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CHICAGO NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM—ETHNOLOGY

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Field No.

Provenience: Sierra Leone

People or Culture: Mende

Object: palette

Material: wood

Description: Wooden palette with head for handle resting on a wooden base (all carved out of one piece of wood)

Neg. No.

Dimensions: length - 34.5  
(in cm.)

maximum width - 8.85

see reverse side

Acc.

2815

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

Fuller label: "Sierra Leone. Mendi palette probably for preparing grease paint in connection with a women's society such as the Yassi or the Sande a curing group. See E.Elisofon & W. Flagg, "Sculpture of Africa," 1958, ~~px271x~~ fig.2 p.271"

