

### Butter Paddles

Used for pressing the churned butter to remove pockets of air and liquid (buttermilk) which would otherwise turn the butter rancid. The grooves help the liquid run out from under the butter pat once it's turned over and pressed. Both are beautifully direct forms.

Left: Caniço, Madeira, l. 25 cm; right: Viana do Castelo, l. 25 cm

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