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Guitars



- No. 30 Standard Size low priced Guitar, substantially constructed birch body. Back, sides and neck finished in light brown color, top is of natural finish. Hardwood neck; ebonized fingerboard, accurately fretted. Trapeze style tailpiece. This number is also obtainable in 3/4 or ladies' size...... Each \$ 7.00
- No. 31 Standard Size Guitar, walnut finish shaded from dark brown at edges to light orange in center of front and back. Black and silver ornamentation around soundhole. Crystaline finish fingerboard, shield shaped headpiece with patent heads mounted vertically. Nickelplated trapeze style tailpiece... Each \$ 7.00
- No. 34 Standard Size "Crystal" Guitar. New crystaline finish in assorted colors. It has attracted interest everywhere—a compelling attention-getter wherever displayed. Ebonized fingerboard and nut, trapeze style nickelplated tailpiece.
- No. 35 Fancy Designed standard size Guitar, red mahogany shaded all over, front decorated with attractive two color Hawaiian scene; fingerboard in crystaline imitation pearl to match. Green striped sound hole and top edge. Each \$ 8.70

Any Guitar may be Transformed into Hawaiian Style by Mounting Steel Nut









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- No. 45 "Artex" Genuine Mahogany Guitar, standard size. Plain design, hardwood neck, rounded edges, improved shape and finish. With black celluloid raised guardplate. This number is also available in \(^3\)4 or ladies' size... Each \\$ 11.00
- No. 47 "Harmony DeLuxe Vogue Guitar—model B." Grand Concert Orchestra model, the type so greatly in demand. Special body design permits full resonant sounding board, long scale fingerboard with 14 frets clear. Hardwood back and sides, spruce top, white celluloid binding, in deep brown finish with sunburst effect. Highly polished finish, with tortoise shell guardplate...Each \$ 13.50
- No. 48 Grand Concert Size Guitar, highly polished, dark mahogany finish. Hand rubbed. White celluloid top edge and soundhole; celluloid guardplate. Ring of fine marquetry inlaid around soundhole. Golden sunburst on center of top around bridge. Oval fingerboard bound with white celluloid. White bone nut. 7 position dots. 14 frets clear of body. Glued on bevelled pick guard.





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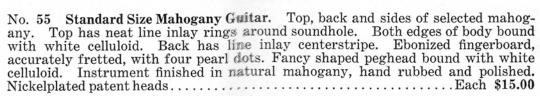






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No. 59 "Regal" Custom Built Guitar, concert size. Mahogany back and sides, fine spruce top, soundhole and top edge inlaid with black and white veneer lines and bound with black fibre, mahogany neck with rosewood veneered headpiece, ebonized fingerboard accurately fretted and adjusted; finished in natural mahogany, hand rubbed to dull satin finish. Fine instrument with excellent tone.... Each \$ 20.00

No. 61 Roy Smeck ("Wizard of the Strings") Grand Concert Professional Guitar, an improved model, with the famous Aero bridge. Beautifully figured mahogany back and sides, in dark shaded finish. Fine close grained shaded spruce top, inlaid and nicely toned to match. Heavy celluloid trimmed edges. Steel reinforced mahogany neck. White pearlette headpiece, hand engraved. Long scale, ovalled rosewood fingerboard, celluloid bound, neat inlaid position dots. Hand rubbed and polished finish. Carefully adjusted and regulated for ease of playing and full tone quality. Individual unit tuning keys...... Each \$ 30.00

No. 64 "Regal Superior" Custom Built Guitar, grand concert size. An exceptionally fine instrument with selected mahogany back and sides and the finest spruce top obtainable; neatly inlaid around soundhole and top with rings of black veneer, all edges bound with black fibre, fine mahogany neck, genuine ebony fingerboard and bridge, carefully adjusted for easy action, natural mahogany finish, hand rubbed



No. 30B3/4 Three-quarter (ladies' size) guitar, substantially constructed, birch body. Back, sides and neck finished in light brown color, top is of natural finish. Hardwood neck; ebonized fingerboard, accurately fretted; equipped with pin bridge

No. 453/4 Three-quarter (ladies' size) body, low priced mahogany guitar with hardwood neck. Plain design, rounded edges, improved shape and finish. With black celluloid raised guardplate......Each \$ 11.00



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Arched Guitars

No. 75 Artex Guitar, concert size, violin type arched top, shaded mahogany finish. Flat back. All edges are process striped in white. Regulation style neck, fingerboards accurately fretted. Improved tailpiece which increases the string pressure on the bridge Each \$ 12.00

No. 76 Artex Guitar in concert size. Violin type arched top and flat back, shaded mahogany finish. 2 attractively cut "F" holes. White process-striped edges; regulation style neck. Accurately fretted fingerboard; improved tailpiece... Each \$ 12.90

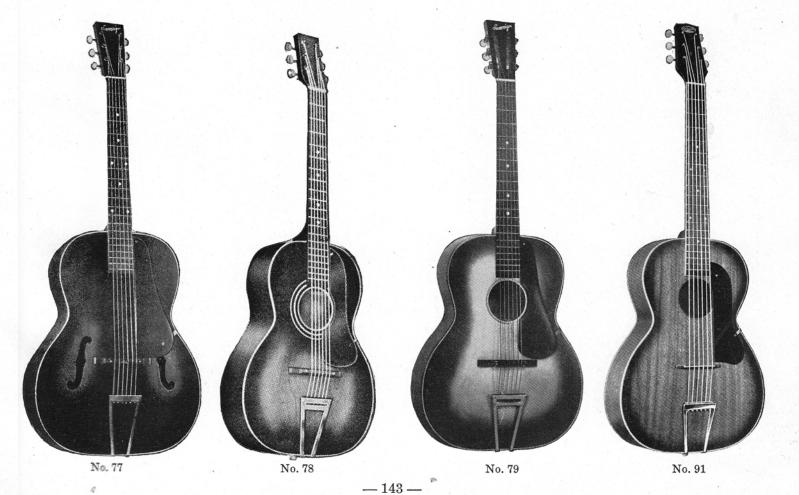
No. 77 Grand Concert Size Guitar. Arched top in reddish brown finish. Hand rubbed and polished. Top edge bound with white celluloid; 2 "F" holes. Raised polished guardplate. Rosewood bridge with bone insert. Fine nickelplated trapeze tailpiece; finest nickelplated machine heads. Celluloid heel at neck. An excellent

No. 78 Birchwood, Concert Size Guitar. Brown shaded whitewood neck with closed head, special shape. Bone nut. Front edge bound with white celluloid inlay. Soundhole inlaid with three white and black rings celluloid purflings. Arch top, sides, back and front shaded and polished. Heavy black fibre guardplate. Trapeze tailpiece. Adjustable rosewood bridge. White celluloid covered heel. White celluloid end pins

No. 79 Auditorium size body, mahogany back and sides, arched spruce top, beautifully finished in dull rubbed natural mahogany, large guard supported with bracket.

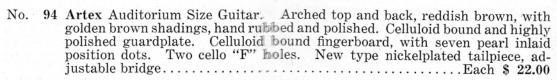
No. 91 Patrician Model Guitar, concert size, arched front and back. Mahogany, selected figure in natural brown finish, deeply shaded at edges and highly polished. Edges trimmed and inlaid with black and white celluloid. Large black celluloid guardplate, mounted on brackets. Mahogany neck, steel reinforced, with large shield shaped headpiece. Accurately fretted oval ebonized fingerboard with inlaid position dots, and white celluloid binding. Hand rubbed and polished......Each \$ 20.00

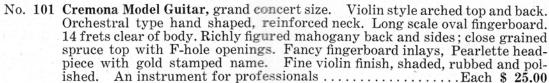




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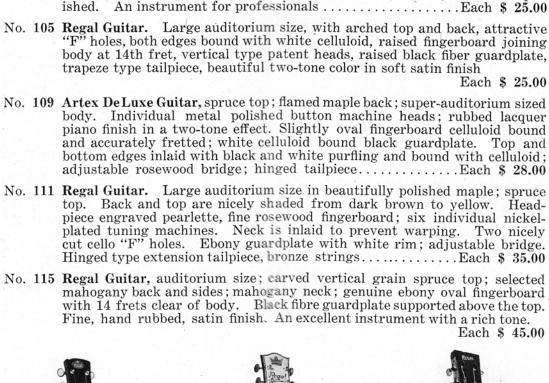




No. 105 Regal Guitar. Large auditorium size, with arched top and back, attractive "F" holes, both edges bound with white celluloid, raised fingerboard joining body at 14th fret, vertical type patent heads, raised black fiber guardplate, trapeze type tailpiece, beautiful two-tone color in soft satin finish

No. 109 Artex DeLuxe Guitar, spruce top; flamed maple back; super-auditorium sized body. Individual metal polished button machine heads; rubbed lacquer piano finish in a two-tone effect. Slightly oval fingerboard celluloid bound and accurately fretted; white celluloid bound black guardplate. Top and bottom edges inlaid with black and white purfling and bound with celluloid;

- No. 111 Regal Guitar. Large auditorium size in beautifully polished maple; spruce top. Back and top are nicely shaded from dark brown to yellow. Headpiece engraved pearlette, fine rosewood fingerboard; six individual nickelplated tuning machines. Neck is inlaid to prevent warping. Two nicely colled "Figure 110" in the policy of the large state of the property of the property of the large state of the property o cut cello "F" holes. Ebony guardplate with white rim; adjustable bridge. Hinged type extension tailpiece, bronze strings...... Each \$ 35.00
- mahogany back and sides; mahogany neck; genuine ebony oval fingerboard with 14 frets clear of body. Black fibre guardplate supported above the top. Fine, hand rubbed, satin finish. An excellent instrument with a rich tone.





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Kay Kraft Guitars

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- No. 106 Model "A" Guitar, nicely figured mahogany back and sides with spruce top. Neck of solid mahogany with oval fingerboard. Shaded two-tone mahogany color, hand rubbed and polished finish. Nickelplated patent heads; equipped with guardplate..... Each \$ 25.00
- No. 107 Model "B" Guitar, beautiful selected curly maple back and sides with spruce top. Solid mahogany neck with six inlaid pearl squares. Two-tone violin brown shaded, hand rubbed, and polished finish. Gear pegs.... Each \$ 35.00
- No. 108 Model "C" Guitar, back and sides of rosewood with spruce top. Neck of solid mahogany with fancy inlaid pearl fingerboard. Natural rosewood color with natural spruce top hand rubbed and polished. Gear pegs..... Each \$ 45.00
- No. 118 Guitar. Super-grand size body with birch back and sides. Arched top and back; oval fingerboard accurately fretted. White striping on edges of body and head, also around guardplate. Instrument is finished in a shaded twotone dark amber color in the new semi-gloss finish. Nickelplated patent heads and tailpiece..... Each \$ 15.00
- No. 120 Guitar. Super-grand size body with spruce top, birch back and sides. Arched back and top. Oval fingerboard accurately fretted. White celluloid binding; adjustable bridge. Instrument is finished in a shaded brown amber color, satin finish Each \$ 20.00
- No. 125 Guitar. Super-grand size body with spruce top, mahogany back and sides. Arched back and top. Oval fingerboard accurately fretted. White celluloid binding; adjustable bridge. Instrument is finished in a two-tone shaded mahogany color; hand rubbed and polished......Each \$ 25.00
- No. 130 Guitar. Super-grand size body with spruce top, curly maple back and sides. Arched back and top. Oval fingerboard accurately fretted. White celluloid binding; adjustable bridge. Instrument is finished in a two-tone shaded honey maple finish; hand rubbed and polished...... Each \$ 30.00









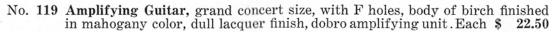


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Guitars With Dobro Amplifying Unit



No. 137 "Regal" Guitar, genuine mahogany body and neck; rosewood fingerboard bound with white fiberloid; beautifully finished in rich natural two-tone mahogany Each \$ 37.50

No. 145 "Regal" Guitar, genuine mahogany back and sides, with white spruce top, ivory fiberloid binding around both edges of body and edge of fingerboard; chrome plated metal parts; very fine polished finish......Each \$ 45.00

All-Metal Guitars

No. 147 All-Metal Guitar is a high-grade instrument, moderately priced. Made of metal, finished in frosted Duco. Neck is of mahogany, reinforced. Ebonized fingerboard with pearl position dots. Suitable for Spanish or Hawaiian playing Each \$ 35.00

No. 150 All-Metal Guitar, beautiful two-tone walnut finish, artistically shaded in center of top and back. Neck of selected mahogany with ebonized finger-board, accurately fretted. Suitable for Spanish or Hawaiian playing. A fine instrument with superb tone..... Each \$ 48.00

Regal Metal Amplifying Guitars

No. 155 Regal Metal Amplifying Guitar. A new, scientific method of construction —durable body of high brass alloy, distinctive in design. Violin edge, eliminating all solder joints. Heavily nickelplated with borders hand engraved. Small neck of selected mahogany. Rosewood fingerboard, joining body at the 14th fret. Individual gear machine pegs—pearl name inlaid in headpiece. Unsurpassed in brilliance and quality of tone................ Each \$ 67.50

No. 160 Regal Metal Amplifying Guitar. Same construction as No. 155, except that body is of German Silver. Artistically engraved. Heavily nickelplated. Fingerboard of genuine ebony, pearl inlay headpiece, all metal gear pegs. Harp quality tone..... Each \$ 95.00

No. 165 Regal Metal Amplifying Guitar. Same general description as No. 160. Elaborately engraved. Fancy fingerboard of genuine ebony. Fancy inlay on headpiece, individual pegs. Ultimate of perfection in amplifying instruments. Each \$ 135.00





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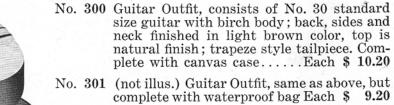


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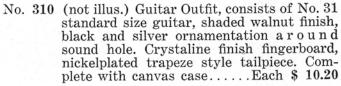


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Guitar Outfits



complete with waterproof bag Each \$ 9.20





No. 300

No. 320 Guitar Outfit, consists of No. 32 standard size guitar, two tone walnut finish; imitation pearlette fingerboard and guardplate, trapeze style nickelplated tailpiece. Complete with "Economo" case and silk cord Each \$ 12.30

No. 350 (not illus.) Guitar Outfit, consists of No. 35 fancy designed guitar, standard size, red mahogany shaded all over, front decorated with attractive two color Hawaiian scene, fingerboard in crystaline imitation pearl to match. Green striped sound hole and top edge. Complete with "Economo" case.

Each \$ 12.90



No. 320

No. 370 (not illus.) Hawaiian Guitar Outfit, consists of No. 37 standard size birch guitar, finished in two tone walnut. Fitted with metal plate on top with four F holes and crystaline finish. Pin bridge. White stripe around top edge; crystaline fingerboard to match resonator, with four gold position dots. Complete with "Economo" case, set of Hawaiian guitar picks, steel nut, steel sliding bar. Complete \$ 14.60

No. 380 Hawaiian Guitar Outfit, consists of No. 38 guitar, birch body, finished in red brown color, top in natural color, ornamented with rustic scenery in two colors. Complete with "Economo" guitar case, set of Hawaiian guitar picks, steel nut, steel sliding bar.

Complete \$ 13.70



No. 380

No. 450 "Artex" Guitar Outfit, consists of No. 45 standard size mahogany guitar, hardwood neck, black celluloid raised guardplate; plain design, rounded edges. Complete with "Economo" case and silk cord Each \$ 15.40

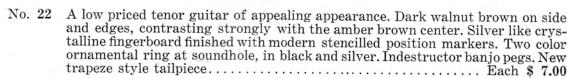
No. 470 (not illus.) Guitar Outfit, consists of No. 47 grand concert orchestra model guitar, hardwood back and sides, spruce top, white celluloid binding, in deep brown finish with sunburst effect. Tortoise shell guardplate, long scale fingerboard with 14 frets clear. Complete with "Economo" case and silk Each \$ 18.70



No. 450

ANY GUITAR MAY BE TRANSFORMED INTO HAWAIIAN STYLE BY ADDING STEEL NUT AND SLIDING BAR

Tenor Guitars



No. 23 The best minimum priced tenor guitar available. Full standard size. Birch body, cleanly made, fully lined and braced. Mahogany shaded lacquer finish on back and sides. Natural finished top. Two color decoration around soundhole. 23" scale. Ebonized fingerboard and pin bridge................................... \$ 7.30

No. 25 Artex standard size low priced Tenor guitar. Made of selected mahogany, hardwood neck with accurately fretted ebonized fingerboard. Black celluloid guardplate. Soundhole bound with white celluloid. Equipped with "Indestructor" all-metal unbreakable pegs. Plain design, rounded edges and improved shape, dull light brown finish. A neat instrument with good tone.. Each \$ 11.00

No. 26 Artex standard low priced Tenor Guitar. Made of selected mahogany, spruce top in natural finish. Top edge bound with black and white celluloid. Hardwood neck with accurately fretted ebonized fingerboard. Black celluloid guardplate. Equipped with "Indestructor" all-metal unbreakable pegs. Rounded edges and improved shape. A remarkable value for tone and appearance.

No. 28 Artex concert size Tenor Guitar. New larger shape, violin type arched top, made of birch, nicely shaded mahogany finish. White striped edges and soundhole. Large black celluloid guardplate, with bracket. Heavy channel type nickelplated tailpiece. An attractive instrument with rich tone......Each \$ 12.00

No. 29 Large size body, a beautiful instrument; mahogany back and sides, spruce top in natural finish. Soundhole and top edge inlaid with veneer lines and all edges are bound with white celluloid. Ebonized fingerboard accurately fretted. Remarkable for full, rich tone and beautiful workmanship....Each \$ 20.00

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Tenor Guitars

No. 102 "Cremona" Tenor Guitar, violin style, arched top and back, orchestral type hand shaped reinforced neck. Richly figured mahogany back and sides; close grained spruce top with F-hole openings. Fancy fingerboard inlays. Pearlette headpiece with gold stamped name. Fine violin finish, shaded, rubbed and polished. An instrument for professionals.

Each \$ 25.00

Tenor Guitar Outfits

No. 221 Tenor Guitar Outfit, same as above, but complete with waterproof bag..... Each \$ 9.20

No. 280 "Artex" Tenor Guitar Outfit, consists of No. 28 tenor guitar, violin type arched top, made of birch, nicely shaded mahogany finish. White striped edges and sound hole. Large black celluloid guardplate, with bracket. Heavy channel type nickelplated tailpiece. Complete with "Economo" case.

Each \$ 16.40





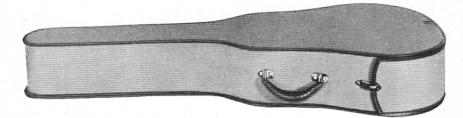
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Guitar Bags and Cases



Felt Bags

| Tad | le of | heavy green felt, stitched, patent snap fastener |
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| | | Standard size Each \$ 1. |
| | | Concert size |
| | | Grand Concert sizeEach 24 |
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Mackintosh Bags

| Wackintosh Dags |
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| Made of waterproof mackintosh, fleece lined, bound will leatherette, snap fasteners. |
| No. 17 Standard size Each \$ 2 |
| No. 18 Concert sizeEach 2 |
| No. 19 Grand Concert sizeEach 2.1 |

Canvas Cases

Strawboard body covered with canvas, cloth bound, fleece lined, end opening, leather handle.

| No. 2 | 1 | 34 size GuitarEach \$ | 3.00 |
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| No. 2 | 3 | Standard size Each | 3.20 |
| No. 2 | 4 | Concert sizeEach | 3.50 |
| No. 2 | 5 | Grand Concert size Each | 3.60 |
| No. 2 | 6 | Auditorium sizeEach | 3.90 |
| No. 2 | 7 | Jumbo sizeEach | 4.60 |

"Economo" Cases

Chipboard body, black waterproof material covered, flannel lined; keratol bound edges, nickelplated catches, side opening, leather handle.

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| • | No. 69 | ¾ size GuitarEach | \$ | 3.90 |
| | No. 70 | Standard sizeEach | í | 4.00 |
| | No. 71 | Concert sizeEach | | 4.40 |
| | No. 72 | Grand Concert size Each | | 5.00 |
| | No. 73 | Auditorium sizeEach | | 5.40 |
| | No. 74 | Jumbo sizeEach | | 6.00 |
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Three-Ply Veneer Guitar Case

Side opening style, three-ply veneer coered with black keratol, flannel line Leather handle and nickelplated trimming Biggest value ever offered in guitar case No. 43 Grand Concert size... Each \$ 9.1 No. 44 Jumbo size Each 9.2 When ordering, kindly mention dimension and make of guitar.



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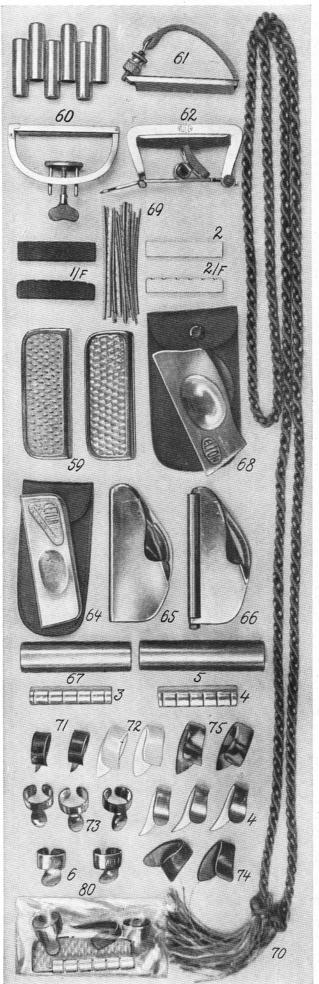
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| No. No. No. | $\frac{1}{2}$ | Genuine rosewood, with bone fret. \$.46 \$ 4 Same as No. 1, but with silver fret. .46 4 Genuine ebony, German silver fret. .50 5 Genuine ebony, with bone fret. .50 5 |
| No. No. | 7 | Genuine ebony, artistic model |
| No. | 9 | Ebony, German silver fret, for guitar with tailpiece .40 GROVER ADJUSTABLE GUITAR BRIDGE |
| | | GROVER |
| No. | | Made of finest hard maple with genuine ebony insert, natural finish, highly polished and "weather-proofed" Each \$ 1 Upper section of ebony, bottom section of maple, stained ebony, hand polished and "weather-proofed" |
| | | Guitar Tailpieces Each Per De |
| No. No. No. | 1 3 4 | Regulation style, heavily nickelplated steel\$.16 \$ 1. "Trapeze" style, Elton, heavily nickelplated and polished "Trapeze" style, extra heavy channels, especially adapted for arch top guitars |
| | | Guitar Patent Heads Per S |
| No. No. | $^{61}_{62}$ | Steel plate, rustproof finish, brass gears, black buttons \$ Polished brass, lacquered, cog wheels with screws, black or white buttons |
| No. | 63 | Nickelplated, cog wheels with screws, black or white buttons 1 |
| | | Grover Guitar Machines Per Set of |
| No. | 66 | Horizontal type for slotted heads, barrel nickelplated, metal |
| No. | 67 | buttons |
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| No. | 51 | Guitar Bridge Pins Doz. Per Gri Ebony, pearl eye \$.50 |
| No. | | Bone, pearl eye 1.00 |
| | | Guitar End Pins |
| No. No. | | Ebony, pearl eye |
| | | Guitar Fingerboards |
| No. | | Kindly state size of guitar. Rosewood, German silver frets, pearl position dotsEach \$ 2. Ebonized, German silver frets, pearl position dotsEach 1. |
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| | | Guitar Nuts |
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| | No. | |
| 1 | No. | 2 Bone |
|] | No. | 2/F Bone, fittedEach 0.24 Dozen 2.40 |
| | | Guitar Fingerboard Frets |
| No. | 69 | Complete set of frets cut to correct lengthsPer set \$ 0.30 |
| | | Guitar Tuning Pipes Each Dozen |
| | 1 | For Spanish Guitar (regular style), nickelplated \$ 0.60 \$ 6.00 |
| No. | 2 | For Hawaiian Guitar, nickelplated 0.60 6.00 |
| | | Guitar Capo D'Astros |
| No. | 61 | "Elton" nickelplated, no metal touches the instru- |
| No. | 62 | ment \$ 0.36 \$ 3.60 Spring action, cork is clamped on and cannot fall |
| | | out 0.40 4.00 |
| No. | 60 | Made of steel, nickelplated, screw adjustment for |
| | | fastening 0.60 6.00 |
| | | Guitar Cords |
| No. | 10 | Red and black combination with two tassels. Made of rayon \$ 0.30 \$ 3.00 |
| No. | 71 | Beautiful Rayon silk cords with loop and large tas- |
| | | sel. In various colors, dozen on display card. |
| No. | 72 | Per card \$ 4.20 Micro "Classic" Adjustable Guitar cord for profes- |
| 240. | | sionals. Felt lined leather neck band. Packed in |
| | | attractive boxes. Four color combinations \$ 0.90 9.00 |
| | | Guitar Stands |
| No. | 76 | Simplex Guitar Stand. The most popular stand for |
| | | display and professional use Each \$ 2.50 |
| | | Guitar Guard Plates |
| No. | 77 | Black, fibre, to screw on flat top guitar Each \$ 0.30 |
| No. | 78 | For arched top guitars, with adjustable brack- |
| No. | 79 | et and screws, black finish |
| 240. | | hole, without screws Each 1.10 |
| | | Guitar Picks See Page No. 163 |
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| | | Hawaiian Guitar Accessories |
| | | Hawaiian Guitar Steels |
| | | Each Dozen |
| No. | | Guitar steel, nickelplated, knurled sides \$ 0.24 \$ 2.40 |
| No. | 59 | "Diamond Grip", guitar bar, nickelplated, knurled grip 0.40 4.00 |
| No. | 64 | grip 0.40 4.00 "Elton", professional guitar steel, nickelplated. Each |
| | | in leather case 0.80 |
| No. | 68 | Improvatone Hawaiian guitar steel, new improved |
| No. | 67 | bar, gold finish. Each in leather case |
| No. | | Roy Smeck Round bar, made of hard bronze, gold |
| | - | finish, 3% inches long, concaved ends 0.68 6.75 |
| No. | 69 | The "Perfect" Steel, nickelplated. Constructed to accommodate the thumb and middle finger on the |
| | | sides, and forefinger on top of steel 1.50 |
| No. | 66 | "Perfect" Roller Steel. Same as No. 65, but has |
| | | roller at bottom 2.00 |
| | | Hawaiian Guitar Nuts |
| No. | | Hawaiian Guitar Extension Nut \$ 0.14 \$ 1.44 |
| 140. | 4 | The "Perfect" Hawaiian Guitar Nut. Die-cast, nickelplated |
| | | Hawaiian Guitar Thumb Picks |
| No. | 71 | Imitation tortoise shell, medium size |
| No. | 72 | White celluloid, large size |
| No. | | Polished celluloid, various colors, One dozen on card . Dozen 0.50 |
| No. | 4 | Metal, Nickelplated |
| 3- | - | Hawaiian Guitar Finger Picks |
| No. | | Finger picks, metal, nickelplated |
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| No | 74 | Roy Smeck Picks |
| No. | 14 | Roy Smeck Thumb Pick, tortoise shell finish, special shape |
| No. | | Roy Smeck Finger Pick. Nickel-silver |
| No. | 7 | Roy Smeck Set of Picks. Consists of two finger and |
| | | one thumb pickPer set \$ 0.60 |
| | | Per dozen sets on beautiful display card. 6.00 |
| No. | 80 | Hawaiian Guitar Set |
| 140. | 00 | Any Spanish Guitar can be transformed with this set into a Hawaiian Guitar. The set consists of one guitar steel, one |
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| | | Hawaiian guitar nut, two metal finger picks, one metal thumb |
| | | Hawaiian guitar nut, two metal finger picks, one metal thumb pick |

Guitar Accessories



Bell Brand String Shop



BELL BRAND STRING SHOP CONTAINS A COMPLETE STOCK OF BELL BRAND STRINGS. 100% Profit, Plus The Attractive BELL BRAND CABINET, FREE.

A complete stock of the famous Bell Brand Strings, attractively displayed in cabinet, which is supplied free. The cabinet is of metal, in an attractive crackled gold and black finish. Glass front; hinged door on the back; deep drawer in cabinet base for surplus stock. Strong boxes are labeled both front and back, permitting easy selection of any string. Specifications: height overall, 157/8 width overall 181/4"; depth overall 71/8". Contains assortment of following strings:

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| 12 12 12 6 6 6 | E or 1st, plain B or 2nd, plain G or 3rd, plain G or 3rd, wour D or 4th, wour A or 5th, wour | n05 n05 nd15 nd15 nd20 | \$0.60 .60 .90 .90 | | 12 12 6 6 | A or 2nd, D or 3rd, G or 4th, | wound10 | \$0.60 .60 .60 .90 |
| 6 | E or 6th, wour | JO | 1.50 | | $\frac{12}{12}$ | D or 2nd, G or 3rd, | | \$0.60 .60 .90 |
| $\frac{12}{12}$ | 1st, plain 2nd, plain 3rd, plain | 05 | \$0.60 .60 | | 6 | | wound15 KULELE | .90 |
| $\frac{6}{12}$ | 4th, wound 5th, plain | 15 | .90 .60 | | 12 6 6 | 2nd, woun | \$0.05 d 10 | \$0.60 .60 |
| | MAND | | | | 12 | 3rd, wound 4th, plain | d10 05 | .60 .60 |
| $\frac{12}{12}$ | E or 1st, plain A or 2nd, plain | | \$0.60 .60 | | | v | IOLIN | |
| 6 | D or 3rd, word G or 4th, wor | ind15 | .90 .90 | | $\frac{6}{6}$ | | und\$0.25 um wound .40 | $$1.50 \\ 2.40$ |
| Pr | Total retail value of this string shop is \$24.60. Price, including cabinet\$25.00 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 4 | |

Black Diamond String Shop

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BLACK DIAMOND STRING SHOP THE MOST ATTRACTIVE COUNTER DISPLAY EVER OFFERED TO THE MUSIC DEALER. 100% Profit, Plus The Attractive BLACK DIAMOND CABINET, FREE.

The most attractive counter display cabinet ever offered to the music dealer. Finished in crackled gold, very substantially constructed, entirely of metal, and has 32 interior partitions. Dimenstructed, entirely of metal, and has 32 interior partitions. sions: 20 inches in height; 19 inches in width; 10 inches in depth. Contains an assortment of the following strings:

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|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|--------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Quan- tity | P | ling rice ach | Total Retail Value | Quantity 12 | Item Each | Total Retail Value \$1.20 |
| 12 12 12 | E, plain | .10 | \$1.20 1.20 1.20 | 6 12 | 4th, wound | $\frac{1.50}{1.20}$ |
| 6 6 | G, wound D, wound A, wound E, wound | .20 .20 .25 | 1.20 1.20 1.20 1.50 2.10 | 12 12 6 6 | 1st, plain | \$1.20 1.20 1.20 1.20 |
| | HAWAIIAN GUI | TAR | | | TENOR BANJO | |
| 12 12 12 6 6 | E-1st, plain C#-2nd, plain | .10 .10 .20 .25 | \$1.20 1.20 1.20 1.20 1.50 | 12 12 6 6 | 1st, plain | \$1.20 1.20 1.20 1.20 |
| 6 | E-6th, wound | .35 | 2.10 | | VIOLIN | |
| | BANJO | | | 12 | 1st, plain\$0.10 A, Aluminum, wound .35 | $$1.20 \\ 2.10$ |
| $\frac{12}{12}$ | 1st, plain 2nd, plain | | \$1.20 1.20 | 6 | G, Pure Silver, wound .75 D, Aluminum, wound .50 | 4.50 3.00 |
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| Pr | | | | | \$45 | .50 |

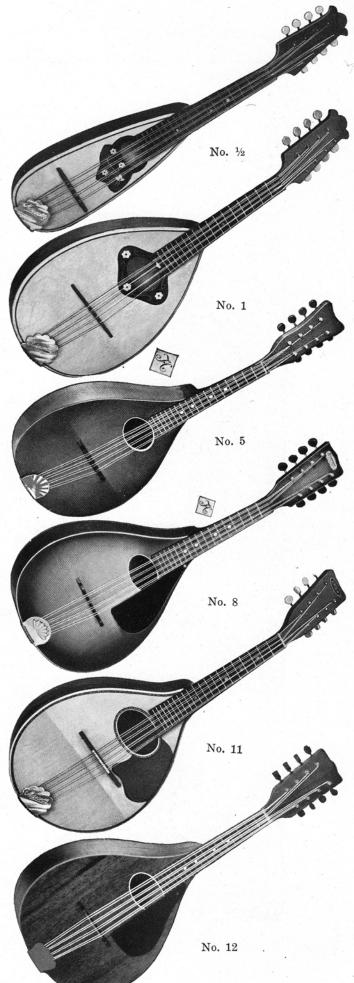
Lute Mandolins

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- No. 1/2 Pocket Mandolin, flat back. Spruce top, birch back and sides. Hardwood neck, rosewood fingerboard with pearl position dots. Celluloid guardplate with fancy design; highly polished......Each \$ 5.00
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Each \$ 10.50

- No. 11 "Regal" Custom Built Lute Mandolin. Selected spruce top in natural finish; back and sides finished in mahogany; ebonized fingerboard accurately fretted, pearl position dots. Celluloid side guard. Sound hole and top edge are bound with varicolored block inlay. Satin finish......Each \$ 10.50
- No. 12 "Artex" Mahogany Mandolin, standard low priced instrument, plain design, with hardwood neck. Fingerboard accurately fretted, position dots. Black celluloid applied guardplate......Each \$ 11.00



No. 18 "Venetian" Shape Lute Mandolin, Body of birch with arch top and back construction.
Top edge and soundhole are bound with white binding. Neck with ebonized fingerboard accurately fretted and inlaid with four pearl position dots. Instrument is finished in a shaded two-tone amber brown color, satin finish. Raised black guardplate and good grade patent heads.

9 Strad-o-lin "Violin Shape" Mandolin, back and sides of selected curly maple; top of seasoned spruce, arched and graduated on the violin principle. The fingerboard israised, allowing maximum vibration. Finished in golden brown color; shaded and highly polished......Each \$ 14.00

"Roy Smeck" Lute Mandolin. Sides and back of figured mahogany, top of close grained spruce. Heavy raised guardplate. Top bound with black and white celluloid. Accurately fretted ebonized fingerboard with pearl position dots. An attractive instrument with brilliant tone.

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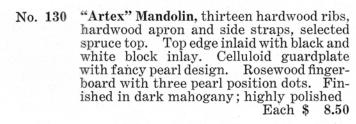
"Patrician" arched mandolin. Violin style arched front and back. Mahogany, selected fancy figure in natural brown finish with deeply shaded edges and highly polished. Trimmed and inlaid with black and white celluloid. Hand shaped mahogany neck with ebonized fingerboard, celluloid bound and inlaid with neat position markers. Celluloid guardplate. Brilliant tone quality and easily fingered..... Each \$ 20.00

"Regal" Custom Built Lute Mandolin. Back and sides of fine figured mahogany; top of selected seasoned spruce. Varicolored block inlay around sound hole and top edge; top and back edges bound with white celluloid. Tortoise shell celluloid guardplate with a r t i s t i c pearl design. Ebony fingerboard is bound with white celluloid. Black and white stripes inlaid in center of back. Hand rubbed and highly French polished...... Each \$ 21.00

No. 19 "Strad-o-lin" Lute Mandolin, strictly hand made. Selected spruce top and seasoned curly maple back are arched and graduated on violin principle, two F holes. Finger-board is raised and apart from the top of the instrument so as to allow maximum vibration. Finished in rich golden brown color, with center shadings. Hand rubbed and polished, and handsomely inlaid on the top, back, sides and headpiece with white celluloid. The arching and scientific graduation produces in this instrument a sweet and powerful tone...... Each \$ 30.00



Each \$ 10.50



Mandolins

"Artex" Mandolin, fine close grain top, thirteen ribs of maple and rosewood alternated light and dark with lines inlaid between ribs; rosewood apron and side straps. Top edge inlaid with black and white celluloid. Fancy celluloid guardplate with rich pearl design. Rosewood fingerboard, accurately fretted, with three pearl position dots. Hand rubbed and highly

"Artex" Mandolin, selected seasoned top, fifteen rosewood ribs with white lines inlaid between ribs. Rosewood apron and side straps. Top edge bound with vari-colored block inlay and white celluloid. Large size celluloid guardplate with fancy flower design in pearl. Rosewood fingerboard with four pearl position dots. Finished in light mahogany, hand rubbed and French polished......Each \$ 16.00

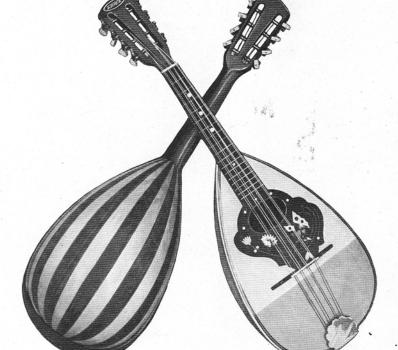
Lute Mandolins

No. 117 "Kay Kraft" Mandolin, highly figured mahogany back and sides with spruce top. Neck is of solid mahogany with oval fingerboard. Two-tone shaded mahogany color, hand rubbed and polished. Raised guardplate and engraved tailpiece. Compensating bridge..... Each \$ 25.00

"Regal" Lute Mandolin with Dobro Amplification. This instrument is constructed of wood and equipped with patented "dobro ampliphonic". Although just introduced on the market, it has met with tremendous success. Full 14 inch scale; easy action; hardwood throughout, finished in rich twotone walnut. Strong and resonant tone.







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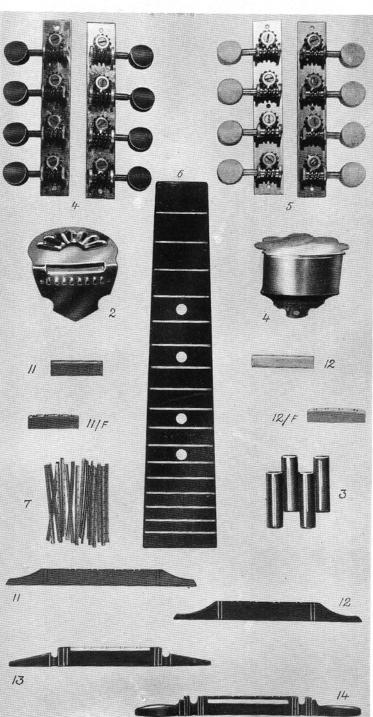
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Flat Back Mandolin Bags and Cases

No. 3½ Same as No. 3 but for larger size mandolin Each \$ 4.00 No. 4 Flat Back Mandolin Case, three ply veneer shell, walrus grained black keratol, fleece lined, to fit standard mandolin. Each \$ 8.00

Bowl Mandolin Bags and Cases

No. 7







PICKS ON DISPLAY No. 41 ROY SMECK PICKS CARD ON DISPLAY CARD

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Mandolin Accessories Mandolin Bridges

| | | 2. Zanaonii Bilages |
|-------------------|----------|---|
| No. No. No. | 12 13 | Rosewood, plain |
| | | Mandolin Tailpieces |
| No. No. | | Nickelplated, shell pattern, 8 hooks Per dozen \$ 1.60 Nickelplated brass, 8 hooks, with steel slip cover. Per dozen 3.60 |
| | | Mandolin Patent Heads |
| No. | 4 | American make, rustproof finish, cog wheels with screws, black or white buttons |
| No. | 3 | American make, heavily nickelplated, cog wheels with screws, black or white buttonsPer set \$ 1.00 |
| | | Mandolin Tuners |
| No. | 38 | Four nickel-silver pipes, tuned to low pitch E, A, D and G. Each pipe marked with the tone it produces. |
| | | Per dozen \$ 3.50 |

| | Mandolin Nuts |
|----------|---------------|
| No. 11/F | Ebony |
| | Perdozen 100 |

| | Per dozen | 1.00 |
|---------------------------|------------|------|
| No. 12 Bone, unfinished | Per dozen | 1.00 |
| No. 12 F Bone, fitted | Per dozen | 1.80 |
| Mandolin Fingerboard Fret | Wire | |
| No. 7 German silver | Per set \$ | 0.30 |
| Fingerboards for Mandolin | | |

Banjo Mandolins

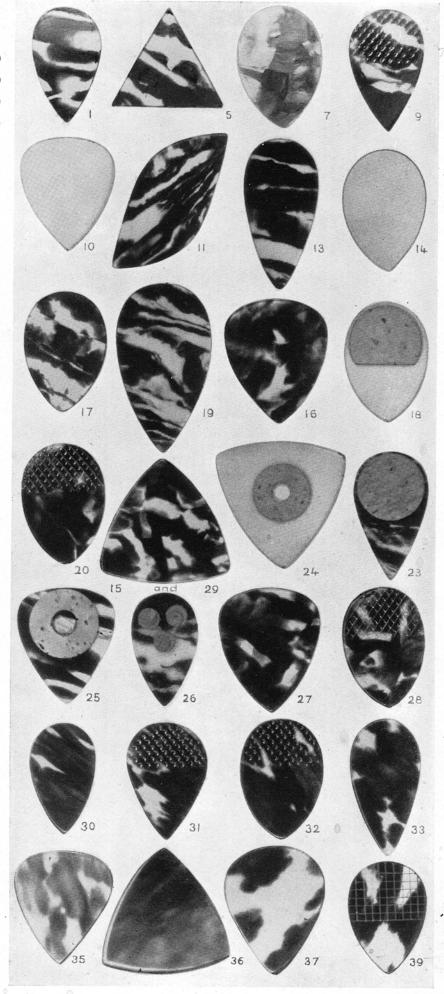
No. Rosewood, with frets, pearl position dots .. Each \$ 1.80 No. Ebonized with frets, pearl position dots ... Each 1.20 "Artex" and "Master Art" Mandolin Strings See Page No. 152.

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Picks

| | | 1 ICKS | | |
|------------|-------------|---|---------|---------------|
| No. | 11 | Celluloid, oval shaped, light | Dozen | Gross |
| No. | 33 | shell finish | \$ 0.10 | \$ 1.00 |
| No. | 55 | colors | 0.10 | 1.00 |
| No. | 77 | finish, medium weight Celluloid, medium weight, bev- | 0.10 | 1.00 |
| No. | 99 | elled edge, in assorted colors Celluloid, bevelled edge, cor- | 0.36 | 3.50 |
| No. | 30 | rugated grip, light shell color, medium weight | 0.40 | 4.00 |
| No. | 10 0 | Celluloid, white color, medium | | 4.00 |
| No. | 111 | weight, bevelled edge Celluloid, double point, shell | | |
| No. | 133 | color, medium weight Celluloid, oval shaped, large size, medium weight, light shell | 0.40 | 4.00 |
| No. | 14 | Transparent celluloid, oval | 0.50 | 5.00 |
| 37. | 17 | shape, bevelled edge, medium weight | 0.40 | 4.00 |
| No. | | weight, light shell color | 0.50 | 5.00 |
| No. | 19 | Celluloid, extra large size, fin- ished edge, medium weight, | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| No. | 16 | light shell color | 0.60 | 6.00 |
| No. | 18 | edge, medium weight Celluloid, white color, cork | 0.50 | 5.00 |
| | | grip, medium weight, bevelled | 0.50 | 5.00 |
| No. | 20 | Celluloid, corrugated grip, bev- elled edge, shell color, heavy | | |
| No. | 15 | weight Celluloid, triangle shaped, fin- | 0.60 | 6.00 |
| No. | 24 | ished edge, medium weight Celluloid, white color, triangle | 0.60 | 6.00 |
| | | shape, with cork ring in mid- dle, medium weight | 0.60 | 6.00 |
| No. | 23 | Celluloid with cork disc, me- dium weight, light shell color | 0.60 | 6.00 |
| No. | 25 | Celluloid with cork ring, me- dium weight, light shell color | 0.60 | 6.00 |
| No. | 26 | Celluloid with three rubber inserts, bevelled edge, light shell | | |
| | | color | 0.70 | 7.00 |
| | | Roy Smeck Picks | Dozen | Gross |
| No. No. | | Corrugated grip, bevelled edges Two dozen on attractive easel | \$ 0.90 | \$ 9.00 |
| 110. | | display cardP | er card | 1.80 |
| No. | 43 | Nick Lucas Picks Correctly gauged, highly pol- | | |
| | | ished and bevelled edges; shell or ivory finish | \$ 0.90 | \$ 9.00 |
| No. | 44 | Attractive display card with two dozen picks | | 1.80 |
| | | De Luxe Picks | er caru | 1.00 |
| No. | 27 | DeLuxe, celluloid, bevelled edge, extra heavy weight, shell | | |
| No. | 28 | molor | \$ 0.90 | \$ 9.00 |
| 110. | | shape, bevelled edge, extra | 1.00 | 10.00 |
| No. | 29 | DeLuxe, very heavy, hand bev- | 1.00 | 10.00 |
| | | elled edge, light shell color, tri- angle shape | 1.00 | 10.00 |
| | | Genuine Tortoise Shell | | |
| No. | 30 | Cenuine tortoise shell, light voral shape | veight, | Dozen \$ 1.30 |
| No. | 31 | Conuine tortoise shell, corrugate light weight, oval shape | d grip. | 1.80 |
| No. | . 32 | Chuine tortoise shell, corrugate mdium and heavy weight | d grip. | 2.00 |
| No. | . 33 | Gnuine tortoise shell, medium havy weight | n and | 1.80 |
| No | . 35 | Gnuine tortoise shell, medium havy weight | n and | 2.80 |
| No | . 36 | Gnuine tortoise shell, triangle medium and heavy weight | shape. | |
| No | . 37 | Gnuine tortoise shell, mediun | n and | 3.60 |
| No. | . 39 | havy weight | heavy | 3.20 |
| | | wight | ••••• | 3.30 |



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ebony top bridge, exten-

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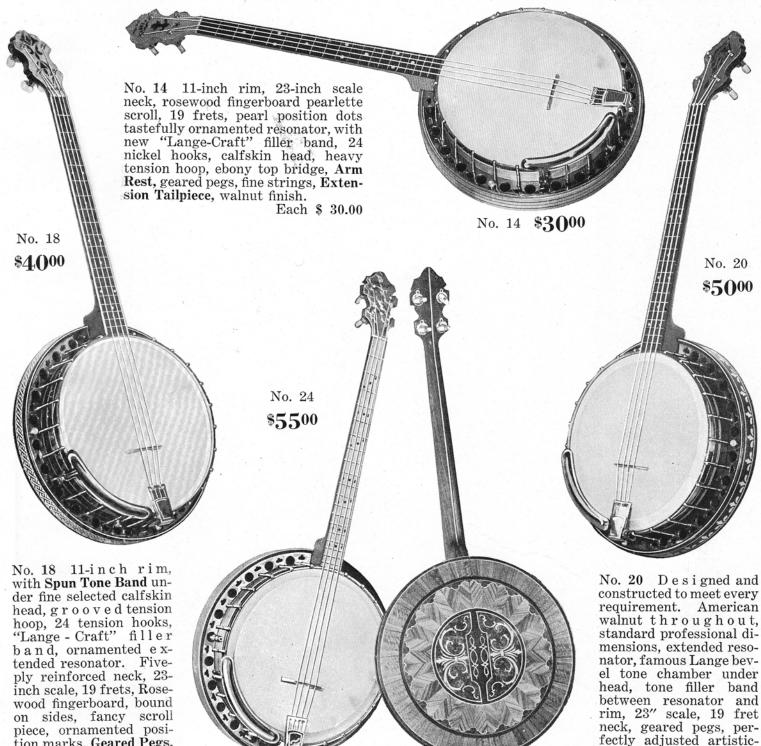
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Tenor Banjos





No. 110 Tenor Banjo. 11 inch wood brim, ½ inch thick, eight nickelplated brackets, nickelplated top hoop, ebonized fingerboard accurately fretted with pearl position dots, patent pegs. Whole instrument finished in dark mahogany.

Each \$ 9.50

No. 112 Tenor Banjo. Laminated birds eye maple shell with sixteen hexagon shoes with good grade calf head. Nickelplated straining hoop. Maple neck with ebonized fingerboard, accurately fretted and inlaid with four pearl position dots, 23 inch scale. Neck has patented neck adjusting feature. Instrument finished in a natural gloss finish Each \$ 10.50

No. 113 Artex Tenor Banjo with resonator, mahogany finish, birch veneered rim, nickelplated hoop and 12 brackets; hardwood neck, correctly fretted. Polished nickelplated resonator. Equipped with "Indestructor" non-breakable metal patent pegs......Each \$ 12.00

No. 115 Tenor Banjo. Laminated birds eye maple shell with sixteen hexagon shoes with good grade calf. Nickelplated straining hoop. Maple neck with adjustable neck feature. Ebonized fingerboard with four inlaid pearl dots. 23 inch scale. Laminated resonator bound on lower edge with white celluloid. Back of resonator has a rose decoration. Instrument finished in a shaded amber finish.

Each \$ 15.00

No. 116 Artex Mahogany Tenor Banjo. 20 brackets, neatly inlaid. Extension resonator extra heavy, bound with white celluloid, decorated with imitation wood inlay de-calcomania. Heavy nickelplated flange. Mahogany neck, 3-ply, maple reinforced. Hinged cover extension tailpiece, large arm rest. Each \$ 25.00

No. 120 Tenor Banjo. Laminated mahogany shell with twenty bracket flange: Good grade calf head and heavy type "U" straining hoop. Laminated mahogany neck with ebonized fingerboard bound with white celluloid. White pearlette headplate with ornament. Resonator is of mahogany bound on both edges with white celluloid. Instrument is finished in a natural mahogany color, hand rubbed and polished. Nickelplated arm rest, extension tailpiece. Back of resonator has a rose decalcomania. Each \$ 30.00

"Artex" Tenor Banjos

No. 122 "ARTEX" SPECIAL

11 inch heavy rim. Pearlette veneered, heavy tone flange, fine calf head, heavy hoop. Selected neck with pearlette fingerboard, fancy position marks, bound on sides. Resonator covered on back and sides with pearlette, ornamented in two colors. Patent pegs, arm rest, extension tailpiece, fine strings.

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This banjo represents the height of craftsmanship, wherein the details of material selection, structure, accuracy and assembly, adjustments and fine finish are carefully carried out. Seasoned American walnut is used in the rim, neck and resonator, with metal parts of the best quality including geared pegs, ebony top, bridge, and fine strings.

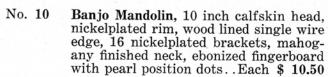
> TONE AND BEAUTY are foremost in this DE LUXE MODEL

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Banjo Mandolins



No. 131/2 "Artex" Banjo Mandolin, 11 inch rim, 20 brackets, grooved nickelplated hoop, extension resonator, ebony fingerboard with pearl position dots, fine calfskin head. Center of resonator is beautifully decorated Each \$ 18.00



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Five String Banjo Cases

Strawboard body covered with canvas, cloth bound, flannel lined, for 11" Banjo Each \$ 3.00

Tenor Banjo Bags and Cases

For Instruments without Resonator

- No. 45 Tenor Banjo Mackintosh bag, fleece lined bound edges, patent snap fastenersEach \$ 1.90
- No. 46 Tenor Banjo canvas case, strawboard body covered with canvas, bound, fleece lined, end opening, leather handle Each \$ 2.70
- No. 47 Tenor Banjo Economo case, made of chipboard, black waterproof material covered, flannel lined, nickelplated catches, side opening, leather handle Each \$ 3.80

For Instruments with **Extension Resonator**

- No. 48/R Economo case, made of chipboard, covered with black waterproof material, flannel lined, nickelplated catches, side opening, leather handle. Each \$ 4.50
- No. 49/R Tenor Banjo case, three ply veneer shell, covered with black keratol, fleece lined, compartments for strings and accessories, leather handle, nickel-plated lock and catches, side opening, to fit 11" Tenor Banjo with 13½" resonator Each \$ 9.50
- No. 50/R Same as No. 49/R, velvet lined Each \$ 13.50
- No. 51/R Same as No. 49/R, silk plush lined..Each \$ 19.00

Banjo Mandolin **Bags and Cases**

- No. 53 Banjo Mandolin Mackintosh bag, waterproof, fleece lined, bound with leatherette, patent snap fasteners ... Each \$ 1.70
- Canvas case, for instrument without resonator, strawboard body, covered with canvas, leatherette bound, flannel lined Each \$ 2.80
- No. 55 Economo case, for instrument with resonator, chipboard body covered with waterproof material, flannel lined, bound edges, leather handle. . Each \$ 3.80

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| | | Per set of 4 \$ 1 | 1.20 |
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| | | Per set of 4 | 3.60 |
| No. | 90 | Professional gear peg, nickelplatedPer set of 4 | 6.00 |
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Banjo, Tenor Banjo and Banjo Mandolin Bridges

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| No. No. No. | 4 5 6 | Nontip Banjo Bridge, ½", 5%", ¾",Per dozen Nontip Tenor Banjo Bridge, ½", 5%", ¾", Per dozen Nontip Banjo Mandolin Bridge, ½", 5%", ¾", | \$ 3.00 3.00 |
| No. | 15 | Per dozen Professional Tenor Banjo Bridge, ½", 9/16", | 3.60 |
| No. | | 5%", ¾" | 4.20 |
| 110. | 90 | Per dozen | 4.20 |
| No. | 18 | Patrician Tenor Banjo Bridge, ½", 9/16", 5%", 34" | 6.00 |
| | | Tailniages | |
| | | Tailpieces | Dansa |
| No. | 32 | Banjo Extension Tailpiece. Has appearance of high price covered tailpiece. Com- | Dozen |
| No. | 94 | plete with bolt and nut; nickelplated \$ 0.24 "Simplex" Tailpiece. An attractive tail- | \$ 2.40 |
| | | piece at low price 0.36 | 3.60 |
| No. | 21 | "Presto Ideal" Tailpiece, nickelplated, hinged cover. Bolts and nuts included 0.75 | |
| No. | 22 | "Presto" Extension Tailpiece, long, hinged cover. Nickelplated and polished. Strings | |
| No. | 25 | quickly attached. For four-string banjo "De Luxe" Tailpiece. Long hinged cover is actuated by a spring which facilitates string attaching. Hand engraved and highly pol- | |
| | | ished. For four-string banjo 4.80 | |
| | | Banjo Pick Holders | |
| No. | 12 | A boon to professional playersEach | \$ 1.00 |
| | | Banjo Brackets | 2 - |

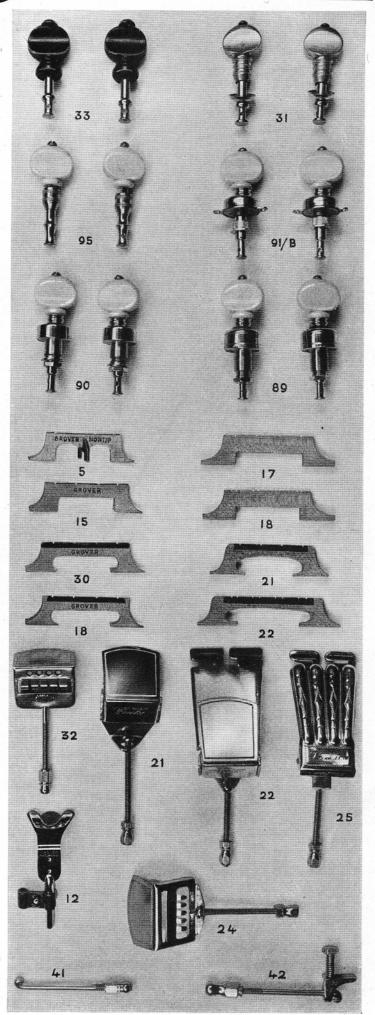
hexagon nut. Complete with shoe and bolt Per dozen Banjo Picks

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No. 41 Professional model, flat hook and hexagon nut,

Tenor Banjo, Banjo, and Banjo Mandolin Strings

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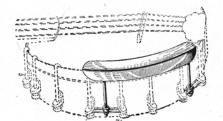
Banjo, Tenor Banjo and Banjo Mandolin Accessories

Superior Banjo Arm Rest



Made of brass, nickelplated. No supports or attaching clamps visible. Is held firmly in place by two of the banjo's hooks. Top part of arm rest is coiled in which strengthens and adds to the appearance; also prevents cutting of player's sleeve.

Overlapping Banjo Arm Rest

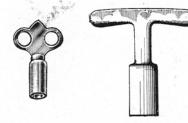


No. 35 Made of brass, highly polished, nickelplated, in box. Adjust-able to any size banjo and to any height and position. Each \$ 0.75

Tenor Banjo Fingerboards

No. 47 Hardwood, pearl position dots, nickelsilver frets, for tenor ban-jo 19 fretsEach \$ 1.20

Banjo Wrenches



No. 36 Nickelplated, for small nut. Each \$ 0.14 Per dozen \$ 1.40

Polished, nickelplated, T-shape, No. 38 for large nut. Each \$ 0.38 Per dozen \$ 3.75

Artex Banjo Heads

 High grade white calf, uniform thickness.

 13 inches, for 10 inches banjo
 Each
 1.20

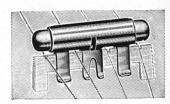
 14 inches, for 11 inches banjo
 Each
 1.50

 15 inches, for 12 inches banjo
 Each
 1.80

Ready Mounted Banjo Heads

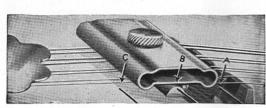
"Artex" brand, 14 inch head on hoop; for 11" 11" banjoEach

· Banjo Mutes



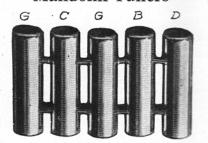
"Elton", extra heavy banjo mute, nickelplatedPer dozen \$ 4.50

Banjo Tone Regulator



"Elton", brass, nickelplated. Variety of tone effects .. Each \$ 0.70 No. 43

Banjo, Tenor Banjo and Banjo **Mandolin Tuners**



Tenor Banjo Pitch Pipe, A, D, G, C....Each \$ 0.36 Per dozen \$ 3.50 No. 46 Banjo (5 string) Pitch Pipe, nick-

Each \$ 0.46 Per dozen \$ 4.50 No. 3 Banjo Mandolin Pitch Pipe, nickel-plated. Each \$ 0.36 Per dozen \$ 3.50

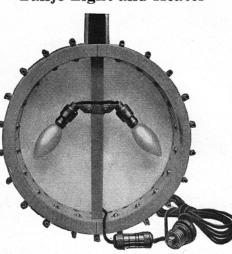
Tenor Banjo Tone Ring



No. 1 Tightens the head and improves the tone to a remarkable extent.

Each \$ 3.30

Banjo Light and Heater



Clamps, on dowl stick, in box No. 34 complete with electric flashing device, 2 colored lamp bulbs and all electrical equipment. Can be used on alternating or direct current from any light socket or plugEach \$ 9.00

Banjo Head Guard and Pick Holder



Adjustable to any size or kind of banjo....Each in box \$ 2.40 No. 39/I Imitation grained ivory. Each in box \$ 3.00 No. 39/G Sparkling gold finish with goldplated attachment. Each in box \$ 4.50

Skin Head Cleaner



Skin Head Cleaner. Cleans any head without any injury.
Per dozen \$ 6.00

Banjo Frets

No. 37 Set of frets for tenor banjo, made of nickelsilver.

Per set \$ 0.30

Genuine "Roger" Banjo Heads "Daisy Brand"

| No. No. | $\begin{array}{c} 104 \\ 105 \end{array}$ | 14 15 | inch | for for | 11 12 | inch inch | banjo banjo | Each \$ 2.70 Each 3.20 | |
|------------|---|----------|------|------------|----------|--------------|----------------|------------------------|--|
| | | | | | "T | hree | Star | Brand" | |
| No. | 124 | 14 | inch | for | 11 | inch | banjo | Each \$ 5.70 | |

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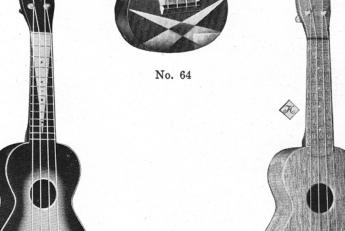
Ukuleles

- No. 60 Leading low priced Ukulele. Made of birch; shaded mahogany lacquer finish. Fitted with maple pegs and accurately fretted fingerboard Each \$ 2.00
- No. 61 Same as No. 60 above, but fitted with patent friction pegs......Each \$ 2.30
- "Crystal" Ukulele. One of the best selling low priced ukuleles on the market, patent pegs. Obtainable in red, green, blue or black color. (State color desired) Each \$ 2.60
- No. 64 "Art Moderne" Ukulele, a modernistic ukulele finished in blue, yellow and red colors. A widely known instrument that enjoys great popularity. With patent friction pegs.

Each \$ 3.00

- No. 65 A nicely finished instrument for those whose tastes are conservative. Birch construction, with hardwood neck. Dark mahogany lacquer finish, strongly shaded. Soundhole and edges striped in white. Fingerboard finished in black lacquer, with position markers. Fitted with patent friction pegs..... Each \$ 3.00
- No. 67 Ebony black gloss lacquer finish, strongly high lighted with gold. Gold shading on headpiece and center of fingerboard. Top edge and soundhole striped in white. Patent pegs. Very striking design......Each \$ 3.30
- No. 70 "Artex" Ukulele, finished in walnut, semipolished. Beautiful gold pearlette fingerboard, accurately fretted. Celluloid inlaid around soundhole......Each \$ 3.60
- No. 66 "Artex" Ukulele, made of mahogany, specially low-priced. Patent pegs, fine quality strings, semi-polished finish. One of the best selling models, excellent tone... Each \$ 4.00

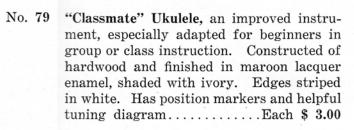


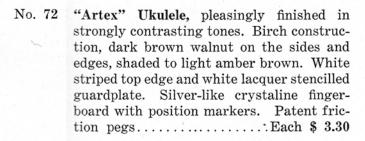


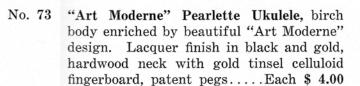


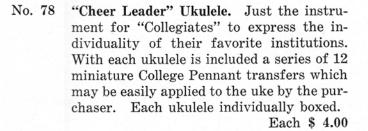


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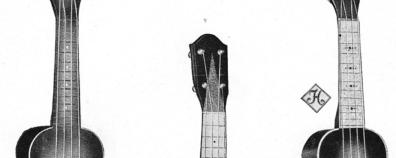






No. 76 "Artex" Shaped Ukulele, arched top, constructed of finest mahogany, patent pegs, fine quality strings; semi-polished; celluloid inlaid around soundhole. Neat and beautifully designed instrument with pleasing tone of great volume......Each \$ 4.50

No. 77 "Harold Teen" Ukulele, one of the best selling popular priced ukuleles on the market today. Obtainable in assorted colors. Individually boxed.......Each \$ 5.00







Ukuleles

No. 96 "Roy Smeck Vita Ukulele." Uniquely designed and fine toned instrument, endorsed by "The Wizard of the Strings." Beautifully figured mahogany back and sides. Selected resonant spruce top with seal soundholes. Hand rubbed and polished lacquer finish.

Each \$ 10.50

Tenor Ukuleles

No. 90 "Classmate" Tenor Ukulele. Hardwood construction, richly finished in maroon lacquer enamel, shaded with ivory. Edges striped in white, has position markers and helpful tuning diagram. Each \$ 4.00

No. 91 "Artex" Tenor Ukulele, custom construction, body made of the finest mahogany with hand-shaped hardwood neck. Sound hole and top edge inlaid with varicolored block inlay and bound with white celluloid. Back edge bound with white celluloid. Ebony finger-board accurately fretted with four position dots. Hand rubbed and semi-polished..... Each \$ 10.50

No. 94 "Johnny Marvin" Professional Tenor Ukulele—extra large tenor size, with deeper tone and greater carrying power. Flamed mahogany top, mahogany neck with rosewood extension fingerboard, white pearlette headpiece. Aero bridge. Rich dark brown sunburst finish, hand rubbed and polished.....Each \$ 13.50

Tiples

No. 97 Standard Tiple. Hardwood construction in a nicely shaded brown walnut lacquer finish. Edges and soundhole striped in white. Hardwood neck, ebonized fingerboard with inlaid position dots

Each \$ 11.00

No. 98 Standard Tiple. Birch back and sides in nicely shaded mahogany stain; spruce top in natural finish. Edges and soundhole trimmed with white celluloid, and inlaid with black and white......Each \$ 13.00

No. 100 "Patrician" Tiple. Genuine mahogany construction in rich natural finish. Neat pin-line inlaid ring at soundhole, rounded edges. Inlay back stripe. Genuine mahogany neck with rosewood fingerboard; bone nut and bone saddle, rosewood bridge. Tortoise shell celluloid guardplate. Nickelplated patent heads.

"Princess" Tiple Strings

Tiple Bridges

No. 285 Tiple bridge, ebonized................Each \$ 0.80



No. 96

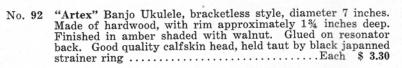


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Artex Banjo Ukuleles



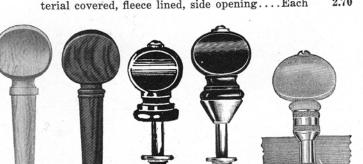
No. 95 "Artex" Bracket Banjo Ukulele, with 7 inch shell, veneered with birdseye maple in walnut stained finish. Hardwood neck with patent pegs; fingerboard accurately fretted, three pearl dots. Nickelplated strainer ring, ten nickelplated brackets and hooks; nickelplated adjustable tailpiece... Each \$ 7.00





Ukulele Bags and Cases

| | | Charter Bugs than | |
|-----|---|--|---------|
| No. | 1 | Ukulele felt bag, patent snap fastenersEach | \$ 0.70 |
| No. | 2 | Ukulele mackintosh bag, fleece lined, patent snap fastenersEach | 1.00 |
| No. | 3 | Ukulele canvas case, fleece lined, end opening Each | 2.00 |
| No. | 4 | Ukulele "Economo" case, black waterproof ma- | 2.70 |



Banjo Ukulele Bags and Cases

No. 8 Banjo Ukulele mackintosh bag, fleece lined, patent snap fasteners, for banjo ukulele without resonator

Each \$ 1.00

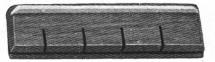
Ukulele Pegs

With holes

| No. 60 | Ukulele pegs, maple, good grade \$ 0.40 | Þ | 4.00 |
|--------|---|----|------|
| No. 61 | Ukulele pegs, boxwood, good quality 0.70 | | 7.00 |
| No. 63 | Ukulele pegs, patent friction, black or white buttons Per set of 4 | | 0.30 |
| No. 64 | Ukulele pegs, white or black ivory, celluloid buttons; nickelplated | | 0.60 |
| | GENUINE GROVER UKULELE PEGS | | |
| No. 92 | With black buttonsPer set of 4 | \$ | 1.20 |
| No. 93 | With white buttonsPer set of 4 | | 1.20 |

Ukulele Bridges

No. 61



No. 5

No. 2 Finest maple, notched ebony insert, obtainable in % and ½ inchesPer dozen \$ 1.00

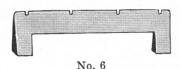
No. 5 Mahogany, bone fret. Very fine workmanship Per dozen \$ 1.50

Banjo Ukulele Resonators

No. 7 For 7-inch banjo ukulele Each \$ 1.50 No. 8 For 8-inch banjo ukulele Each 1.50

Banjo Ukulele Bridges

No. 93



No. 6 Hard maple, very durable, obtainable in % and ½ inches
Per dozen \$ 0.50

No. 19 Rock-maple, hand-made, notched ebony insert. ½ or % inches Per dozen \$ 2.00

Banjo Ukulele Heads

No. 11 9" for 7" rim....Each \$ 0.70 No. 12 11" for 8" rim....Each 0.90

Grover Banjo Ukulele Bridge

Dozen Gross



No. 3

No. 3/G Nontip banjo ukulele bridge. In ½ or % inch size
Per dozen \$ 3.00

Hawaiian Meri-Lies

No. 4 Made of crinkle paper in various colors. To wear around the neck Per dozen \$ 3.50

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Ukulele Pick Assortment



No. 76 Ukulele Pick Assortment of thirty picks ranging in retail price from \$0.10 to \$0.15.

Per assortment \$ 2.50

Ukulele Tuning Pipes



7 Ukulele Tuning Pipes, up and down style ...Per dozen \$ 3.50

Ukulele Picks



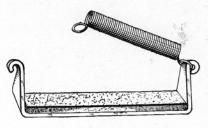
No. 71 No. 72 No. 71 Green felt, oval shaped.

No. 71 Green felt, ovar snaped.

Per dozen \$ 0.50

No. 72 Micro "Propic". Made of special high grade hard white felt, bevelled edges. Per dozen \$ 1.20

Ukulele Capo D'Astros



No. 4

No. 4 "Elton" Capo D'Astro, for playing ukulele in any key. Each in envelope with directions.

Per dozen \$ 1.50



No. 1 Metal, nickelplated. Dozen \$ 0.60

Banjo Ukulele Tailpieces No. 2

No 2 Nickelplated, with bolt and nut. Each \$ 0.18 Dozen \$ 1.80



Ukulele Gut Strings

Single Length

No. 10 Made of selected gut, true in tone, correctly gauged.

Ukulele 1st, gut ...Per bundle of 30 \$ 1.80

Ukulele 2nd, gut ...Per bundle of 30 1.80

Ukulele 3rd, gut ...Per bundle of 30 1.80

Ukulele 4th, gut ...Per bundle of 30 1.80

No. 110 Complete Sets of 4 Ukulele Gut Strings, each set in box. Per dozen sets in carton \$ 2.

 Ukulele 1st, silverplated steel
 Dozen
 Gross

 Ukulele 2nd, wound on steel
 0.70
 7.00

 Ukulele 3rd, wound on steel
 0.70
 7.00

 Ukulele 3rd, wound on steel
 0.70
 7.00

 Ukulele 4th, silverplated steel
 0.40
 4.00

 No. 18 Complete Sets of 4 "Elida" Steel Ukulele Strings, each set in box.

"Artex" Ukulele Strings

Artist Grade

Examination tone and durability.

No. 7 The 1st, 2nd, and the strings are selected Italian gut; the 3rd is highest grade silkenter, wound with silverplated wire.

Ukulele 1st, gut, ingle length ... Per bundle of 30 \$ 3.00

Ukulele 2nd, gut, ingle length ... Per bundle of 30 3.00

Ukulele 3rd, silk ceter wound ... Per bundle of 30 4.00

Ukulele 4th, gut, sigle length ... Per bundle of 30 3.00

