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Provenience: Benin, Nigeria

People or Culture: Bini

Object: Sword and scabbard

Material: Iron, leather, wool

Description: 1) Sword; 2) scabbard.

From a collection of old weapons brought from Benin.

Acquired by Fuller 16 March 1948.

Sword with an iron blade and a wooden handle with strips of brass around it. Leather scabbard with appliqued red, green, yellow, and black felt stitched to a maroon plush material covering one side of the scabbard. Harness of twined yarns.

PHOTO ON REVERSE SIDE

Dimensions: Sword l. 57.1; Scabbard l. 56.5 (in cm.)

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

