## CANNON

The Mohammedanized natives of the Philippines have long understood the casting of brass and bronze. The largest castings made by them are the *lantaka*, or cannon, of which this is a typical specimen. The decorations on this weapon were doubtless copied from the Chinese, the first people of the Orient to make use of gunpowder and cannon.

The weight of this gun is 151 pounds.

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