

19th CENTURY MILLINERY WORKSHOPS available from MILLER'S MILLINERY



Bonnet c. 1862



Night cap c. 1857



Fashionable Day Caps 1861

COVER A BONNET (choice of styles 1800–1880) - Experience the thrill of making your own bonnet. Students will cover a pre-made foundation, experimenting with a variety of trim techniques as seen on original bonnets. Experience with hand sewing is recommended. 6 hours [Materials fee @ \$85.00]

DAY CAPS & NIGHT CAPS (1800-1880) – Use basic hand sewing skills to stitch a white cotton day or night cap suitable for young ladies and women. Choice of styles and trim. 6 hours [Materials fee \$30.00]

FASHIONABLE DAY CAP (1800-1865) – Each student will choose a style and hand sew a cotton cap. Multiple trimming techniques will be available to individualize each cap. 6 hours [Materials fee \$35.00]

HEADDRESSES: PATRIOTIC & FORMAL (1830-1865) – Students will cover the foundation for a wreath or coronet style headdress and add ribbons, beads, flowers and feathers to complete it. Basic hand sewing. 3 hours [Materials fee \$35.00]

FLAT CAPS (1840-1865) – Worn as decorative rather than useful caps, these whimsical shapes are simply constructed of cotton net, lace, ribbons and flowers. Students will sew a white or black cap, edge it with lace, and trim it with colored ribbons and/or flowers. 3 hours [Materials fee \$30.00]



Headdresses late 1850's and early 1860's



Flat Cap 1861

Individual workshops can be tailored to fit your specific needs and time period requirements. Owing to multiple choices of styles, trims and colors available at each workshop, every participant will create a uniquely authentic piece of millinery.

Please contact Lynnette Miller at bonnets@embarqmail.com or at the address below for complete details regarding your chosen workshops.

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