

CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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General Provenience: MELANESIA New Guinea: Papua

Where collected:

Tribe:

Where made:

People:

Attribution: Torres Straits

Culture:

Brief description: 20 arrows

Detailed description: Bundle of 20 arrows; cane shafts, most of which are blackened; some barbed and some not; some bone tips; some palm wood, some bamboo; string and woven fiber bindings; some points incised and incised areas filled with white pigment. Some light-colored shafts decorated

See reverse

DIMENSIONS (in cm.): with incised carved designs.* average

length: 148.0 *

height:

diameter:

width:

circumference:

Fuller Collection: Purchased from Captain A. W. F. Fuller of London, England, in 1958
Acquired by Fuller on January 25, 1910.

Old Label:

" These arrows were given to the seller by Capt. Harvey of the Queensland—Goole Steamer, "Merrie England". They were used in the attack on the steamer at New Guinea about 1899, when several of the natives were killed."

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