

# **CLOTHING: AMERICAN REVOLUTIONARY WAR – 18<sup>TH</sup> Century reproductions**

## **OVERVIEW OF THE OBJECTS**

- Repository:** Crandall Public Library.  
Folklife Center  
Glens Falls, NY.
- Creator:** Anne Clothier
- Title:** Clothing: American Revolutionary War – 18<sup>th</sup> Century Reproductions
- Dates:** Made and acquired in 2002
- Quantity:** Three items of clothing and one tool (reproductions)
- Identification:** Folk Art & Artifacts

## **BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE**

Anne Clothier grew up with history on a farm that's been in the family for 150 years. Her mother is a museum curator, and both parents collect antiques. Anne began volunteering at the Saratoga National Historical Park in 1995, and has been a traveling member of the re-enactment community since 1997. She sews 18th century clothing, spins wool, works with medicinal herbs, and provides historical programs to school groups. Anne is currently a history major at the State University at New York, College at Oneonta, with minors in Apparel/Textiles and Women's studies.

## **INDEX TERMS**

- Topics:** Clothing  
American Revolutionary War
- Places:** Saratoga National Historical Park
- Important People:** Anne Clothier
- Form/Genre:** realia

## **ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

**Preferred Citation:** Clothing: American Revolutionary War – 18<sup>th</sup> Century Reproductions  
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**Accession Information:** Made and acquired in 2002.

**Processing Information:** Arranged and described by Erica Gonyea, March 2019

## **DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECTS**

Child's jacket  
Ladies cap  
Busk – worn under a lady's clothing  
Drop spindle – for hand spinning wool yarn

## **NOTE:**

Made and acquired in 2002, and used in the exhibition, *Crafts of the Rev War Community*, as a part of the project, *Revolutionary Lives: To Commemorate the 225th Anniversary of the Battles of Saratoga*, presented by the Folklife Center at Crandall Public Library, October-November 2002