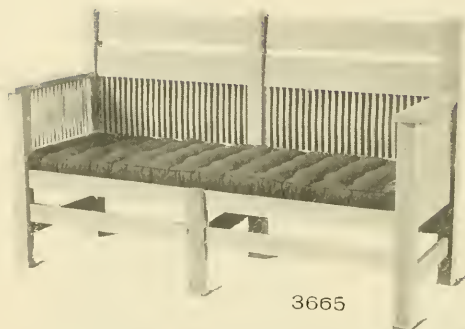


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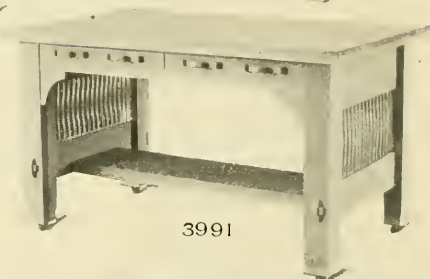
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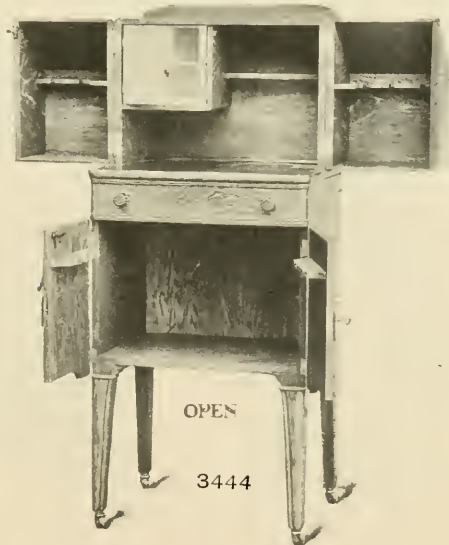
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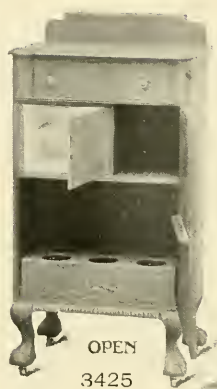


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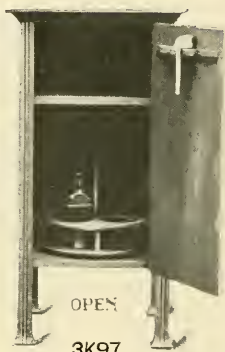


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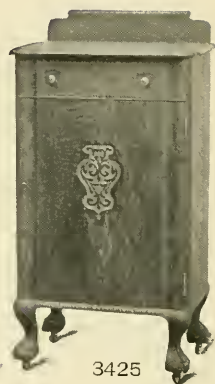
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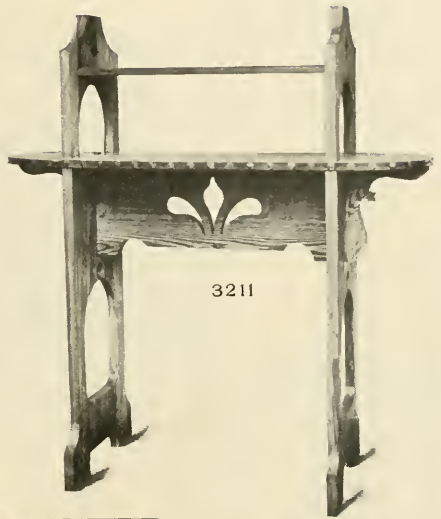


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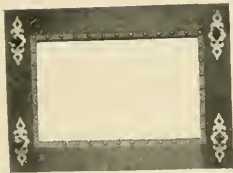
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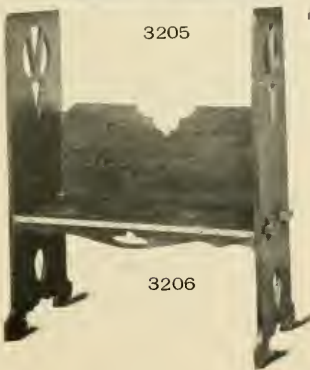
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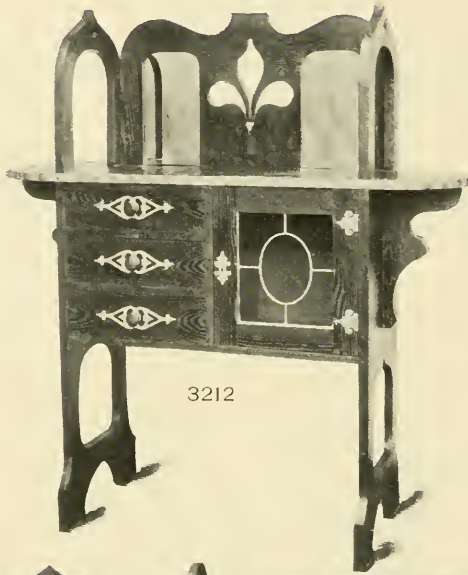


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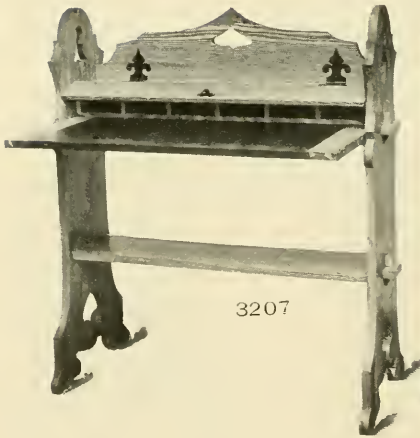


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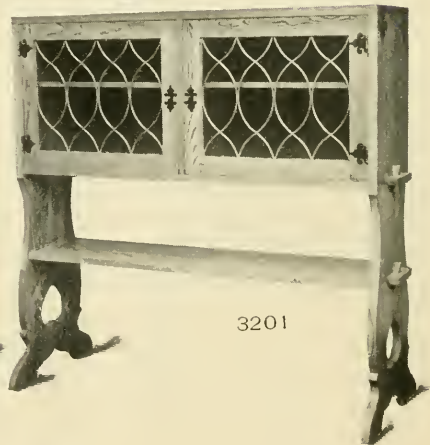
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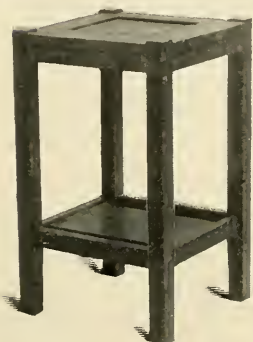
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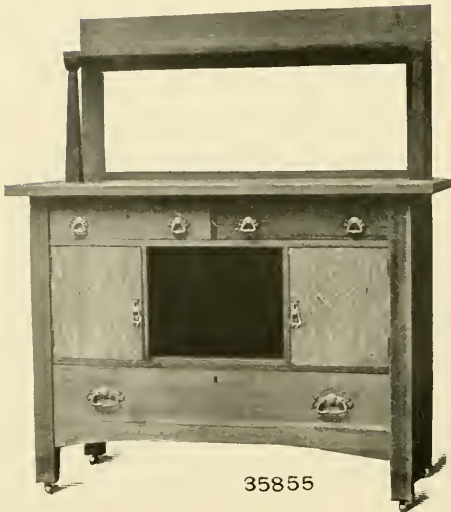
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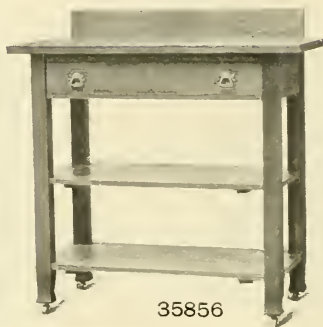


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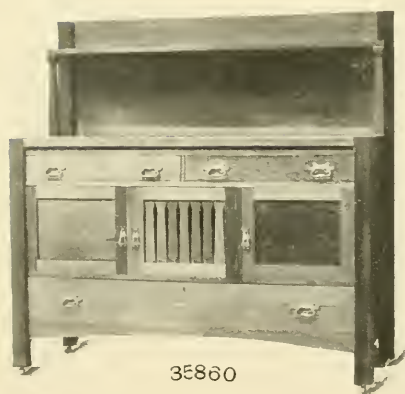
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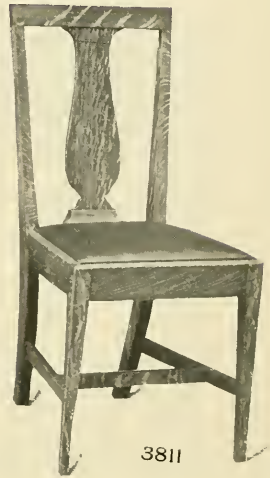
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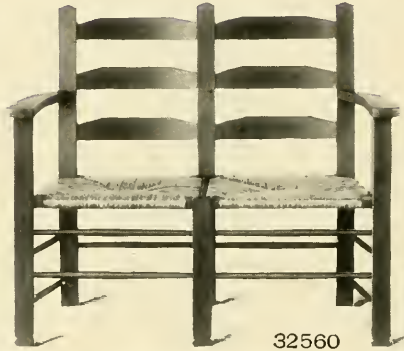


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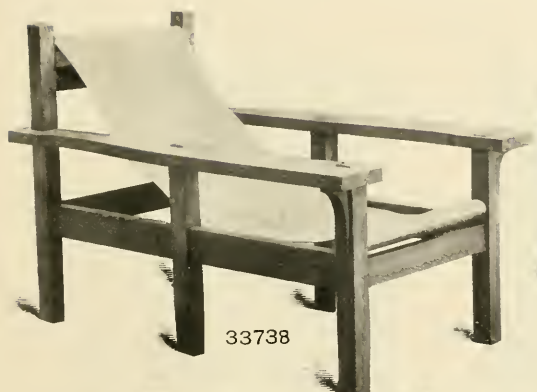


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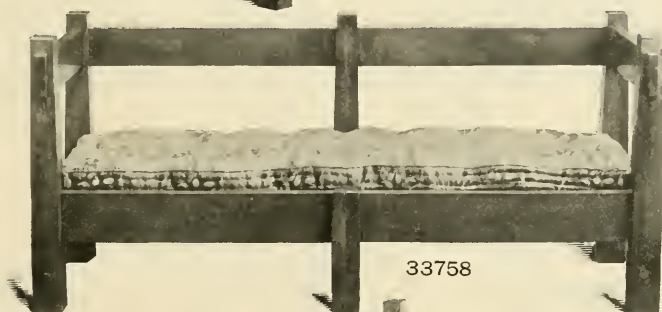
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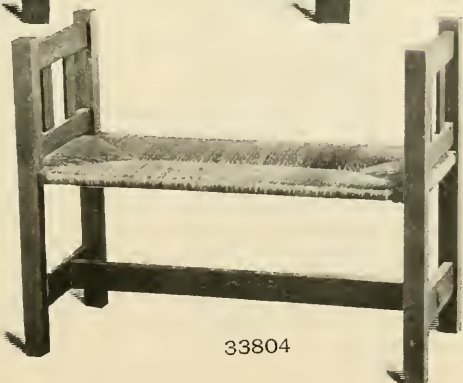
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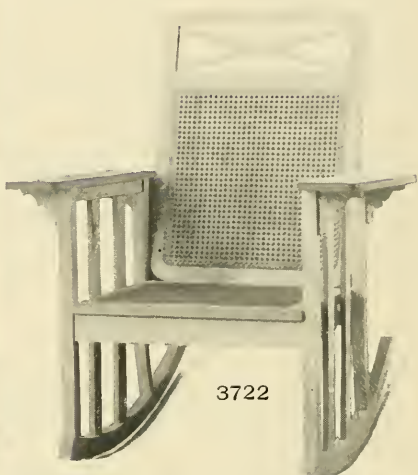


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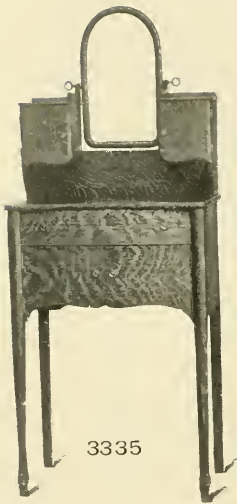


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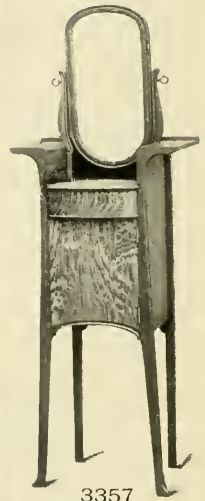
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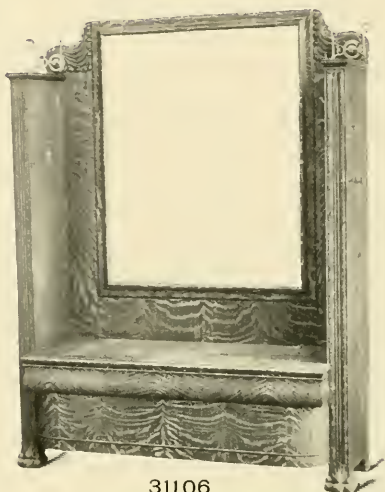


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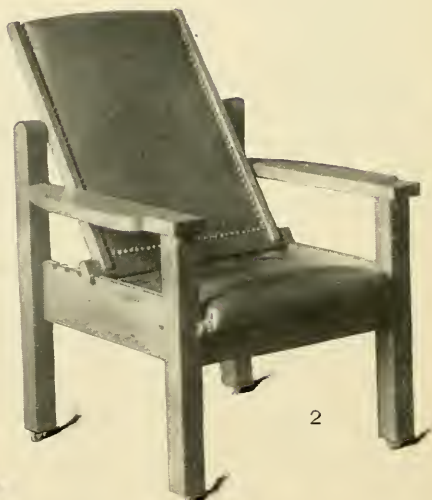


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THE TOBEY CHAIR

PATENT APPLIED FOR.

This unique chair is the result of forty-five years' experience in the investigation and design of every type of furniture. During this period we have made or sold about every kind of chair that has ever been on the market, and bring this new pattern to the attention of our patrons as possessing features common to none of the others.

The characteristics which make it a novelty are two movements giving an independent sliding seat and an adjustable reclining back, either of which can be arranged independent of any position of the other—and while the person is seated in the chair.

The back, instead of moving on a hinge, as in the Morris chair, is adjusted at the desired angle by simply being placed in position in a set of notches or ratchets at the side of the frame. This arrangement requires no hinges, rods, hooks or other metal work to be used, and exhibits a simplicity original and effective in character.

The seat slides easily to any position desired and is secured at will by a small brass catch.

These independent movements of the back and seat allow, therefore, any angle of inclination of the back to be had with different depths of the seat, thus accommodating either tall or short persons, and this is the first chair ever invented in which this advantage is presented.

The materials of which this very unique chair is made are the fine hard woods which enter into the construction of the Tobey Furniture Company's most favored pieces.

The finishes which we have selected are those which best comport with the style of the chair and which are

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durable as well as handsome. The weathered or very rusty oak, the fumed oak and the old mahogany, all in genuine wax finish, are shown in the most effective way in their application to this chair and present an appearance of extreme elegance and dignity.

The selection of upholsterings has been made to attain richness in effect and durability in wearing qualities. Various kinds of leathers and artistic tapestries, all of the best grades, have been chosen as the most suitable coverings. "Golden Buck," "Spanish Roan," and other leathers, each having special merits, offer a choice at a variety of prices, allowing both purse and purpose of the customer to be suited.

The tapestries used are private patterns from the best of English makers, chosen especially on account of their durability as well as for the appropriateness of their designs.

In the construction of this chair the use of complicated devices has been entirely avoided and simplicity is shown in every feature. This simplicity allows us to manufacture it from the best material and in the best manner in our own factory at a minimum of cost for the highest grade of stock and workmanship.

We are thus enabled to offer an article which we can sell at a medium price, but which bears the Tobey Stamp of Hand-Made Furniture and stands upon a par in quality, style, finish and durability with a class of much higher priced goods.



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CATALOGUE SHOWING MANY DESIGNS OF CHAIRS, READING COUCHES AND SETTEES WITH THIS DEVICE SENT ON APPLICATION.

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PRICE LIST

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NOTE.—The furniture shown in the catalogue is made in three woods—ash, oak and mahogany. The first named is figured white ash finished in Silicified, Moss Green, Tulip-red or Weathered finish. The oak goods are in stock in weathered finish and can be furnished if desired in the golden finish. Golden oak and mahogany can be had in either waxed or polished finish. Articles can be furnished *only* in the *woods* in which they are listed.

As all of the pieces shown are not always in stock ready for immediate shipment, we would suggest that those ordering kindly mention, if possible, a second choice which could be shipped if necessary.

All prices are strictly *net* and include careful packing and placing on board cars at Chicago.

No.		PAGE 3.	Ash Only.
3200	Chair	Wood seat	\$7.00
3200	"	Spanish leather	9.00
3210	Table	Wood top 60 x 42 in.	22.50
3209	Chest	30 in. wide, 31 in. high	18.00
3213	Cellaret	35 " " 40 " " top 22x16 in.	29.00
No.		PAGE 4.	Oak. Mahogany.
3680	Table	Top 24 x 24 in.	\$6.50
33716	"	" 18 x 18 "	6.00
33711	"	" 30 x 30 "	9.50
3678	"	" 28 x 28 "	5.00
3742	"	" 24 x 46 "	25.00 \$32.00
No.		PAGE 5.	Oak Only.
3686	Table	Wood top 26 x 42 in.	\$12.00
		Spanish leather top	27.00
3688	"	Wood top 28 x 44 in.	15.00
		Spanish leather top	30.00
3689	"	Wood top 28 x 46 in.	18.00
		Spanish leather top	33.00
3691	"	Wood top 40 x 40 in.	13.50
		Spanish Leather top	31.50
No.		PAGE 6.	Oak. Mahogany.
3687	Table	Wood top 30 x 48 in.	\$16.50
		Spanish leather top	31.50
3673	"	Wood top 28 x 42 in.	12.50
		Spanish leather top	27.50
		Wood top 30 x 48 in.	15.00
		Spanish leather top	30.00
		Wood top 32 x 60 in.	18.00
		Spanish leather top	40.00
3746	"	Top 32 x 54 in.	28.00
		" 36 x 60 "	36.00
		" 42 x 72 "	48.00
3749	"	" 36 x 70 "	65.00 \$75 00

No.		PAGE 7.	Oak.	Mahogany.
3K100	Work Table . . .	Top 14 x 14 in. 28 in. high	\$ 7.75	\$9.25
3K125	Magazine Stand . . .	" 16½ x 16½ " 33½ " "	7.50	
3L95	Reading Settee . . .	5ft. 2 in. long.	35.00	
3703	Magazine Stand . . .	Top 10 x 14 in. 43 in. high . . .	6.50	
3702	" " . . .	" 13 x 14 " 43 " " . . .	6 00	
3723	" " . . .	" 16 x 29 " 43 " " . . .	11.50	

No.		PAGE 8.	Oak.	Mahogany.
3738	Writing Table . . .	Top 27 x 42 in. (open) . . .	\$29.00	
3291	Desk . . .	47 in. high, 47 in. wide . . .	50.00	\$60.00
3283	" . . .	47 " " 42 " " . . .	32.00	
		Also made 36 " " . . .	30.00	
3M11	" . . .	42 in. high, 30 in. wide . . .	19.00	
3281	" . . .	40 " " 30 " " . . .	17.00	
32598	Chair . . .	Rush seat . . .	8.00	
		Spanish leather seat . . .	9.00	

No.		PAGE 9.	Oak.	Mahogany.
3104	Bookstand . . .		\$ 5.50	
3834	Bookcase . . .	55 in. high, 60 in. wide . . .	35.00	\$40.00
		also made with 2 doors 41 in wide	26.00	32.00
		" " " 1 " 28 " " . . .	21.00	25.00
3824	" . . .	52 in. high . . .	36 " " . . .	19.00 24.00
		also made . . .	47 " " . . .	22.50 28.00
3831	" . . .	51 in. high . . .	71 " " . . .	39.00 48.00
		also made . . .	61 " " . . .	36.00 42.00
		with 2 doors . . .	48 " " . . .	35.00 35.00
		" 2 " . . .	37 " " . . .	23.00 28.00
		" 1 " . . .	24 " " . . .	17.00 20.00
3838	" . . .	50 in. high . . .	57 " " . . .	45.00 55.00

No.		PAGE 10.	Oak Only.
3665	Settee . . .	5 ft. 4 in. long with special tapestry cushions . . .	\$39.00
3666	Chair . . .	2 ft. 6 in. wide with Spanish leather cushions . . .	22.50
3991	Table . . .	Top 32 x 52 in. . .	32.00
378	Bookcase . . .	5 ft. 3 in. high, 4 ft. wide . . .	45.00
377	Desk . . .	3 " 10 " " 3 " 2 in. wide . . .	45.00

No.		PAGE 11.	Oak.	Mahogany.
3448	Phonograph Cabinet . . .	36 in. high, 20 in. wide . . .	\$22.00	\$28.00
3441	Music Cabinet . . .	39 " " 22 " " . . .	12.50	16.50
3444	Drink " . . .	52 " " 23 " " . . .	36.00	42.00

No.		PAGE 12.	Oak Only.
3425	Drink Cabinet . . .	43 in. high, top 17 x 23 . . .	\$27.00
3424	" " . . .	31 " " " 22 x 22 . . .	17.00
396	" " . . .		8.50
3K97	" " . . .	34 in. high, top 18 x 18 . . .	11.50

No.		PAGE 13.	Ash Only.
3204	Table . . .	Spanish leather top, 36 x 24 . . .	\$19.50
3211	Serving Table . . .	" " " 58 in. high, 54 in. wide . . .	22.50
3203	Cabinet . . .	Spanish leather top, 16 x 16 in., 26 in. high . . .	22.50
3202	Magazine Cabinet . . .	45 in. high, top 10 x 8 in., base 20 x 18 in. . .	11.50
3205	Hall Glass . . .	Mirror 28 x 18 in. . .	16.50
3206	" Seat . . .	48 in. high, 38 in. wide . . .	16.50

No.		PAGE 14.	Ash Only.
3212	Buffet . . .	58 in. high, top 54 x 15 . . .	\$45.00
3207	Desk . . .	42 " " 38 in. wide . . .	22.50
3201	Bookcase . . .	51 " " 51 " " . . .	37.50

No.		PAGE 15.	Oak Only.
3123	Jardinière Stand	18 in. high, top 15 x 15	\$1.25
3125	" "	19 " " " 15 x 15	2.25
3137	" "	24 " " tile " 14 x 14	4.50
3138	" "	30 " " " " 14½ x 14½	5.25
3128	" "	19 " " " 16 x 16	3.00
3127	" "	19 " " " 14 x 14	2.75
3124	" "	18 " " " 15 x 15	2.00
3126	" "	18 " " " 16 x 16	2.50

No.		PAGE 16.	Oak Only.
3908	Buffet	40 in. high, 34 in. wide	\$14.50
3910	"	53 " " " 44 " "	30.00
35870	"	59 " " " 54 " "	59.00
35855	"	61 " " " 54 " "	65.00

No.		PAGE 17.	Oak.	Mahogany.
3894	Buffet	48 in. high, 66 in. wide	\$65.00	\$75.00
3900	"	55 " " " 57 " "	42.00	
3904	"	57 " " " 60 " "		
		Mirror 10 x 26	62.00	72.00
		also made with mirror back	72.00	82.00
3905	"	62 in. high, 64 in. wide mirror back	100.00	120.00

No.		PAGE 18.	Oak Only.
35856	Serving Table	40 in. high, 40 in. wide	\$20.00
35861	" "	40 " " 40 " "	20.00
35858	Table	Top 54 x 54, 10 ft. extension	42.00
35860	Sideboard	59 in. high, 60 in. wide	65.00
35862	China Cabinet	66 " " 44 " " wood back	55.00

No.		PAGE 19.	Oak Only.
35867	China Cabinet	68 in. high, 44 in wide, wood back	\$55.00
35868	Table	54 x 54 in., 10 ft. extension	45.00
35865	Sideboard	63 in. high, 60 in. wide, mirror 18 x 52	90.00
33734	Chair	Spanish leather seat	11.00
		Rush seat	10.00
33735	"	Spanish leather seat	15.00
		Rush seat	13.50

No.		PAGE 20.	Oak.	Mahogany.
3H52	Chair	Cane seat	\$ 3.25	\$5.00
		Plain leather seat	4.00	5.75
3H52½	"	Cane seat	6.00	9.50
		Plain leather seat	7.00	10.50
3811	Chair	" " "	6.50	8.75
3813	"	" " "	10.00	13.50
3821	"	" " "	11.00	13.50
		Spanish leather seat	14.00	16.50
3823	"	Plain leather seat	16.00	21.00
		Spanish leather seat	20.00	25.00

No.		PAGE 21.	Oak Only.
33712	Chair	Fine tapestry cushions	\$27.50
		Spanish leather " "	45.00
33765	Settee	Spanish leather	48.00
		Special tapestry	30.00
33763	Rocker	Spanish leather	30.00
		Special tapestry	19.50
		Arm chair to match, same prices.	
33812	Settee	Rush seat	24.00
33806	Arm Chair	" "	16.00

No.		PAGE 22.	Oak Only.
32560	Settee	Rush seat	\$19.50
32536	Dining Chair	" "	9.00
32506	Arm Chair	" "	12.00
32507	Arm Rocker	" "	12.00
32561	Rocker	" "	8.25
32558	Stool	" "	8.00

No.		PAGE 23.	Oak Only.
33732	Stool	Sole leather	\$8.00
33733	"	Spanish leather	10.50
33738	Siesta Chair	Sole leather	25.00
33804	Bench	Rush Seat	13.00
33758	Settee	Special tapestry cushion	41.00
		Spanish leather "	60.00

No.		PAGE 24.	Oak.	Mahogany.
33729	Rocker	Denim cushion	\$12.00	
		Golden buck leather	14.00	
33754	Arm Chair	Spanish leather	19.50	
3815 $\frac{1}{2}$	Desk "	Solid wood seat	4.25	\$6.25
3723	Chair	Cane Seat	6.00	
		{ Cane seat and back	12.00	
3722	Rocker	{ Arm chair to match	11.50	
		{ Settee 47 in. wide to match	19.50	

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33742	Arm Chair	Spanish leather	\$30.00	
		Special tapestry	22.00	
33727	Rocker	{ Spanish leather	25.00	\$31.00
		{ Special tapestry	18.00	26.00
		{ Arm chair to match, same prices		
33805	Seat	Rush seat	13.00	
3353	Morris Chair	Frame only	7.50	
		Pure hair filled cushions in various coverings at \$9.50, \$12.00, \$16.00 and \$18.75.		

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3602	Bedstead	{ Head 4 ft. 10 in. high, 4 ft. 6 in. wide,		
3603	Dresser	{ 42 in. wide, mirror 32x26,		
		{ For the 2 pieces	\$43.00	
3335	Shaving Stand	64 in. high, 23 in. wide	20.00	\$25.00
3357	" "	66 " " 27 " "	15.00	

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3130	Washstand	35 in. wide	\$ 8.00	\$ 8.50
3131	Dresser	46 " " mirror 24 x 30	27.00	28.00
3118	Bed	Head 5 ft. 6 in. high, 4 ft. 6 in. wide	21.00	22.00
31131	Chiffonier	34 in. wide, mirror 18 x 22	31.00	32.00
32131	Toilet Table	33 " " " 18 x 26	22.00	23.00

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3251	Hall Seat	40 in. wide	\$12.50	
31100	" Tree	42 " " 72 in. high, mirror 22 x 28	27.00	
31106	" "	56 in. wide, 72 in. high, mirror 34 x 42	80.00	\$90.00
31107	" "	35 in. wide, 71 in. high, mirror 20 x 28	29.00	

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31	Hall Clock	1 ft. 8 in. wide, 6 ft. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. high, American movement	\$55.00
33	" "	2 ft. 7 in. wide, 6 ft. 2 in. high, American movement	65.00
3656	Chair	Leather, hand painted decorations	22.50
3533	Screen	Leather, hand painted decorations, 5 ft. 3 in. x 5 ft. 7 in.	39.00

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3068	Tobey Chair	Covered in muslin	\$21.50	\$27.75
		" " corduroy	24.50	30.75
		" " plain leather	26.50	32.75
		" " haircloth	28.50	34.75
		" " embossed mohair plush	36.50	42.75



