

Fiddleback Rocking Arm Chair

Medium

Maple, ash, and pine

Description

A rocking fiddleback arm chair with a shaped crest rail, the bottom edge of which curves into the splat. The latter, of vase shaped form, is attached at its base to a simple rectangular shoe. Turned rear posts fit into the left and right ends of the crest rail. Shaped arms end in flattened vertical scrolls, and are supported by baluster turnings. The arm supports are set back from the corner blocks of the seat, and are extended by thin dowel turnings running from the side seat lists to the upper side stretchers. The baluster turned front legs and simple rear stiles are fitted with a pair of curved rockers and braced with pairs of dowel turned front and side stretchers, and a single rear stretcher. The rocking chair retains its early, if not

original, woven splint seat.

Dimensions

41.25 × 25.63 × 15.5 in. (104.8 × 65.1 × 39.4 cm)