

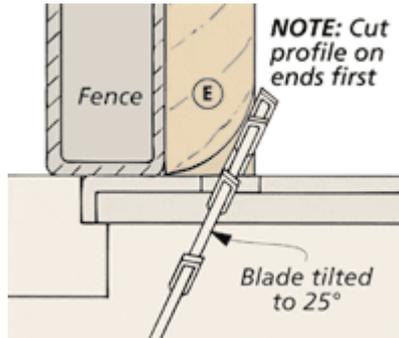
## Table Saw Roundovers

Shaping an irregular roundover, like the one shown in the photo below, is really an easy three-step process. With the profile traced out on the end of the stock, I use a table saw to remove most of the waste, see Steps 1 and 2. By tilting the blade, it's easy stay outside of the layout lines.

Then to remove the remaining waste and refine the profile, I use a sanding block or hand plane, as you can see in Step 3.

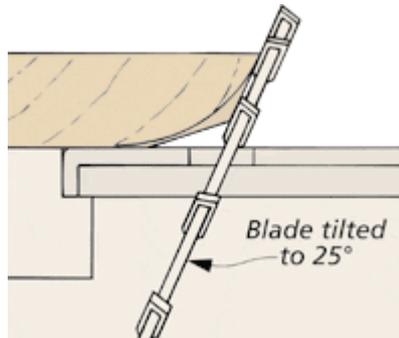
Have a nice weekend,

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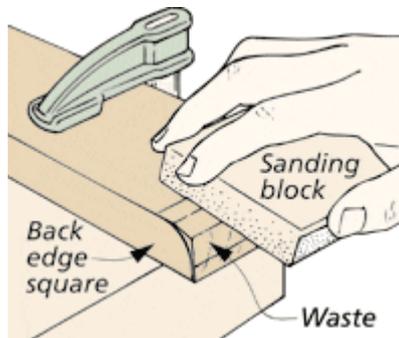
**1**

Starting on any edge with end grain to avoid tearout, tilt the saw blade to approximately 25° and make the first series of cuts.



**2**

For the second set of cuts, simply flip the workpiece around and place it so it lies flat on the table saw.



**3**

Finally, sand or plane away the remaining waste to smooth out the roundover and complete the profile.