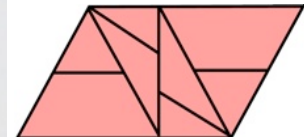


Richter Anchor Stone Puzzle No. 27



RICHTER STONE PUZZLES.

This is one of the many fascinating styles of Richter stone puzzles. Each box contains, not one puzzle, but from 90 to 150 different problems.

The design book shows the problems. Each solution must be an exact copy of the problem shown in the book and must utilize all the stones. In your first attempt you will realize how difficult it is- and how enthralling. Many happy hours will be spent over these unique stones. When you have solved a problem once that does not end that puzzle, for you will find that the solution will defy you again on your next attempt.

Children love them. Grown folks find them welcome diversion on long Winter evenings and tiresome journeys. For convalescents and shut-ins they are a great boon. Countless pleasant hours are found in each set and when you have finally conquered this box there are many other styles, each entirely different from this one.

F. Ad. Richter & Co., Germany, early 1900's.
 (cardboard box 2.25" x 4" x 7/16", 8 stone pieces, and booklet;
 the *Anchor Puzzle Book* dates this puzzle as first made in 1917;
 similar in construction to the *Anchor Puzzle Tangram*;
 the inside of the cover shows how to pack the pieces into the box;
 the booklet has English text on the inside of the covers shown above,
 and 32 pages with 98 shapes to make,
 where the first is the rectangle for the box packing
 and the second is the parallelogram shown above)