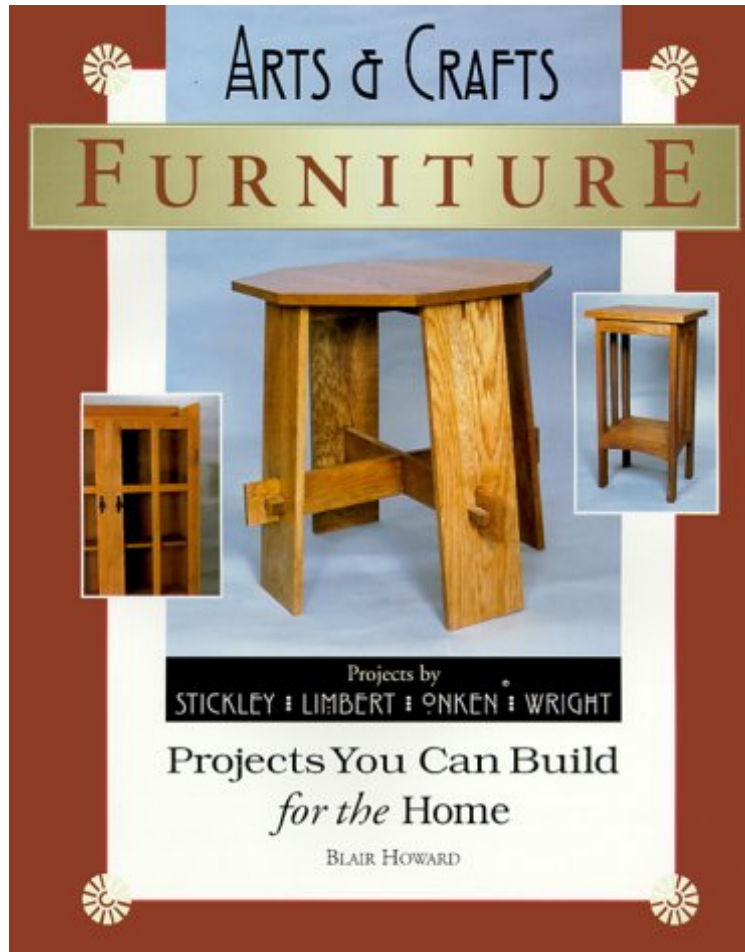


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Fifteen Craftsman-style furniture projects taken from the sketches of Stickley, Limbert, and Onken.

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