

THE ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY LIMITED

(Toronto Store)

DEPARTMENT 401—FURNITURE

Examples of Price Spreads on Representative Larger Purchase Orders of Furniture in the Period from 1st January 1933 to 31st March 1934

Article				Invoices					Initial Unit Selling Price	Initial Mark-up	
				Date	Unit Cost					Amount	Percentage to Cost
Description	Manu- facturer's Number	Simpson's Order			Invoice Price	Sales Tax	Freight	Total Laid Down Cost	\$		
		Quantity	Value	\$						cts.	
Sewing Cabinets.....	25	38	293 60	10th Sept. 1933.	7 20	Incl.	0 13	7 33	14 75	7 42	101.23
Walnut Tea Wagon.....	422	150	2,550 00	2nd Dec. 1933.	17 00		0 86	18 26	31 75	13 49	73.88
Sewing Cabinets.....	28	35	141 75	10th Sept. 1933.	4 05	Incl.	0 13	4 18	7 25	3 07	73.44
5 pc. Bedroom Suite.....	1	6	564 00	29th June 1933.	94 00		5 64	0 23	99 87	173 00	73 23
3 pc. Bedroom Suites D.C.B.....	914	40	1,870 00	12th Sept. 1933.	46 75		2 80	1 55	51 10	88 50	73.18
9 pc. Dining Room Suite.....	902	50	3,239 50	14th Aug. 1933.	64 79		3 30	0 44	68 53	117 75	71.82
4 pc. Bedroom Suites.....	1	30	2,377 50	26th June 1933.	79 25		4 75	2 53	86 53	148 00	71.04
6 pc. Breakfast Set.....	322	100	1,500 00	8th July 1933.	15 00		0 90	1 70	17 60	29 75	69.03
4 pc. Bedroom Suites.....	2,140	50	4,375 00	2nd Jan. 1934.	87 50		5 31	2 08	94 89	158 00	66.51
5 pc. Breakfast Set.....	10	250	2,250 00	14th Aug. 1933.	9 00		0 46	0 74	10 20	16 95	66.18
4 pc. Bedroom Suite.....	320	45	1,800 00	5th June 1933.	40 00		2 40	1 36	43 76	71 85	64.19
3 pc. Bedroom Suite D.C.B.....	320	45	1,260 00	7th June 1933.	28 00		1 68	1 03	30 71	50 35	63.95
5 pc. Bedroom Suite Twin Beds.....	320	10	480 00	12th June 1933.	48 00		2 88	1 70	52 58	86 20	63.94
4 pc. Bedroom Suite.....	914	40	2,540 00	19th Aug. 1933.	64 00		3 84	2 20	70 04	114 75	63.83
Bookcases.....	4	100	1,000 00	5th Oct. 1933.	10 00		0 60	0 36	10 96	17 95	63.78
9 pc. Dining Room Suite.....	307	25	3,075 00	10th Oct. 1933.	123 00		6 27		129 27	210 75	63.03
3 pc. Bedroom Suite.....	18	38	2,109 00	21st Jan. 1933.	55 50		2 83	1 59	59 92	97 65	62.97
4 pc. Bedroom Suite.....	388	15	1,050 00	24th June 1933.	70 00		4 20	1 18	75 38	122 50	62.51
9 pc. Dining Room Suite.....	422	50	4,400 00	24th July 1933	88 00		5 28	1 68	94 96	154 00	62.17
				24th July 1933							
				31st July 1933							
4 pc. Bedroom Suite D.C.B.....	314	40	2,760 00	8th Aug. 1933.	69 00		4 14	1 92	75 06	121 65	62.07
Desks.....	1	100	1,700 00	6th June 1933.	17 00	Incl.		17 00	27 50	10 50	61.76
5 pc. Bedroom Suite Twin Beds.....	314	6	504 00	19th Aug. 1933.	84 00		5 04	2 40	91 44	147 80	61.64
9 pc. Dining Room Suite.....	901	50	2,850 00	15th July 1933.	57 00		2 91	0 38	60 29	97 45	61.64
4 pc. Bedroom Suite.....	18	52	3,874 00	21st Jan. 1933.	74 50		3 80	2 12	80 42	129 95	61.59
5 pc. Bedroom Suite Twin Beds.....	914	10	790 00	12th Sept. 1933.	79 00		4 74	2 59	86 33	139 50	61.59
3 pc. Bedroom Suite D.C.B.....	314	29	1,479 00	19th Aug. 1933.	51 00		3 06	1 44	55 50	89 65	61.53

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