ARTIFACT IDENTIFICATION

The COFFEE GRINDER crushed the coffee bean into a granular form. The coffee grains were then taken from the drawer of the grinder and brewed.

The ICE CREAM FREEZER made delicious, cold ice cream by turning the handle and rotating the container of cream in a bucket of salt and ice.

Before there were refrigerators people kept things cold by placing them in an ICE BOX. Blocks of ice placed in the top would provide the cooling needed for milk, butter and eggs.

A clothing FLUTER was used to ruffle clothing after drying.
Before television the **STEREOSCOPE** allowed people to see images in three dimensions of far away places or famous events in history.

The **SAD IRON** would be heated on the stove and then used to smooth wrinkles out of clothing after drying. The handle could be detached as one iron cooled and another heated iron was ready to be taken up.

A **WASH BOARD** was used to scrub clothing by hand in a sink or wash tub.

The **PHONOGRAPH** played records and was cranked by hand before houses were equipped with electricity.
The **SEWING MACHINE** was operated by a foot treadle and made stitching fast and easy.

The **WASH STAND** is where the wash basin, soap and towels were kept for washing hands and face.

The **BASIN AND PITCHER** stood on the wash stand and was kept full of water for washing up before mealtime or bedtime.

The **COAL SCUTTLE** stood by the fireplace or stove full of coal to keep the fires hot.