



FLY NETS



Very few visitors to the O'Hara Mill Homestead have any idea what this old leather webbing on display was used for in days gone by.

It's a fly net, put over the horses' backs, on top of the harness, when doing fieldwork during fly season.

As the horses move, the net gently moves back and forth, discouraging biting insects such as deer flies and horse flies from bothering the horses.



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