

LA PLATA COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
**ANIMAS MUSEUM**  
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Virtual Exhibit  
Junior Curator Sheet

**Females Pumping Iron**

1. What day was the traditional laundry day in the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries?

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2. About how heavy is a gallon of water?

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3. Name two types of equipment women used for washing that we no longer use today:

a. \_\_\_\_\_ b. \_\_\_\_\_

4. What are two appliances we have today that make laundry day easier?

a. \_\_\_\_\_ b. \_\_\_\_\_

5. What day was the traditional day for ironing in the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries?

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6. Name four different types of irons:

a. \_\_\_\_\_ b. \_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_ d. \_\_\_\_\_



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