

After the Goldrush by Pat Gibson his piece of rusty metal from an old gold m

This piece of rusty metal from an old gold mine gave rise to the panel, worked in needlelace using fine dyed merino wool. Aged with metal paint and patinating fluid. 20x50



Coal from the clouds by Pat Gibson

This is Pat's tribute to the harsh conditions of the miners on the Denniston Plateau, New Zealand. Needlelace stitches embellish the photographs. 23x25 (each panel)



Cogs
by Ann Collier
Inspired by the open back of a watch and the way the cogs
interlocked, Ann experimented with Tenerife lace and found it
could produce cog shapes in different sizes. 22 diameter



Cogs II

by Ann Collier

Having worked cogs in Tenerife lace, Ann experimented on a larger scale inspired by large clock workings. 45 diameter



Cogwheel
by Anne Dyer
People discard things at Westhope College. In one consignment
was a cheap plastic-framed mirror. It wasn't needed but Anne
couldn't throw it away. So it was encased in bobbin lace. 32
diameter



Cogs
by Margaret Clark
Inspired by the Derbyshire dales where disused water-powered
machinery is overgrown by flowers and grasses, the panel hangs
over a doorway or window to admit light but exclude insects.
200x90



Descending Spiral
by Ann Wheeler
Inspired initially by worm cogs (loved the name) spirals in all their
forms then took over. Worked in bobbin lace and paper yarn. 16
diameter by 50



Dilemma 1 - Dancers
by Gil Dye
Turbines are taking over the world, marching across the world.
Good or bad? Cleaner and more elegant than coal, safer than nuclear, but what damage is done by their installation? 72×40



Dilemma 2 - Tracks
by Gil Dye
Unexpected benefits of marine turbines are the artificial reefs
formed around the bases which provide feeding stations for seals
and other marine life. 45x30x10



by Gil Dye
Unwanted machinery litters our countryside; what will happen to our turbines when they are no longer viable? [At the centre of *Redundan*t are the unused trials for *Dancers* and *Tracks*].

20x10x6



Disarticulated Barmen
by Mary Coleman
Lace machines cleverly imitated hand-made lace leading to the demise of the industry. In a Luddite gesture, the machine has metaphorically been taken apart and put together randomly.
36x60 (frame)



"Drumming out time without ever knowing what time it is" (under Milk Wood)
by Anne Dyer
When time goes out of control, so do men's thoughts. This is portrayed in Dylan's play. 28x34

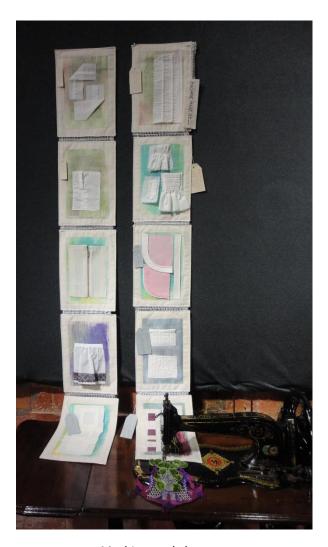


Flight
by Alison Tolson
Humans took countless years to invent machinery to enable
flight. Insects get the thrust to go forward and lift to stay aloft by
beating their wings using nature's prime engine - muscle!

24x15x10



Lacemakers?
by Ann Wheeler
Using paper, stitch and antique lace to show how the rapid development of lacemaking machines led to the loss of income for the rural lacemakers. 52x20



Machine made by......
by Pat Gibson
Pat bought a Wilcox and Gibbs chain stitch machine. The history
of the sewing machine has been brought up to date showing
modern uses including machine made lace. 26x18 (each panel)



Machines replace men by Anne Dyer Sitting in a meeting, the bars of the chairs looked like men, turned into husks, jobless and hopeless. 120x35



Pearl's a singer and Ruby Tuesday by Deborah Robinson

Twisted swarf machine waste provided the basis for works for Inspired by Machinery – crochet collages representing song titles form the 1960s and 70s, constructed from curly individual shapes.

40x30 (each panel)



Propeller
by Ann Allison
One section of Ann's earlier piece 'Twirly Whirly' looked like the blade of a fan; repeating the segment created a propeller. 110 diameter



Rust and Renewal by Robina Melville

Weeds growing through discarded farm machinery inspired Robina to make a piece celebrating the resilience of the natural world in the face of the destruction wrought by machinery, and mankind. 44x24x21



The Chattering Damsel
by Margaret Clark
The ghost of a 'damsel' surrounds the corn-milling device, which
took her name and her livelihood. She muses sadly on the fate of
those who lose their jobs to machines. 30x14 (figure)



Turbine
by Anne Dyer
Piping threads from the hot glue gun onto coloured paper, the glue absorbs the dye. These threads became lace, inspired by the view into a turbine engine from behind. 29x29



Warped
by Pamela Layzell
Pamela was fascinated by the lace-like quality of threads on a
warping machine. What if these threads misbehaved and made
bits of lace along the way? 103x60x145



Waterwheel
by Anne Dyer
Anne doesn't feel that soft textile and hard metal echo each
other. So she thought of the soft swirl of water going past a
wheel, contrasting with its hard surface. 32x90x47



Weaving Shed
by Pamela Layzell
Inspired by threads on a loom, each component represents the
shed, through which the shuttle passes. The repeated
components represent industrialisation and the many looms in
the weaving sheds. 30x100x25ib



The Unseeing Eye by Kitty Mason

The clockwork mechanism of lighthouses was removed when they were automated and the lighthouse keepers no longer exist. Kitty's piece is based on someone looking out from the light towards the sea but in fact there is no-one there and the eye is empty and unseeing. Strips of lace represent the waves lit by the lighthouse. In front of them is the unseeing eye. 48cmx48cm