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General Provenience: MELANESIA New Guinea: Papua

Where collected:

Tribe:

Where made:

People:

Attribution: Torres Straits

Culture:

Brief description: Necklace

Detailed description: Necklace consisting of 42 kangaroo teeth woven into a fiber base; red ochre present; plaited fiber ties. For a similar specimen see A. C. Haddon, Expedition to Torres Straits, 1912, Vol. IV, pp. 35, 366, Pl. IX, Fig. 5. The illustrated piece is from Mabuag Island and is <sup>See reverse</sup>

DIMENSIONS (in cm.): called pik uru or kuik uru. It is described as a "frontlet for a young man."

length:

height:

diameter:

width:

circumference:

Fuller Collection: Purchased from Captain A. W. F. Fuller of London, England, in 1958  
Acquired by Fuller on July 26, 1921.