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## FIELD MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY—ETHNOLOGY

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Field No.

**Provenience:** Polynesia - Tokelau Islands, Atafu Island**People or Culture:** Tokelau Islanders**Object:** coconut shell containers

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**Material:** almost mature coconut shell (Agalele), sennit netting, puka (*Hernandia ovigera*)**Description:** A- coconut shell container, spherical shape covered with netted sennit (Pupuu). Handle is twisted sennit, twisted sennit ring forms the base.

B- stopper is Puka wood, round bottomed, sides angling slightly outward to flattened top. (stopper is missing in P.R.L. front room 1975 - see 194335, B).

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**Dimensions:** A- height 15.0 cm. diameter 4.5  
(in cm.) B- diameter of bottom 2.0 diam. top 2.5

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**Collection:** Purchased from and collected by Dr. Judith Huntsman, March 18, 1970.

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