

WORD SEARCH

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Spanish Influenza

Dr Watkins

Griffith

Museum

Mask

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World War One

Hospital

Medicine

Hanwood Hall

Australia

Epidemic

Doctor

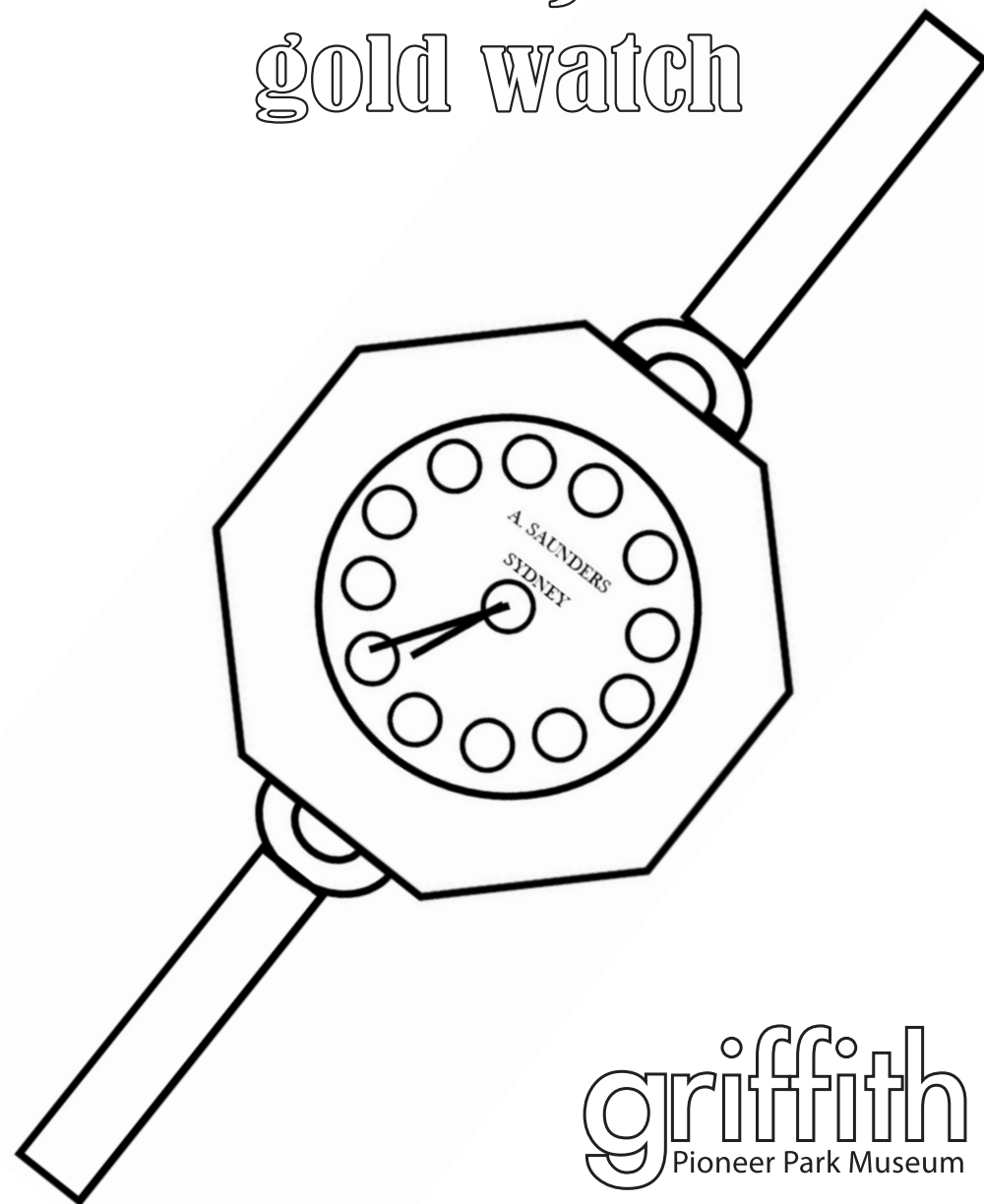
Gold watch

Pandemic

History

Nurse

The Spanish Influenza and Nurse Jenkins' gold watch



griffith
Pioneer Park Museum

Watch the video about the Spanish Influenza and Nurse Jenkins' gold watch, and answer these questions!

1. When was the Spanish Influenza or “Spanish Flu” pandemic active across the world?

2. What happened at this time that enabled the Spanish Flu to spread so rapidly?

3. Although it was called the “Spanish Influenza”, where was the first case officially reported?

4. What was one of the reasons that the pandemic was called the “Spanish Flu”?

5. 5 million people lived in Australia at the time of the “Spanish Influenza. How many of them were infected by the Spanish flu?

6. What was the doctor’s name that treated the sick people of Griffith?

7. What did the doctor receive from the Griffith residents as a “thank you” for all his hard work?

8. What gift did Nurse Jenkins receive from the Griffith residents to thank her for her help with the Spanish Influenza?

9. What protective nurse’s uniform did she wear to protect her from the Spanish Influenza?

10. Bonnie, Curator of Griffith Pioneer Park Museum, handled Nurse Jenkins’ watch with fine white cotton gloves. Why do you think she wore the gloves when handling the watch?

Discuss with your classmates!

11. Griffith was gazetted as a town in 1916. What do you think Griffith would have looked like back in 1919?

12. During the outbreak the only medical facilities that the community had were small makeshift hospitals such as at the old Hanwood Hall. Do you think those people who contracted the “Spanish Flu” would have had the same medical care that we have now at the Griffith Base Hospital?