

into the end of every fringe. Th. about 6 mm. L. about 10.6 cm.

L. of warp direction excl. fringe 171.4 cm. L. of incompl. weft direction 32.1 cm.

Near the cordlike selvage and somewhat above the middle the mantle was gathered into three small bags containing Ephedra twigs. Only one of these is preserved. Pl. 26:4 and Fig. 32.

36:4. Footwear of raw hide, made after about the same pattern as 5.E:2. The hair turned outside on the sole, otherwise turned inside. The top and upper part in one, with only one seam running from the opening to the front and sideways. The tops have been tied together with one strap at each side. The upper edge of the tops is serrated. Into the toe are inserted three red ends of wool and remnants of small feathers. Between heel and arch the sole has a notch at each side. Both soles are joined in front with a narrow piece. The shoes seem scarcely to have been used. L. 26.5 W. 10.5 H. 18 cm. In each shoe an inner sole: a square piece of brown lambskin with curly wool, finished with scallop stitching of red, untwisted woollen yarn 3—4 mm. thick. The sole in the left shoe 11×19 cm., the one in the right shoe has one end torn off, the edging is gone, size about 10×24 cm. Pl. 26:6.

36:5. Small basket, plaited of grass and dicotyledonous roots and stems. Of the same shape and make as those from Cemetery 5, but decorated with net pattern. Cf. Mr. Ljungh's analysis, Appendix II. Thick handle of brown woollen cord. The basket is partly broken. H. 19.5 cm. Diam. about 11 cm. Pl. 26:1.

36:6. Basket cover of white felt. Has been attached with white strings on top of —:5.

36:7. Portion of fringe-like loin-cloth consisting of braided white woollen cord, round which alternately red and undyed white long double-wool strands have been laid and drawn together with a loop. Two undyed strands of wool, each folded with one loop alternating with two double red strands laid together. The strands of white wool are undulated and slightly felted, th. 4 mm. The red strands are slightly felted and untwisted, spun thread th. 2 mm. L. of loin-cloth 40 cm., longest end of fringe 28 cm. The quality and colour of the wool the same as 5:148-149. Pl. 26:5.

36:8. Doll made of wool rags fastened on to a small wooden peg of the same model as Pl. 9:2. L. of peg 94 mm.

Round and over the pin are thick strands of light greyish brown and blackish-brown wool,

also finer strands of wine-coloured wool, all more or less felted, th. about 3—1 mm.

The top part forms the doll's head. Around the "face" a light greyish yellow strand of yarn, behind this a wine-coloured strand. About 4.5 cm. below the "face" the combined "neck" and "waist" are wound round with a blackish brown coarse folded strand with a loop holding some short brown grass(?), fixture for girdle(?). Round a part of the waist and hanging down between and around strands of yarn is laid a piece of coarse fabric of soft white wool. The woollen fabric is in plain weave and does not recur among the other Lop-nor finds. The warp is firmly twisted, th. 2 mm., 3 threads to 1 cm. The weft in shoot two threads parallel, vaguely spun; two double threads to 1 cm.

Size, excl. hanging strands, 14 cm. Pl. 11:2.

36:9. Small bundle of sinew-fibres and dark and light wool, twined two and a half times with fulled felt, thin and fine and wound five turns with red wool, th. 3 mm., of the same colour and quality as the felt. L. 9 cm.

36:10. Brown woollen string, L. 258.6 cm. Th. 3 mm.

36:11. Braid, two pieces of the same kind, of white wool, th. 2 mm. Braiding made of eleven strands of yarn over one under one thread. W. about 1 cm. L. 28.7 and 21.1 cm.

36:12. Human hair, dark brown, partly turned grey.

36:13. Tress of dark brown hair, the upper end tightly wound round with string. L. 61 cm.

36:14. Small wooden comb, consisting of eleven round teeth (one missing) inserted in a piece of sinew. L. 6.5 cm. Br. 6 cm. Pl. 27:10.

36:15. Pin of hard wood with barrel-shaped head decorated with four transverse bands, each bordered by a row of small incised triangles. L. 147 mm. L. of head 56 mm. Pl. 27:8.

36:16-17. Two pins of hard wood. The barrel-shaped heads are decorated with nine rows of small incised triangles, their points turned upwards. The rows arranged in groups of three. The triangles have been filled with red. L. 163 mm. L. of heads 47 mm. —:16 Pl. 27:7.

36:18-20. Three wooden pins of the same kind as —:16—17 but with plain heads. L. 154—134 mm. L. of heads 48 and 43 mm. —:20 Pl. 27:3.

36:21. Bone pin with spool-shaped head. Smooth surface. L. 10 cm. Pl. 27:4.