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VIDEO: Olympian making military gloves

You'd think a guy who competed in three Olympics in the sport of luge would know a thing or two about gloves.

WDEL's Lee St. John reports. 🕮 Video Here

Frank Masley is that guy, but the gloves his company makes aren't part of any athletic competition. They're part of a more serious game; fighting the war in Iraq.

From a two-room manufacturing facility near the end of Germay Drive just outside Wilmington, Masley's small team designs and assembles a whole line of gloves, or as he likes to put it, "Technical Handwear Solutions" for a number of military applications.

Another of Masley's designs is awaiting testing by the armed forces, which could lead to another manufacturing contract; something that wasn't lost on Congressman Mike Castle who stopped by with other state and local officials for a tour and to put Masley's products to the test.

So, while wading through that red tape, Masley is marketing directly to the units hoping OD Green will be his ticket to gold.

Reporting from the Germay Industrial Park outside Wilmington, L st J, 11-50 AM, WDEL.

