

MANN

EDGE TOOL

COMPANY



LEWISTOWN, PA., U. S. A.
MANUFACTURING QUALITY AXES SINCE 1843

REGISTERED BRANDS OF AXES, HAMMERS AND HATCHETS

"Knot Klipper"—Fully Warranted, Guarantee Tag with each Axe

SPECIAL FINISHES

Standard First Quality Grades

"XX," Polished, Fire Blued and Labeled
"Special," Smooth Jet Black, Deep Stamped
"Colonial," Blue Bevel, Polished and Labeled
"Bald Eagle," Polished, Bronzed or Painted
"Indian Chief," Polished, Red and Gold Finish
"Diamond," Polished, Bronzed or Painted
"True American," Gun Metal Finish, Labeled or Deep Stamped
"Metco," Painted Red, Blue Bevel
"Quick Cut," Painted Black, Orange Bevel
"Forged Steel," Natural Black Forge Finish

MINER'S AXES — 19", 20", 22", OR 26" HANDLES

"Indian Chief," Polished Blades, Painted Red
"True American," Gun Metal Finish
"Forged Steel," Rough Forged, Labeled

MAT-AXE (COMBINATION AXE AND MATTOCK)

True American Gun Metal Finish

BOY'S HANDLED AXES — WEIGHT 2¼ LB., 28" HANDLES

Special, Smooth Jet Black, Deep Stamped
"Diamond," Plain, Polished, Bronzed or Painted
"True American," Gun Metal, Deep Stamped
"Forged Steel," Natural Black Forge Finish

HOUSE OR BOAT HANDLED AXES — WEIGHT 2¼ LB., 19" HANDLES

Same as Boy's Axes listed in above brands

HUNTER'S HANDLED AXES — WEIGHTS 1¼ OR 1½ LBS., 14" OR 18" HANDLES

Same as Boy's Axes listed in above brands

FIREMEN'S AND PICK HEAD BUS HANDLED AXES

"Indian Chief," Pick Head, Polished and Painted Red, Red Handles

BOY'S CAMP AXES — WITH NAIL SLOT AND SHEATH — WEIGHT 1¼ LB.

"True American," Jet Black, Deep Stamped, Gold Filled
"True American," Gun Metal, Deep Stamped

CRUISER HANDLED AXES — WEIGHT 2¼ LB., 28" HANDLES

"Indian Chief," Polished, Red and Gold Finish
"True American," Gun Metal Finish, Deep Stamped

MAUL PATTERN (CONSTRUCTOR'S OR MINER'S AXE)

"True American," Gun Metal Finish, Deep Stamped

UNDER CUTTER (IN CONJUNCTION WITH POWER SAW FELLING)

"True American," Gun Metal Finish, Deep Stamped

HAMMERS

"True American," Nailing, Ripping, Machinist's, Blacksmith's
"Colonial," Full Polish, Nailing, Ripping, Machinist's
"Forged Steel," Nailing, Ripping, Machinist's, Blacksmith's

HATCHETS

"True American," No. 2 Half Hatchet, No. 1 Lathing Hatchet, Broad Hatchet, Carpenter Special
"Colonial," Full Polish, Half, Light Half, Underhill Lath, Haines Light Half
"Forged Steel," Rough Forged, No. 2 Half Hatchet, Broad Hatchet

INTRODUCTORY

THE MANN EDGE TOOL COMPANY presents its quality hammers, hatchets and axes. For over a century this Company has existed solely on its desire and ability to give our customers service and quality that they demand and have learned to expect from Mann Edge Tool Company brands. Our brands, "Knot Klipper," "Indian Chief" and "True American" were forged before 1847.

Although small, we have kept pace with our competitors in methods of forging, tempering and finishing our products. We proudly offer you the type of selective service that can not be expected or demanded from our large competitors. Because of our size, we are closer to and know more about your retailer and his customer's problems. The proof of this is our high quality warranted Knot Klipper Axe.

National Advertising would only take those valuable elements away from the quality of our personalized product. Our experience has shown that one successful sales effort on your part with this quality product will bring repeated demands. Space will not permit us to print the many appreciative letters from our ultimate users. We shall therefore continue our progressive way of giving quality and personalized service as we proudly live up to our historical background.

*"The Tool That Has Cut Its Way Into the
Hearts of Craftsmen the World Over"*

MANN EDGE TOOL CO.

Manufacturers and Distributors

LEWISTOWN PA., U. S. A.

MEN'S SINGLE AND DOUBLE BIT AXES

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KNOT KLIPPER

Hand Made, Natural Finish Fully Warranted against faulty Material or Manufacture. Unsurpassed in Quality. Mann's Patented Natural Baked Finish. Improved to Perfection after more than 100 years. Extra Grade Hickory Clear Lacquered All White Handle.



INDIAN CHIEF

Full Polished, Red Poll with Gold Trim. Labeled "Indian Chief." Fitted with First Quality White Hickory Handle. World Known for its Quality, Durability and Distinctive Eye-Appeal.



MEN'S SINGLE AND DOUBLE BIT AXES

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TRUE AMERICAN

A skilled axeman's axe. Natural Black Rust-Resisting Baked Finish. Comes Either Labeled or Deep Stamped. Fitted With First Quality White Hickory Handle. Designed to Meet Every Need of the Woodsman.



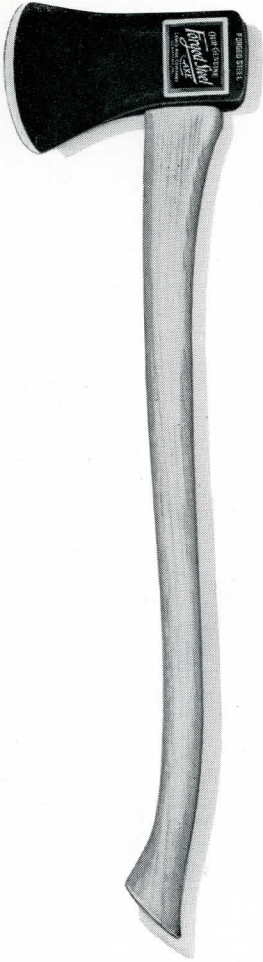
COLONIAL

Our Most Popular Southern Pattern. Fully Polished With Blue-Bevels. Axe is Attractively Labeled "Colonial". Fitted With First Quality White Hickory Handle.



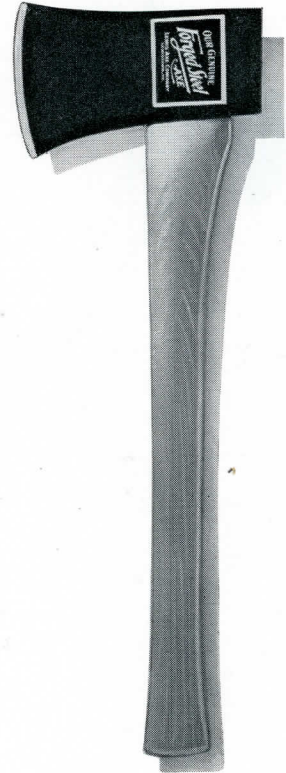
OTHER MEN'S AXES

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FORGED-STEEL

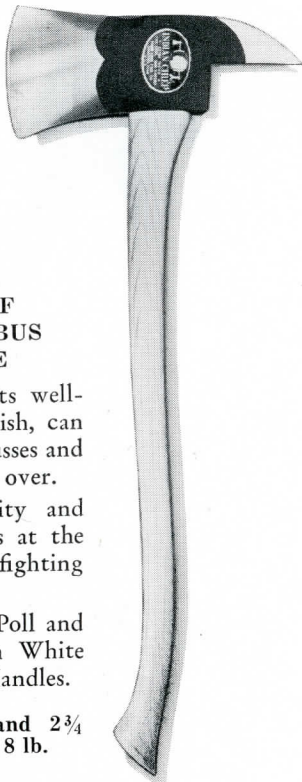
Natural Forged Finish. Rough Forged Poll Baked Black with Narrow Bright Edge. No Finer Axe for so low a price. Only Top Quality Steel Used. Furnished in Dayton, Michigan, Kentucky, Connecticut, Baltimore, Jersey, Single Bit, Patterns.



MINERS

Furnished in Our Indian Chief, True American, Forged Steel Finishes with 19, 20, 22, and 26" Handles.

For years Mann's Miners' Axes have been virtually alone in supplying this tool to the Coal Mining Industry. It has withstood every known test for Quality and Durability.



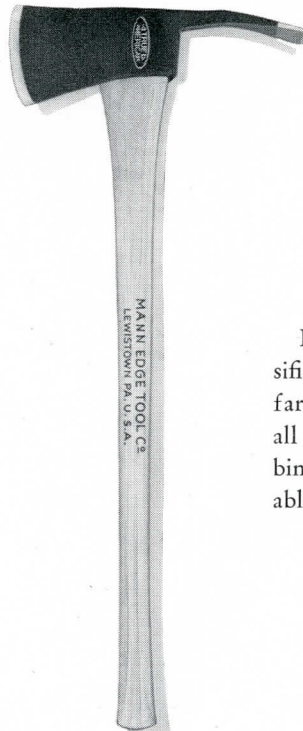
INDIAN CHIEF FIREMEN'S AND BUS PICKHEAD AXE

This Fire Axe with its well-known Indian-Chief Finish, can be seen in hotels, or on busses and fire-engines the country over.

Because of its Quality and Superior Finish it stands at the top of the list of fire fighting equipment.

Full Polish with Red Poll and Labeled. Handled with White or Red First Quality Handles.

Manufactured in 1½ and 2¾
(Bus Axe) 4½, 6 and 8 lb.
Fireman's



TRUE AMERICAN MAT-AXE

Having Many uses this Diversified Tool is now demanded by farmers who find it an excellent, all around farm tool. A combination Axe and Mattock capable of any assignment.

Manufactured in 3¾ lb.
weight only.

DEFECTIVE AXES

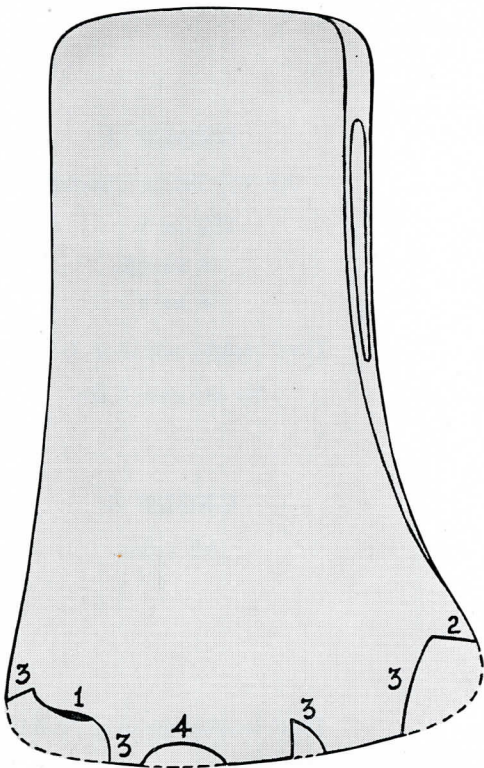
A DEFECTIVE AXE will break as shown left by Figures 1, 2, and 3, or IF SOFT the edge will bend.

Figure 4 represents SOUND BREAKS which are NO FAULT of the AXE or its MAKER. MISUSE of a GOOD Axe is the cause. DEALERS WILL ALLOW NO CLAIM UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCE FOR A BREAK OF THIS CHARACTER.

This break may often be avoided by warming the axe before using on a very cold day.

If an Axe breaks across or under the eye, and the side of the axe is battered or the head is severely battered, or the handle has been wedged with a heavy iron wedge, the axe is probably not defective.

AXES ARE NOT DESIGNED OR INTENDED TO BE USED AS MAULS OR WEDGES.

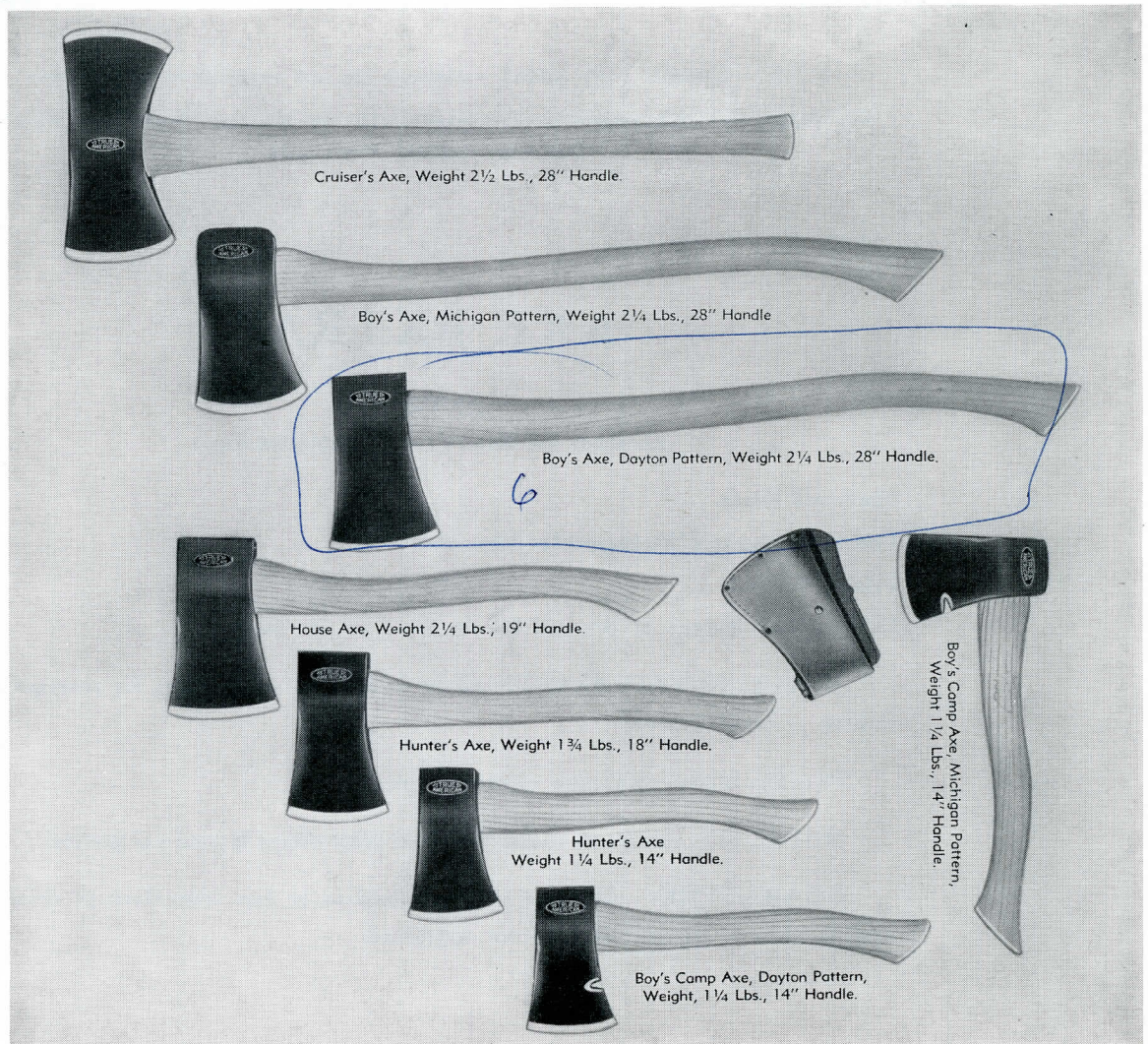


Mann's "True American" Light Weight Axes

MANN'S TRUE AMERICAN LIGHT WEIGHT AXES

Mann has here combined all the years of know-how to offer their public a complete assortment of Light Weight Axes. The Eye - Appeal of this patented Jet Black, Deep-Stamped, Gold Filled Axe is unmatched.

As in the years past Mann's will permit an Axe to be marketed only after severe test and inspection proves it worthy of the name "MANN."



STANDARD AXE LIST

Shown "EXTRAS" for Weights Heavier Than Base
REVISED 1947

BASE GROUP

All $2\frac{1}{2}$, 3, or $3\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. or assorted

$2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3

$2\frac{1}{2}$ to $3\frac{1}{2}$

3 to $3\frac{1}{2}$

3 to 4

Total weight not over 42 lbs.

No axe over 4 lbs.

GROUP 2

All 4 lbs. or assorted

3 to $4\frac{1}{2}$

$3\frac{1}{2}$ to 4

$3\frac{1}{2}$ to $4\frac{1}{2}$

Total weight not over 48 lbs.

No axe over $4\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.

GROUP 3

All $4\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. or assorted

$3\frac{1}{2}$ to 5

4 to $4\frac{1}{2}$

4 to 5

Total weight not over 54 lbs.

No axe over 5 lbs.

GROUP 4

All 5 lbs. or assorted

4 to 6

$4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5

$4\frac{1}{2}$ to 6

Total weight not over 60 lbs.

No axe over 6 lbs.

GROUP 5

5 to 6 lbs.

Total weight not over 72 lbs.

No axe over 6 lbs.

GROUP 6

All 6 lbs.

Total weight not over 72 lbs.

No axe over 6 lbs.

NOTE — Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) pound variations are not supplied in any pattern
For Additional Information on Increased Costs for Heavier Than Base Weights
See Our Current Price List

AXE EXTRAS

EXTRAS

for Costs see Mann's Latest Quotation Sheet

Hardened Heads.

Less than Standard Package—Per Item, Net.

Falling Pattern.

Full Polished Painted or Bronzed Heads, Blued or Jet Black.

JOBBER'S PRIVATE BRANDS will be furnished at same prices, for corresponding finishes, as herein quoted.

PRICES: subject to change without notice.

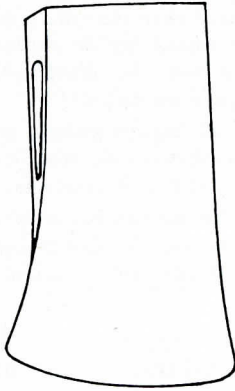
SHIPMENTS: subject to strikes, fires and other delays beyond our control.

GUARANTEE: All Axes are guaranteed to be free from flaws or defects in workmanship or material, but are not warranted.

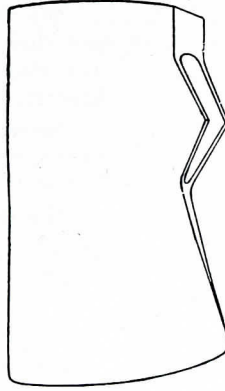
AXE PATTERNS



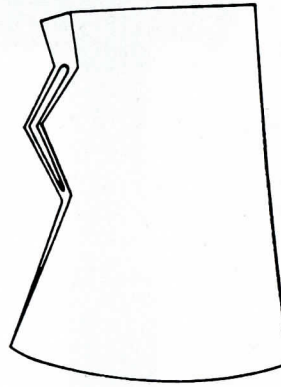
Michigan Pattern



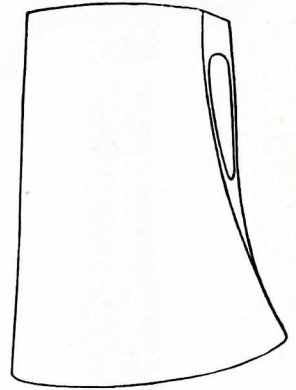
Dayton Pattern



Kentucky Pattern



Baltimore Jersey Pattern



Connecticut Pattern

LIST OF AXE PATTERNS AND WEIGHTS

SINGLE BIT

Beveled Shape

Pattern	Weights, Lbs.
Dayton (also known as Yankee and Maine) ..	3-3½-4-4½-5
Jersey (also known as Baltimore-Jersey and Carolina-Jersey)	3-3½-4-4½
Kentucky (also known as Southern-Kentucky) ...	3½-4-4½-5
Michigan	3-3½-4-4½

Plain Shape

Cedar	2½
Connecticut	3-3½-4
Dayton (also known as Yankee and Maine) ..	3-3½-4-4½-5
Dock, Hardened Heads (Dayton Pattern)	4-4½-5
Jersey (also known as Baltimore-Jersey and Carolina-Jersey)	3-3½-4-4½-5
Kentucky (also known as Southern-Kentucky) ...	3½-4-4½-5-6
Michigan	3-3½-4-4½
Rafting, Mauling	4 and 5

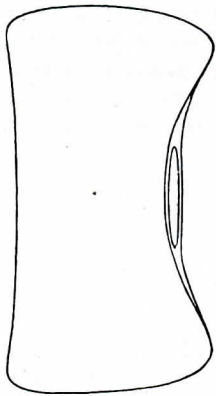
DOUBLE BIT

Beveled Shape

Pattern	Weights, Lbs.
Michigan (also known as Crown)	3-3½-4-4½
Western (also known as Pennsylvania)	3-3½-4-4½

Plain Shape

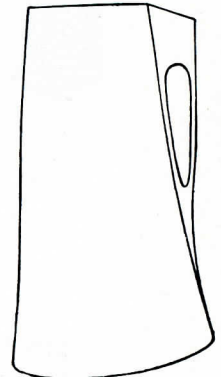
Cedar, Cruiser	2½
Falling	4-4½
Michigan (also known as Crown)	2½-3-3½-4-4½
Reversible (also known as Half-Peeling)	3½-4-4½
Swamping	3½-4-4½
Western (also known as Pennsylvania)	3-3½-4-4½-5
Humboldt (also known as Redwood)	4-4½
Fireman's Pick Head	4½-6
Pulaski Tool	3¾
Pickhead Bus Axe	2¾



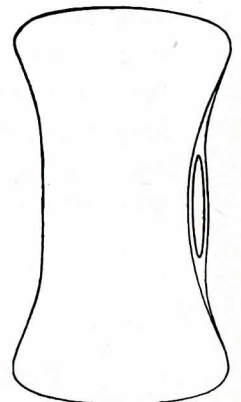
"Crown" or "Michigan" Pattern



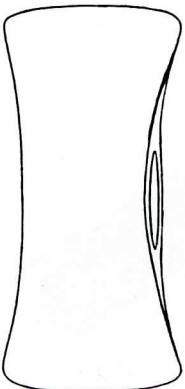
Falling D. B. Pattern



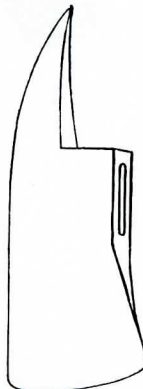
Rafting Pattern



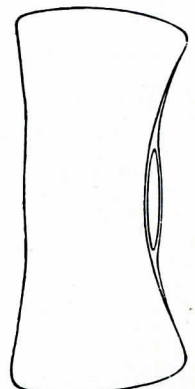
"Reversible" or "Half Peeler" Pattern D. B.



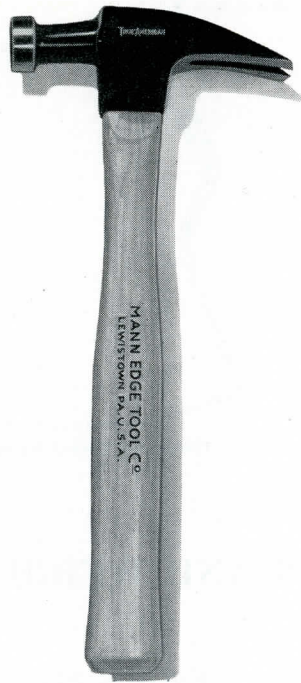
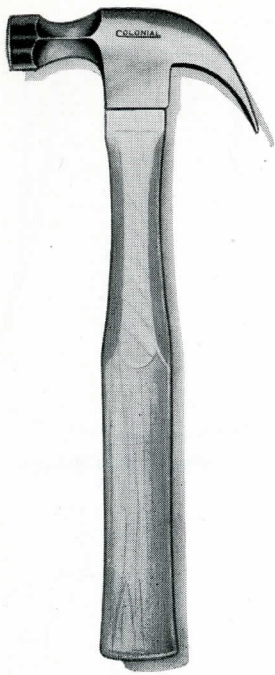
Swamping Pattern D. B.



Firemen's Pattern



Western or Pennsylvania Pattern



"Mann Broadens Its Century"

We were certain that the entire industry, our distributors and their dealers would highly approve the addition, to our 106 year old axe line, the allied tool line of hammers and hatchets shown on these pages.

Several years of experimenting with shapes and finishes have given us the answers we were looking for. A complete line of select tools that our customers demand.

We also feel that we can better serve you by concentrating our efforts on three exact finishes rather than on many. Mann's "True American" black and "Colonial" Polished Axes through

COLONIAL FULL POLISHED NAILING HAMMER

Full Polished Hex Neck, Round Poll and Bell. The Last Word in Fancy, Eye-Catching, Finish. Exact in Every Phase of Manufacture. Fitted With Best Quality, White Hickory, Oval Grip, Octogan Throat Handle.

TRUE AMERICAN RIPPING HAMMER

Finished same as "True American" Nailing Hammer, expertly designed, exact in weight to insure accurate driving blows. A perfect tool for the professional roofer or carpenter because of the tough claws with faultless split.

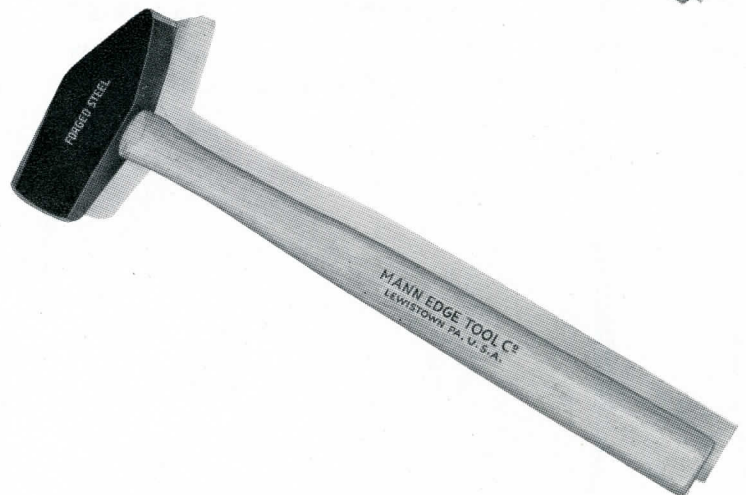
TRUE AMERICAN BALL PEIN HAMMER

Professionally manufactured from best grade hammer steel. Designed to withstand the heaviest blows. Pein is ground by only experts, to insure proper proportions. Face and Pein Polished, Bell Sides, and Octagons Baked Jet Black with True American Deep Stamp, Fitted with Best White Hickory Handle.



FORGED STEEL BLACKSMITH'S HAMMER

Intermediate Grade Blacksmith Hammer with the same Mann Quality, a fact which is packed with plenty of sales power. Head and Sides Ground and Coated Gun Metal Black Finish. An exact tool for exact blacksmiths. Fitted with select, White Hickory, Lacquered Handle.



Old Heritage of Quality"

the years have become well established. Therefore we felt it only right to give our customers names that would "make them feel at home."

"Colonial," "True American" and "Forged Steel" hammers and hatchets are manufactured with the same care and exactness that Mann's axes have been noted for in the past 106 years. Automatically controlled heating and tempering, together with stringent inspections from beginning of forging to the finished tool insures maximum quality none can question. For additional information on our complete line of patterns, finishes and prices see our latest quotation sheet.

TRUE AMERICAN NO. 2 HALF-HATCHET

Again True American tops the list in this popular No. 2 Half Hatchet. By far the most widely used hatchet. Expertly finished from best grade Hatchet Steel in our Jet Black, Rust Resisting Black. Head Highly Polished. Stamped and Gold Filled to retain the name *True American*.

"COLONIAL" FULL POLISHED CARPENTER'S SPECIAL HATCHET

A very superior heavy duty hatchet for the expert. Another outstanding product carrying this trade name. Fitted with 14", First Quality, White Hickory Handle, Oval Grip, Octagon Throat Handle.



TRUE AMERICAN LATHING HATCHET

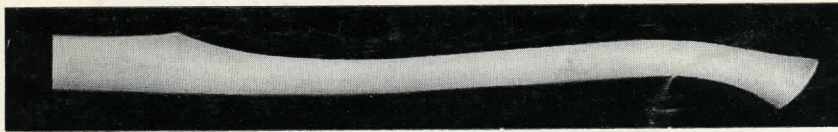
Good craftsmen and good tools are inseparable. Here again is this point verified, now that the Lathing Hatchet has so many uses. Furnished with Scored Head, Jet Black, Rustless Finish over a High Polish with True American Stamped in and Gold Filled. Fitted with 12" Best Quality, White Hickory Handle.



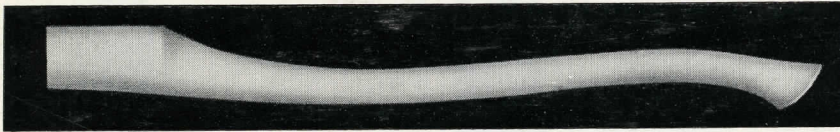
TRUE AMERICAN BROAD HATCHET

The most accurate Squaring Hatchet a skilled carpenter could ask for. Designed to aid the craftsman in producing that old or new look in timber more easily. Fitted with a 15" First Quality White Hickory Handle.

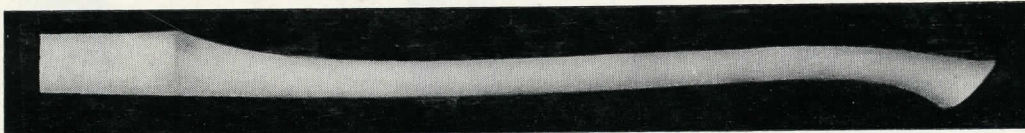
AXE HANDLES



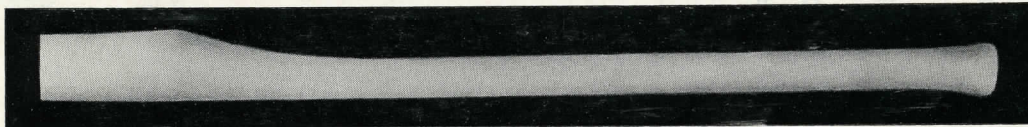
Single Bit, Oval
Lengths 28 to 32 Inches.
Pattern—Boys, Quarter,
Half, Three Quarter.



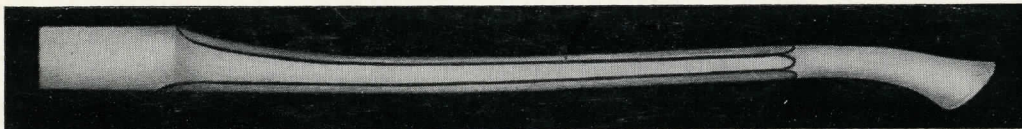
Single Bit, Oval, Lengths
28 to 32 Inches. Pattern—
New England Connecticut.



Single Bit, Oval, Lengths
28 to 42 Inches. Patterns—
Standard, Tool Makers.



Single Bit, Oval, Lengths
28 to 44 Inches. Patterns—
Straight, Standard, Tool
Makers.

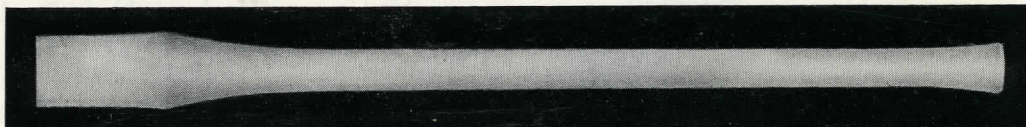


Single Bit, Octagon,
Lengths 28 to 42
Inches. Patterns—
Standard, Tool
Makers.

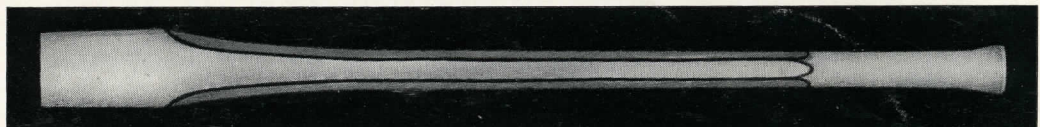
Single Bit, Oval,
Lengths 28 to 44
Inches. Patterns—
Standard, Lumber-
man's Straight.



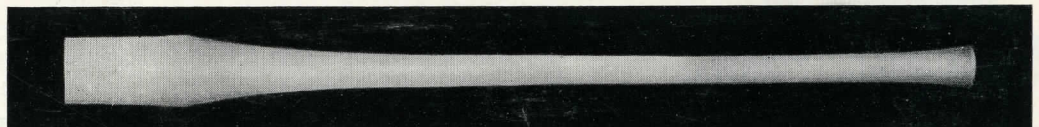
Double Bit, Oval,
Lengths 28 to 44 Inches.
Patterns—Standard,
Tool Makers.



Double Bit, Octagon,
Lengths 28 to 44 Inches.
Patterns—Standard,
Tool Makers.



Double Bit, Oval, Lengths
32 to 36 Inches. Patterns
Slim, Northern, Minnesota.



Double Bit, Oval, Lengths
28 to 32 Inches.
Pattern—Adirondack.

