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1. Desk and Bookcase, about 1798-1808, mahogany, made by Thomas Seymour, probably with John Seymour, Boston, MA, Gift of an anonymous donor and the White House Historical Association, 1974, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
2. Card Table, about 1800, mahogany, Baltimore, MD, Gift of Mrs. Fred T. Couper, 1961, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
3. Wallpaper, about 1809-11, block-printed paper, Jacquemart et Bénard, Paris, France, lining a painted wood box, about 1811, China, Gift of the White House Historical Association, 1971, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
4. Soup tureen, about 1809-1817, silver, made by Jacques-Henri Fauconnier, Paris, France, U.S. Government purchase, 1817, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
5. Armchair, 1818, mahogany, made by William King Jr., Georgetown, DC, Gift of Mr. and Mrs. John Ford Sollers, Sr., 1986, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
6. Overmantel, *The President's House*, about 1824, watercolor on plaster, by Rufus Porter, Gift of the White House Historical Association, 1992, photo courtesy White House Historical Association



7. Shelf Clock, about 1825, mahogany, made by Simon Willard & Son, Roxbury, MA, Gift of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Meyer, 1961, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
8. Pier Table, 1829, mahogany, marble, mirror glass, made by Anthony Gabriel Quervelle, Philadelphia, PA, U.S. Government purchase, 1829, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
9. Compote, about 1853, cut and engraved glass, probably New York, NY, U.S. Government purchase, about 1853, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
10. Goblet, about 1840-60, ruby-stained glass, Bohemia, Gift of the White House Historical Association, 1993, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
11. Side Chair, about 1846, black walnut, made by J. & J.W. Meeks, New York, NY, U.S. Government purchase, 1846, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
12. Centerpiece (Pierce service), 1853, porcelain and Parian ware, decorated by Haughwout & Dailey, New York, NY, on French or English blank, U.S. Government purchase, 1853, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
13. Cabinet (*chigai dana*), about 1854, lacquered and gilded wood, Japan, Probable gift of the government of Japan, 1855, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
14. Dinner Plate (Lincoln service), about 1861, porcelain, decorated by E. V. Haughwout & Co., New York, NY, on French blank, U.S. Government purchase, 1861, photo courtesy White House Historical Association
15. Dessert Stand (Lincoln service), about 1861, porcelain, decorated by E. V. Haughwout & Co., New York, NY, on French blank, U.S. Government purchase, 1861, photo courtesy White House Historical Association



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16. Mantel Clock, about 1869, marble and malachite, France, U.S. Government purchase, 1869, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

17. Centerpiece (Hiawatha boat), 1871, silver, made by Gorham Mfg Co., Providence, RI, Possibly a gift from Gorham Mfg. Co., about 1876, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

18. Armchair, about 1875, gilded ash, made by Herter Brothers, New York, NY, U.S. Government purchase, 1875, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

19. Dinner Platter (Hayes service), 1880, porcelain, made by Haviland & Co., Limoges, France, designed by Theodore R. Davis, U.S. Government purchase, 1880, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

20. Sconce, about 1891, brass and cut glass, American, U.S. Government purchase, 1891, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

21. Vase, 1898, porcelain and gilded metal, made by the National Porcelain Manufactory of Sèvres, Paris, France, Gift of the French Republic, 1898, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

22. Armchair, State Dining Room, 1902, white oak and cane, made by A. H. Davenport, Boston, designed by McKim, Mead & White, New York, NY, U.S. Government purchase, 1903, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

23. Andirons, about 1902, brass, France, U.S. Government purchase, 1902, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

24. Cabinet, about 1904, white oak, made by Gustav Stickley, Eastwood, NY, U.S. Government purchase, 1904, photo courtesy White House Historical Association



25. Service Plate (Wilson service), 1918, porcelain, made by Lenox, Inc., Trenton, NJ, U.S. Government purchase, 1918, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

26. Coverlet, 1925-27, crocheted shoe thread, made by Grace Goodhue Coolidge, Washington, DC, Gift of Grace Coolidge, 1927, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

27. Desk (Monroe reproduction *secrtaire*), 1932, mahogany, made by Morris W. Dove, Washington, DC, U.S. Government purchase, 1932, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

28. Kennedy pattern, four modern glasses: Champagne Glass, 1961, made by Morgantown Glass Guild, Morgantown, WV, U.S. Government purchase, 1961; Water Glass, 1974, made by Fostoria, Wheeling, WV, U.S. Government purchase, 1974; Dinner Wine Glass and Dessert Wine Glass, 1991, made by Lenox, Inc., Trenton, NJ, U.S. Government purchase, 1991; photo courtesy White House Historical Association

29. Service Plate (Reagan service), 1982, porcelain, made by Lenox, Inc., Trenton, NJ, Gift of The Knapp Foundation, 1982, photo courtesy White House Historical Association

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