

Castle Oron The Dining-Room



The china on display on the table and in the chest dates back to the 19th century. It was purchased by Adolphe Gaïffe, owner of the castle from 1870 until his death in 1903. The pieces are a 1868 Wedgwood set, a Limoges coffee and tea service set, and Baccarat crystal pieces...



Detail:



The Stove

The stove is made of same size tiles, each row offset by half a tile. Each tile includes a visible face which is enamelled and painted. At the back an anchoring frame has been hand-built. It is filled with stones or pebbles, then it is girdled with silt, in order to store, then radiate heat progressively.

The Lausanne potters made blue decorations with cobalt until the 1770s. They often worked with travelling bone-china painters. Most often the pictures show landscapes and genre scenes.

