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WONDERBOW
LAMINATED FIBER GLASS

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FULL VIEW SIGHT WINDOW

DECORATIVE BOW TIP

CONTOUR LEATHER HANDLE

WONDERBOW has been engineered and styled to meet the acceptance standards of even the **most discriminating** archer or bow hunter. The requisites demanded by those "in the archery know" is a bow that's sm-o-o-th, fast and powerful with equal pull build-up all the way to full draw—and a recoil that is as shockless as slow motion. These are basic design features of the Shakespeare **WONDERBOW**!

WONDERBOW is **fast**—your arrow travels a flat trajectory at peak velocity.

WONDERBOW is **smooth**—weight build-up is uniform all the way to full draw—the bow hand feels little or no jar when the arrow is released.

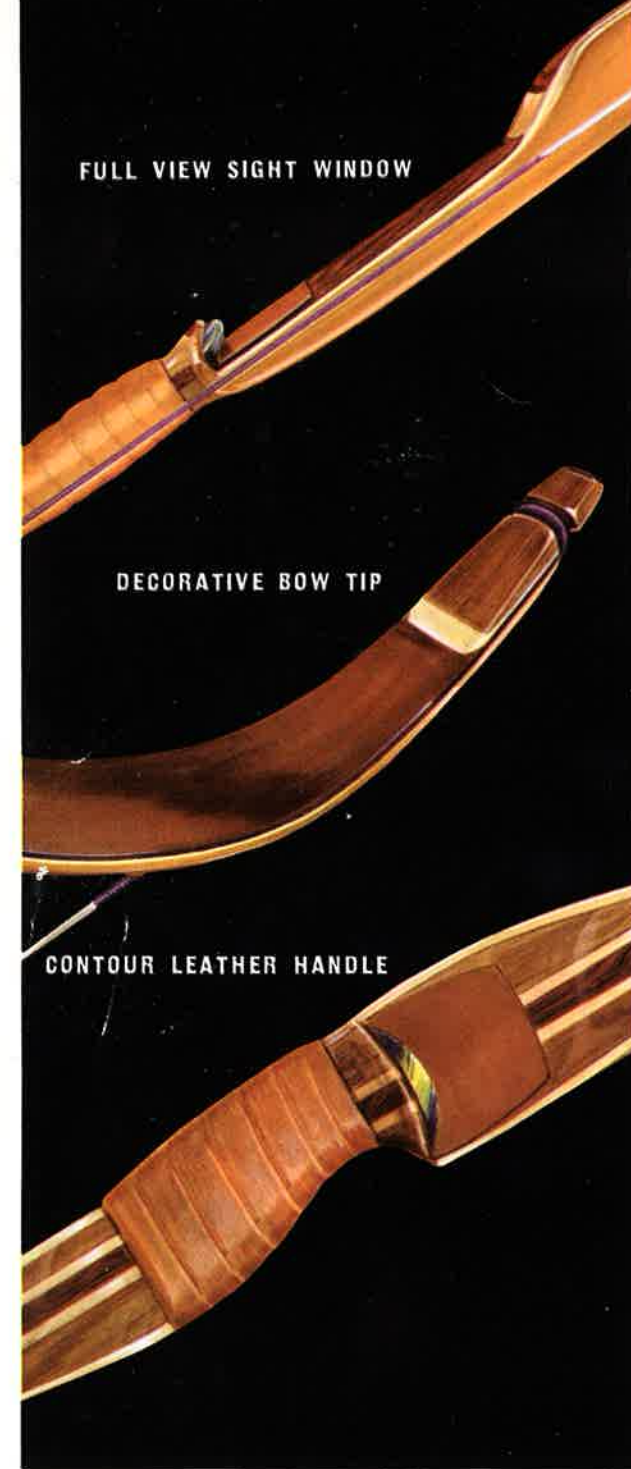
WONDERBOW is **light**—easy to carry.

WONDERBOW is **accurate**—the open center-shot window lets you aim faster—the full target picture is yours in seconds.

WONDERBOW is **powerful**—its built-in power maintains its rated weight in hot or cold weather.

WONDERBOW is **graceful**—it bespeaks "pride of ownership."

WONDERBOW, a product of modern technology. The finest bow it is possible to manufacture; a bow that radiates elegance and promises unexcelled performance—a bow thrilling to shoot . . . a pleasure to own. A Shakespeare product to completely satisfy the needs of the most discriminating archer.



NO. W200 WonderBow Set. Complete kit for hunting and field. Contains 45 lb. No. 200 Wonderbow, 1/2 doz. field and 1/2 doz. hunting arrows; also shooting glove, arm guard, bow case. Complete Kit . . . \$107.50

NO. W400 WonderBow Set. Contains 45 lb. Wonderbow (No. 400), dacron bow string; also 1-doz. arrows, shoulder quiver, shooting glove, arm guard. Complete Kit . . . \$69.95

NO. W600 WonderBow Set. For hunting or field. Contains 30 lb. Wonderbow (No. 600) with dacron bow string; also 1/2 doz. arrows, leather shoulder quiver, shooting glove, arm guard and 24" target. Complete Kit . . . \$39.95

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DOUBLE LOOP BOW STRINGS Hot-stretched, stranded dacron

- D100D** For model 100 WonderBow — String Length 62 1/4". Specify (30 to 40), (40 to 50) or (50 to 60) lbs.
- D200D** For model 200 Wonderbow — String Length 56 1/4". Specify (30 to 40), (40 to 50) or (50 to 60) lbs.
- D300D** For model 300 WonderBow — String Length 58 1/4". Specify (30 to 40), (40 to 50) or (50 to 65) lbs.
- D400D** For model 400 WonderBow — String Length 60 1/4". Specify (30 to 40), (40 to 50) or (50 to 60) lbs.
- D500D** For model 500 WonderBow — String Length 57 1/4". Specify (30 to 40), (40 to 50) or (50 to 60) lbs.
- D600D** For model 600 Wonderbow — String Length 53 1/4". Specify (20 to 30) or (30 to 40) lbs.



SHAKESPEARE WONDERBOW STRINGS. Each . . . \$2.00

Send today for new 24 page Shakespeare Parabow Archery Catalog featuring the entire line of solid fiber glass bows, sets, and accessories in vivid four color illustrations.



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Designed for target and field archers who demand the ultimate in a tournament grade, recurved bow. The contoured handle is of laminated maple, walnut and African rosewoods. Extra high, full sight, center shot window—leather arrow plate—feathered arrow rest. Multi-ply rock white maple core is permanently bonded to split-resistant, uni-directional fiber glass; buff colored face, soft brown back; ivory and brown reinforced tips. Equipped with hot stretched, stranded dacron bowstring—nylon served. Specify weight, also RH for right hand and LH for left hand. RH-100—30 lb., 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60. LH-100—30 lb., 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60.

Length 66" • All Draw Weights @ 28" • Model 100 WONDERBOW \$79.50 each.

MODEL 100

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THE SHAKESPEARE LAMINATED STORY

In a Shakespeare WONDERBOW, as in a patented glass fiber Wonderod for fishing, the usage of glass fibers provides STRENGTH, DURABILITY and LONG WEAR. Thousands of glass fibers, strung under tension and parallel to each other, are bonded together with plastic resins into glass strips. These glass strips are used in the facing and backing of a Shakespeare WONDERBOW.

The impregnated color is permanent. Since each of the thousands of resin bonded fibers are parallel and run the entire length of the bow, BACKBONE and POWER are the natural results. And, it is in the fashioning of these paralleled fiber glass strips wherein lies the secret of WONDERBOW's smoothness, power, uniformity and non-recoil shock performance.

When the bow is full drawn, each of the thousands of fiber glass strands in the facing and in the backing are under equal stress and "share the load" uniformly. THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE DRAW A SMOOTH MULTIPLYING FORCE is being GENERATED so that when the arrow is released, it is dispatched with MAXIMUM VELOCITY.

Structurally, of almost equal importance as the glass fiber face and backing, is WONDERBOW's inner layers of hard maple which provides light weight, resiliency and the structural core. These plies are step-down tapered and electronically bonded together. The glass fiber facing and backing strips are then LAMINATED to the multi-ply tapered maple core. Together, these structurally combined elements give Shakespeare WONDERBOW the ultimate in lightness for handling ease and provide multiplying load velocity power for smooth shooting performance.

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MODEL 200

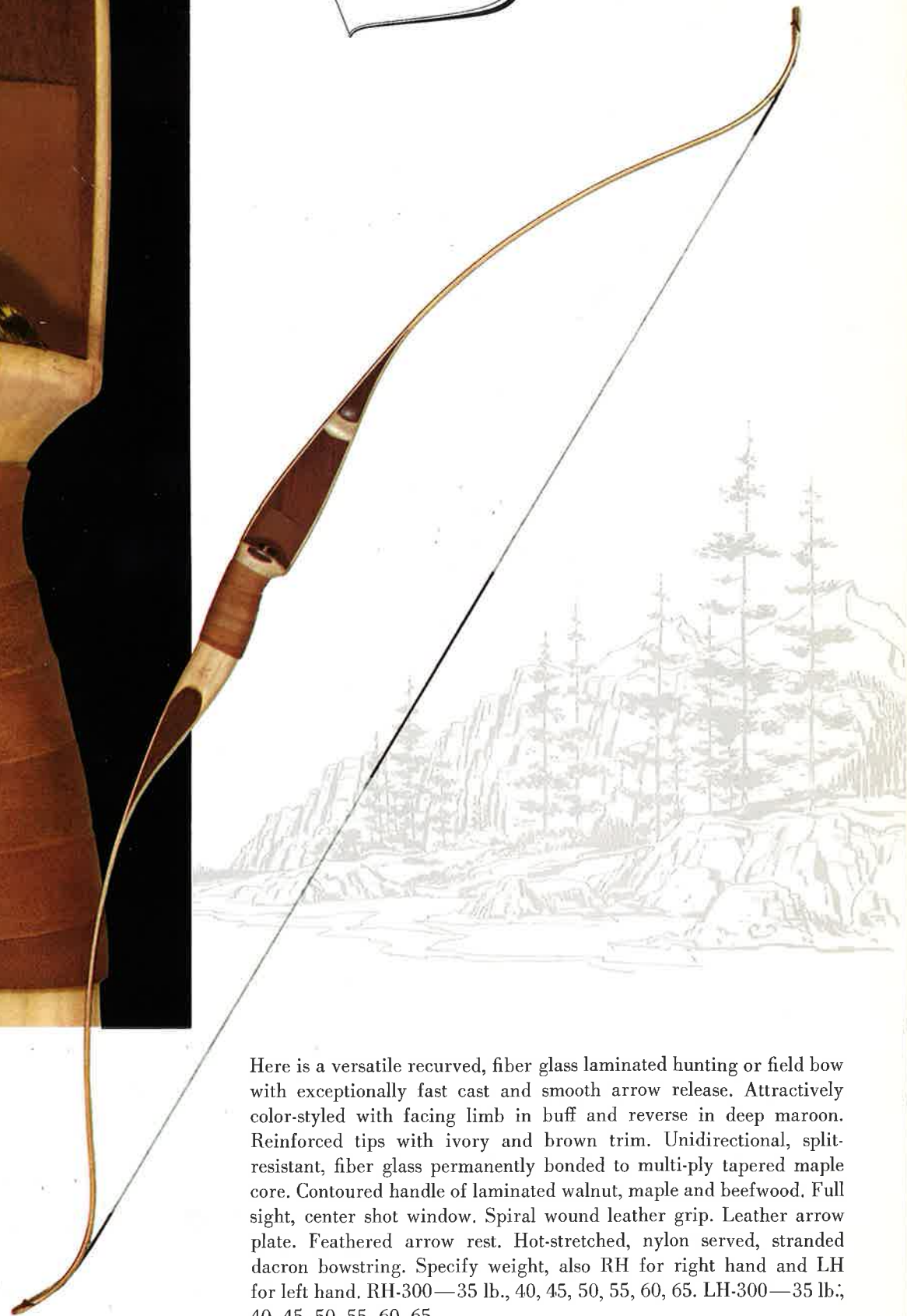
Powerful, full working recurve, laminated fiber glass hunting or field bow. Center shot, hunting style window to aim straight fast—you shoot with greater accuracy. Contoured handle of laminated maple, walnut and African rosewoods. Spiral wound leather grip—leather arrow plate—feathered arrow rest for "whisper quiet" shooting action. Glass fiber limb face is finished in buff—back in soft brown. Reinforced tips have ivory and brown trim. Multi-ply tapered rock hard maple core with permanently bonded, split-resistant, unidirectional fiber glass. Equipped with hot-stretched, stranded dacron bowstring—nylon served. Specify weights, also RH for right hand and LH for left hand. RH-200—35 lb., 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65. LH-200—35 lb., 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65.

Length—60" • All Draw Weights @ 28" • Model 200 WONDERBOW \$75.00 each.

NO. W200 WonderBow Set. Complete kit for hunting and field. Contains 45 lb. No. 200 Wonderbow, ½ doz. field and ½ doz. hunting arrows; also shooting glove, arm guard, bow case. Complete Kit.....\$107.50



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Here is a versatile recurved, fiber glass laminated hunting or field bow with exceptionally fast cast and smooth arrow release. Attractively color-styled with facing limb in buff and reverse in deep maroon. Reinforced tips with ivory and brown trim. Unidirectional, split-resistant, fiber glass permanently bonded to multi-ply tapered maple core. Contoured handle of laminated walnut, maple and beefwood. Full sight, center shot window. Spiral wound leather grip. Leather arrow plate. Feathered arrow rest. Hot-stretched, nylon served, stranded dacron bowstring. Specify weight, also RH for right hand and LH for left hand. RH-300—35 lb., 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65. LH-300—35 lb., 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65.

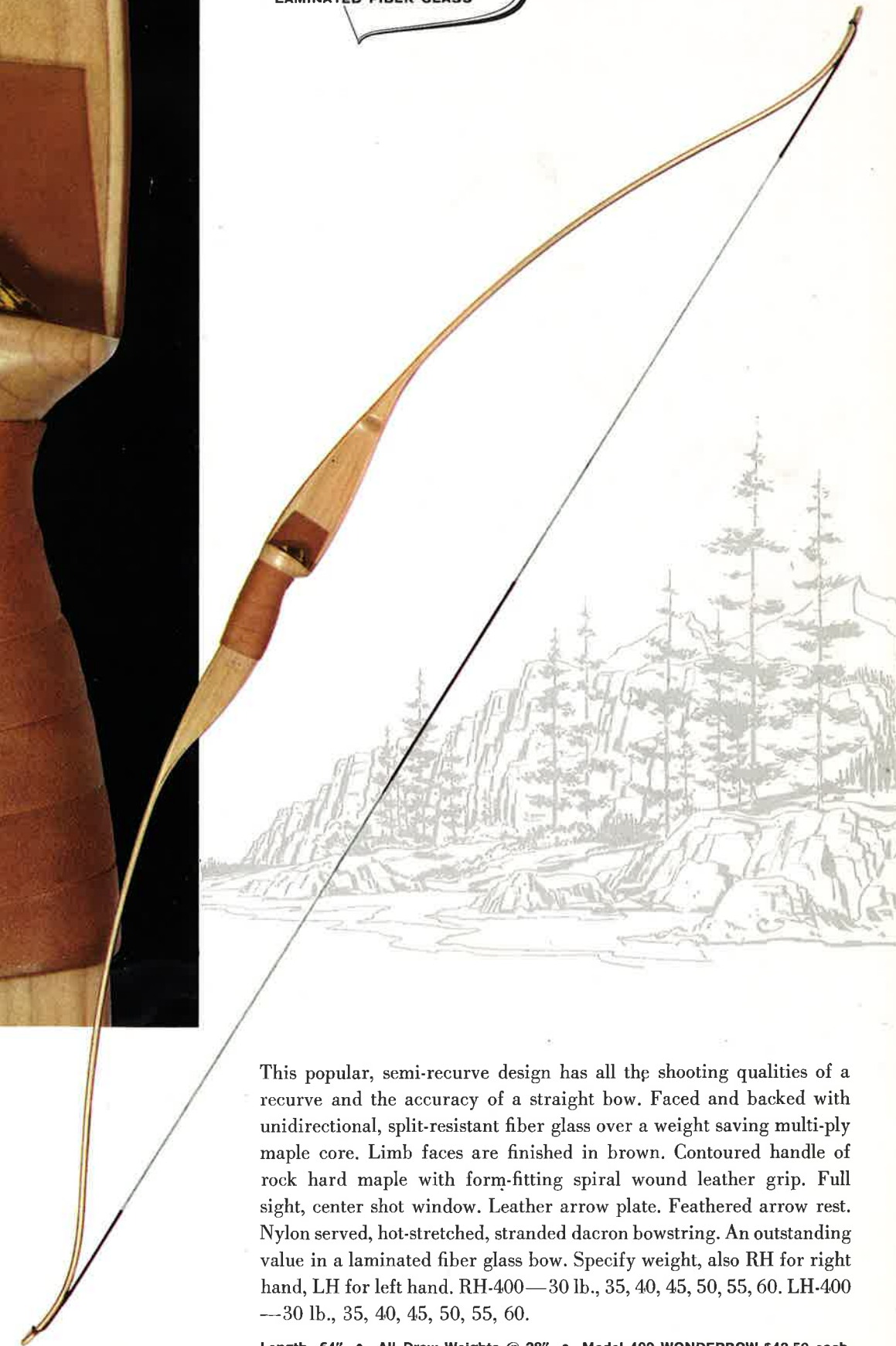
Length—62" • All Draw Weights @ 28" • Model 300 WONDERBOW \$62.50 each.

MODEL 300

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This popular, semi-recurve design has all the shooting qualities of a recurve and the accuracy of a straight bow. Faced and backed with unidirectional, split-resistant fiber glass over a weight saving multi-ply maple core. Limb faces are finished in brown. Contoured handle of rock hard maple with form-fitting spiral wound leather grip. Full sight, center shot window. Leather arrow plate. Feathered arrow rest. Nylon served, hot-stretched, stranded dacron bowstring. An outstanding value in a laminated fiber glass bow. Specify weight, also RH for right hand, LH for left hand. RH-400—30 lb., 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60. LH-400—30 lb., 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60.

Length—64" • All Draw Weights @ 28" • Model 400 WONDERBOW \$42.50 each.

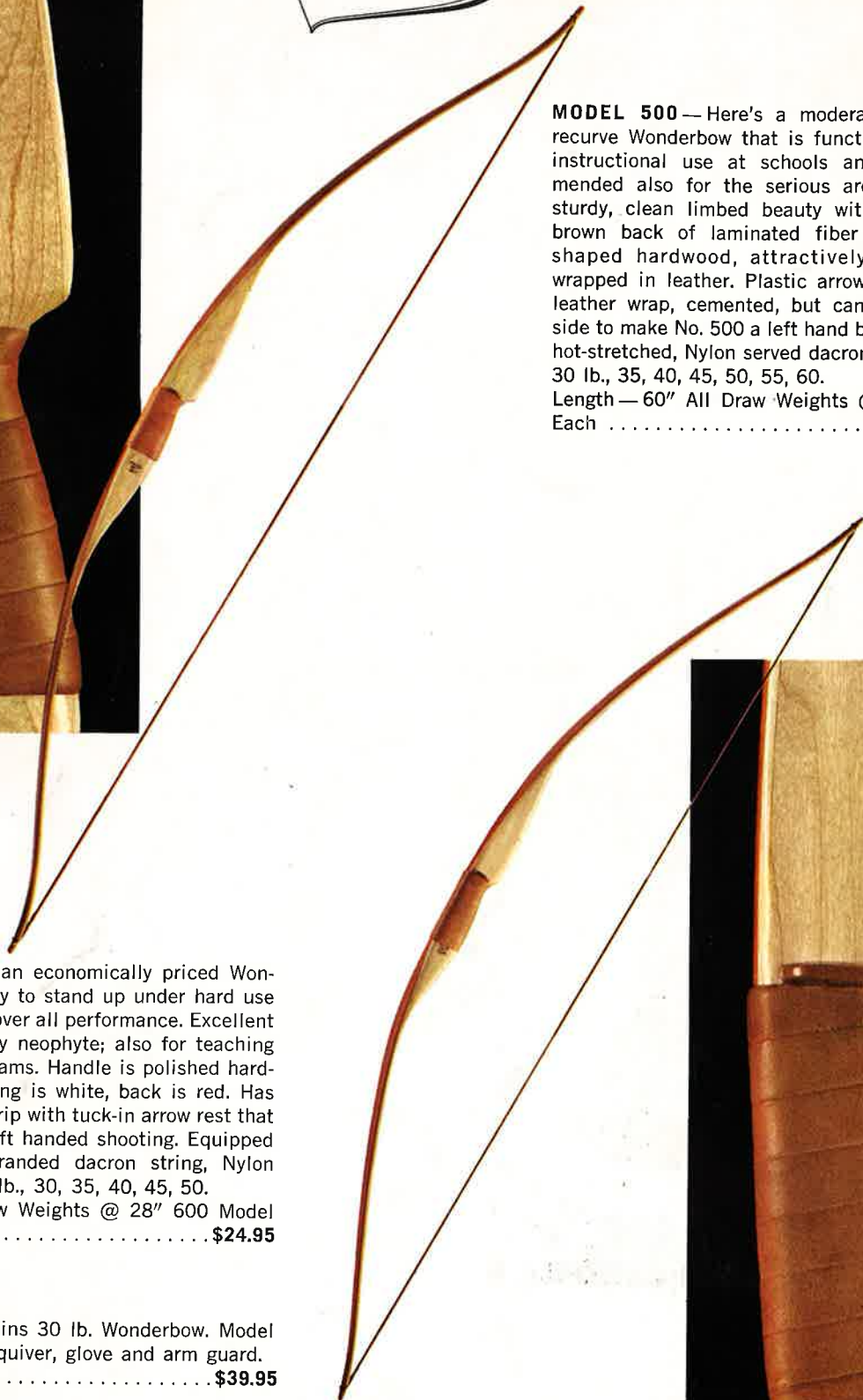
MODEL 400

NO. W400 WonderBow Set. Contains 45 lb. Wonderbow (No. 400), dacron bow string; also 1-doz. arrows, shoulder quiver, shooting glove, arm guard. Complete Kit\$69.95

MODEL 500



MODEL 500— Here's a moderately priced semi-recurve Wonderbow that is functionally perfect for instructional use at schools and camps; recommended also for the serious archery beginner. A sturdy, clean limbed beauty with white face and brown back of laminated fiber glass. Handle is shaped hardwood, attractively grained; spiral wrapped in leather. Plastic arrow rest tucks under leather wrap, cemented, but can be put on other side to make No. 500 a left hand bow. Equipped with hot-stretched, Nylon served dacron string. No. 500— 30 lb., 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60.
 Length— 60" All Draw Weights @ 28" 500 Model Each\$32.50



MODEL 600— Here's an economically priced Wonderbow with the ability to stand up under hard use and still deliver solid over all performance. Excellent for the serious archery neophyte; also for teaching and recreational programs. Handle is polished hardwood. Glass fiber facing is white, back is red. Has spiral wound leather grip with tuck-in arrow rest that can be changed for left handed shooting. Equipped with hot-stretched stranded dacron string, Nylon served. No. 600—25 lb., 30, 35, 40, 45, 50.
 Length— 56" All Draw Weights @ 28" 600 Model Each\$24.95

No. W600 Kit— Contains 30 lb. Wonderbow. Model 600; 1/2-dozen arrows, quiver, glove and arm guard.
 No. W600 Kit\$39.95

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MODEL 600