

Encyclopedia of Country Furniture

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A comprehensive guide to country furniture from around the world.