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| <u>Möbler</u> | | Transport | 246.65 | 12,333.30 |
|----------------------|---------------------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| <u>I Köks kammar</u> | | | | |
| 1 sty | Wäggur | | 12 | |
| 1 " | Skåp | | 5 | |
| 1 " | Styckelstap | | 50 | |
| 1 " | Stapbord | | 1.50 | |
| 1 " | Dito - mindre | | 1 | |
| 1 " | Stabord - dito | | 1 | |
| 1 " | Soffa med öfverdrag | | 3 | |
| 1 " | Dito - digg | | 5 | |
| 1 " | Kommod | | 75 | |
| 1 " | Spegel | | 1 | |
| 1 " | Dito med låda | | 1.50 | |
| 1 " | Flaskfoder | | 1.50 | |

This is a small part of an estate inventory (probate), in a Swedish *bouppteckning*, which was done after the death of the county court judge (*häradshövding*) Sven Jansson in Haborshyttan, Nordmark (Värmland). Sven died in 1857 Jan. 9 of dropsy after having been born 1793 March 28 in nearby Lersjöed in Färnebo parish. Sven was survived by his

widow Carolina Abrahamsson (b. 1794), sons Johan (b. 1821) and Carl Magnus (b. 1829), and daughter Stina Cajsa (b. 1823).

Sven was a wealthy man and there are pages and pages with all his property, in total 32 pages.

The above page lists all the items that were to be found in the servants' room, usually situated behind the

kitchen. Sven and Carolina seem to have had two maids for indoor work, and a couple of male hands for doing farm work, but also to work in the mines, which Sven owned partly.

Sven's probate is found in the records of Färnebo *Häradshövding*, volume F IIa:52, page 1823.

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