

Chairs And Stools: Pre-1949 Carpenter Workshops In Beijing



TITLE

Image 1 Furniture shop, Peking

DATE

1920

CREATOR

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PUBLISHER

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DESCRIPTION

Photograph of a carpentry workshop in Beijing, in the decade following the 1911 Xinhai Revolution. The image shows the work of timber carpenters who customarily used both interior and exterior spaces around their smaller street-level workshops.



TITLE

Image 2 Peking furniture workshop

DATE

1930s-1940s

CREATOR

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PUBLISHER

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DESCRIPTION

This photograph shows a woman holding a baby who is observing a carpenter as he puts the finishing touches on what seems to be a side table.