

FASCINATING FIND

ROTUNDA SLICER



This Rotunda bacon and bread slicer was made in Germany and brought to Australia in 1881 by W H Wagner and family. Like most things of the time, it was chiefly constructed of cast iron. It has a wooden base and hinged back-board, adjustable slice thickness and a foot to help hold it to the table. The handle is geared to a fine disc blade.

It was donated to the museum by Lt. Col. and Mrs H Herdon, South Side, and is on display with all the other vintage kitchenware in the tank, and in the house at the Gold Mining Museum.