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Provenience: Benin, Nigeria

Field No.

People or Culture: Bini

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Object: "Shrapnel" charge

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Material: Bamboo, iron

Description: "Charge of shot fired from a cannon obtained from the Portuguese. Collection of Ralph F. Locke, 1897." Acquired by Fuller December 1927.

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A charge of shrapnel made of a number of bamboo splints, wrapped at 5 points along their lengths with rattan, to form a cylinder containing jagged lumps of iron. PHOTO ON REVERSE SIDE

Dimensions:
(in cm.) L. 28.9

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Collection: Fuller Collection: presented by
Mrs. A. W. F. Fuller, 13 November 1963

